Our goal at the College Store is to ensure that we have a representation of all textbooks adopted by a professor for the current semester. There are many factors we use to base our buying decisions, included, but not limited to:

- Estimated enrollment (historically, at time of registration, and during add/drop)
- Historical sales for a specific course and/or a specific professor
- Availability, cost, and returnability from publishers and distributors
- Reserve status at the Bates Library
- Student buying trends in the marketplace

Stock level is closely monitored throughout the semester and the College Store will assist students in ordering any course materials that are not immediately available to them.

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