

Abilene Independent School District Board Document – VIII.C

Meeting Date: October 6, 2025

Meeting Type: Regular Meeting

Item Type: Report

Future Action Required: None

If Yes, Month: N/A

Subject: Bilingual/ESL Report

Background Information:

The Bilingual and English as a Second Language (ESL) Program is designed to meet the linguistic, academic, and cultural needs of English learners (ELs) by providing high-quality instruction that supports both English language acquisition and grade-level academic success. The program ensures compliance with state and federal requirements, while also addressing the unique educational needs of a diverse student population.

Both Bilingual and ESL Programs emphasize the development of critical thinking, cultural awareness, and academic achievement. Through collaboration with teachers, administrators, and families, the programs seek to create equitable learning opportunities that prepare English learners to become successful, productive, and engaged members of society.

Attached Supporting Documents:

[ESL/Bilingual Presentation](#)

Fiscal Implications:

Cost for Summit K-12

Administrative Recommendation:

Information Only

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