

# Action Sheet

**MEETING DATE:**

August 24, 2021

**AGENDA ITEM:**

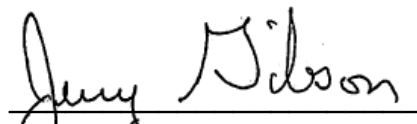
**Discuss and consider approval for the district to enter into an agreement with Avondale House for Day School Placement of a Student in GISD.**


The district wishes to enter into an agreement with Avondale House, a TEA approved non-public day school, to provide year round educational day school services including occupational therapy and speech therapy to a student in GISD for the 2022-2023 school year. This agreement is needed to provide an Individual Education Plan to the student as per the ARD (Admission, Review and Dismissal Committee) and is inclusive of Extended School Year (ESY) services if such are deemed appropriate. The student will travel to Avondale each morning and return home each afternoon.

As outlined in the contract, the cost for services provided by Avondale House will be \$4,825.00 per month, not to exceed \$57,900.00 annually and will be paid utilizing split funding from both annually allotted local Special Education discretionary funds and federally awarded IDEA-B grant funding.

**RECOMMENDATION:**

**I move that the Board of Trustees enter into an agreement with Avondale House for Day School Placement of a Student in GISD.**

  
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Dr. Jerry Gibson

  
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Jessica Edwards

Superintendent

Director of Special Education/Section 504