



Devine Independent School District Board of Trustees Agenda Document

Meeting Date: October 21, 2024

Agenda Item: ESL Program Evaluation

Background Information:

All school districts are required to conduct a bilingual education or English as a second language (ESL) program shall conduct an annual evaluation in accordance with Texas Education Code (TEC), §29.053, collecting a full range of data to determine program effectiveness to ensure student academic success.

The annual evaluation report shall be presented to the board of trustees before November 1 of each year and the report shall be retained at the school district level in accordance with TEC §29.062.

Administrative Consideration:

Academic progress and proficiency of ELs

EL students meeting exit/reclassification criteria

Number of teachers trained and professional development that supports second language acquisition

Number of teachers on waivers being filed with TEA (current and previous year)

Professional development plan

Budgetary Consideration:

10% of bilingual allotment must be used for a professional development plan if a waiver is filed
Review the use of bilingual allotment for stipends, professional development, etc...

Supporting Documents:

Devine ISD ESL Program Evaluation

Recommendation:

Report only.

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