

Questions Submitted by Trustee Elda Flores

August 15, 2018

Regular Called Board Meeting

Consent Agenda Item #9

Approve Waiver for Expedited Timeline for Accelerated Instruction for Student Success Initiative-Qualified Students.

Q1: Are these 5th and 8th grade students moving on to the 6th and 9th grades?

Yes, students will move to the next grade level. Campuses are making revisions to the students' accelerated instruction plans for implementation at the next level.

Q2: How many students?

We have 200 incoming 9th grade students, and approximately 70 6th grade students per middle school that will need intervention due to not passing the STAAR math or reading.

Q3: How will this accelerated instruction look like during the 1st six weeks?

Instructional plans will differ amongst students as they are based on individual student assessment data.

Q4: Will the 10:1 or less ratio during accelerated instruction apply as required by state policy?

Yes, student will participate in reading or math interventions within a 10-1 ratio.