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Project Number: 23-CDP-00-03-011-0080-26

Overview

PROGRAM: Consolidated District Plan

PURPOSE: The District Plan shall be developed with timely and meaningful consultation with teachers, principals, other school leaders, paraprofessionals, specialized instructional support personnel, charter school leaders, administrators, other appropriate school personnel, and parents of children in schools served under the Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA) legislation, and as appropriate, is coordinated with other programs under ESSA, the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. 1400 et seq.), the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 (20 U.S.C. 701 et seq.), the Strengthening Career and Technical Education for the 21st Century Act (20 U.S.C.2301 et seq.), the Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (29 U.S.C. 3103 et seq.), the Head Start Act (42 U.S.C. 9831 et seq.), the McKinney-Vento Homeless Assistance Act (42 U.S.C. 11301 et seq.), the Adult Education and Family Literacy Act (29 U.S.C. 3271 et seq.), and other Acts as appropriate.

BOARD GOALS:

- Student Learning: Every child will make significant academic gains each year, increasing their knowledge, skills, and opportunities so they graduate equipped to pursue a successful future, with the state paying special attention to addressing historic inequities.
- Learning Conditions: All schools will receive the resources necessary to create safe, healthy, and welcoming learning environments, and will be equipped to meet the unique academic and social and emotional needs of each and every child.
- Elevating Educators: Illinois' diverse student population will have educators who are prepared through multiple pathways and are supported in and celebrated for their efforts to provide each and every child an education that meets their needs.

FY 2023 Title I, Part A - Improving Basic Programs

Included Title I, Part A - School Improvement Part 1003

Programs: Title I, Part D - Delinquent

Title I, Part D - Neglected

Title I, Part D - State Neglected/Delinquent

Title II, Part A - Preparing, Training, and Recruiting High-Quality Teachers, Principals, and Other School Leaders

Title III - Language Instruction Educational Program (LIEP)

Title III - Immigrant Student Education Program (ISEP)

Title IV, Part A - Student Support and Academic Enrichment

Title V, Part B - Rural and Low Income Schools

IDEA, Part B - Flow-Through

IDEA, Part B - Preschool

Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief Grant II

American Rescue Plan - LEA (Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief Grant III)

Foster Care Transportation Plan

LEGISLATION: [Every Student Succeeds Act \(ESSA\)](#)

[Individuals with Disabilities Education Act](#)

[Rehabilitation Act](#)

[Strengthening Career and Technical Education for the 21st Century Act](#)

[Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act](#)

[Head Start Act](#)

[McKinney-Vento Homeless Assistance Act](#)
[Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act, 2021 \(CRRSA\) ESSER II](#)
[American Rescue Plan Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief \(ARP ESSER\)](#)
[Adult Education and Family Literacy Act](#)

DUE DATE: District plans must be submitted to the Illinois State Board of Education and approved before any FY 2023 grant applications for included programs can be approved.

Submission by April 1 is recommended.

DURATION: The District Plan was submitted initially for the school year 2022-2023 and must be updated annually thereafter.

AMENDMENTS: Each Local Education Agency (LEA) shall periodically review and, as necessary, revise the plan throughout the year. Plan amendments may necessitate amendment of the associated grant application(s) as well.

INSTRUCTIONS: [Instructions in PDF format](#)

COMMON ESSA - Every Student Succeeds Act (also referenced as the Elementary and Secondary

ABBREVIATIONS: Education Act [ESEA] of 1965 as Amended)

IDEA - Individuals with Disabilities Education Act

ISBE - Illinois State Board of Education

LEA - Local Educational Agency

LIEP - Language Instruction Educational Program

SEA - State Education Agency

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Contact Information

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1. Contact Information for Person Completing This Form

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2. General Education Provisions Act (GEPA) Section 427 *

Section 427 of GEPA (20 U.S.C. 1228a) affects all applicants submitting proposals under this program. This section requires each applicant to include in its proposal a description of the steps the applicant proposes to take to ensure equitable access to, and participate in, its federally assisted program for students, teachers and other program beneficiaries with special needs.

This provision allows applicants discretion in developing the required description. The statute highlights six types of barriers that can impede equitable access or participation: gender, race, national origin, color, disability, or age. The applicant should determine whether these or other barriers may prevent students, teachers, etc. from such access to, or participation in, the federally funded project or activity. The description of steps to be taken to overcome these barriers need not be lengthy; the school district may provide a clear and succinct description of how it plans to address those barriers that are applicable to its circumstances. In addition, the information may be provided in a single narration, or, if appropriate, may be discussed in connection with related topics in the application.

Section 427 is not intended to duplicate the requirements of the civil rights statutes, but rather to ensure that, in designing their programs, applicants for federal funds address equity concerns that may affect the ability of certain beneficiaries to fully participate in the program and to achieve high standards. Consistent with requirements and its approved proposal, an applicant may use the federal funds awarded to it to eliminate barriers it identifies.

Describe the steps that will be taken to overcome barriers to equitable program participation of students, teachers, and other beneficiaries with special needs.

(470 of 2500 maximum characters used)

In accordance with Section 427 of the Department of Ed's General Provision Act (GEPA), Pana CUSD#8 ensures equal access and participation to all persons regardless of their race, color, ethnicity, religion, national origin, gender, age, citizenship status, or disability to the programs and services offered pursuant to ESEA. No barriers exist to equitable program participation. The district has established grievance procedures to resolve any conflict that may arise.

3. General Completion Instructions

Work through the tabs from left to right. Save each page before moving to the next tab.

Required fields on each page are dependent upon funding sources selected on the Coordinated Funding tab.

Many pages have notes at the bottom indicating for which programs the page is required.

To determine if a page is required for the funding sources selected earlier in the application, save the page before completing and look for error messages. If none, the page is not required for the program(s) selected.

How to Complete Pages with Pre-populated Fields

Several pages have two boxes below the narrative questions - one has the response from the prior year plan and the other allows responses for the updated plan. Copy the response from the redisplay and paste it into the updated plan box, revising the description as necessary. Be sure to save the page once this has been completed for all questions on the page.

Some pages display sections based on which grants were selected on the Funding page as anticipated as funded. To change the sections that display, return to the Funding page and select or de-select grants for which funding is anticipated.

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Amendments

Indicate whether this is the first submission for the fiscal year or an amendment to the APPROVED initial plan for the fiscal year.*

NOTE: This page must be completed each time a new plan version within the fiscal year is submitted to ISBE.

- Initial submission for the fiscal year
- Amendment to approved plan for the fiscal year

Plan Changes

Provide a brief description of the changes which have been made to the APPROVED initial application for the fiscal year or a subsequent APPROVED amendment with this amendment. Include the name of any page that was changed.

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Needs Assessment/Programs

Instructions

1. Consolidated planning includes how anticipated programs will be funded. Indicate below for which programs the LEA anticipates receiving funding for school year 2022-2023.* [1]

NOTE: All funding sources should be reviewed after October 1 and the plan should be amended and resubmitted to ISBE if funding sources have been added or removed due to actual grant awards.

- Title I, Part A - Improving Basic Programs
- Title I, Part A - School Improvement Part 1003
- Title I, Part D - Delinquent
- Title I, Part D - Neglected
- Title I, Part D - State Neglected/Delinquent
- Title II, Part A - Preparing, Training, and Recruiting High-Quality Teachers, Principals, and Other School Leaders
- Title III - Language Instruction Educational Program (LIEP)
- Title III - Immigrant Student Education Program (ISEP)
- Title IV, Part A - Student Support and Academic Enrichment
- Title V, Part B - Rural and Low Income Schools
- IDEA, Part B - Flow-Through
- IDEA, Part B - Preschool
- ESSER II (Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief II)
- ARP-ESSER III (Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief III)

2. Describe how the LEA will align federal resources, including but not limited to the programs in the CDP, with state and local resources to carry out activities supported in whole or in part with funding from the programs selected.* [2]

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Pana School District will use this grant money along with other district finances to ensure that all students will have an opportunity to receive a fair, equitable, and high quality education. The money will be used to improve the education for all students. Pana CUSD #8 has a system in place to track all grant money revenue and expenses. The district will run monthly and quarterly reports to monitor school funding. Pana School District will develop a school improvement plan, and a committee will monitor the progress students are making.

Response from the approved prior year Consolidated District Plan.

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3. Will the LEA braid funding?

Put N/A in the text area if no. List what programs will be supported if the answer is yes.

No ▼ NA

4. Will the hybrid- blend Title II and/or Title IV funding?

Indicate all that apply.

- No Hybrid Funding
- Title II to Title I
- Title IV to Title I
- Title II to Title IV
- Title IV to Title II

5. Provide a Summary of the LEA's Needs Assessment.

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We are in the process of improving our RTI (MTSS) program. Right now we are using too many different interventions, and we lack a uniform progress monitoring tool across all schools. Next year our K-8 will be using Aims Web plus to progress monitor students. Hopefully with interventions that are more targeted to individual student needs we will be able to see better progress. Also with a consistent benchmarking system in place we will be able to tell much sooner if the intervention is working, and we will be able to monitor a student's progress better. In using the 80% in Tier 1 and 20% in Tier 2 and Tier 3, we are closer to 70% in Tier 1 and 30% in Tier 2 and Tier 3. Our goal is to provide more individualized instruction for all students. With a change in scheduling all students will be getting interventions or enrichment at the same time. Hopefully this will lead to growth for all students. In addition we are hoping to have few students fall into the 25 percentile range. Our benchmarking which we do 3 times a year, shows that we are making very good growth, but on the achievement side we are still below in many grade levels in both math and reading. We are dedicating at least 2 Wednesdays per month on student data and this process. Once that is complete we will be tweaking our RTI/ MTSS program on the behavior, social and emotional side. We will continue to use Capturing Kids Hearts to help us with this. We hired an additional counselor so those things are helping as well.

Our Math scores on state testing continue to be a concern. Our 3rd grade scores are very good, but we see a gradual drop off. Our initial writing scores at the Jr. High are outstanding. We will be looking at ways to incorporate that writing into all subjects, and into the lower grades.

Legislative References:

- [1] Title I, Part A, Reference Section 1112(a) (1)
- [2] Title I, Part A, Reference Section 1112(a) (1)

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Needs Assessment Impact	Stakeholders	Private Schools Participation	Preschool Coordination	Student Achievement	College and Career	Professional Development	Safe Learning Environment	Title I Specific Pages	IDEA Specific Require
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Needs Assessment Impact

1. Indicate which of the instruments below were used in the LEA needs assessment process.*

- A. School and/or district report card(s)
- B. Five Essentials Survey
- C. Student achievement data (disaggregated by student groups)
- D. Current recruitment and retention efforts and effectiveness data
- E. Professional development plan(s)
- F. School improvement plan(s)
- G. ESSA site based expenditure data
- H. ED School Climate Survey (EDSCLS)
- I. CDC School Health Index
- J. National School Climate Center
- K. ASCD School Improvement Tool
- L. Illinois Quality Framework and Supporting Rubric
- M. Other

List and describe other instruments and/or processes that were used in the needs assessment.

2. For each program for which funding is anticipated, provide a summary of the needs assessment results. Include the program goal(s) identified through the need assessment process, as applicable. * Writing space appears if a program was selected on the Coordinated Funding page; to make changes in program funding, return to that page, revise, save the page and return to this page.

- i. Identify areas of need related to student achievement, subgroup performance, and resource inequities.
- ii. Include any additional information relevant to this planning document. Provide targeted responses where noted.
- iii. Describe how the needs assessment information will be used for identifying program goals and planning grant activities for each program as applicable.

A. Title I, Part A - Improving Basic Programs

We use this to pay for teacher and paraprofessional salary and benefits. We provide extra practice for students who are identified as struggling or below grade level. We use NWEA MAP, Star Testing, classroom work, and teacher recommendations to identify these students. We are looking for ways to provide equity for students in E-Learning and Remote Learning situations.

B. Title I, Part A - School Improvement Part 1003

C. Title I, Part D - Delinquent

D. Title I, Part D - Neglected

E. Title I, Part D - State Neglected/Delinquent

F. Title II, Part A - Preparing, Training, and Recruiting

Also identify needs assessment results, including description of strategies for closing any achievement gaps and for key professional development opportunities for teachers and principals.

With the shortage in teachers, we are looking at improving our mentoring program for new teachers. We want to keep our new teacher, and have them stay here. In addition some Professional Development opportunities will be ROE New Teachers workshop, Instructional Coaching.

G. Title III - LIEP

H. Title III - ISEP

I. Title IV, Part A - Student Support and Academic Enrichment

Also provide information for Title IV-A programs and activities planned as a result of needs assessment that align with the Title IV-A budget.

We transfer this money into Title I or Title II

J. Title V, Part B - Rural and Low Income Schools

We use this money to help with reducing the learning gap between low income students and non low income students.

K. IDEA, Part B - Flow-Through [1]

We will be in year 34 of our new special ed group. (NPT). This group will continue with the IDEA flow through money to the 3 districts.

We will continue to work on ways to improve our services for our IEP students.

We are looking at trying to find curriculum that meets the needs of those students that are pulled out for instruction.

A concern was raised about the high number of students with IEPs.

Our main goals this year is to continue our training on Trauma Informed Students. (ACES), and student discipline. We will be doing the Capturing Kids Hearts program to help with this area. Student to school with so many issues, that it impacts their learning. The focus of the professional development will be the next step and that is de-escalation strategies for teachers to use when students are upset. We have hired an elementary counselor for next year.

Our other area of focus will be math. We continue to struggle with Math on state testing in grades 4-11. The progress we are making is some of our lower students are moving up to approaching. We have too many in the lower categories. The other problem is that we are not moving students from approaching to meeting, so our percentage of students meeting is below state averages in grades surveyed parents and they indicated a need for after school programs and summer school.

L. IDEA, Part B - Preschool

M. Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief Grant II

We hired an additional elementary school counselor to last year to help with social and emotional needs. We used it to address the digital divide and make internet access more equitable. We also use purchase programs to help with Remote learning and student achievement.

N. ARP-LEA Elementary and Secondary Emergency Relief Grant III

We have to many goals. Safety and then overcoming learning loss. We use these funds to help keep students safe during the pandemic. We are using these funds to help the learning loss by having school and summer programs targeted for students who are struggling. We used these

Legislative Requirement:

[1] IDEA - 23 IAC Section 1.420(q)

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Stakeholder Involvement

INSTRUCTIONS: Select the goal(s) below that align with the District responses provided in the required information below. A minimum of one ISBE or District Goal selected.*

ISBE Goals:

- Student Learning: Every child will make significant academic gains each year, increasing their knowledge, skills, and opportunities so they graduate equipped to pursue a success the state paying special attention to addressing historic inequities.
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- Elevating Educators: Illinois' diverse student population will have educators who are prepared through multiple pathways and are supported in and celebrated for their efforts to every child an education that meets their needs.

District Goal(s):

- Select the checkbox, then enter the District Goal(s) that align to the responses below in the text area.

1. Select the types of personnel/groups that were included in the planning process (required stakeholders for various programs as footnoted below).* Check all that apply.

- A. Teachers (1,7,8,9,10)
- B. Principals (1,7,8,9,10)
- C. Other school leaders (1,8,9,10)
- D. Paraprofessionals (1)
- E. Specialized instructional support personnel (1,2,3,4,8,9,10)
- F. Charter school leaders (in a local educational agency that has charter schools) (1)
- G. Parents and family members of children in attendance centers covered by included programs (1,2,3,4,7,8,9,10)
- H. Parent liaisons
- I. Title I director (1)
- J. Title II director (1)
- K. Bilingual director (1,7)
- L. Title IV director (1)
- M. Special Education director
- N. Guidance staff
- O. Local government representatives (8)
- P. Community members and community based organizations (7,8)
- Q. Business representatives (2,3,4)
- R. Researchers (7)
- S. Institutions of Higher Education (7)
- T. Other - specify
- U. Additional Other - specify

Program Footnotes:

- 1 = Title I, Part A - Improving Basic Programs
- 2 = Title I, Part D - Neglected
- 3 = Title I, Part D - Delinquent
- 4 = Title I, Part D - State Neglected/Delinquent
- 5 = Title II, Part A - Preparing, Training, and Recruiting High-Quality Teachers, Principals, and Other School Leaders
- 6 = Title III, including LIEP and ISEP
- 7 = Title IV, Part A - Student Support and Academic Enrichment
- 8 = ESSER II
- 9 = ARP-LEA (ESSER III)

2. Articulate how the LEA consulted with the stakeholders identified above in the development of this plan.** Describe how stakeholders'

input impacted the final plan submission, as well as references to particular meetings. Note that documentation of stakeholder engagement may be requested during monitoring; keep documentation on file. [1]

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A team of 13 people reviewed the 2021-22 Title I District Plan at the May 1, 2020 consultation meeting. This team included 2 Building Administrator, 2, 5 Title I teachers, 2 regular ed teachers, 1 paraprofessional, special ed coordinator, 1 parent, and the District's Grant Coordinator. Group members were encouraged to make additions or corrections. The plan was updated during the meeting to reflect the group members input and in some cases emails or calls were made to other staff members if questions arose. Meeting notes were also taken. The amended 2022-23 Consolidated District plan was submitted to the District Superintendent, all 5 Building Administrators and the rest of the Stakeholders that attended the May 25th meeting for final review before submitting the application to the Pana CUSD # 8 School Board for approval at the June 20 2022

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3. Describe the approaches the district will use to include parents and family members in the development of LEA plans, so that the plans and related activities represent the needs of varied populations. [2]**

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Parents and family members are encouraged to attend the team meetings to review the policies annually. In addition, there is an opportunity at the annual schoolwide meeting for parents, family or community members to make suggestions/comments regarding parent/family involvement.

In addition, the District holds monthly Rising Star team meetings that include parents/family members.

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4. Describe the activities/strategies the LEA will implement for effective parent and family engagement. This includes a description of any activities/strategies that will be implemented for effective English learner and immigrant parent family engagement, as applicable. ** [3]

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Each school will continue to work to improve parent and family engagement activities. We do a couple of events at the schools each year, but they have mixed results in terms of parent attendance.

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Title I Requirement:

An LEA must develop the Title I Plan with timely and meaningful consultation with the stakeholders identified below.

[ESEA section 1112\(a\)\(1\)\(A\).](#)

Title III Requirement:

An LEA must develop and implement the plan in consultation with teachers, researchers, school administrators, parent and family members, community members, public or private

institutions of higher education. (Section 3121(b)(4)(C))

Legislative References:

[1] Title I, Part A, Section 1112(a) (1) (A and B) and Section 3121 (b) (4)(C)

[2] Title I, Part A, Section 1116(a)(2)

[3] Title I, Part A, Section Section 1116(a)(2) and Section 1112(b)(7)

*Required field

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Private School Participation

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NOTE: This page is not applicable to state schools or state-authorized charter schools.

Using the latest available verified data, private schools within the district's boundaries that are registered with ISBE are pre-populated in the table below. Timely and meaningful consultation with these schools is required by legislation for ESEA Titles I, II, and IV, as well as both IDEA grants. Any additional newer schools can be added by selecting Create Additional Entries. See separate sections below for more detailed information on completing the table.

Will Private Schools participate in the Program?

Yes No

Nonpublic School Consultation Form

Private School Name	School Closing	Title I	Title II	Title IV	Nonpublic Consultation Form
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Preschool Coordination

INSTRUCTIONS: Select the goal(s) below that align with the District responses provided in the required information below. A minimum of one ISBE or District Goal selected.

ISBE Goals:

- Student Learning: Every child will make significant academic gains each year...
Learning Conditions: All schools will receive the resources necessary to create safe, healthy, and welcoming learning environments...
Elevating Educators: Illinois' diverse student population will have educators who are prepared through multiple pathways...

District Goal(s):

Select the checkbox, then enter the District Goal(s) that align to the responses below in the text area.

Describe how the district will support, coordinate, and integrate services provided under this part with early childhood education programs at the district or individual plans for the transition of participants in such programs to local elementary school programs.* [1]

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If the district does not offer early childhood education programs, enter
No Preschool Programs

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The District hosts an annual Kindergarten screening in May of each year to assess Pre-K student knowledge. These results are shared with parents at Kindergarten screening. In addition, each
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Title I Requirement

Coordination of services with preschool education programs

Legislative References:

[1] Title I, Part A, Section 1112(b)(8)

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Student Achievement and Timely Graduation

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ISBE Goals:

- Student Learning: Every child will make significant academic gains each year, increasing their knowledge, skills, and opportunities so they graduate equipped to pursue a success the state paying special attention to addressing historic inequities.
Learning Conditions: All schools will receive the resources necessary to create safe, healthy, and welcoming learning environments, and will be equipped to meet the unique academic and emotional needs of each and every child.
Elevating Educators: Illinois' diverse student population will have educators who are prepared through multiple pathways and are supported in and celebrated for their efforts to every child an education that meets their needs.

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1. Describe the well-rounded instructional program to meet the academic and language needs of all students and how the district will develop and implement the [1]

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Pana CUSD #8 employs a full time District Technology Integration Specialist who works with District staff to integrate technology into classrooms. The District partners with Pana Education Foundation profit organization, to assist with funding the technology needs of our District. Pana CUSD #8 is employing a 2nd District Technology Integration Specialist in 2020-21. In 2019-20 Pana CUSD#8 hired an elementary guidance counselor.

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Pana Junior High School has Project Based Learning courses such as a gardening class paid for by a Department of Natural Resources grant and an Outdoor Resources course in which students safety certification. They also provide STEP UP student leadership, crafts, book buddies, Lego league, 5k wellness initiative, and designing school of the future (ICE Box) as project based learning

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2. List and describe the measures the district takes to use and create the identification criteria for students at risk of failure.* Include criteria for low-income, ELL, education, neglected, and delinquent as applicable to the district. [2]

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All students in grades K-8 will be assessed for reading and math three times per year (Fall, Winter, & Spring) using the Measure of Academic Progress (MAP). The purpose of these assessments is a universal screener to provide early identification of students failing to make progress, measure general educational progress toward established benchmarks, and evaluate progress toward more challenging State academic standards. Based upon their performance on the screenings, students will be placed in one of three tiers. Tier 1 is for students meeting the established benchmarks are those that are at-risk and in need of interventions to assist them in meeting their benchmarks. Tier 2 students will be those that are in need of intensive instructional interventions. The top 3 students will be monitored frequently using a variety of assessments to evaluate the effectiveness of the instructional interventions. We are getting a progress monitoring tool for K-8, so we consistency there. Decisions about student's tier placement will also include referrals by classroom teachers, progress as indicated by mid-term and nine weeks report cards, attendance, and administered tests such as the STAR Reading Assessment. In addition, the District's School Psychologist reviews student assessment data. If after each succeeding intervention, the progress assessment indicates that the student is still not making progress towards the goal of meeting State Standards, the case may be reviewed by the administrative team, classroom teachers, Title I workers and guidance counselors. Where further interventions will be considered or possibly a referral to be considered for Special Education services.

Grade level teams meet each Wednesday afternoon to discuss Student Learning Objectives (SLO) and student assessments. Teacher created assessments are given to all students. Student Int Strategizing is completed by staff members periodically throughout the year and as needed.

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5. Explain the process through which the district will identify and address any disparities that result in low-income and/or minority students being taught at high other students by ineffective, inexperienced, or out-of-field teachers. [5]**

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In October 2015 all certified staff members attended Ruby Payne "A Framework for Understanding Poverty" training. Each year District staff are required to complete mandated trainings as determined by local ROE #3 and our Human Resource provider, Bushue Human Resources.

All District teachers and Administrators are evaluated using the Danielson model.

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The District partners with Pana Education Foundation, a non-profit organization, to assist with funding the technology needs of our District. The District also continues to apply for external resources to develop an effective school library program.

The District employs a full-time District Technology Integration Specialist who provides training and support to the faculty/staff in the use of technology to support the Pre-K to 12 curriculum. The Integration Specialist also assists in the development of engaged learning projects, informational technology skills, digital literacy skills, digital citizenship, and the integration of instructional technology to improve student learning. The District Technology Integration Specialist works closely with Teachers, the District Librarian, Library Assistant and Library Aides to assist students in developing digital literacy skills.

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The District funds a .22 FTE Librarian to oversee the District library program. The District also funds four part time paraprofessionals who assist students and present lessons prepared by the District Librarian.

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The District employs a full-time District Technology Integration Specialist who provides training and support to the faculty/staff in the use of technology to support the Pre-K to 12 curriculum. The Integration Specialist also assists in the development of engaged learning projects, informational technology skills, digital literacy skills, digital citizenship, and the integration of instructional technology to improve student learning. The District Technology Integration Specialist works closely with Teachers, the District Librarian, Library Assistant and Library Aides to assist students in developing digital literacy skills.

7. Describe how the district will identify and serve gifted and talented students by using objective criteria. [7]**

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Pana CUSD # 8 adopted Board Policy 6:130 Program for the Gifted in January 1993. It was revised on November 21, 1994; April 22, 2003; January 17, 2006; October 18, 2010 and April 18, 2011. The process of being revised to fit the new law.

Due to lack of funding the District is currently unable to provide a individualized education plan specifically for gifted and talented students. If sufficient State funding were available, the Super Board would determine the feasibility and advisability of developing a plan for gifted education that would qualify for State funding. At the Elementary level Tier II and Tier III interventions provide differentiated instruction.

Pana Junior High School implemented The Panther Den during the 2017-2018 school year as a way to identify students who are model students. The SAP team felt that these students needed for being model students. The 7th & 8th grade students were selected based on their academics for the 2016-2017 school year. Students who maintained A's all year long was put into a list for vote on the top 10 that they felt were model students behavior wise. Five sixth grade students were selected after 2nd semester following the same process. The objective of the Panther Den these students with the opportunity to be a leader in their school and volunteer for the community. Throughout the year, speakers have talked about leadership with this group. This group has various activities to give back to the community. We are looking forward to continuing with the Panther Den during the 2022-23 school year.

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Pana School District has updated our gifted and talented policy. We have had a parent request for advanced placement.

Each year Pana CUSD # 8 receives and distributes promotional flyers from several local colleges that provide summer programs for "gifted and talented" students. Flyers are distributed to high students as measured by MAP or PARCC assessment scores. We are updating the policy to allow students to take advance courses to meet the new law.

If funding were available for our gifted and talented population, the District would look at providing more challenging opportunities in the areas of math and reading. The District would pull-out possibly advance them to a higher level to best serve their needs. The District would monitor the performance of the gifted and talented students in these pull-out sessions to ensure that their are being met. The District would also encourage those students who excel in math to participate in math contests and other enrichment opportunities that became available for them to hone

Title I Requirements:

Ensure that all children receive a high-quality education.

Close the achievement gap between children meeting the challenging State academic standards and those children who are not meeting such standards.

Legislative References:

- [1] Title I, Part A, Section 1112(b)(1)(A)
- [2] Title I, Part A, Section 1112(b)(1)(B); 34 CFR 300.226 and 300.646
- [3] Title I, Part A, Section 1112(b)(1)(C); 34 CFR 300.226 and 300.646
- [4] Title I, Part A, Section 1112(b)(1)(D); 34 CFR 300.226 and 300.646
- [5] Title I, Part A, Section 1112(b)(2)
- [6] Title I, Part A, Section 1112(b)(13)(B)
- [7] Title I, Part A, Section 1112(b)(13)(A)

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College and Career Readiness

INSTRUCTIONS: Select the goal(s) below that align with the District responses provided in the required information below. A minimum of one ISBE or District Goal must be selected.

ISBE Goals:

- Student Learning: Every child will make significant academic gains each year, increasing their knowledge, skills, and opportunities so they graduate equipped to pursue a successful career or postsecondary education.
Learning Conditions: All schools will receive the resources necessary to create safe, healthy, and welcoming learning environments, and will be equipped to meet the unique academic and emotional needs of each and every child.
Elevating Educators: Illinois' diverse student population will have educators who are prepared through multiple pathways and are supported in and celebrated for their efforts to provide an education that meets their needs.

District Goal(s):

Select the checkbox, then enter the District Goal(s) that align to the responses below in the text area.

1. Describe how the district will facilitate effective transitions for students from middle grades to high school and from high school to postsecondary education in a way that is applicable, through: [1]

- i. Coordination with institutions of higher education, employers, and other local partners; and
ii. Increased student access to early college, high school or dual or concurrent enrollment opportunities, or career counseling to identify student interests and needs.

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Pana Junior High School's counselors, administration, and staff provide multiple opportunities to assist with the effective transition from 8th to 9th grade.
Pana Jr. High hosts an annual "Career Day" which emphasizes career choices and future high school coursework planning. During Career Day teachers from Pana High School do a presentational school success. Jr. High students have access to the "Career Cruising" online program to assist with individualized self-exploration and planning software to engage students in the process of planning for the future.

Each year in August the District sponsors a Freshman orientation day. Before school begins, the incoming 9th graders attend a 4-5 hour afternoon of transition activities. The district also provides support for incoming 9th graders. The first one is in the spring to discuss registration and the second is on the evening of the Freshman orientation day. In addition, the District has created a Transition handbook that is given to parents and students.

Pana Senior High's counselors, administration, and staff are dedicated to assisting student transition to post-secondary education. A course description guide is released each year detailing offerings (including dual credit), graduation requirements, sample 4 year educational plans, credit information and other pertinent course and scheduling information. It also includes a chart of minimum core requirements for admission to several area College and Universities. Class descriptions are organized alphabetically by subject matter. This guide is handed out to students, parents, and staff on the District's website.

Online dual-enrollment classes are offered through a partnership with our local community college, Lake Land College.

Students in 11th and 12th grade can choose to enroll in afternoon classes at Okaw Area Vocational Center for an opportunity to do hands on training. The district provides transportation for taking classes at Okaw Area Vocational Center. Classes include Power Mechanics, Auto Body, Office Technology, Computer Technology/Networking, Commercial Art, Health Occupations, Mac Auto Mechanics, Food Service, Drafting/Electronics, and Building Trades.
Pana High School as Part of the CTE survey is bring in more people in these fields to talk to students about jobs in these fields. Pana High School is also recruiting more students to these fields. 8th graders visit these classes.
Area colleges come to Pana High School throughout the year to meet with students. The district offers Financial Aid Nights to ensure students and parents are aware of the options in post secondary education and assist with securing financial aid. The High School Counselors offers 1 to 1 college/career counseling meetings with students and completes a "Senior Interview" with all students. The district also provides support to assist with student career choice. Consumer Education students are provided with job shadowing opportunities. Juniors are required to complete an extensive career/transition plan as part of their English class requirements. The district also provides ACT and SAT preparation and utilizes the Khan Academy for additional college transition assistance.

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2. If applicable, describe the district's support for programs that coordinate and integrate the following: [2]

Academic and career and technical education content through coordinated instructional strategies, that may incorporate experimental learning opportunities and industry professionals and, if appropriate, academic credit.

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NOTE: If not applicable because district serves only grades K-8, enter Elementary District
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Pana Senior High's counselors, administration, and staff are dedicated to assisting students with career and technical education.

During the 2021-22 school year Pana High School offered 11 Agriculture Occupations classes including Introduction to Agriculture Industry, Basic Agricultural Science, Welding, Landscaping Management, Horticultural Production/Management, Agricultural Mechanization/Technology and Supervised Agricultural Experience Program. The Business department offered 20 courses in computer applications, accounting, marketing, management, record keeping, business technology, media, video production, introduction to business, and Photoshop. The Industrial Education department offered three courses: Introduction to Technology, Drafting, and Construction Technology. The District also offered a dual credit course in Health Occupations to allow students to explore health careers in addition to preparing students for nurse assistant roles. Students in grade 11 & 12 have the opportunity to do service work for the schools and community through Learning class.

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Legislative References:

[1] Title I, Part A, Section 1112(b)(10)(A and B)

[2] Title I, Part A, Section 1112(b)(12)(A and B)

* Required if funding selected for Title I, Part A; Title I, Part D; Title II, Part A; Title IV, Part A; IDEA, Part B Flow-Through; and/or IDEA, Part B Preschool

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Professional Development - Highly Prepared and Effective Teachers and School Leaders

INSTRUCTIONS: Select the goal(s) below that align with the District responses provided in the required information below. A minimum of one ISBE or District Goal must be selected.*

ISBE Goals:

- Student Learning: Every child will make significant academic gains each year, increasing their knowledge, skills, and opportunities so they graduate equipped to pursue a successful future, with the state paying special attention to addressing historic inequities.
- Learning Conditions: All schools will receive the resources necessary to create safe, healthy, and welcoming learning environments, and will be equipped to meet the unique academic and social and emotional needs of each and every child.
- Elevating Educators: Illinois' diverse student population will have educators who are prepared through multiple pathways and are supported in and celebrated for their efforts to each and every child an education that meets their needs.

District Goal(s):

- Select the checkbox, then enter the District Goal(s) that align to the responses below in the text area.

For each program for which funding is anticipated for the 2022-2023 school year, provide a brief description of professional development activities to be funded by program as applicable.* [1]

NOTE: - If Professional Development will not be provided for a funded program below, enter **NOT PROVIDING**.

- Be sure to include information on how participating private schools will be included in the professional development plans.
- NOTE - writing space appears only if a program was selected on the Coordinated Funding page; to make changes in program funding, return to that page, revise, save the page return to this page.

Program and Description

A. Title I, Part A - Improving Basic Programs

With our low performance in Math we will offer Math training to help improve this instruction. In addition we will use these funds for our 3 hour dismissal trainings on differentiated instruction will also provide training on Aimsweb, and intervention programs. We will use these funds for Capturing Kids Hearts Training.

B. Title I, Part A - School Improvement Part 1003

C. Title I, Part D - Delinquent

D. Title I, Part D - Neglected

E. Title I, Part D - State Neglected/Delinquent

F. Title II, Part A - Preparing, Training, and Recruiting

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G. Title III - LIEP

H. Title III - ISEP

I. Title IV, Part A - Student Support and Academic Enrichment

Not Provided

J. Title V, Part B - Rural and Low Income Schools

Not provided

K. IDEA, Part B - Flow-Through [2]

Not provided

L. IDEA, Part B - Preschool

M. Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief Grant II

With our low performance in Math we will offer Math training to help improve this instruction. In addition we will use these funds for our 3 hour dismissal trainings on differentiated instruction will also provide training on Aimsweb, and intervention programs. We will use these funds for Capturing Kids Hearts Training.

N. ARP-LEA Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief Grant III

With our low performance in Math we will offer Math training to help improve this instruction. In addition we will use these funds for our 3 hour dismissal trainings on differentiated instruction will also provide training on Aimsweb, and intervention programs. We will use these funds for Capturing Kids Hearts Training.

Legislative Requirement:

[1] Title III, Section 3115(c)(2)

[2] 34 CFR 300.207 ; 2122(b)(4-9) of ESSA

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Safe and Healthy Learning Environment

INSTRUCTIONS: Select the goal(s) below that align with the District responses provided in the required information below. A minimum of one ISBE or District Goal selected.

ISBE Goals:

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Learning Conditions: All schools will receive the resources necessary to create safe, healthy, and welcoming learning environments...
Elevating Educators: Illinois' diverse student population will have educators who are prepared through multiple pathways...

District Goal(s):

Select the checkbox, then enter the District Goal(s) that align to the responses below in the text area.

1. Describe the process through which the districts will:*

- i. reduce incidences of bullying and harassment
ii. reduce the overuse of discipline practices that remove students from the classroom [1]
iii. reduce the use of aversive behavioral interventions that compromise student health and safety; disaggregated by each subgroup of student as defined below...

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Board Policy 7:20 prohibits bullying, intimidation, and harassment of students and provides the procedures for making a complaint. Board policy 7:190 pertains to Student Behavior (former Student Discipline).

Information on bullying is available on the District's website, School handbooks, and given out at registration.

The District's PBIS program continually works to reduce the incidence of bullying and harassment and reduce the need for behavioral interventions and/or student discipline without regard to economic status, disabilities, English proficiency, gender or migrant status. Washington and Lincoln Elementary Schools have Tier II check in/check out programs in place.

In FY 21 we implemented the Capturing Kids Hearts Program, and will continue to use it. Lincoln School was recognized as a National Showcase School. Response from the prior year Consolidated District Plan.

School Board Policies 6:60, 7:20, 7:70, 7:180, 7:190, and 7:310 pertain to Bullying and School Violence.

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Student discipline is tracked using Lumen, the District's student software program. Discipline data is frequently reviewed by administrators and PBIS teams. Daily re-teaching of character traits "respectful, safe, and ready to learn" are given as needed.

In October 2015 all certified staff members attended Ruby Payne "A Framework for Understanding Poverty" training.

Each year District staff are required to complete mandated trainings as determined by local ROE #3 and our Human Resource provider, Bushue Human Resources. For 2016-2017 the mandated trainings included ADHD, Bullying, Cyber Bullying, Ethics and Boundaries for School Employees, Peer Counseling/Anti-Violence, Sexual Harassment and Suicide Prevention.

In addition, during the 16-17 school year students in grades 7 & 8 received Suicide Prevention training from the Jason Foundation.

In FY20 we are planning on training to deescalate situations where students are upset, and other training for classroom management and student discipline. In FY 21 we are implementing the Capturing Kids Hearts Program.

2. Describe the services the district will provide homeless children and youth, including services provided with funds reserved to support the enrollment, attendance, and success of homeless children and youth, in coordination with the services the district is providing under the McKinney-Vento Homeless Assistance Act. [3] (42 U.S.C. 11301 et seq.):*

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Pana CUSD #8 strives to provide an educational environment that treats all students with dignity and respect. Homeless students have equal access to the same free and appropriate public education provided to other children. Paul Donahue is the homeless coordinator.

Each year student registration forms include a question asking if the student is homeless. All District principals and building secretaries have been trained on the rights of homeless students.

parents of the local resources available to homeless students. All students identified as homeless are immediately enrolled regardless of their ability to provide required documentation (eg. birth certificates, medical/immunization records, or previous academic records). Transportation is also provided in accordance with Section 45/1-15 of the Education for Homeless Children

All parents registering students in Pana Schools receive a copy of "The Educational Rights of Illinois' Children & Youth in Homeless Situations" flyer with their registration paperwork each year.

The FY 22 Title I grant application included a required district set aside for homeless education: \$100 for instructional supplies (notebooks, pens, pencils, calculators, highlighters, folders, etc.) and included a required district set aside for homeless education: \$100- for non-instructional items for homeless students (backpacks, hygiene supplies, coats, shoes, etc.).

It is anticipated that the FY 21 Title I grant application will include the same \$100 for instructional supplies and \$100 for non-instructional supplies. Historically, the Title I applications include homeless set asides. Pana CUSD # 8 is a rural area with low income and high poverty rates. Several religious and community organizations have increased their efforts to assist struggling students such, they provide homeless and low income students with the needed instructional and non-instructional supplies. The Title I funds will continue to be set-aside in case they are needed to access resources.

All schools have supplies on hand for homeless students that have been donated by staff, local residents or community organizations.

The School Board policies that pertain to homeless students are 6:140 Education Response from the prior year Consolidated District Plan.

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The FY 20 Title I grant application included a required district set aside for homeless education: \$100 for instructional supplies (notebooks, pens, pencils, calculators, highlighters, folders, etc.) and included a required district set aside for homeless education: \$100- for non-instructional items for homeless students (backpacks, hygiene supplies, coats, shoes, etc.).

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All schools have supplies on hand for homeless students that have been donated by staff, local residents or community organizations.

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Title I Requirement:

To ensure that all children receive a high-quality education, and to close the achievement gap between children meeting the challenging State academic standards and those children not meeting such standards

Legislative Requirements:

[1] Title I, Part A, Section 1112(b)(11)

[2] Title I, Part A, Section 1111(c)(2); 34 CFR 300.226 and 300.646

[3] Title I, Part A, Section 1112(b)(6)

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0006 - PANA SR HIGH SCHOOL	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	6/20/2022
1005 - PANA JR HIGH SCHOOL	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	6/20/2022
2001 - LINCOLN ELEM SCHOOL	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	6/20/2022
2003 - WASHINGTON ELEM SCHOOL	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	6/20/2022

Describe anticipated Reorganizations:	
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Title I Specific Requirements - Part Two

If Title I funding was selected on the Needs Assessment and Programs page, this page is required. If the page is blank and the entity does plan to receive and use return to the Coordinated Funding page and select Title I, save the page, and return to this page.

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Input checkbox

1. Describe how the district will carry out its responsibilities to support and improve schools identified as comprehensive or targeted under paragraphs (1) and 1111(d).* (Section 1112(b)(3))

Section 1111(d)

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No schools identified under this part

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2. Does the district serve eligible children in an institution or community day program for neglected or delinquent children or in an adult correctional institution 1112(b)(5)

- Yes
No

3. Select the poverty criteria below that will be used to rank school attendance centers. A district shall use the same measure(s) of poverty, which measure the children aged 5 through 17 in poverty counted in the most recent census data, with respect to ALL school attendance centers in the LEA.* (Section 1112(b)(4)

Measures of Poverty from 1113(5)(A) and (B)

- School Lunch: the number of children eligible for a free or reduced price lunch under the Richard B. Russell National School Lunch Act (42 U.S.C. 1751 et seq.),
TANF: the number of children in families receiving assistance under the State program funded under part A of Title IV of the Social Security Act,
Medicaid: the number of children eligible to receive medical assistance under the Medicaid Program,
Direct Certification

4. Describe, in general, the targeted assistance (section 1115) and/or schoolwide programs (section 1114) the district will operate, as well as the goal of those Where appropriate, please explain educational services outside such schools for children living in local institutions or community day programs for neglected children.* (Section 1112(b)(5))

Section 1114 and 1115

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Title I Requirement:

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*Required Field

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IDEA Specific Requirements

If IDEA funding was selected on the Coordinated Funding page, this page is required. If the page is blank and the entity does plan to receive and use IDEA funds, r Coordinated Funding page and select IDEA, save the page, and return to this page.

INSTRUCTIONS: Select the goal(s) below that align with the District responses provided in the required information below. A minimum of one ISBE or District Go selected.

ISBE Goals:

- Student Learning: Every child will make significant academic gains each year, increasing their knowledge, skills, and opportunities so they graduate equipped to pursue a succes the state paying special attention to addressing historic inequities.
Learning Conditions: All schools will receive the resources necessary to create safe, healthy, and welcoming learning environments, and will be equipped to meet the unique aca and emotional needs of each and every child.
Elevating Educators: Illinois' diverse student population will have educators who are prepared through multiple pathways and are supported in and celebrated for their efforts to every child an education that meets their needs.

District Goal(s): Select the checkbox, then enter the District Goal(s) that align to the responses below in the text area.

Input checkbox

1. How was the comprehensive needs assessment information used for planning grant activities?* This section should include the comprehensive needs identifi targeted by the activities and programs funded by IDEA.

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2. Summarize the activities and programs to be funded within the grant application.*

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Overview

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PROGRAM: Foster Care Transportation Plan
PURPOSE: To comply with ESSA requirements for educational stability for students in foster care
REQUIRED FOR: All Illinois school districts and state-authorized charter schools
RESOURCES: ED and HHS Letter to Chief State School Officers and Child Welfare Directors on Implementing the Fostering Connections Act of May 30, 2014
US Department of Education (USDE) web page for Students in Foster Care
The Fostering Connections to Success and Increasing Adoptions Act of 2008 (P.L. 110-351)
Educational Stability Requirements (Effective October 7, 2008)
Public Act 099-0781 (effective 8/12/2016)
USDE Non-Regulatory Guidance: Ensuring Educational Stability for Children in Foster Care (June 23, 2016)
Finance, Budgets & Funding - Transportation Programs (scroll to Foster Care Transportation section)
ESEA of 1965 as Amended, Section 6312(c)

BACKGROUND

Section 6312(5)(B) of ESEA of 1965 as Amended by ESSA requires that the local educational agency (LEA) collaborate with the state or local child welfare agency to develop and implement clear written procedures governing how transportation to maintain children in foster care in the school of origin when in their best interests will be provided, arranged, and funded for duration of the time in foster care.

DEFINITION AND REFERENCES

First Division vehicles are defined in the Illinois Vehicle Code as motor vehicles designed to carry no more than 10 persons total.
First Division vehicles can be used to transport 10 or fewer persons, including the driver, on regular routes for any and all school-sponsored activities, including curriculum-related trips.
Examples of First Division vehicles include cars, station wagons, mini-vans (10 passengers or less which includes the driver), taxi cabs, medical carrier or medi-car, and Suburbans.
Vehicle Usage:
https://www.isbe.net/Documents/school_vehicle_guidance.pdf
https://www.isbe.net/Documents/vehicle_use_summary.pdf
https://www.isbe.net/Documents/ISBE-Visual-Vehicle-Use-Guide.pdf
Transportation Programs:
https://www.isbe.net/Pages/Funding-and-Disbursements-Transportation-Programs.aspx

REQUIREMENTS

A. The following factors should be considered when developing the transportation procedures for a student in foster care:

- 1. Safety
2. Duration of the need for services
3. The time/length of travel time for the student each day
4. Time of placement change
5. Type of transportation available (yellow school bus, taxi cab, First Division vehicle, etc.)
6. Traffic patterns
7. Flexibility in school schedule
8. Impact of extracurricular activities on transportation options.
9. Maturity and behavioral capacity of student

B. The following low-cost/no-cost options should be considered when developing the transportation procedures:

- 1. Pre-existing transportation route
2. New transportation route
3. Route-to-Route hand-offs
4. District-to-district boundary hand-offs
5. Eligibility of the student for transportation through other services such as, but not limited to, Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA)
6. Alternatives not directly provided by the district/school such as:
a. Contracted services - taxis, student transport companies, etc. - see note below
b. Public transportation such as city buses, rails, etc.
c. Carpools- see note below
d. School/District staff- see note below
e. Options presented by DCFPS outside of those provided by the district/school, such as reimbursing the foster parents for transportation costs, or including transport in contract with licensed child placing agencies or group homes

NOTE: A school bus driver permit is REQUIRED for these options! IMPORTANT: All drivers transporting students (other than parent or legal guardians transporting their own students) in First Division vehicles MUST possess a valid school bus driver permit per Section 6-104(d) of the Vehicle Code. THIS INCLUDES TAXI CAB DRIVERS.

REMINDER: A multifunction school activity bus (MFSAB) can NEVER be used to transport home-to-school or school-to-home [625 ILCS 5/1-148.3a-5]

C. The following funding options should be considered when developing the transportation procedures for a student in foster care:

- 1. Title IV-E of the Social Security Act if the student is eligible
2. Title I of the ESEA of 1965 as Amended by ESSA (except that funds reserved for comparable services for homeless children and youth may NOT be used for transportation)
3. IDEA funds, if the student has an Individual Educational Program (IEP) that includes provisions for specialized transportation

- 4. State special education transportation funds, if the student has an IEP
 - 5. Local funds
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Contact Information

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As part of the foster care transportation plan development process, several stakeholders should be involved. These may include, but are not limited to:

- a. Local educational agency (LEA) point of contact for foster students (LEA-POC)
b. LEA transportation director
c. Child welfare agency point of contact
d. LEA Department of Children and Family Services (DCFS) liaison as permitted by 105 ILCS 5/10-20.58, if applicable
e. Title I director
f. School social worker
g. Guidance counselor
h. Special education personnel

Provide contact information for all personnel included in the development of the plan. The LEA-POC and transportation director are required as applicable.

1. Foster Care LEA-POC - required*

Table with 4 columns: Last Name*, First Name*, Position/Title*, Email*. Row 1: Donahue, Paul, Curriculum Director, pdonahue@

2. LEA Transportation Director - required*

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Click here to add information for other personnel involved in the plan development.

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Best Interest Determination as it relates to School Stability

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1. Describe the process for determining the best interest of the affected child for placement if the child is placed into foster care or changes residences while in foster care positions of all district personnel involved.*

Be sure to include the factors that should be considered in determining whether remaining in a child's school of origin is in his or her best interest, as it relates to enrollment. For your convenience, the prior year approved response is provided below. It may be copied and modified to address the Foster Care Transportation Plan needs.

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See IDEA legislation here See Section 504 here

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Every effort will be made to reach an agreement on a child's placement. The If there is a disagreement a child's welfare agency (DCFS) will have the final say in a child's placement. The child welfare parties in writing of the placement decision within 3 days of the decision. All parties will have 3 days to challenge the decision. Any notice of dispute or disagreement with the best interests deterring Superintendent of Schools. He/She will be responsible for setting up meeting with all stakeholders to review all the factors to determine the best interest determination. The school placement may circumstances change.

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Transportation Plan Development

****NOTE: This plan section is not required for the Department of Juvenile Justice****

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The District shall provide free transportation for any student in the District who resides: (1) at a distance of one and one-half miles or more from his or her assigned school, unless the School Board has certified to the Illinois State Board of Education that adequate public transportation is available, or (2) within one and one-half miles from his or her assigned school where walking to or from school or to or from a pick-up point or bus stop would constitute a serious hazard due to vehicular traffic or rail crossing, and adequate public transportation is not available. A student's parent(s)/guardian(s) may file a petition with the Board requesting transportation due to the existence of a serious safety hazard. Free transportation service and vehicle adaptation is provided for a special education student if included in the student's individualized educational program. Non-public school students shall be transported in accordance with State law. Homeless students shall be transported in accordance with Section 45/1-15 of the Education for Homeless Children Act. Foster care students shall be transported in accordance with Section 6312(c)(5)(B) of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act.

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5.Type of transportation available (yellow school bus, taxi cab, First Division vehicle, etc.)
6.Traffic patterns
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8.Impact of extracurricular activities on transportation options.
9.Maturity and behavioral capacity of student

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Once the best placement for the child has been determined the next step will be to determine how transportation will be provided. The transportation director will be contracted. The guidelines will be used. The first is if the child's new placement is located within 1.5 mile radius of the school the foster parent of designated group home staff person is responsible for taking the child to the school of origin. If the child is placed outside 1.5 miles radius of the school, the district expedited the transportation needs of children in foster care so that these children do not experience disruptions in their education due to lack of transportation. Board Policy.

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2. Indicate which options will be considered when developing the transportation plan. Check all that apply.*

- [x] a. Pre-existing transportation route
[x] b. New transportation route
[x] c. Route-to-route hand-offs
[x] d. District-to-district boundary hand-offs
[x] e. Other services for which student is eligible, such as IDEA transportation options
[] f. Options presented by DCFS worker
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IMPORTANT: All drivers transporting students (other than parents or legal guardians transporting their own students) in First Division vehicles MUST possess valid school bus driver permit per Section 6-104(d) of the Vehicle Code. THIS INCLUDES TAXI CAB DRIVERS.

- [] h. Other - describe
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3. Describe how all funding options selected above will be considered and coordinated when developing the transportation plan.*

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NOTE: Include that the School Of Origin [SOO] is responsible for the transportation while all disputes are being resolved.

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Board Approval, Certification, and Assurances

[Instructions](#)

By checking this box, the applicant hereby certifies that he or she has read, understood and will comply with the assurances listed below, as applicable to the planning requirements of all included programs as applicable.

Provide the date on which the District Board approved the Consolidated District Plan.

Each district plan shall provide assurances that the district will, as applicable based on grant award(s):

1. ensure that migratory children and formerly migratory children who are eligible to receive services under this part are selected to receive such services on the same basis as other children who are selected to receive services under this part;
2. provide services to eligible children attending private elementary schools and secondary schools in accordance with section 1117, and timely and meaningful consultation with private school officials regarding such services;
3. participate, if selected, in the National Assessment of Educational Progress in reading and mathematics in grades 4 and 8 carried out under section 303(b)(3) of the National Assessment of Educational Progress Authorization Act (20 U.S.C. 9622(b)(3));
4. coordinate and integrate services provided under this part with other educational services at the district or individual school level, such as services for English learners, children with disabilities, migratory children, American Indian, Alaska Native, and Native Hawaiian children, and homeless children and youths, in order to increase program effectiveness, eliminate duplication, and reduce fragmentation of the instructional program;
5. collaborate with the State or local child welfare agency to—
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 - B. by not later than 1 year after the date of enactment of the Every Student Succeeds Act, develop and implement clear written procedures governing how transportation to maintain children in foster care in their school of origin when in their best interest will be provided, arranged, and funded for the duration of the time in foster care, which procedures shall—
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 - ii. ensure that, if there are additional costs incurred in providing transportation to maintain children in foster care in their schools of origin, the local educational agency will provide transportation to the school of origin if—
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 - b. the local educational agency agrees to pay for the cost of such transportation; or
 - c. the local educational agency and the local child welfare agency agree to share the

cost of such transportation; and

6. ensure that all teachers and paraprofessionals working in a program supported with funds under this part meet applicable State certification and licensure requirements, including any requirements for certification obtained through alternative routes to certification; and
7. in the case of a local educational agency that chooses to use funds under this part to provide early childhood education services to low-income children below the age of compulsory school attendance, ensure that such services comply with the performance standards established under section 641A(a) of the Head Start Act (42 U.S.C. 9836a(a)).
8. each LEA that is included in the eligible entity is complying with Section 1112(e) prior to, and throughout, each school year as of the date of application;
9. the eligible entity is not in violation of any State law, including State constitutional law, regarding the education of English learners, consistent with sections 3125 and 3126;
10. the eligible entity consulted with teachers, researchers, school administrators, community members, public or private entities, and institutions of higher education, in developing and implementing such plan; and
11. the eligible entity will, if applicable, coordinate activities and share relevant data under the plan with local Head Start and Early Head Start agencies, including migrant and seasonal Head Start agencies, and other early childhood education providers.
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13. in the case of a school district serving at least one English learner, and in accordance with Article 14C of the Illinois School Code, assurance is provided that at least 60% of the district's state funds attributable to ELs will be used for the instructional costs of programs and services authorized under this article.
14. in the case of a school district offering Transitional Bilingual Education programs, assurance is provided that the parent advisory committee was afforded the opportunity effectively to express its views in order to ensure that the EL programs are planned, operated, and evaluated with the involvement of, and in consultation with, parents of children served by the programs.
15. The district further assures that no policy of the LEA prevents, or otherwise denies participation in constitutionally protected prayer in public elementary schools and secondary schools as set forth in the Guidance on Constitutionally Protected Prayer in Public Elementary and Secondary Schools on the U.S. Department of Education's website.