

ALEDO ISD BOARD MEETING TEMPLATE

MEETING DATE: March 11, 2021

AGENDA ITEM: Discussion Regarding a Potential Latin Program Change, DFFB (LOCAL)

PRESENTER: Lynn McKinney, Deputy Superintendent

BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

The student enrollment numbers in the Latin program that is currently offered from grades 8 through 12 has steadily decreased over the past seven years. Due to this decreased student enrollment, administration is recommending a programmatic change under AISD Board Policy DFFB (LOCAL).

Latin enrollment history:

	<u>AH</u> <u>S</u>	DNG C	<u>AMS</u>	TOTAL
2021-2022 (based on selections)	25	27	10	62
2020-2021	27	34	11	72
2019-2020	40	21	22	83
2018-2019	81	22	0	103
2017-2018	69	34	0	103
2016-2017	118	26	0	144
2015-2016	131	93	0	224

For the 2021-2022 school year, Latin 1 will not be offered at any grade level. Two class periods of Latin will be offered for students in grades 9 through 12. There will be one period of Latin 2 and one period of Latin 3 and 4.

For the 2022-2023 school year, if there is a student need for Latin 3 and/or 4, the district will utilize the TxVSN program options for those students (if available).

FISCAL INFORMATION:

The current full time teaching position for the Latin program will become a part time position for the 2021-2022 school year. Beginning in 2022-2023 school year, this teaching position will be utilized in another content area.

ADMINISTRATIVE RECOMMENDATION:

This is a report item only, no action is recommended at this time. Board approval for this program change will be recommended by administration at the March 22, 2021 board meeting.	