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Welcome

Coral Marsh,
Director
Special Projects

Anticipated Outcomes

Timely and meaningful consultation with private school officials on the implementation of Federal Programs.

An opportunity for private school officials to receive meaningful information and resources regarding participation in federal education programs.

Title III: Services to Private Schools

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Director, EL Services

K-12

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Identification method is established between the LEA and private school officials

Identification of Private School ELs



Responses to a home language survey followed by an assessment

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Identification process can be through the district

Home Language Survey

The information provided on this form is used solely to offer appropriate educational services, not for determining legal status or for immigration purposes.

PLEASE ANSWER THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS:

ANY "YES" ANSWERS WILL RESULT IN TESTING TO DETERMINE ELIGIBILITY FOR ESOL SERVICES. BECAUSE OF THE LARGE NUMBER OF STUDENTS TO BE TESTED, THERE MAY BE A DELAY IN TESTING OF UP TO 4 WEEKS. CLASSROOM TEACHERS WILL ADJUST THEIR INSTRUCTION TO MEET THE EL STUDENT'S NEEDS. EVEN IF YOUR CHILD IS IDENTIFIED AS AN ELL, YOU MAY DECLINE THE PLACEMENT INTO ESOL CLASSES.

Parent/Guardian Signature	Date

Title III: Determining Needs

Appropriate Title III services are determined based on the needs of the identified ELs in the private school.

All services must be supplemental in nature as well as secular, neutral, and non-ideological.

Examples of Services

- Administration of language assessment for identification of ELs and for evaluation of services, includes test books and teacher training
- Participation in district-sponsored professional development
- Virtual Tutoring of ELs
- Purchase of supplemental materials and supplies
- Family Outreach: <u>Parent Newsletter in Spanish</u>, Parent Leadership Council, <u>informative and educational workshops</u>, <u>Spanish Helpline</u>, <u>Let's Talk</u>...



Elementary Virtual Tutoring and Homework Support

For English Learners

Homework assignments can be challenging to complete. Learning time in class can be insufficient. The ESOL department offers free tutoring to English learners who need help completing their homework and learning new concepts and skills.

When: October 4, 2022 - April 26, 2023

KG - 2nd Grade: Tuesdays from 4:00pm - 5:30pm

3rd – 5th Grade: Wednesdays from 4:00pm – 5:30pm

Each tutoring session will include homework support followed by a reading lesson.

Click here to join: Virtual Homework Support and ELA Tutoring Session

Or you can join by scanning the code below:







PINELLAS COUNTY SCHOOLS ESOL DEPARTMENT



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Scan the Code

to Join

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Join Grade K-2 Tutorin

Click here to join the

Join Grade 9-12 Readir

High School Tutoring

Scan the code to join

Program Flyers

ENGLISH

♦ English ♦ Spanish

October 3rd - June 30th

Monday and Wednesday 5:30 -6:30 pm

Tuesday and Thursday 5:30 - 6:30 pm

Parent Workshops

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Student Information System- FOCUS and Clever at Home	Clearwater East Public Library located at SPC Clearwater Campus :2465 Drew St, Clearwater, FL 33765 Room: Community East Room	Wednesday, September 13	4:15-5:00p.m.	K-12
Bright Futures Scholarship Program	Clearwater East Public Library located at SPC Clearwater Campus :2465 Drew St, Clearwater, FL 33765	Thursday, September 28	5:00-7:00 p.m.	HS
Let's Talk! About Pinellas County Schools Live Virtual Session for English Learner and Hispanic families to learn and connect with PCS schools' current information and resources to support students' success. Some topics: Meeting High School Graduation Requirements, District Application Programs (DAP) Important Dates Dates/Fair, FOCUS, Clever at Home, resources available for students and	Virtual via Teams Click here to join: Let's Talk About Pinellas County Schools!	Wednesday, October 4	6:00-7:00 P.M.	K-12
families, more. ESOL Parent Leadership Council (PLC) All English Learner families are welcome to attend, your participation! is essencial!	Clearwater East Public Library located at SPC Clearwater Campus :2465 Drew St, Clearwater, FL 33765 Room: Community East Room	Wednesday, October 11	3:45-4:45 p.m.	K-12
Scholarship Opportunities	Clearwater East Public Library located at SPC Clearwater Campus :2465 Drew St, Clearwater, FL 33765 Room: Community East Room	Wednesday, October 11	4:45-5:45p.m.	6-12
ESOL Community Resource Fair All PCS families are welcome!	Countryside High School: 3000 State Rd 580, Clearwater, FL 33761	Thursday, October 12	5:30-7:30 pm.	K-12
Meeting School Academic Expectations Grades K-8 and High School Graduation Requirements	Largo Public Library: 120 Central Park Dr, Largo, FL 33771 Room: Jenkins Wing Room C	Tuesday, October 17	6:00-7:00 p.m.	K-12
Scholarship Opportunities	Largo Public Library: 120 Central Park Dr, Largo, FL 33771 Room: Jenkins Wing Room C	Monday, October 23	6:00-7:00 p.m.	6-12
Pinellas County Schools District Application Programs 2024-2025	Largo Public Library: 120 Central Park Dr, Largo, FL 33771 Room: Jenkins Wing Room C	Tuesday, Nov 7	6:00-7:00 p.m.	K-12
District Application Programs DAP 2024-2025 School Year	Clearwater East Public Library located at SPC Clearwater Campus :2465 Drew St, Clearwater, FL 33765 Room: Community East Room	Wednesday, November 8	3:45-4:30p.m. 11	K-12

ESOL Resource

Fair

ESOL Community Resource Fair



Event Flyers:

English

Spanish

Arabic

Russian

Ukranian

<u>Vietnamese</u>

Pinellas County Schools English for Speakers of Other Languages department is partnering with about 50 community partners to provide a variety of resources to families who speak native languages other than English.

The resource fair will be held from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. on Thursday, Oct. 12, at Countryside High.

The event will showcase academic, financial, and social services, including tutoring, scholarships and healthcare. If you have questions, please contact Ramona Zambrano at zambrano are zambranor@pcsb.org or 588-6341.

Beneficiaries of Title III Services

ELs and/or immigrant children and youth



Teachers of ELs and/or immigrant children and youth

Other educational personnel

Title IV, Part B: Extended Learning Program







Program Highlights

21st Century students are provided opportunities after school to participate in a variety of academic enrichment activities. These activities review ELA, mathematics, art, physical fitness, nutrition, technology, and financial literacy.

Family nights and workshops hosted by the 21st Century program provide meaningful engagement for families to have a part in their children's education, including a better understanding of what to expect as students navigate through their academic path to graduation and beyond.

The 21st Century program is free to families with students attending 3rd – 5th grade at Dunedin, Eisenhower, New Heights, and 74th Street Elementary.

Our Gulfport & High Point Elementary program is free to students attending 2nd – 5th grade.



Snapology High Point Elementary 21st CCLC

21st Century Program Locations



Monday - Friday 3pm to 6pm





Dunedin Elementary
Eisenhower Elementary
Gulfport Elementary
High Point Elementary
New Heights Elementary
74th Street Elementary



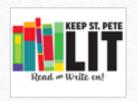


21st Century Enrichment Vendors

We have vendors who will be bringing exciting experiences to students in the 21st Century program.

This year we have Creative Clay, Snapology, Keep St. Pete Lit, and Challenge Island providing enrichment sessions.





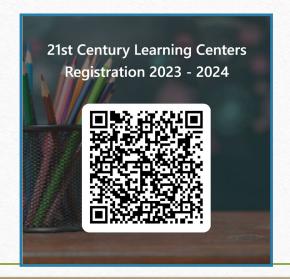




21st Century Registration Process

To register, a family member/guardian must fill out a registration form. Registration forms can be found online and in the front office of participating schools.

Please share this information with any family or friends that could benefit from the 21st Century program!





21st Century Summer Program

Summer Session

Monday - Thursday

2pm - 6pm

2024 Summer Registration Link:

21st Century Learning Centers 2024 Summer Registration



Our summer program is open to students that attend a school listed below during the regular academic year, will attend Summer Bridge at one of the listed schools, attend a private school, or receive homeschooling.

Dunedin Elementary

Eisenhower Elementary

Gulfport Elementary

High Point Elementary

74th Street Elementary

New Heights Elementary









For more information you can visit the 21st Century PCS website:

https://www.pcsb.org/Page/463

Brittany McDonald

21st Century Learning Director mcdonaldb@pcsb.org



Title II, Part A: Supporting Effective Instruction



The Purpose of Title II, Part A

- Increase student achievement consistent with the challenging state academic standards
- 2. Improve the quality and effectiveness of teachers, principals, and other school leaders
- Increase the number of teachers, principals, and other school leaders who are effective in improving student academic achievement in schools
- Provide low-income and minority students greater access to effective teachers, principals, and other school leaders

The primary goal of Title II, Part A is to enhance the quality of teaching & principal leadership to improve student achievement.

Title II professional development shall be linked to identified needs from your comprehensive needs assessment (CNA) to support student academic success.

Professional Development Definition ESSA Section 8101 (42)(A) & 8101(42)(B)

The term "professional development" means activities that:

- Are an integral part of school/LEA strategies for providing educators with the knowledge and skills
 necessary to enable students to succeed in a well-rounded education and to meet the challenging state
 academic standards
- Are sustained, intensive, collaborative, job embedded, data-driven, and classroom focused (not stand-alone, one-day, or short-term workshops)

In this context, "stand alone" means not tied to any plan or need.

Practical Questions for Use of Title II Funds

- Is the purchase driven by demonstrated need and data
- Does the cost support the purpose of the grant? (To enhance the quality of teaching and Principal leadership to improve student achievement)
- Is the purchase supplemental in nature?
- Is the PD of sufficient intensity and duration to have a positive and lasting impact on the teachers' performance in the classroom?
- If asked to defend this purchase, would you be able to?



Title IV, Part A: Student Support and Academic Enrichment

- Provides students with access to a well-rounded education.
- Improves safe and healthy school conditions for student learning.
- Improves the use of technology in order to improve the academic achievement and digital literacy of all students.



Financial Procedures for Private Schools

- The LEA must retain control of Title II and Title IV funds
- Only the LEA may obligate & expend funds on behalf of private schools
- ► PO requests should be sent to PCS for processing and payment directly to vendors
- Activities must align with Needs Assessment and have been approved in the Participation Plan
- LEA retains ownership of non-consumable purchases (devices, etc.)

Private School Equipment Assurances

- Equipment purchased for Private Schools with federal funds is property of Pinellas County Schools (the "District").
- It is the responsibility of the Private School to track District tagged equipment in their possession, including but not limited to, the building and room number, student, or staff member, assigned the equipment and any subsequent changes to that.
- All Private Schools are required to conduct an annual physical inventory and maintain an asset record system of assets valued \$200 and more.

Barcode Number	Tag Number	Description	Model	Serial Number	In Service Date	Funding Source	Original Cost	Building	Room
000200	N/A	ChromeBook	LVO 300e G2	1S1DAUDOEUUSPC04HGK	7/31/2019	CSP	550.00	1	101E
000203	N/A	ChromeBook	LVO 300e G2	SPC04HGKA	7/31/2019	CSP	550.00	1	106
000207	N/A	ChromeBook	LVO 300e G2	SPC04HGHG	7/31/2019	CSP	550.00	2	112
000740	N/A	Projector	NEC Projector	422732	10/25/2021	CSP	1,400.00	2	116

Suggested Inventory Tracking

2023-2024 END OF YEAR TITLE II

Deadline for plan updates:

✓ May 3, 2024

Project End Date:

✓ June 30, 2024

Deadline for reimbursement requests:

✓ July 5, 2024



2023-2024 END OF YEAR REMINDERS TITLE IV



Deadline for plan updates:

✓ May 3, 2024

Project End Date:

✓ June 30, 2024

Deadline for reimbursement requests:

✓ July 5, 2024

The Needs Assessment for

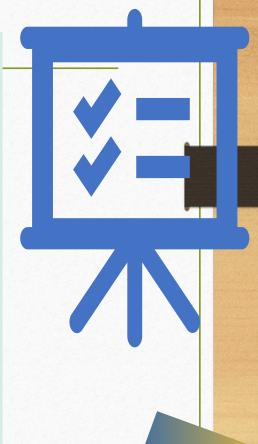
2024-2025

DUE April 5, 2024

- Required for determining students' needs as well as professional learning needs for staff (*Begin Planning Now*)
- Used for development of the district's Title II and Title IV applications

** REQUIREMENT**

- A detailed budget plan must be included with Needs Assessment.
- DOE requires a list of trainings, copies of consultant contracts with scope of work and cost per day



Budget Narrative: List all anticipated expenses in detail to be reimbursed through Title II, Part A and Title IV, Part A.

(Add lines as needed. Submission of an Excel spreadsheet in the same format is acceptable.)

2023-2024 Title	H Allocations:
Title II \$	
Title IV \$	

USE PRELIMINARY ALLOCATION EQUAL TO 2023-24 FUNDING

Prioritize Activities

Activity	Description	Amount	TII	TIV
Travel for Training/Location of	f Travel			
	tel, meals, and other expenses related to			
participation in professional develop	ment activities.			

Allocations will be updated when received from DOE. Schools will have one week to update Needs Assessments and submit.

Activity	Description	Amount	TII	TIV
Registration Include costs for tuition and training	registrations including the district's PLN.			
Professional and Technical Ser Include cost for contracts with vendo (maximum per day allowance of \$300	rs for educational/professional development services			
	MUST BE SPECIFIC: W	HAT SE	RVI	CES
Materials and Supplies	WHAT MATERIALS			
Include cost for supplemental printing	g.			
Technology (Title IV only) Technology Cap of %15 for hardward				
	ONLY 15% OF ALLOCA	TION IN	THI	S
	SECTION CAN BE FOR	HARDW	ARE	

The Participation Plan

Submitted to Special Projects for approval prior to implementing activities or purchasing resources

Must be aligned to needs assessment

May be updated if in alignment with Needs Assessment

Every attempt is made to review and approve plans within 48 hours of receipt.

Title II & Title IV Travel Guidelines



Travel and registration expenses incurred by private school staff to attend conferences or participate in other professional development activities that enhance and expand knowledge and skills will be reimbursed from Title II and Title IV funds *to individual travelers, but not to private schools*.

Travelers must complete and submit a Pinellas County Schools travel reimbursement form to the private school administrator for approval signature, and forward to the Federal Projects office for review and authorization of expenses.

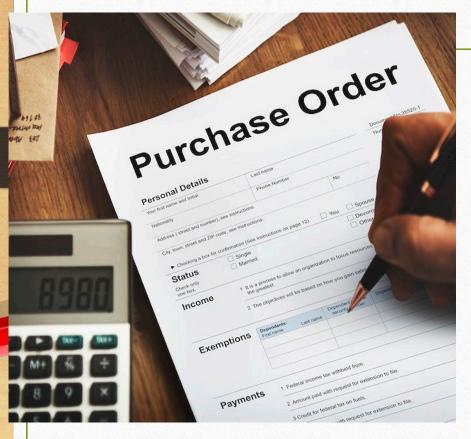
Title II and Title IV Travel Guidelines



Out-of-State Travel -- Limited

- Out-of-state travel may be allowable if the services requested are reasonable, necessary and meet the intent and purpose of the grant program. No later than 30 days prior to the travel, a justification must be provided to the program office for preapproval.
- Complete DOE request form.
- The justification must include the purpose for the travel, why it cannot be provided within the state of Florida, the projected number of attendees and a cost breakdown (registration fees, hotel, per diem, car rental/airline ticket, etc.) of the travel. The number of attendees requested shall also be reasonable.

Purchase Orders.



- Purchase requests must be coordinated through *Stacey Milford* who provides required purchase requisition forms for each participating private school and facilitates entering purchase requisitions through the school district's online finance system (TERMS).
- For PO requests, *Stacey* may be reached by email at: <u>participationplan5100@pcsb.org</u>
- 727-588-6003
- Be sure to verify with your vendors that they accept a PO for payment for supplies and/or activities.

Conferences and training



Payment for conference expenses and training courses occurs after completion of the activity. For training courses, verification of course completion is required for payment authorization. Send reimbursement requests to Stacey at:

participationplan5100@pcsb.org

Title II & IV Guidelines: Contracted Services

For contracted services that do not exceed \$3,000 per full day of service, a contract shall be submitted for review at the time of the request. If a contract is not available to submit for review at the time of the request, a detailed scope of work or proposed contract of services must be provided. The submission must include a purpose, rationale, projected number of individuals to be served and a cost breakdown of the services to be performed to determine if the request is allowable, reasonable and necessary. Materials to support the services may be requested as an additional expense. Any contracted service requested in excess of \$3,000 per full day of service, including travel, will be presumed unreasonable.

Cap for Title IV Technology

No waiver of the 15% Technology Cap for 2024-25.

No more than 15% of funds for the effective use of technology category for hardware, software, or digital content.



TECHNOLOGY CAP: EXAMPLE

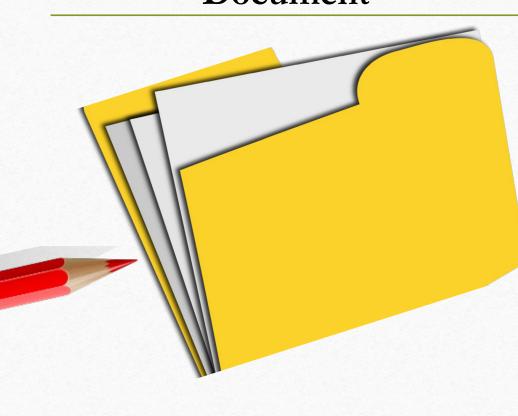
- The creation of a credit recovery or advanced course. An LEA created an advanced algebra course for middle school students completing Algebra I.
- Teachers receiving a supplement to serve as a technology coach at their school
- Student and parent sessions to show them how to access virtual materials.
- STEM materials/supplies.

\$2000 (technology budget) x 15% =

\$300 is the maximum budget CAP for hardware and software

Submitting for Reimbursement

Document, Document, Document

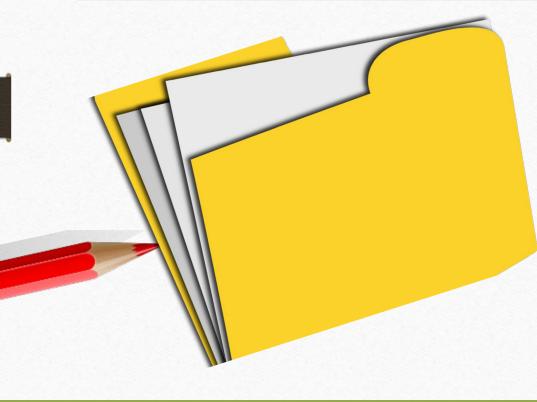


- Be sure to save copies (evidence) of expenses incurred, actual receipt of resources or services, and <u>payment</u> (copy of check, bank statement) to expedite reimbursements.
- Save copies of your approved needs assessment and participation plans.
- Save copy of end of year evaluations of all activities for monitoring purposes.

Monitoring

Document, Document, Document

• Level of monitoring is based on a district's Risk Assessment



- Unspent funds raise the risk assessment
 Ensure that you are carefully monitoring
 your budget and expending your funds
 during the grant period
- Districts will be monitored in one of two ways: desktop or on-site
- Be sure to save all Title II and Title IV documentation for 5 years

Private School Contacts

Please make sure the Federal Projects

Office has the most current contact information for your school and notify us promptly of any changes.

We use school contact information to provide relevant updates and other important information.

District Contacts

Coral Marsh, Director
 marshco@pcsb.org
 588-6299

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Special Projects Website

https://www.pcsb.org/Domain/205







Title I Part A
Equitable Services
Spring Consultation
Meeting
February 29, 2024

Title I Team

Dr. Shannon Butler
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Keith Brock-Jones
Annette Anthony

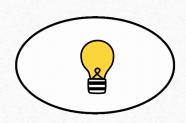
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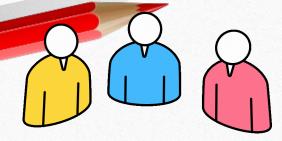


New Schools

Clearwater Academy International Clearwater Central Catholic Creative Play Children's Learning Center DePaul School For Dyslexia Infinite Potential Learning Academy IVA Christian School Sailfuture Academy Southside Christian Academy The Waldorf School of Tampa Bay

Timely & Meaningful Consultation





Consultation outcomes for today:

Determine services for 2024-2025 school year
Allocation process & funding
Services to private school
Delivery of services
School needs survey

Pinellas County Schools Title I Program for Private Schools Title I Service Delivery Plan 2023 – 2024 School Year

LEA: Pinellas County Public School

Contact Name:
Address: 301 4th Street
City, State Zip: Largo, FL 33770
Telephone:
Email:





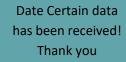
In January, after SDP meetings schools completed a survey to determine how to collect poverty data.

How do you want poverty information obtained for private school students?

Proportionality. Pinellas County schools utilizes information from Public school students to apply the poverty percentage from the public schools to the private school. This is the method currently used.

100% choose Proportionality.

Poverty data from private school students. This could include a survey of private school families, information from the private school, or other methods to obtain poverty data.





How is the proportionate share for equitable services calculated?

This varies depending on factors including: public school Title I eligibility and overall district allocation. Formula used for determining Title I funds for equitable services:

of private school children from low-income families = Proportion of TOTAL # of children from low-income families Reservation (%) (private + public)



Funding Allocation

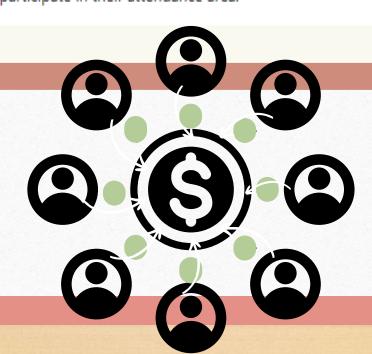
How do you want the allocation per school to be determined? *

Pooling - The LEA combines allocations from all economically disadvantaged students residing in the attendance areas into one pool. Therefore, all schools can utilize funds from the pot. This is the method we currently use.

Non-Pooling - Each individual school's allocation is determined based on the number of economically disadvantaged students that participate in their attendance area.

100% choose pooling.







Roll forward funds for 2024-2025

Roll forward funds are unspent dollars.

What is the estimated amount?



NOTE: We would like to earmark funds to update our technology.

Student Identification process

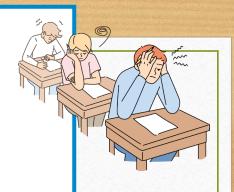
The school completes the recommendation forms for students in need of reading and/or math services.

- Address verification
- Academic need





2024-2025 Title I Student Recommendations &



Student eligibility is based on address verification AND academic need from multiple data sources.

Please ensure all questions are answered so we can process your recommendation.

Complete ONE form per student (the form includes math and reading information)

Student instructional level

What academic level is the student working on.

School testing data

What test do you use and what percentile or grade level is the student?

MULTIPLE

sources of data are required!

 Rank the student ability on the following, based on grade level expectations: *

	Very low	Low	Almost on level	Average	Above Average
Numbers / Operations	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ
Measurement / Data	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	0
Geometry	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ
Time / Money	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ
Problem Solving	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ

Third Party Vendors



Title I services are coordinated by PCS, based on private school consultation.

Catapult Learning

Academic Teachers
Professional Development
Family Engagement



Enrichment Clubs after school Family Engagement



Parent consent is received!



Services for students

ACADEMIC SUPPORT

- Math and reading pull-out small group instruction.
- Services supplement what is already in place.
- Students are not pulled out during core academic instruction.

COUNSELING

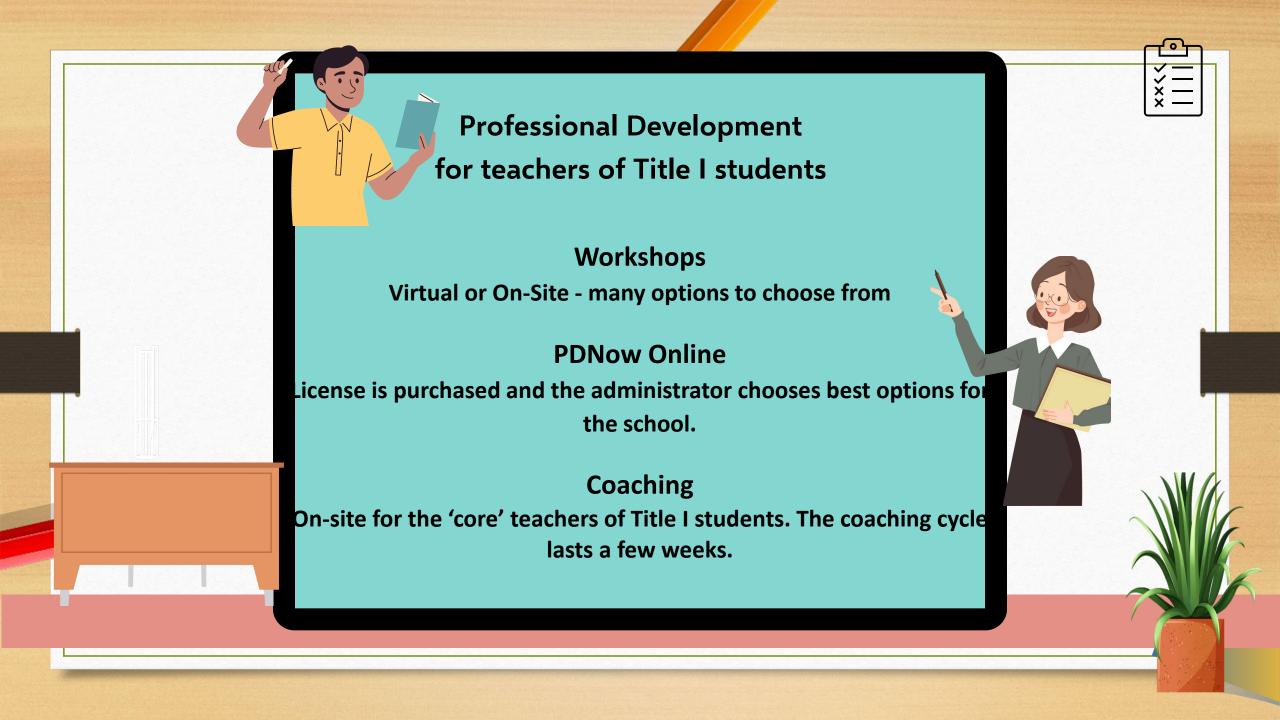
- Academic counseling
- Empower U -Resiliency virtual counseling

ENRICHMENT PROGRAMS

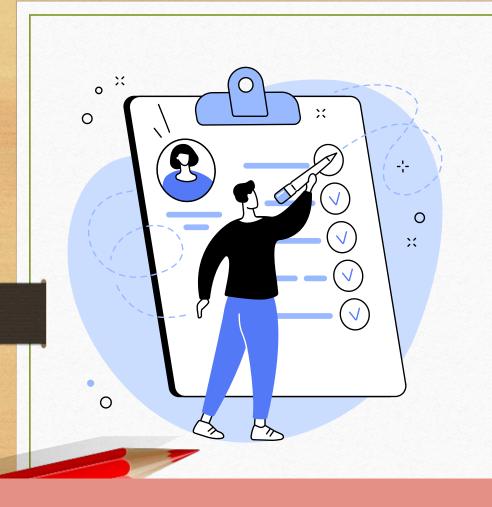
• Enrichment clubs after school for Title I students.











Accountability

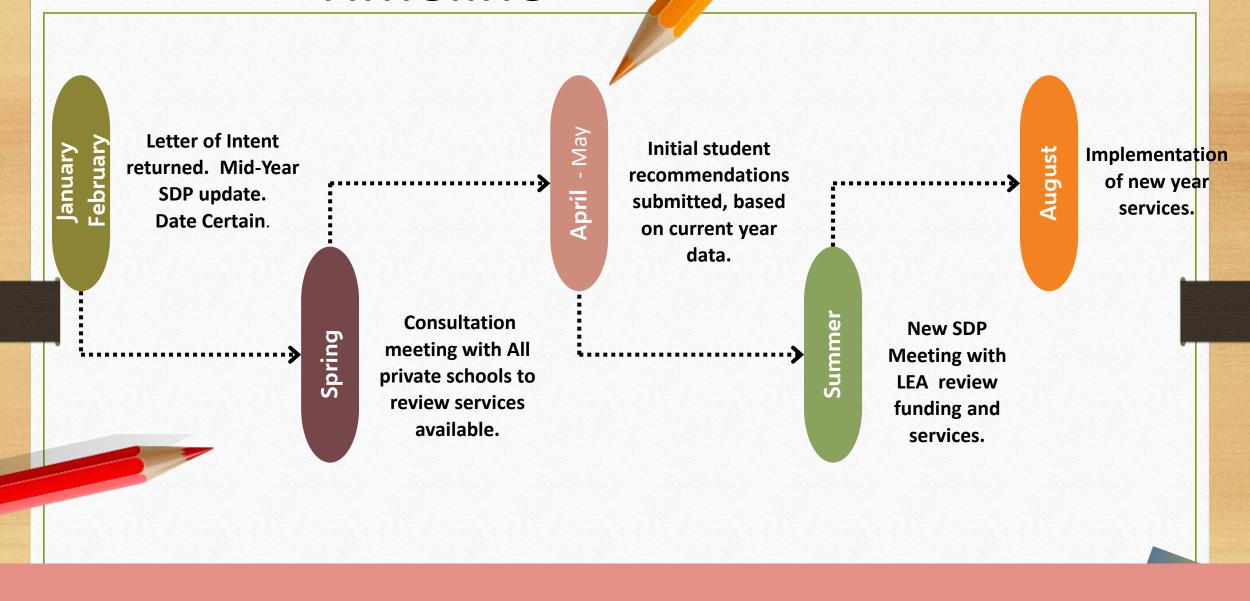
Students are assessed using Renaissance STAR three times per year.

Title I goal: 70% of the students will meet their PSS goal in reading and /or math.

STAR ASSESSMENT:

- Data is used to monitor student growth.
- Data is reviewed with students, families and teachers.
- LEA and school discuss data at SDP meetings.
- Data drives instruction to support growth.

Timeline



"Affirmation of Consultation"

Pinellas County, Title I Programs for Private Schools Mid-Year Consultation held via zoom January, 2024

Title VIII, Section 8501 and Title I, Part A, Section 1117(b) and regulation 200.63 of the Every Student Succeeds Act require that timely and meaningful consultation occur between the local education agency (LEA) and private school officials prior to any decision that affects the opportunities of eligible private school children, teachers, and other educational personnel to participate in programs under this Act. Consultation shall continue throughout the implementation and assessment of activities under this section.

Topics discussed during the ongoing consultation process:

- * How the LEA will identify the needs of eligible private school children
- * What services the LEA will offer to eligible private school children
- * How and when the LEA makes decisions about the delivery of services
- * How, where, and by whom the LEA will provide services to eligible private school children, including thorough consideration and analysis of the views of private school officials on services through a third-party provider
- * If the LEA disagrees with the private school officials, the LEA must provide in writing to those officials the reasons why the LEA has chosen not to use a third-party contactor
- * The LEA policy and/or procedures regarding equipment, property, and materials purchased with Title I funds
- * How the LEA will academically access the services to eligible private school children, and how the LEA will use the results to improve Title I services
- * The method, or data source, that the LEA will use under Sec. 200.78 of the Title I regulations to determine the number of private school children from low-income families residing in participating public school attendance
- * The equitable services the LEA will provide to classroom teachers and families of participating private school children
- * Pooling vs. Non- Pooling
- * The process used for determining proportionate share of allocated funds
- * Determining the Effectiveness of the Program
- * The timing of services (approximate time of day they will be provided)
- * The Complaint Process

_ We agree that timely and meaningful consultation occurred before the LEA made any decision that affected the participation of eligible private school children in the Title I, Part A, program.

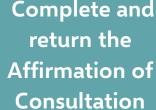
___ We agree that timely and meaningful consultation did NOT occur before the LEA made any decision that affected the participation of eligible private school children in the Title I, Part A, program.

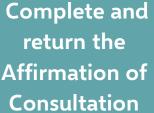
School Name: Click or tap here to enter text.

School Representative: Click or tap here to enter text.

Date: Click or tap here to enter text.









Feb 29, 2024

Information to be used for school Service Delivery Plan meetings



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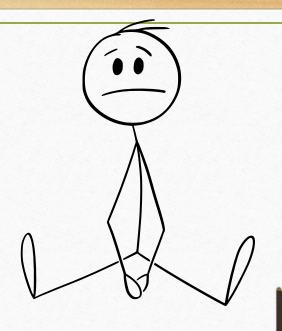
COMPLAINT PROCESS



Private school officials have the right to complain to the Florida Department of Education if they believe that Pinellas County Schools did not:

- Engage in timely and meaningful consultation or did not consider their views.
- Provide services that are equitable to those provided to eligible public-school children, their teachers, and their families.







Please contact the Title I department if you have any concerns.



THANK YOU

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Do you have questions? Please click on the link to schedule time to meet.



Student Support Division Staff Supporting PPPSSD

- Armela Dhamo, Compliance Educational Diagnostician
- Dawn Kwiatkowski, Contract Coordinator for After Hours Therapies
- Cindy Medici, ESE Specialist
- Melissa Monforte, School Psychologist
- Kathy Moskalczyk, Coordinator Private School Services
- Katherine Rosenthal, Compliance Educational Diagnostician

Federal Regulations Guiding Our Work

- Consultation Process 34 C.F.R. § 300.134
 - O Listen to expressed views of private school officials and representative parents of PPPSSD and consider them before making final decisions with respect to the services to be provided to eligible PPPSSD
 - Must address:
 - O The child find process and how parents and private schools can participate (34 C. F. R. § 300.131)
 - O The determination of the proportionate share of Federal funds available to serve PPPSSD and how funds were calculated (34 C.F.R. §§ 300.130 through 300.144);
 - O How the consultation will take place (34 C.F.R. § 300.134);
 - O How, where, and by whom special education and related services will be provided and when decisions about services will be made (34 C.F.R. §§ 300.130, 300.132, 300.137, and 300.138); and
 - O How the LEA will respond in writing, if they disagree with the recommendations of the private school officials, with the reasons why the LEA chose not to adopt the recommendations (34 C. F. R. § 300.134 (e)).

Child Find

locating, identifying, and evaluating all children with disabilities placed by parents in private schools 34 C.F.R.

§ 300.131

- Children beginning in K, contact Tara Huddleston 588 6503.
- Private/Home School Compliance Team facilitates the entire process.
- Some evaluations (e.g. OT, PT, Audiology) may be conducted at the home-zoned school.
- Child find services are not paid for through proportionate share funding.

105 children attending private schools have been referred, are in the midst of, or have finished the Child Find process since August 2023.

Funding for 2023-2024

Number of eligible children with disabilities (Oct 2023)

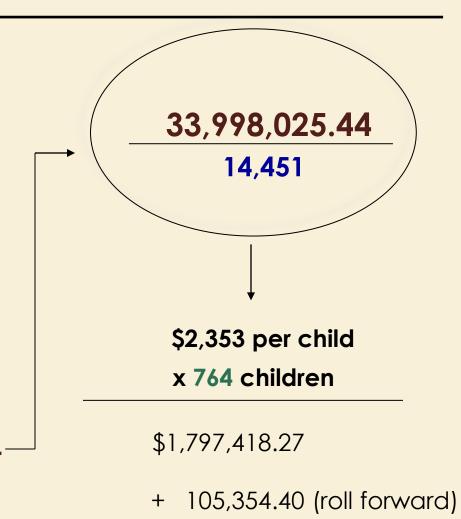
In public schools 13,687

In private schools + 764

14,451

Federal IDEA Part B Grant 33,998,025.44

22-23 budget was \$1,930,392



\$1,902,772.67

Consultation Activities

- Nonpublic School Intent to Participate in Federal Programs 2024-2025 sent to schools 12/1/2023 with a submission deadline of 1/19/2024.
- January/February Survey emailed to parents of PPPSSD being served on 1/24/24, deadline to respond 2/2/24 (3 reminders sent).
- February Consultation Gather input from Private School officials who have indicated that they will participate with IDEA.
- April Affirmations will be sent to schools for signatures.
- May Parent requests for services 24-25 school year to open.
- August and September- Service Plans will be developed in collaboration with parents in alignment with the affirmation agreements, and service delivery will begin based on SP initiation dates.
- If applicable, a written response to recommendations not implemented will be provided at the Fall Consultation Meeting.

PPPSSD Current Data

- 780 PPPSSD eligible for Florida IEPs based on submitted lists from private schools
- 172 students are receiving academic supports
- 24 students are receiving related OT or PT
- 92 students are receiving Speech/Language services
- 105 PPPSSD are currently being reevaluated.

	After or Before Hours Services (Therapies and Academics)	Academic Services School Day (provided by contractors)	
September 2023	\$15,015		
October 2023	\$21,956	\$30,524	
November 2023	\$17,746	\$39,342	
December 2023	\$14,555	\$38,742	
January 2024	\$17,576	\$50,895	

\$86,851 (not including fringe) \$320,000 allocated (not including fringe)

Total to date

\$159,503 \$554,900 allocated for contracted services

\$246,354



PPPSSD Parent Questionaire 2023-24

We appreciate your time for completing this survey. Your feedback is important to us so we can continue to improve our services.

	Which of the following service(s) provided by Pinellas County Schools is your child receiving his school year? *
[Speech Therapy
[Academic Services
[Language Therapy
[Physical Therapy
[Occupational Therapy
[Vision Therapy
[Deaf/Hard of Hearing
ſ	Orientation and Mobility

Parent Survey

102 responses

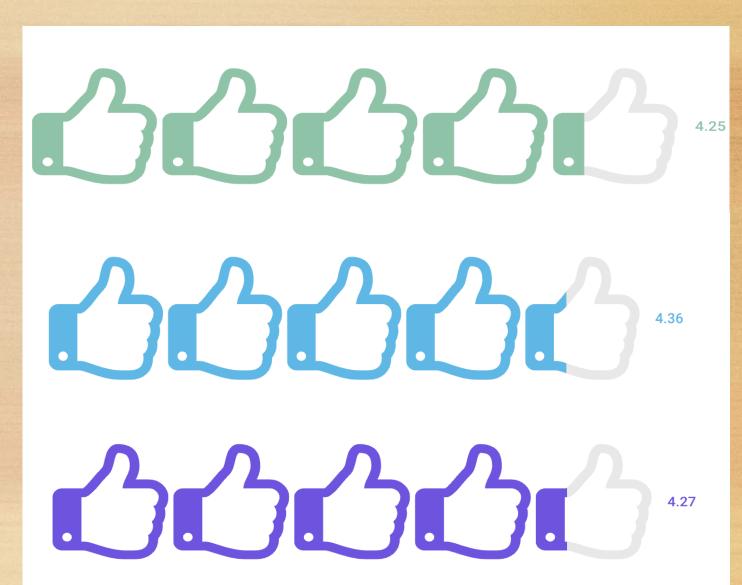
Most responses from parents of 2nd and 5th graders

Results

Process for requesting services

Provider responsiveness

Quality of services



Parent Feedback

Frequent

• More frequent updates on progress

Receive

• Receive academic services more quickly

Increase

• Increase services provided (more than 1 hour per week)

Frequent

• More frequent updates on where the student is in the process (from request to delivery of services)

Key Issues

- Clarity of Services Plans
- Contracted teachers providing academic services
 - All are Florida certified ESE teachers
 - Varied schedules (2 5 days per week)
 - Two staff left their positions before January
 - Offers were rejected after interviews
 - Vendor request for an increase (aligned with the Consumer Price Index)
 - On boarding process is lengthy (minimum of 1.5 months after offer)

Feedback and Suggestions

- 1. Use of contracted teachers for academic services
- 2. Providing academic services after (public) school hours
- 3. Providing therapies after (public) school hours
- 4. Prioritizing Services for Elementary-aged students based on staffing and budget
- 5. Greater emphasis on providing professional development for private school staff (e.g. summer institutes, book study opportunities)
- 6. Reevaluations for students (minimum of 1x every 3 years)
- 7. Others?