

<b>POLICY</b>	2008	7341
	<b>Students</b>	

**Subject: Language Instructional Education Programs**

Pursuant to the federal No Child Left Behind Act and Commissioner’s Regulations, parents/guardians must be notified in a manner and language they can understand of their child’s placement in a language instruction educational program that is either instructional bilingual or free-standing English as a second language. They also must be informed of their options regarding their child’s placement in any such program.

This required notice must be given to parents within 30 calendar days after the start of the school year, or within two weeks of placement in a language instruction educational program when the student was not identified as limited English proficient before the start of the school year.

Also, pursuant to the federal No Child Left Behind Act, parents/guardians must be notified in a manner and language they can understand of any failure to meet annual measurable objectives established by the state relating to the development and attainment of English proficiency while meeting state academic standards. This notice must be given within 30 calendar days after the failure occurs.

No Child Left Behind Act 2001

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