

LOS ANGELES UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

Parent Notification of Reclassification Criteria

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Dear Parents(s)/guardian:

The California Department of Education (CDE) has mandated that the reclassification criteria be shared with all parents of English learners (ELs).

When an EL has demonstrated proficiency in English and has met the reclassification criteria, the student will reclassify as Fluent-English Proficient (RFEP) per Education Code Section 313(d) guidelines.

The established criteria for reclassification are as follows:

<b>Reclassification Criteria</b>	
<b>Grades 1 and 2</b>	<b>Grades 3 - 5/6</b>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Annual CELDT Scores</b></p> <p>Overall performance of 4 or 5 with skill area scores of 3 or higher in Listening and Speaking</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Teacher Evaluation</b></p> <p>Language Appraisal Team judges the student will be successful in a Mainstream English Program based on a review of the following:</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Elementary Progress Report</b></p> <p>Marks of 3 or 4 in English Language Arts</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Performance in Basic Grade-Level Skills</b></p> <p>Language Appraisal Team judges the student will be successful in a Mainstream English Program based on a review of the following:</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Grade-Level Benchmarks</b></p> <p>Met benchmark goals on three consecutive English Language Arts periodic assessments</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Parent Consultation and Notification</b></p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Annual CELDT Scores</b></p> <p>Overall performance of 4 or 5 with skill area scores of 3 or higher in Listening, Speaking, Reading and Writing</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Teacher Evaluation</b></p> <p>Teacher <u>or</u> Language Appraisal Team judges the student will be successful in a Mainstream English Program based on a review of the following:</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Elementary Progress Report</b></p> <p>Marks of 3 or 4 in English Language Arts</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Performance in Basic Grade-Level Skills</b></p> <p>Language Appraisal Team judges the student will be successful in a Mainstream English Program based on a review of the following:</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>California Standards Test Results</b></p> <p>in English Language Arts at Basic, Proficient or Advanced level</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Parent Consultation and Notification</b></p>

If you have any questions about the reclassification criteria, please contact your school.

Refer to the Individualized Education Plan (IEP) goals and objectives established per reporting period, when applicable.

Attach to Annual Assessment Results and Program Placement for English Learners Notification.

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