Local Review of Classroom Instructional Materials Overview for Parents June 25, 2025





Session Purpose



The purpose of this session is to provide an overview of the local review of classroom instructional materials, highlighting the key statutory requirements and processes to support implementation during the 2025-2026 school year.

Session Objectives

- Examine SBOE and Commissioner rules impacting LEA implementation of local classroom reviews
- 2. Outline the parent process requirements to be used during the local classroom review of instructional materials.
- 3. Outline the steps for the parent request processes to be used during the local classroom reviews.



What is a local classroom review?

HB 1605: High-Quality Curriculum (88R)



- Establishes an expanded process for the SBOE to review and approve high-quality textbooks and instructional materials, supported by TEA, and repeals prior law authorizing TEA instructional materials portal and quality reviews
- Additional funding (on top of IMTA) for districts who choose to use SBOE-approved materials: \$40/student; an additional \$20/student for districts printing state-owned materials
- SBOE textbook approval no longer bound to 8-year cycle, no longer limited to 50% of TEKS
- Districts exempted from RFP processes if purchasing SBOE-approved materials
- Publishers must offer parent portals for instructional materials transparency

- Local curriculum reviews are established, funded, and
 can be initiated via parent requests, with SBOE
 approval of grade-level rigor rubric
- SBOE must add book/word list to the ELAR TEKS
- Teachers cannot be required to use bi-weekly planning time to create initial instructional materials unless there is a supplemental duty agreement with the teacher
- Requires TEA to develop state-owned textbooks in certain grades and subjects, which are subject to approval by SBOE like any other textbook
- Provides optional teacher training on state-owned textbooks for districts to utilize, and grant program to educator prep programs to support
- Prohibits three-cueing in early literacy instruction



After HB 1605, more state support is provided.

But instructional materials decisions remain inherently local.

- Districts have local discretion when selecting instructional materials (TEC 31.0211)
- The State Board of Education reviews materials, including OER, and decides what high-quality material is available to schools (TEC 31.022)
- P Districts have local discretion to recommend or require (or neither) the use the of certain instructional materials within their classrooms, and they have authority to choose SBOE-approved and non SBOE-approved materials (TEC 28.0027)
- Parents have a right to review all instructional materials (TEC 26.006)
- Parents have a right to temporarily remove a child from a class or school activity (TEC 26.010)

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Local Review of Classroom Instructional Materials under HB 1605 are designed to accomplish specific objectives.

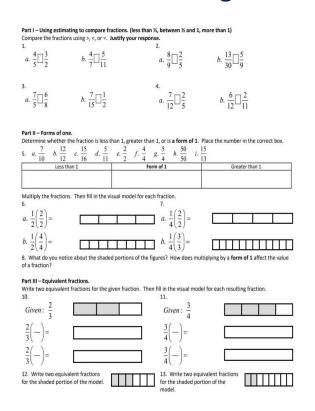


	Local Review of Classroom Instructional Materials
What is the purpose of the evaluation?	(1) How consistently are instructional materials used in the classroom those adopted by the school or school system? (2) How consistently are assignments issued to students on grade level?
What is evaluated?	Alignment to district/campus adopted materials Grade-appropriate rigor (TEKS & Quality)
Scope of Review	Classroom
What materials are evaluated?	Student Assignments
Who conducts the evaluation?	Certified Reviewers (from ESCs or Approved Vendors) TEC, §31.0252 (d)
When is it evaluated?	Statewide submission window begins September 1st and extends through the last instructional day for students. §67.69
How is it reported?	Local Classroom Review Report

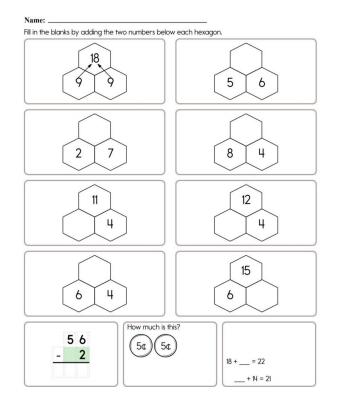
What materials are evaluated in the local classroom review? Blank Student Assignments



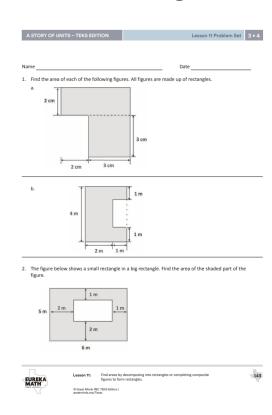
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Local Classroom Review Rubrics



Local classroom review rubrics were created by the agency using the IMRA rubrics (previously approved by the SBOE) and adjusted to focus on the criteria that could be evaluated in student-facing assignments. This ensures local reviews are aligned to the IMRA process without repeating it.

Local Classroom Review Rubrics were approved by the SBOE on April 11, 2025.

<u>Local Classroom Review Rubric: ELAR K-3 Foundational Literacy Skills</u>

Local Classroom Review Rubric: ELAR K-3 Reading Comprehension

Local Classroom Review Rubric: ELAR 4-8 Reading Comprehension

Local Classroom Review Rubric: Mathematics K-12



Local Classroom Reviews Process Requirements

Who can request a local classroom review?

	Parent Request
Why would a local classroom review be requested?	 I want to access what my child is doing in class and what the teacher is using to teach. I don't think what my child brought home or did in class is rigorous for their grade/course I don't think what my child brought home or did in class is appropriate for the grade/course.
How would the local classroom review be requested?	Parents can request a local classroom review through their local school systems beginning September 1, 2025, per §67.69. Each school district will establish a process for parents to request a local classroom review.
How will the costs of the approved reviews be covered?	Parent requests approved by the school district will be prioritized and conducted at no cost to parents, funded through a grant for local classroom reviews.
How will the results of the review be reported?	Local Classroom Review Report, published on the district's website

What key process requirements should parents understand about local classroom reviews as each school district designs and implements specific policies to facilitate the reviews?

Establish a process for parents to request a local classroom review.



Process Requirements:

- Establish the minimum requirements for a parent's petition to the school board including the submission guidelines and timelines.
- Ensure the process aligns to the statewide submission window: September 1st through the last instructional day for students.
- Petitions must be considered at the regular board meeting immediately following submission, provided they meet the deadline.

Parent Petition Details:

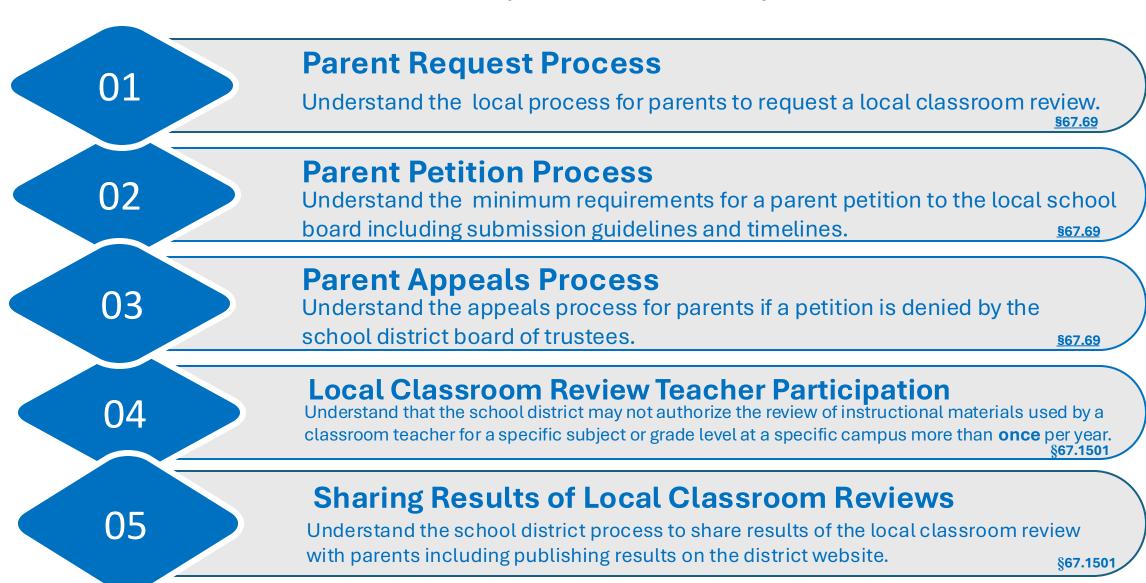
Must include student assignment, grade level, content area, campus name, and teacher name.

Establish an appeal process for parents if a petition is denied by the school district board of trustees.

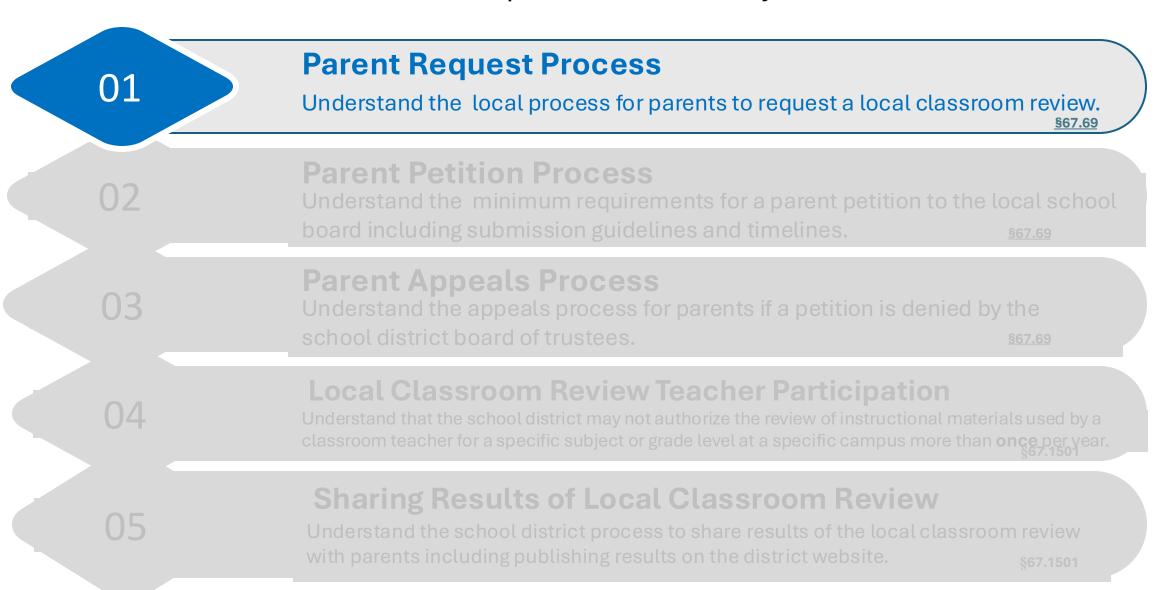
Appeal Process Details:

Must include steps for submitting an appeal, criteria for reviewing the appeal, and timelines for a final decision

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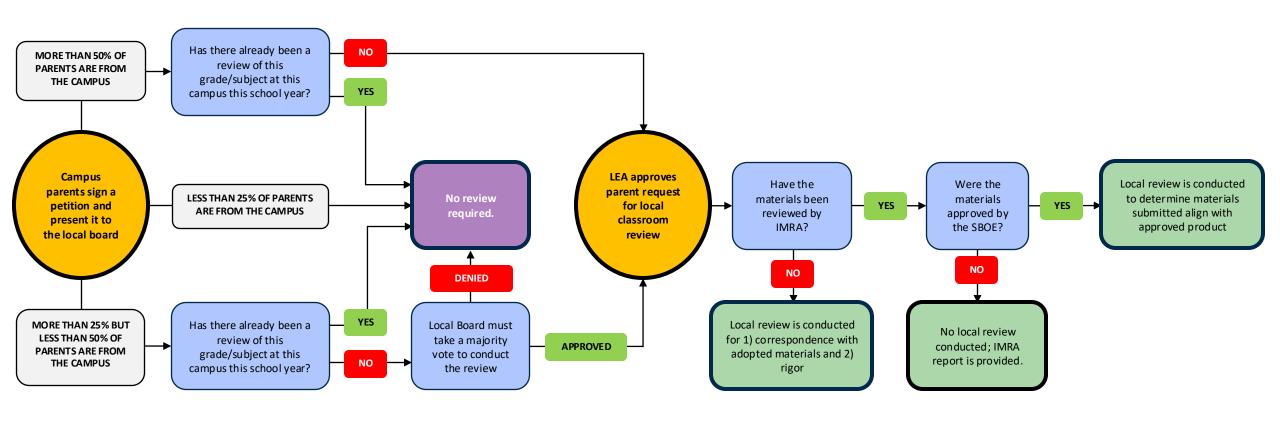
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Parent Request for the Local Classroom Review Per the Statute

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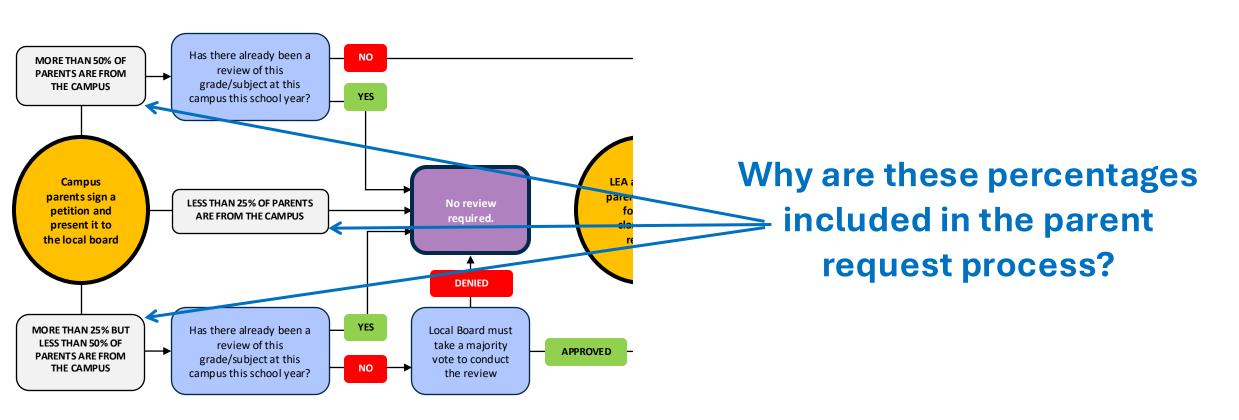
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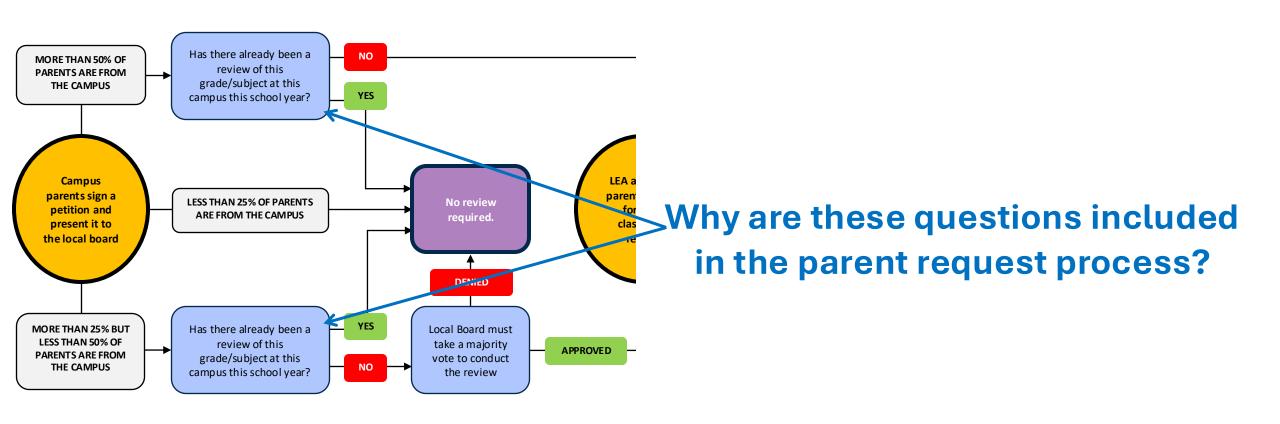
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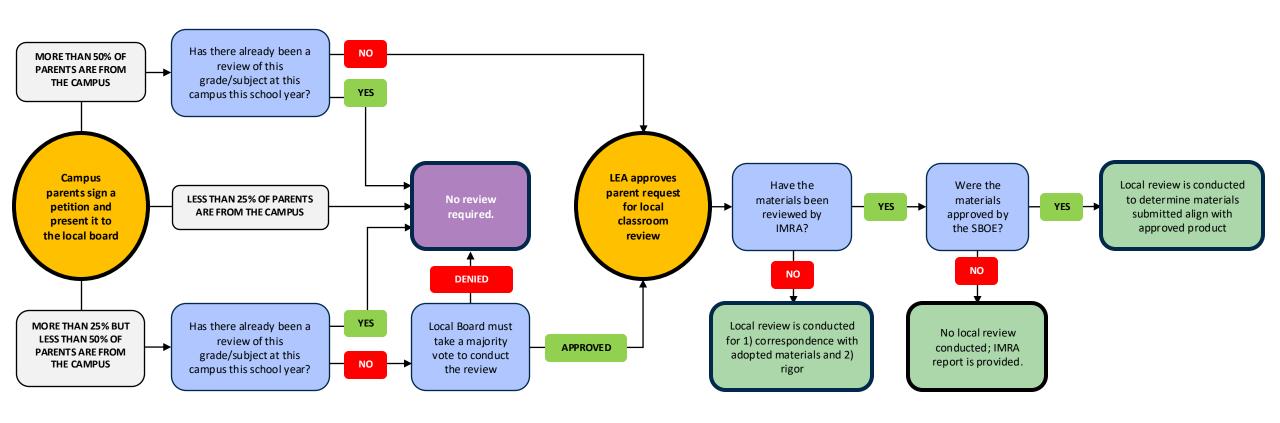
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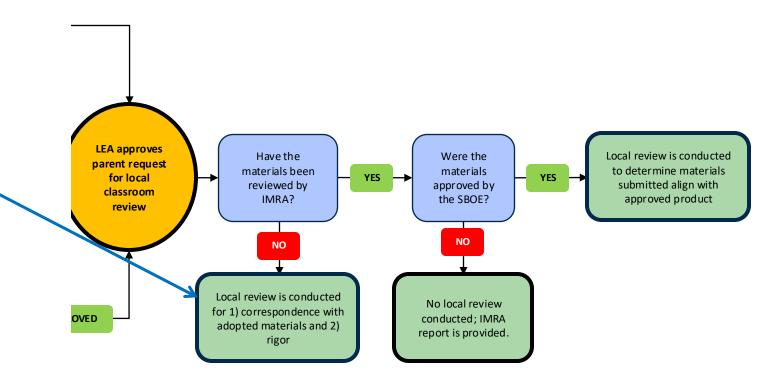
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IMRA Reports Approved Materials Rejected Materials

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What information will be included in the local review of classroom instructional materials?



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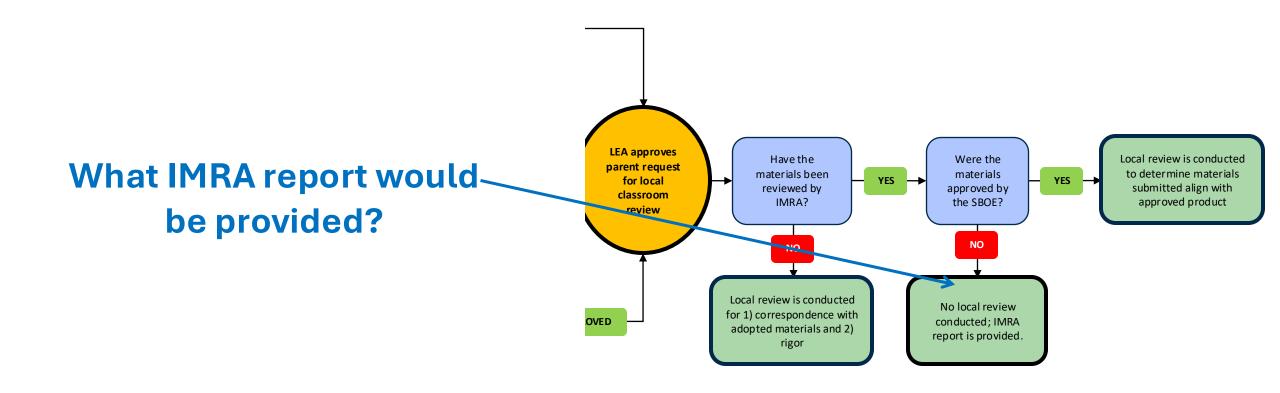
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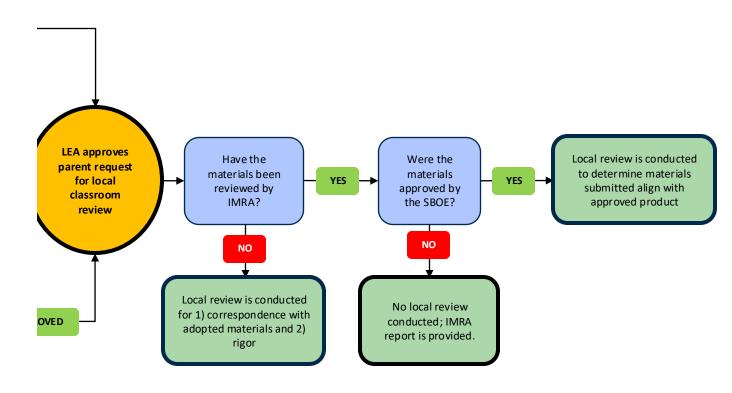
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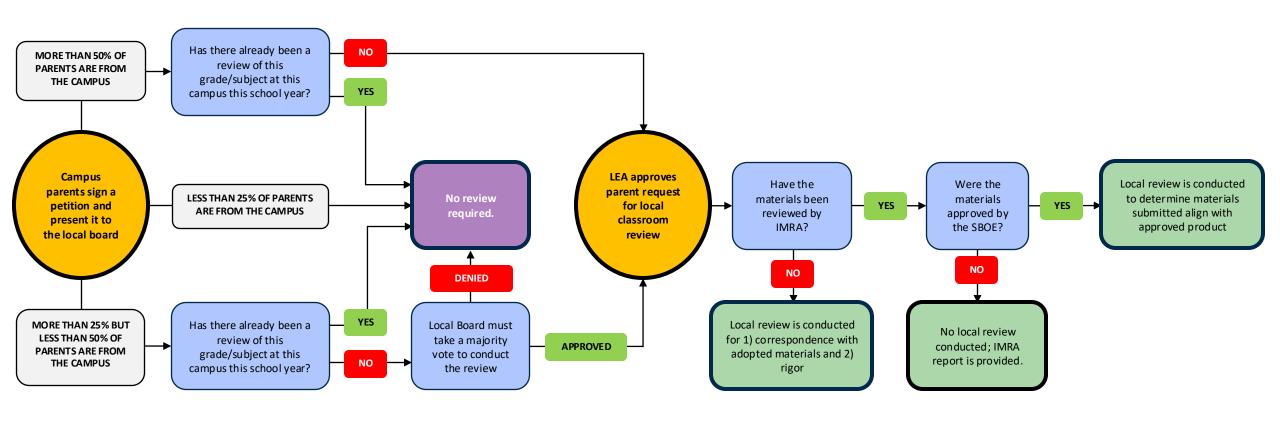




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Parent Petition for the Local Classroom Review



For the purposes of the parent petition for local classroom reviews, a parent means the parent who is listed on the school registration form at the campus. ¹



Only **one parent signature per enrolled student** will be counted by the district in its calculation assuring validity of the petition.

¹Section 6 of HB 1605, TEC § 26.0061a ²Section 6 of HB 1605, TEC § 26.0061d



To preserve the confidentiality of petition signers and students, it is recommended that each signature and accompanying information be provided individually.



The petition must clearly state the grade level, content area, campus, and teacher that should complete the local classroom review process to ensure that the **local review occurs once per year** for a specific subject or grade level at a specific campus. ²



The parent request submission window begins on **September 1**st **through the last instructional day** for students to ensure equitable access to the local classroom review process.



The petition must be submitted to the school board president and the district superintendent.

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Parent Appeals Process for the denial of a local classroom review by a local school board

If informal means are not successful, parents may initiate the formal process described below by timely filing a formal written complaint form.

- Level One School or Campus Principal
- Level Two Superintendent or Superintendent's Designee
- Level Three School Board of Trustees or Charter School Board

If after exhausting the **local grievance process** (Levels One-Three) a parent is still aggrieved by the school district's decision, the parent may file an appeal in writing to the Commissioner of Education under $\underline{\text{TEC } \S 7.057}$.

Our Parent Complaint Navigator will ask you a short series of multiple-choice questions and, based on your responses, provide you with the information and resources you need to address

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Local Classroom Reviews Teacher Participation

Important Considerations for the Local Classroom Review

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Source: TEC, §31.0252

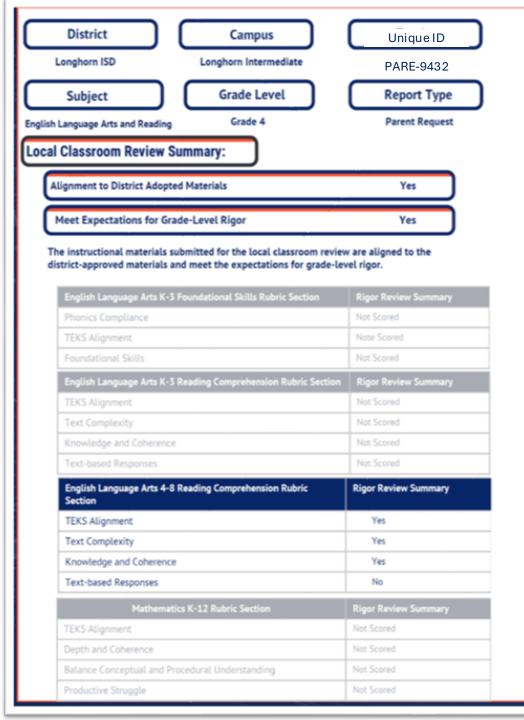
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01	Understand the local process for parents to request a local classroom review §67.69
02	Parent Petition Process Understand the minimum requirements for a parent petition to the local school board including submission guidelines and timelines. §67.69
03	Parent Appeals Process Understand the appeals process for parents if a petition is denied by the school district board of trustees. §67.69
04	Understand that the school district may not authorize the review of instructional materials used by classroom teacher for a specific subject or grade level at a specific campus more than once per ye §67.1501

with parents including publishing results on the district website.



Local Classroom Reviews Local Classroom Review Report

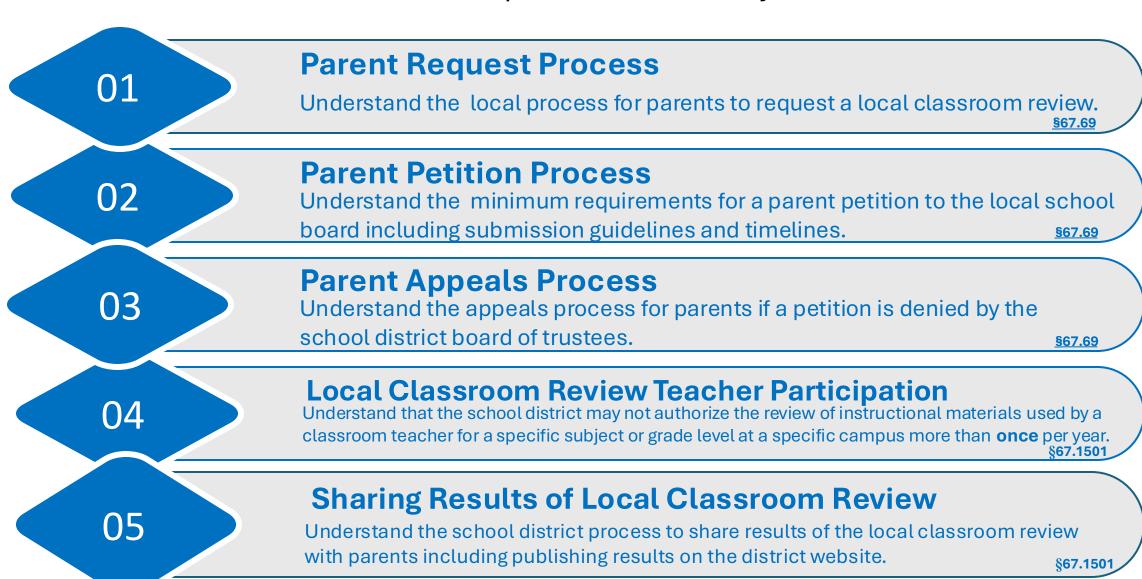


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- Local Classroom Review Reports will detail the extent to which assignments meet grade-level rigor and align with the instructional materials adopted by the school district or campus.
- Reports will include all the materials that were submitted for the Local Classroom Review to provide maximum transparency.
- Local Classroom Review Reports should be published on district websites within 10 days of receiving the report ensuring that any student or teacher information is redacted from the report prior to posting. (Proposed Commissioner Rules §67.1501).

^{*}The data included in the report represents the findings based on the artifacts submitted by the district or campus for the sample of lessons evaluated. It is not an evaluation of a complete set of instructional materials for a full year.

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Certification of Provision of Instructional Materials Form

The Certification of Provision of Instructional Materials form will be used to determine the alignment of instructional materials to those adopted by the school district or campus.

Local Classroom Review Rubrics

SBOE approved local classroom review rubrics that will be used by certified reviewers during the scoring process.

Local Classroom Review Report

Local Classroom Review Results will be reported in a standardized Yes/No format for each component assessed.

Local Classroom Review Appendix

The appendix offers additional insights into the local classroom review, presenting a collection of resources and details for comprehending its scope.

Local Classroom Reviews Scorable and Non-Scorable Materials

During a local classroom review, blank student assignments and one week's worth of lesson materials (including assignments, teacher guides, student readers, etc.) are collected and included in the report for parental transparency. Blank student assignments are scorable, while all other materials are non-scorable and published in the appendix.

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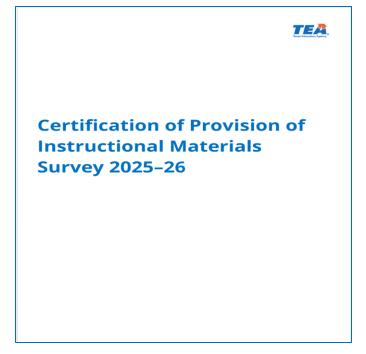
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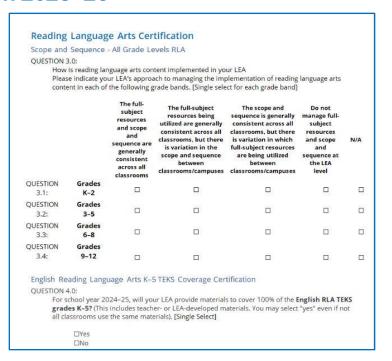
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How will local classroom reviews use the *Certification of Provision of Instructional Materials form* to determine the submission's alignment with district-adopted materials?

The Certification of Provision of Instructional Materials Form will be used to determine if the materials submitted for local classroom reviews correspond to the instructional materials adopted by the school district or district campus.¹

Certification of Provision of Instructional Materials Form 2025–26





Source: 1 TEC, §31.0252

What information do school districts share on the **Certification of Provision of Instructional Materials Form**?

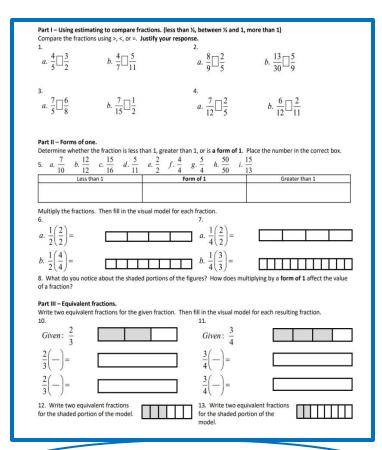
- School districts are required to certify annually to the State Board of Education (SBOE) and the Commissioner that students have access to instructional materials covering all Texas Essential Knowledge and Skills (TEKS) for all required subjects, except physical education. ¹
- Required document that indicates the instructional materials the district has adopted or plan to adopt that will cover 100% of the TEKS.
- Assists the TEA in gathering data from the school district to include:
 - District involvement in managing scope and sequence
 - Publishers and products used as full-subject materials
 - Publishers and products used as supplemental materials
 - Grade bands and subjects assessed (RLA, Math, SS, Science)
- Certifies compliance with Children's Internet Protection²

Source: 1 TEC, §31.1011

1) Does the assignment submitted for the local classroom review correspond to the materials adopted in the district?



Math Assignment Submitted for Local Classroom Review



EXAMPLE

Does the assignment submitted for the local classroom review correspond to the materials adopted in the district?



Math Certification Information Submitted by the District for 2025-2026

Mathematics Certification

Scope and Sequence - All Grade Levels Mathematics

OUESTION 12.0:

Are instructional materials for mathematics managed at the LEA level and generally consistent across classrooms? ?

⊠Ye

□No

Mathematics K–5 TEKS Coverage Certification

OUESTION 13.0

For <u>school</u> year 2025–26, will your LEA provide materials to cover 100% of the **mathematics TEKS grades K-5**? (This includes teacher- or LEA-developed materials. You may select "yes" even if not all classrooms use the same materials). [Single Select]

⊠Yes

□No

Mathematics K-5 Instructional Materials

OUESTION 14.0

Share the **full-subject and/or supplemental** publisher(s)/product(s) that teachers in your LEA will use regularly (once a week or more, on average) for **mathematics grades K-5** instruction to ensure coverage of 100% of the TEKS.

<u>Full-subject instructional materials</u> (often referred to as Tier 1 or core materials): Instructional materials designed to, if implemented as designed, provide a student with mastery of the essential knowledge and skills for a certain subject and grade level without the need for supplementation.

<u>Supplemental Materials</u> (may be used in Tier 1, Tier 2, or Tier 3 settings): instructional materials designed to assist in the instruction of one or more essential knowledge and skill.

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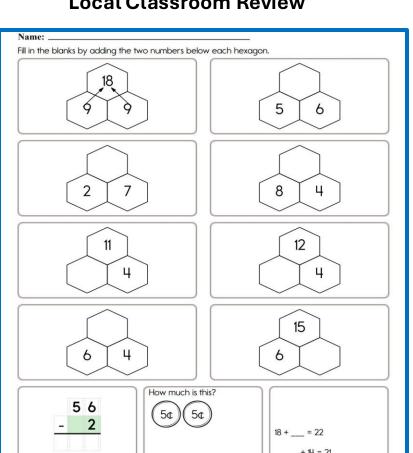
Edmentum, Study Island

Assignment Source: Edmentum Inc, Study Island

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Math Assignment Submitted for Local Classroom Review



EXAMPLE

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Math Certification Information Submitted by the District for 2025-2026

Mathematics Certification

Scope and Sequence - All Grade Levels Mathematics

OUESTION 12.

Are instructional materials for mathematics managed at the LEA level and generally consistent across classrooms? ?

⊠Yes □No

Mathematics K-5 TEKS Coverage Certification

OUESTION 13.0:

For <u>school</u> year 2025–26, will your LEA provide materials to cover 100% of the **mathematics TEKS grades K-5**? (This includes teacher- or LEA-developed materials. You may select "yes" even if not all classrooms use the same materials). [Single Select]

⊠ Yes □No

Mathematics K-5 Instructional Materials

OUESTION 14 (

Share the **full-subject and/or supplemental** publisher(s)/product(s) that teachers in your LEA will use regularly (once a week or more, on average) for **mathematics grades K-5** instruction to ensure coverage of 100% of the TEKS.

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Local Classroom Reviews SBOE Approved Rubrics

To support district & parent visibility into classroom instructional material quality, HB 1605 required TEA to develop Local Classroom Reviews, with rubric approval by SBOE



Chapter 31. Parental Rights And Responsibilities.

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Local Classroom Reviews Rubrics



Local classroom review rubrics were created by the agency using the IMRA rubrics (previously approved by the SBOE) and adjusted to focus on the criteria that could be evaluated in student-facing assignments. This ensures local reviews are aligned to the IMRA process without repeating it.

Local Classroom Review Rubrics were approved by the SBOE on April 11, 2025.

<u>Local Classroom Review Rubric: ELAR K-3 Foundational Literacy Skills</u>

Local Classroom Review Rubric: ELAR K-3 Reading Comprehension

Local Classroom Review Rubric: ELAR 4-8 Reading Comprehension

Local Classroom Review Rubric: Mathematics K-12

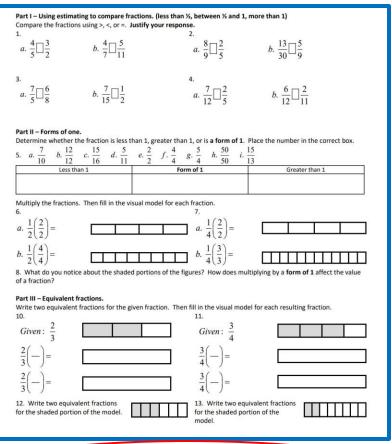
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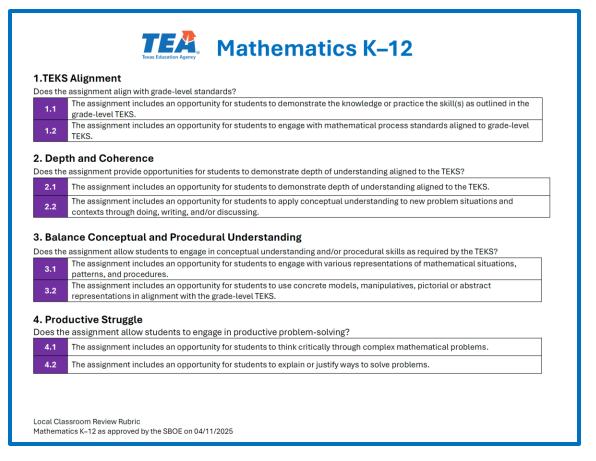


Math: K-12 Local Classroom Review Rubric



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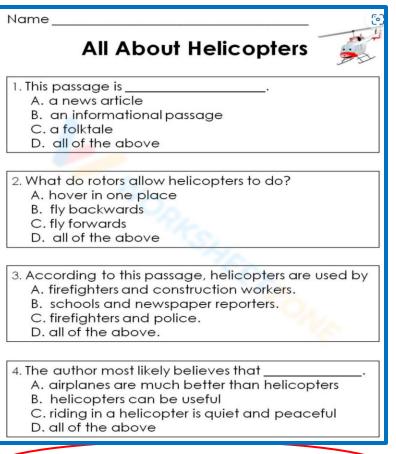


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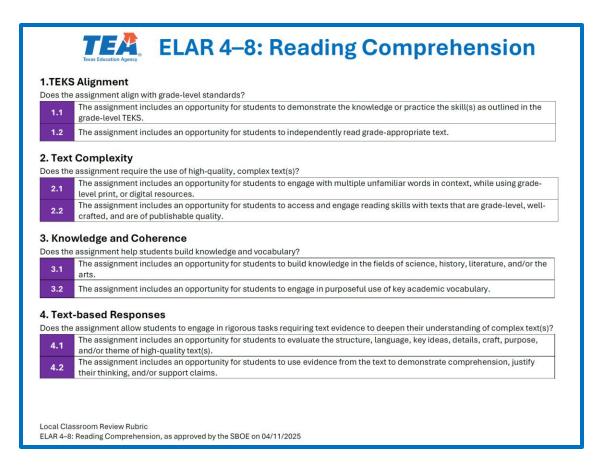
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ELAR: 4-8 Reading Comprehension Local Classroom Review Rubric



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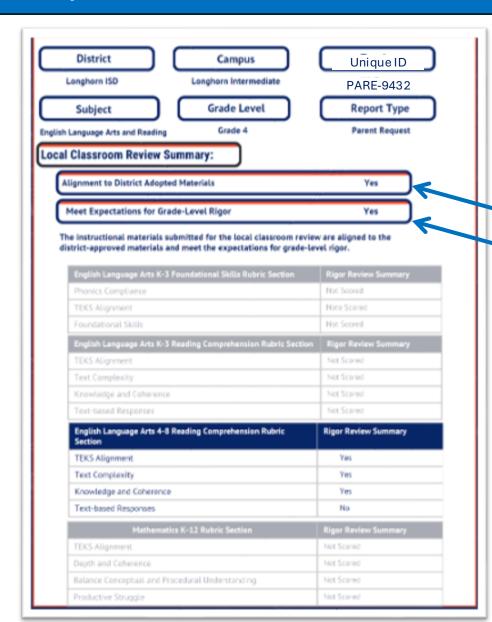
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SBOE Approved Rubrics for Local Classroom Reviews:

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Appendix 3

<u>Scoring Methodology:</u>

This section provides a detailed explanation of the methods used to evaluate and score student assignments and instructional materials.

Appendix 4

Instructional Materials Review and Approval (IMRA) Process:

The IMRA process was enacted under House Bill (HB) 1605 and brings new components to a single, State Board of Education (SBOE)-governed review of instructional materials. IMRA outlines how instructional materials will be reviewed, with the SBOE having final authority on the process, criteria used, and approvals.

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Glossary:

Definitions of key terms used throughout the document

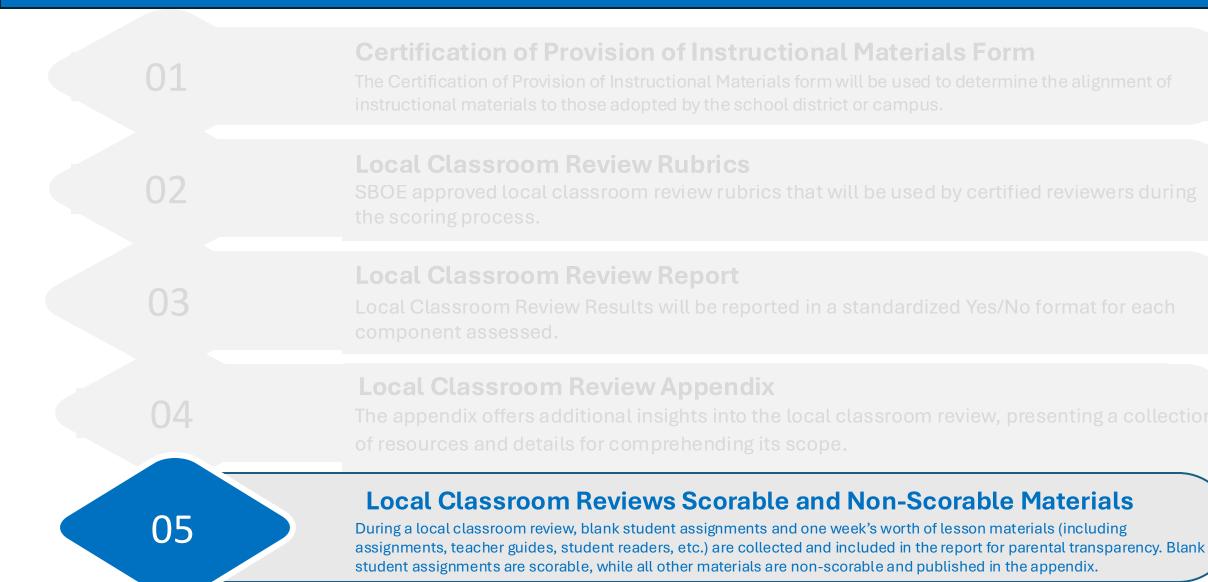
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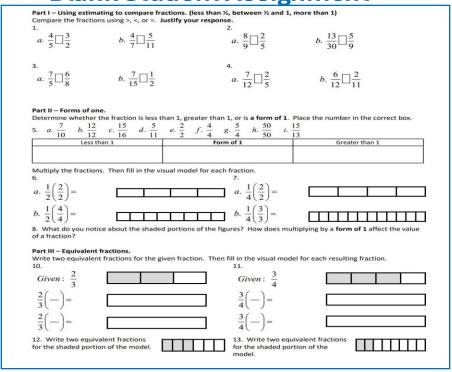
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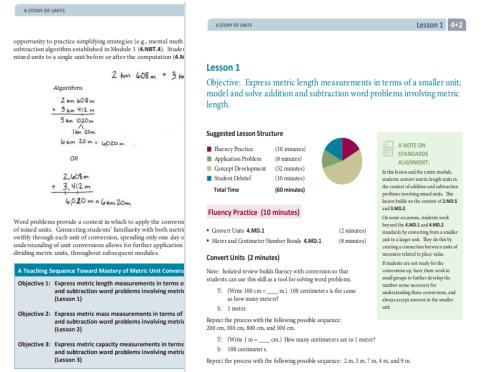
Blank Student Assignment



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Teacher Guide



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Contact Information

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Visit the <u>local classroom review webpage</u> for more information or connect with our team at <u>local.classroomreviews@tea.texas.gov</u> if you have questions.