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## Federal Program Compliance Division

2025-2026 Program Monitoring Validations (PMV) Process Statewide Virtual Training



Presented by
Jaime Huerta
Senior Division Director

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Title II, Part A; and Title IV, Part A

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Assistant Division Director
State Director – Title I, Part C;
Title V, Parts A & B

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Program Director – Title I, Part D; Title II, Part A

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### **TEA** Federal Program Compliance Division (FPC)

## 2025-2026 Program **Monitoring Validations Process**





# Participants will gain a better understanding of...

- √ the 2025-2026 Program Monitoring Validations(PMV) process;
- √ key dates; and
- ✓ resources that will become available to assist school systems in preparing for participation in the process.



### **TEA** Federal Program Compliance Division

### OUR APPROACH IS ROOTED IN THE FOLLOWING...



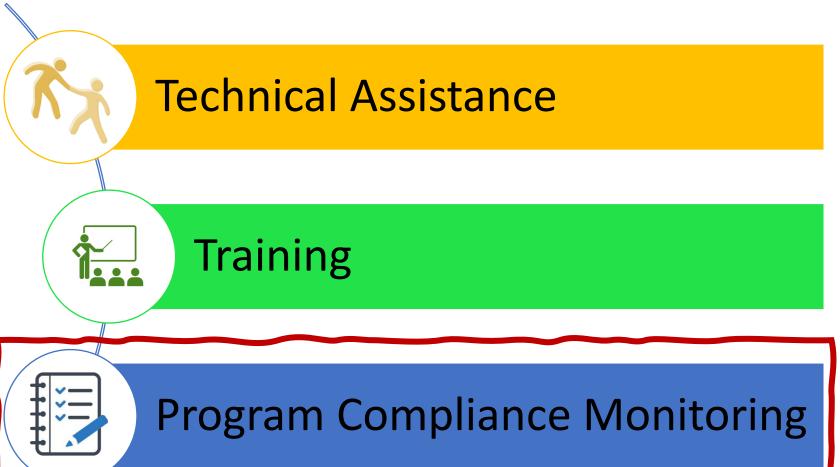






### Federal Program Compliance Division (FPC)







### **Federal Program Compliance Division**

2025-2026
Program Monitoring Validations (PMV)
Process & Timelines



### **TEA** 2025-2026 Program Monitoring Validations



### **Training Agenda**

- Programs Included in the Monitoring Process
- School System Selection
- **Program Requirements Selected**
- Year of Documentation
- Timeline
- **School System Notification**
- **Compliance Statuses Assigned**
- **Documentation Submission Platform**
- **Documentation Submission Tips and Instructions**
- Resources



# 2025-2026 Program Monitoring Validations Federal Programs Included for Review

### **Federal Program Compliance Division**

- Title I, Part A Improving Basic Programs
- Title I, Part C Education of Migratory Children (MEP)
- Title II, Part A Supporting Effective Instruction
- Title IV, Part A Student Support and Academic Enrichment
- Title I, Part D, Subpart 2 Prevention and Intervention for Delinquent,
   Neglected, and At-Risk Youth
- Private Nonprofit School Equitable Services (PNP)



## 2025-2026 Program Monitoring Validations Review Details



- The review will be a consolidated review of all programs being monitored.
- School systems will be selected based on a 6-year\* rotation schedule (each School System will be selected to participate once within a 6-year\* period).

<sup>\*</sup>During the 2024-2025 process, we shared that it would be a 5-year rotation. However, we have adjusted the rotation schedule to 6 years.



### **Federal Program Compliance Division**

2025-2026
Program Monitoring Validations Process
School System Selection



# 2025-2026 Program Monitoring Validations School System Selection



### **School System Selection Pool**

School Systems that applied for federal funding via the 2024-2025 ESSA Consolidated Application (either as an independent project or as a member of an SSA in either year) for at School Systemst one of the following programs will be part of the School System selection pool for the 2025-2026 Program Monitoring Validation Process: Title I, Part A; Title I, Part C; Title I, Part D, Subpart 2; Title II, Part A; or Title IV, Part A.

School Systems that participated in the 2024-2025 PMV process will be excluded from the School System Selection Pool for 2025-2026 and through the end of the six-year rotation.



# 2025-2026 Program Monitoring Validations School System Selection (continued)



### **Selection Parameters**

School Systems selected to participate in the 2025-2026 Program Monitoring Validation Process will be required to submit 2024-2025 documentation requested for the following programs in which the School System applied for federal funding via the 2024-2025 ESSA Consolidated Application (either as an independent project or as a member of an SSA in either year): Title I, Part A; Title I, Part C; Title I, Part D, Subpart 2; Title II, Part A; Title IV, Part A; and Private School Equitable Services.

School Systems that reported "Not In Compliance" for at School Systemst one program compliance self-check item for any of the programs that are part of the PMV process on the 2024-2025 ESSA Consolidated Compliance Report will be excluded from participation in the validation process for that particular program in 2025-2026.



# 2025-2026 Program Monitoring Validations School System Selection (continued)



### **Program-Specific Exclusions**

School Systems that redirected 100% of funds via Funding Transferability and/or REAP in 2024-2025 will not be required to submit documentation for the programs in which funds were redirected out of (only applicable to Title II, Part A and Title IV, Part A).

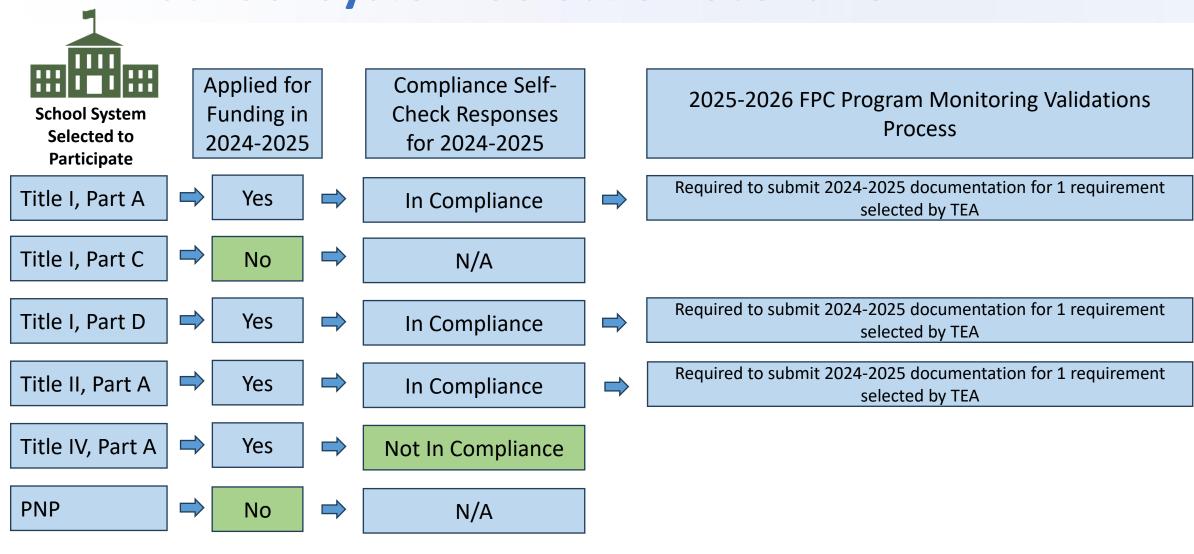


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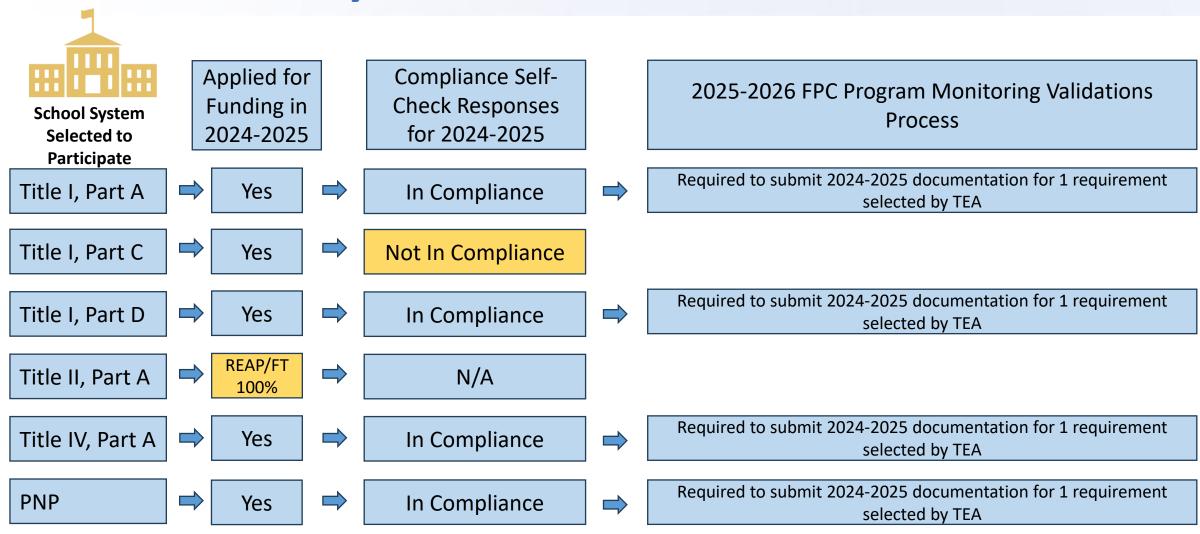


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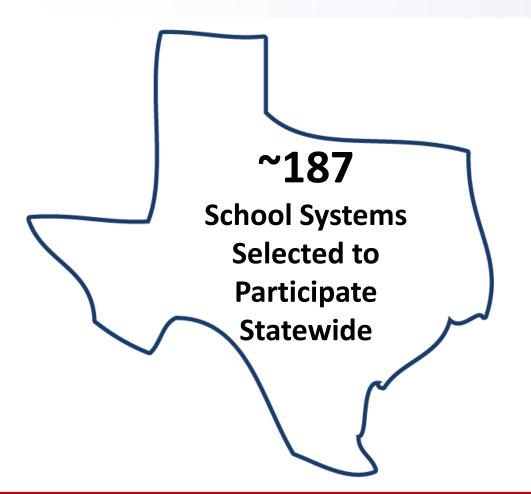


# 2025-2026 Program Monitoring Validations School System Selection Scenario 3





# 2025-2026 Program Monitoring Validations School System Representation by Program



Programs	School System Representation by Program (~ 20% Statewide)
Title I, Part A	~187
Title I, Part C	~59
Title I, Part D, Subpart 2	~9
Title II, Part A	~96
Title IV, Part A	~80
Private School Equitable Services (PNP)	~33

Note: The numbers referenced on this slide are estimates and not the actual number of School Systems selected. School System selection will be finalized after the ESSA Consolidated Compliance Reports submission window has closed on September 30, 2025.



### **TEA** Federal Program Compliance Division (FPC)

## 2025-2026 Program **Monitoring Validations Process**





### **Federal Program Compliance Division**

2025-2026
Program Monitoring Validations Process
Program Requirements Selected



### 2025-2026 Program Monitoring Validations **Requirements Selected**

Program-Specific and ESSA Provisions and Assurances

2024-2025 Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA) Consolidated Federal Grant **Application** 

Authorized by Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 (ESEA), as amended by Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA)

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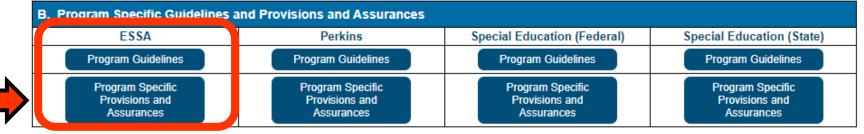


#### 2024-2025 SC5003 Formula Grants Consolidated Schedule

Instructions

SC5003

SC5003 - Formula Grants Consolidated Schedule



#### C. Program Guidelines and Requirements Certification

Checking this box certifies that this organization accepts and is in compliance with all the above-mentioned applicable guidelines and requirements.

#### Part 3: Certification and Incorporation

#### **Certification and Incorporation Statement**

I hereby certify that the information contained in this Special Collections Report is, to the best of my knowledge, correct and that the organization named above has authorized me as its representative to submit this data. I further certify that any ensuing program and activity will be conducted in accordance with all applicable Federal and State laws and regulations; application guidelines and instructions; provisions, assurances, and certification requirements; and the schedule submitted. It is understood by the applicant that this application constitutes an offer and, if accepted by the Texas Education Agency or renegotiated to acceptance, will form a binding agreement.



## 2025-2026 Program Monitoring Validations Requirements Selected

#### 2024-2025 ESSA Consolidated Compliance Report

General Information
GS2000 - Certify and Submit

Description	Required	Status	Last Update
↑ General Information	*		
GS2100 - Applicant Information  Compliance Report		Complete	09/17/2024 02:30 PM
PR1000 - Title I, Part A	*	Complete	09/05/2024 03:03 PM
PR1200 - Title I, Part C - Ed of Migratory Children	*	Complete	09/11/2024 12:59 PM
PR2000 - Title I, Part D, Subparts 1 and 2	*	Complete	09/03/2024 01:32 PM
PR3000 - Title II, Part A	*	Complete	08/27/2024 10:09 AM
PR3002 - Title III, Part A - ELA	•	Complete	09/03/2024 09:24 AM
PR3114 - Title III, Part A - Immigrant	*	Complete	09/03/2024 09:30 AM
PR3107 - Title IV, Part A	*	Complete	08/16/2024 10:44 AM
PR3099 - Private Nonprofit (PNP) School Equitable Services Compliance Report		Complete	09/13/2024 04:50 PM
PR6200 - Title VIII, Sec 8532 School Choice Option	*	Complete	08/27/2024 08:55 AM
PR6400 - Homeless Students Enrolled	*	Complete	09/11/2024 02:25 PM



# 2025-2026 Program Monitoring Validations Requirements Selected

Programs Monitored	Number of Program Requirements Selected*
Title I, Part A	6 Statewide; 1 per School System selected
Title I, Part C	3 Statewide; 1 per School System selected
Title II, Part A	4 Statewide; 1 per School System selected
Title IV, Part A	3 Statewide; 1 per School System selected
Title I, Part D, Subpart 2	1 Statewide; 1 per School System selected
Private School Equitable Services (PNP)	3 Statewide; 1 per School System selected

<sup>\*</sup>Number of program requirements selected may vary from year to year within the 6-year monitoring cycle.



# 2025-2026 Program Monitoring Validations Requirements Selected by Program\*

#### Title I, Part A

- Campus Allocations
- Parent and Family Engagement (PFE) Policies (School System and 1 Campus)
- School System Title I, Part A Program Plan Descriptions
- Schoolwide (SW) Program Plan Stakeholders (1 SW Campus)
- Targeted Assistance (TA) Program Student Eligibility Criteria (1 TA Campus)



Supplement, Not Supplant Methodology

### Title I, Part C



- Migrant Parent Advisory Council (PAC)
- Program Evaluation
- Records Transfer

<sup>\*</sup>Number of program requirements selected may vary from year to year within the 6-year monitoring cycle.



## 2025-2026 Program Monitoring Validations Requirements Selected by Program\* (continued)

- Title I, Part D, Subpart 2
  - Program Evaluation

#### Title II, Part A

- Alignment with Challenging State Academic Standards to include allowable use of funds and Supplement, Not Supplant
- School System Use of Funds for Evidence-Based Activities to include allowable use of funds and Supplement, Not Supplant
- Meaningful Consultation of Stakeholders
- Prioritization of Funds

<sup>\*</sup>Number of program requirements selected may vary from year to year within the 6-year monitoring cycle.



## 2025-2026 Program Monitoring Validations Requirements Selected by Program\* (continued)

#### Title IV, Part A

- Consultation
- Evaluation of Program Effectiveness
- Description of Programs and Activities

### Private Nonprofit School Equitable Services (PNP)

School System Documented PNP Equitable Services Amounts



- Timely and Meaningful Consultation Meetings to include PNP Affirmation(s) of Consultation
- School System Inventory Control of PNP Purchases for Equitable Services

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### **Federal Program Compliance Division**

2025-2026
Program Monitoring Validations Process
Documentation Requested



## **Documentation Requested**



Documenting overall compliance for a program requirement may require several forms of documentation to be maintained locally and available upon request by TEA and/or an auditor.

To ensure overall compliance with program requirements, School Systems should refer to the Program Guide and/or other program-related resources that reference the multiple forms of documentation required to be maintained locally.

The documentation requested for submission during the validation process may not include all forms of documentation that are required to be maintained locally.



# 2025-2026 Program Monitoring Validations Year of Documentation

 Documentation requested for review by TEA will be prior-year documentation (2024-2025)

 TEA will also review the 2024-2025 School System Compliance Report Self-Check response submitted for the requirement reviewed to confirm the Compliance Status reported via documentation submission



### **TEA** Federal Program Compliance Division (FPC)

## 2025-2026 Program **Monitoring Validations Process**





### **Federal Program Compliance Division**

2025-2026
Program Monitoring Validations Process
Timeline

### 2025-2026 PMV Process Timeline





School System
Notification (FPC
PMV WorkApp
Generated Emails)

October 20

October 21 – November 14

ESC Offers/Provides Training





ESC
Offers/Provides
Technical
Assistance

October 21 – December 18

School Systems
Submit

**December 19** 

Documentation (FPC PMV WorkApp)



TEA Completes Documentation Review

March 13

March 30-April 20

TEA meets with ESCs to Discuss Preliminary Results



School System
Results
Notification
(FPC PMV WorkApp

**Generated Emails)** 

May 1



# 2025-2026 Program Monitoring Validations School System Notification of Selection

#### School System Notification of Selection



- Email from the WorkApp System General Information
  - School System Contacts will receive the email
- Official Notification Letter attached in WorkApp System
   Program/Requirement-specific information
- Statewide News Bulletin
- School System Listing posted on TEA FPC ESSA Program
   Monitoring Validations webpage





Commissioner Mike Morat

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November 13, 2024

Superintendent & Mailing Address

RE: 2024-2025 ESSA Program Monitoring Validations Notification of Selection

Dear Superintendent

As part of TEA's federal programmatic monitoring responsibilities, the Federal Program Compliance Division is conducting a program monitoring validation process for ESSA (Every Student Succeeds Act) programs administered in the division that were implemented in the 2023-2024 school year. You are receiving this notice because your LEA has been selected to participate in this required process for the program(s) and requirement(s) noted on page 2 of this letter.

For programs noted as "Required to Participate," the deadline to submit the requested documentation for review is 5:00 p.m. Central Time, Friday, December 13, 2024. Failure to submit documentation in a timely manner will result in the LEA receiving an "improvement Needed" compliance status.

To complete the validation, the LEA must submit the supporting documentation requested through the Federal Program Compliance Division Program Monitoring Validations WorkApp System, as described in the 2024-2025 Program Monitoring Validations Handbook that includes general information about the process: https://lea.lexes.gov/filance-and-grants/grants/essa-program/2024-2025pm/handbook.pdf. The Handbook contains instructions for submitting the documentation and links to the following resources that provide detailed information about the program/requirement-specific documentation requested: program/requirement-specific documentation.

All resources for the 2024-2025 Program Monitoring Validation process can also be found on the following website: https://tea.texas.gov/finance-and-grants/grants/essa-program/essa-program-monitoring-random-validations.

Your regional Education Service Center (ESC) staff will be reaching out to provide the LEA with technical assistance prior to documentation submission.

Agency staff will review the documentation to determine if it is sufficient to support LEA compliance with the requirement. LEAs will be notified of the validation results by April 11, 2024.

TEA appreciates the LEA's participation in this validation process, which is a required activity under the state's monitoring system that has been accepted by the U.S. Department of Education. For more information or for questions concerning this validation process, please contact us at ESSAsupport/fiblea texas gov.

Sincerely,

Jaime R. Huerta

Senior Division Director Federal Program Compliance Division

and the training slides referenced in the training videos.

LEA Name and CDN: Sample ISD 000-000

2024-2025 ESSA Program Monitoring Validation Process Program(s) & Requirement(s) Selected

Programs Reviewed	Participation	Program Requirement, ESSA Citation, and Requirement- Specific Guidance Document web link*, if applicable	Campus Number & Name, if applicable
Title I, Part A	Required to Participate	Written Parent and Family Engagement (PFE) Policies; ESSA Citation: Section 1116(a)(2) and Section 1116(b)(1)	000-000-001 SAMPLE ELEM
		https://tea.texas.gov/finance-and-grants/24-25-pmv-guidance-docum ent-t1a-pfe-policies.pdf	
Title I, Part C	Required to Participate	Interstate/Intrastate Coordination: Transfer of Student Records, Use of MSIX and Data Quality; ESSA Citation: Section 1304(b)(3)	Not Applicable
		https://tea.texas.gov/finance-and-grants/24-25-pmv-guidance-tic-iic.pdf	
Title I, Part D	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
Title II, Part A	Required to Alignment with Challenging State Academic Standards; ESSA Citation: Section 2102(b)(A)		Not Applicable
		https://tea.texas.gov/finance-and-grants/24-25-pmv-guidance-docume nt-t2ar1.pdf	
Title IV, Part A	Required to Participate	Evaluation of Program Effectiveness; ESSA Citation: Section 4106(e)(1)(E)	Not Applicable
		https://tea.texas.gov/finance-and-grants/24-25-pmv-guidance-docume nt-template-tiva3-evaluation.pdf	
Private Nonprofit School Equitable Services (PNP)	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable

<sup>\*</sup>Copy/paste each web link into web browser to access the Requirement-Specific Guidance Document(s).

For programs noted as "Required to Participate," the deadline to submit the requested documentation for review is 5:00 p.m. Central Time, Friday, December 13, 2024.

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025-2026 ESSA Program Monitoring Validation Process Program(s) & Requirement(s) Selected					
Programs Reviewed	Participation	Program Requirement, ESSA Citation, and Requirement- Specific Guidance Document web link*, if applicable  Campus Number & Name, if applicable			
Title I, Part A	Required to Participate	Written Parent and Family Engagement (PFE) Policies; ESSA Citation: Section 1116(a)(2) and Section 1116(b)(1)  https://tea.texas.gov/finance-and-grants/24-25-pmv-guidance-document-t1a-pfe-policies.pdf			
Title I, Part C	Required to Participate	Interstate/Intrastate Coordination: Transfer of Student Records, Use of MSIX and Data Quality; ESSA Citation: Section 1304(b)(3)  https://tea.texas.gov/finance-and-grants/24-25-pmv-guidance-tic-iic.pdf	Not Applicable		
Title I, Part D	Not Applicable	Not Applicable  Not Applicable			

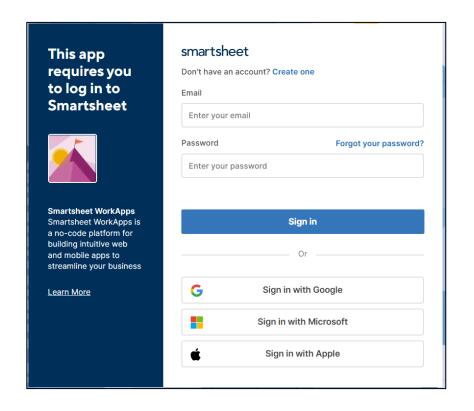
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# Program Monitoring Validations

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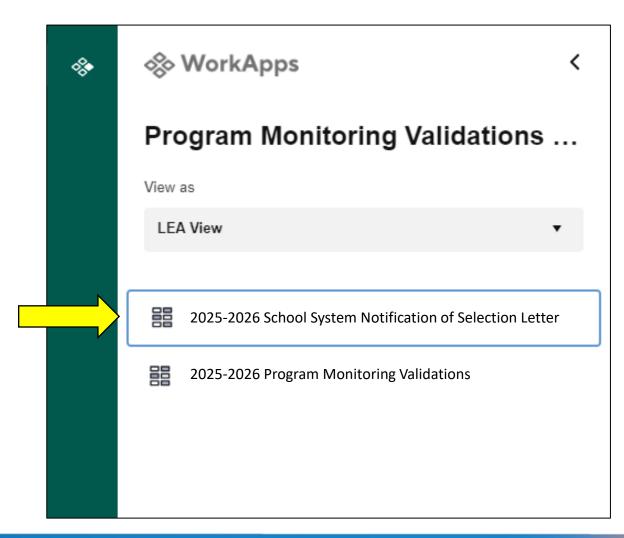


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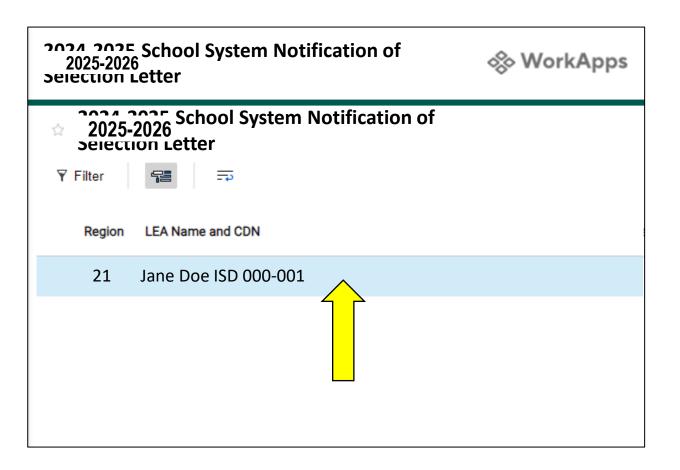


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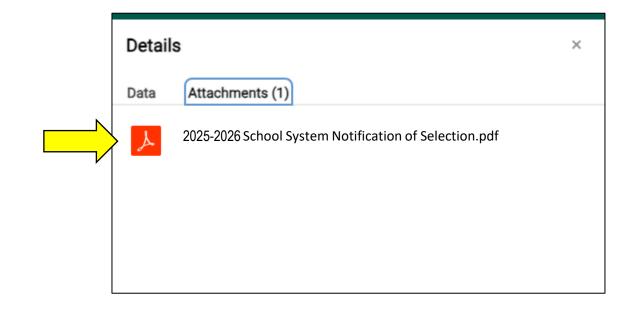


4. Click on the School System Name and CDN line to access the attachments tab on the right side of the screen.





- Click on the file under the "Attachments" tab: 2025-2026 School System Notification of Selection.pdf.
- 6. The letter will download to your computer's download folder, or you will be prompted to save the document to your computer.
- 7. Access the letter on your computer.





### **TEA** Federal Program Compliance Division (FPC)

### 2025-2026 Program **Monitoring Validations Process**





#### **Federal Program Compliance Division**

2025-2026

### **Program Monitoring Validations Process**

Review of Documentation Compliance Status Assigned



# 2025-2026 Program Monitoring Validations Review Compliance Status

#### Compliance Status Assigned at time of School System Results Notification

- Met Requirement
  - Review closed out upon School System notification of results
- Approaching Compliance
  - Action Required: School System is required to respond within 20 calendar days with a plan for establishing compliance; review is closed out at time of TEA review/approval of plan for establishing compliance
    - If plan for establishing compliance/request for documentation is not acceptable; the School System's compliance status will be revised to "Improvement Needed" and the School System will be referred to TEA Compliance Officer to engage in the Non-Compliance Resolution Process and points added to School System's risk assessment
- Improvement Needed
  - School System is referred to TEA Compliance Officer to engage in the Non-Compliance Resolution Process and points added to School System's risk assessment



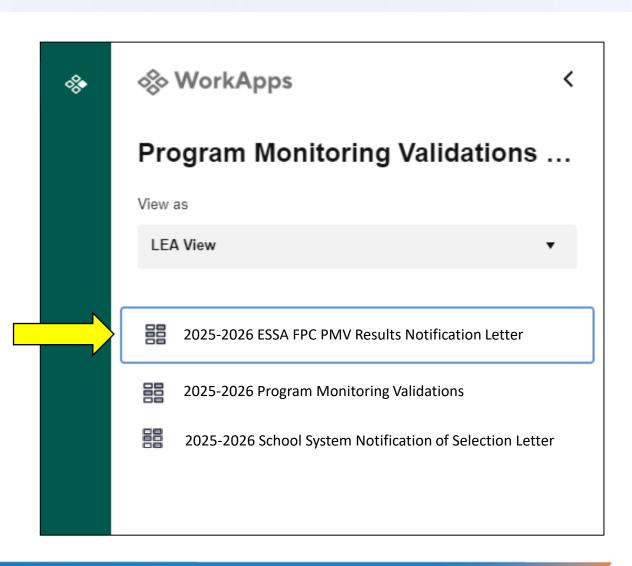
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#### **School System Notification of Results**



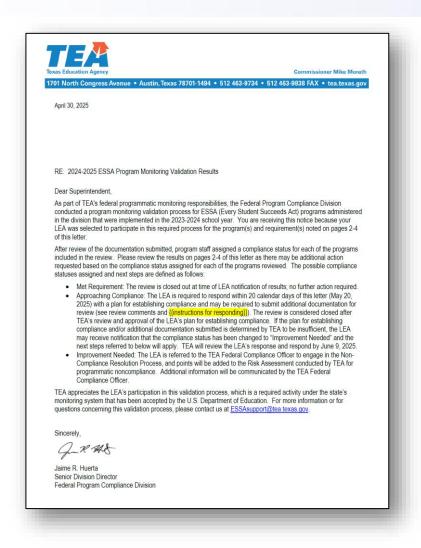
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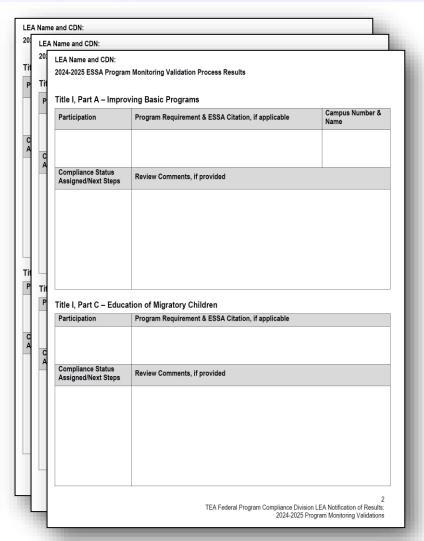
- School System Contacts will receive the email
- Official Notification of Results Letter attached in WorkApp System – Program/Requirement-specific information





### 2025-2026 Program Monitoring Validations School System Notification of Results Letter







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### 2025-2026 Program **Monitoring Validations Process**





#### Federal Program Compliance Division 2025-2026 Program Monitoring Validations Statewide Virtual Training



# Break

The meeting will resume at ??:?? am







#### **Federal Program Compliance Division**

2025-2026

**Program Monitoring Validations Process** 

Documentation
Submission Instructions & Requirements



# 2025-2026 Program Monitoring Validations Documentation Submission

Documentation will be submitted by School Systems and reviewed by TEA via the Federal Program Compliance Division Program Monitoring Validations WorkApp System

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### **Preparing Documents for Upload: 2 Step Process**

#### **STEPS**



Gather and assemble the documentation into 1 pdf file



Log in to the FPC Program Monitoring Validations WorkApp System to complete the details form and upload the documentation pdf file



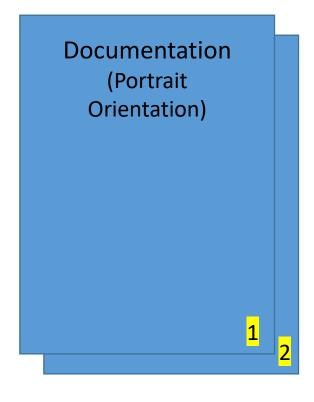
### **TEM** STEP 1: Gather and assemble the documentation

- Use the requested documentation section of the program-specific guidance document to gather and organize the documentation requested
- Assemble the documentation in the order it is requested (i.e., 1.1 first, 1.2 second, etc.)
- Number pages of the documentation file consecutively

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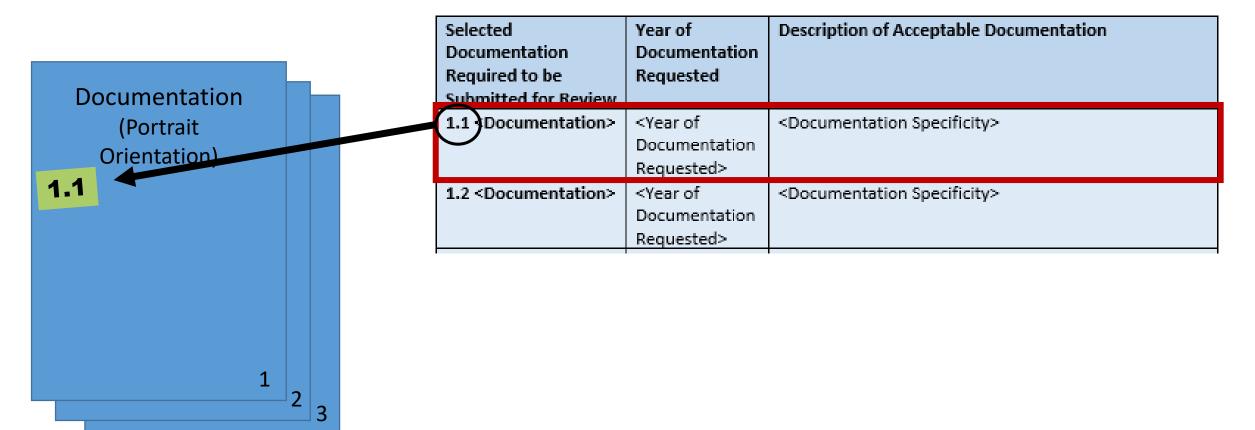
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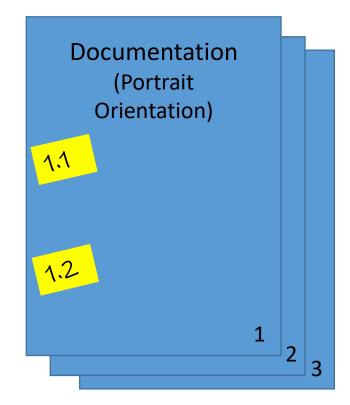


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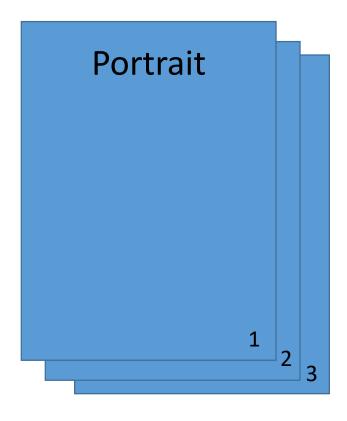
**Each Documentation** Requested Item Number (1.1, 1.2, etc.) should be marked on the appropriate page of the documentation file being submitted for review.

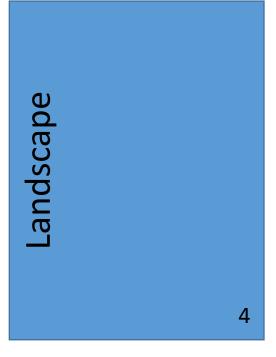






#### Don't include unnecessary pages.







#### **Cautionary Tips**

- Only include relevant pages of documents requested.
- All documentation submitted must be reviewed in its entirety.
- Should the review determine unanticipated areas of noncompliance, the School System will be referred to the appropriate Division for further review.



### **Documentation File Size**



- 30 MB limit
- "Optimize" PDF file to reduce size.
- Ensure all pages are actually needed.
- Last resort: split file and upload multiple PDF files



### **Preparing Documents for Upload: 2 Step Process**

#### **STEPS**





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# 2025-2026 Program Monitoring Validations Documentation Submission

Documentation will be submitted by School Systems and reviewed by TEA via the Federal Program Compliance Division Program Monitoring Validations WorkApp System

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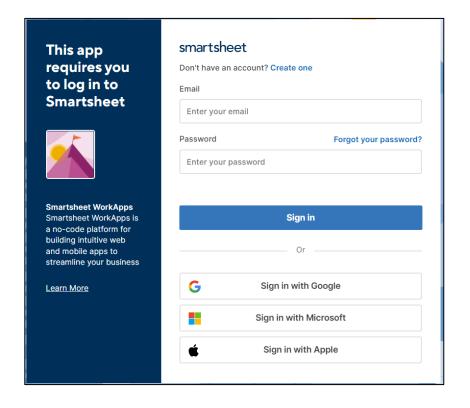


# 2025-2026 Program Monitoring Validations Documentation Submission Instructions

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 Login to the Department of Grant Compliance and Administration WorkApp System.

https://workapps.smartsheet.com/





# 2025-2026 Program Monitoring Validations Documentation Submission Instructions

2. Click on the Federal Program Compliance Division Program Monitoring Validations WorkApp Tile.

If the tile is not showing, click on the menu icon to display all the Apps you are able to access.



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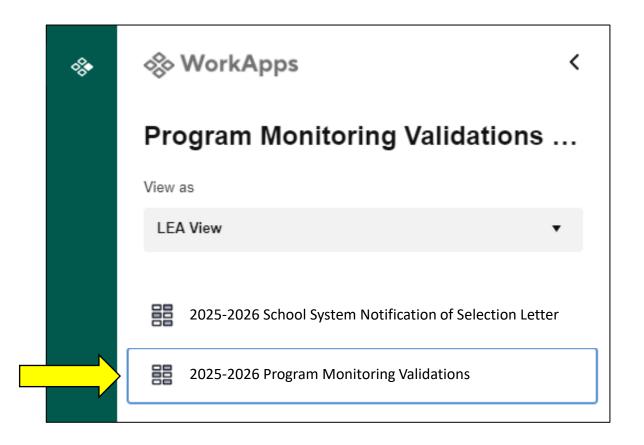
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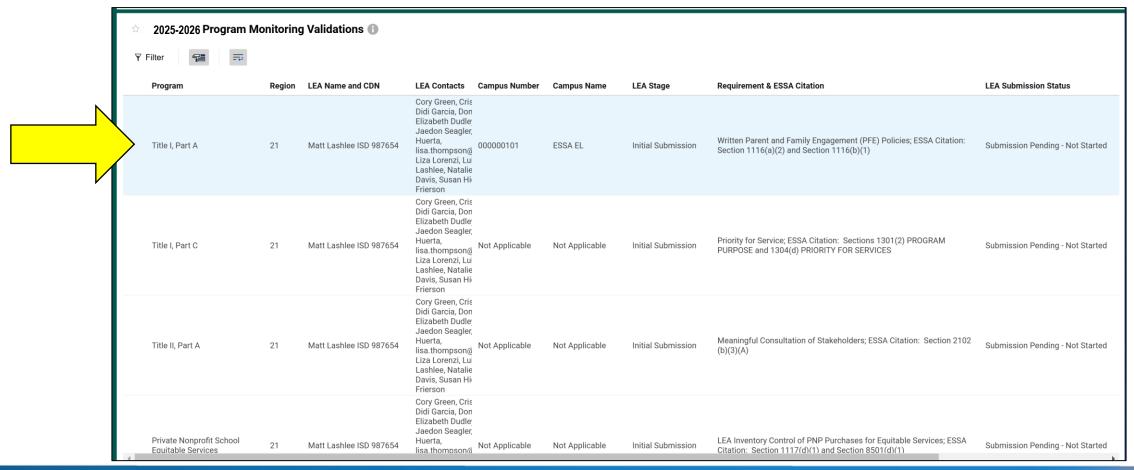
3. Select the "2025-2026 Program Monitoring Validations" link on the left pane.





# **2025-2026 Program Monitoring Validations Documentation Submission Instructions**

4. Click on the Program-Specific Line(s) to access the Details Form – Data & Attachments Tabs. An School System response is required for each of the program-specific lines that are visible.

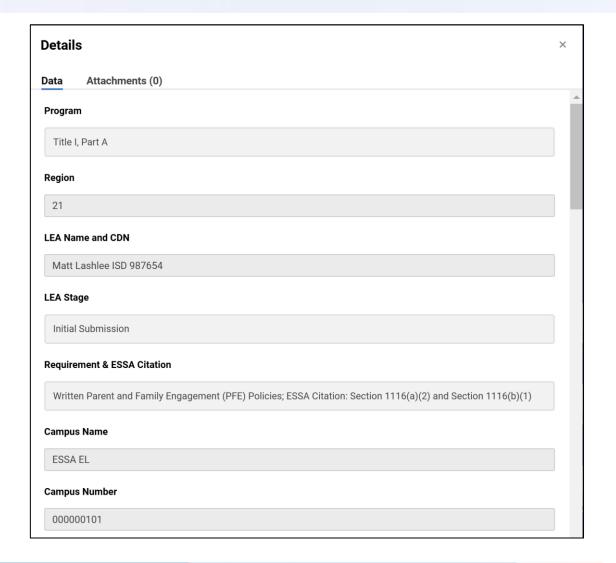




# 2025-2026 Program Monitoring Validations Documentation Submission Instructions

5. Complete the Details Form – Data Tab for each of the program-specific lines.

Note: Some fields have been pre-loaded into the Details Form for you and will appear grayed out.





# 2025-2026 Program Monitoring Validations Documentation Submission Instructions

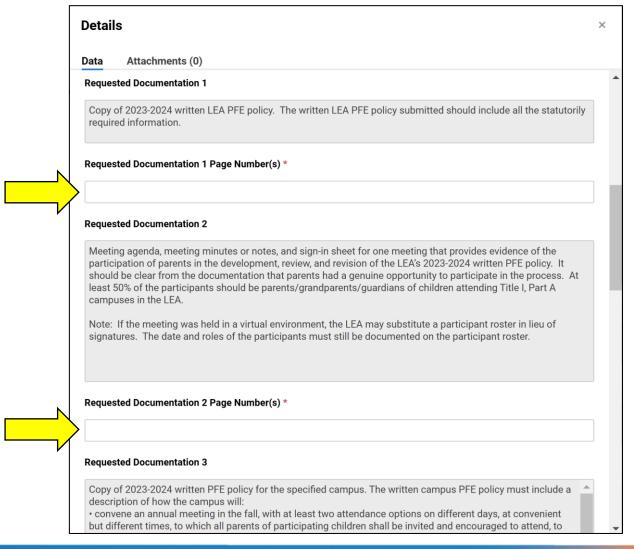
### 5. Complete the Details Form – Data Tab for each of the program-specific lines.

a. Scroll down to the "Requested Documentation 1 Page Number(s)" and type the page number(s) where the requirement(s) is addressed in the School System's documentation to be submitted. Be as specific as possible to facilitate the review process.

For example, if relevant items for the requested documentation appear on pages 2, 4, and 5, pSchool Systemse list pages 2, 4, and 5, rather than pages 1-5 in the "Requested Documentation Page Number(s)" field.

#### \*These fields are required.

Note: The number of requested documentation items varies from 1-6 based on each program/requirement being monitored.





### **2025-2026 Program Monitoring Validations Documentation Submission Instructions**

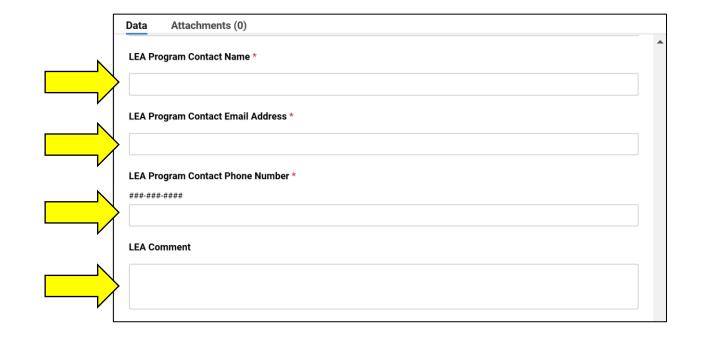
#### 5. Complete the Details Form – Data Tab for each of the program-specific lines.

b. Scroll down to the School System Program Contact Information fields. Complete the remaining fields with the information for the School System Program Contact. The School System Program Contact should be the person who is most familiar with the documentation submitted.

#### \*The following fields are required.

Type the name of the School System
Program Contact in the "School System
Program Contact" field.
Type the email address of the School System
Program Contact in the "School System
Program Contact Email Address" field.
Type the phone number of the School System
Program Contact in the "School System
Program Contact Phone #" field. PSchool
Systemse use the following format: ###-###-

Add School System Comments. The "School System Comment" section is *optional* if the School System would like to provide additional information that will be helpful to the reviewer.





# 2025-2026 Program Monitoring Validations Documentation Submission Instructions

### 5. Complete the Details Form – Data Tab for each of the program-specific lines.

d. Select your School System's Submission Status from the following options available: *In Process* (Saved some data/will complete later) or *Submission Complete* (Data entered and documentation attached).

#### \*Selecting a status is required.

Note: If the "Submission Pending – Not Started" option remains selected after the submission due date, your submission is not considered complete, and TEA will contact you to complete the submission process. School System Submission Status defaults to "Submission Pending – Not Started."





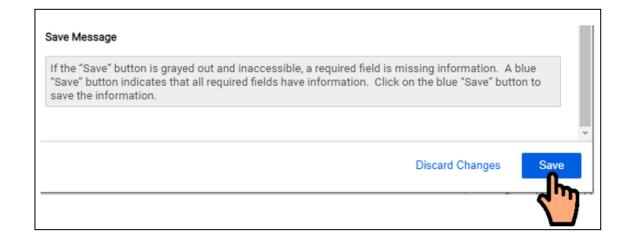
# 2025-2026 Program Monitoring Validations Documentation Submission Instructions

6. After the page number(s) and School System Program Contact Information have been entered; and the School System Submission Status has been updated, click "Save" on the bottom right-hand corner of the Details Form – Data Tab.

#### \*This step is required.

This will save the information that was typed in the details form under the data tab (documentation page numbers, School System Contact information, and School System Comments, if applicable).

NOTE: A gray "Save" button indicates that a required data entry field is missing information.



Once, the data are saved, the School System Contacts will receive an auto-generated email that includes the information that was saved for TEA review.

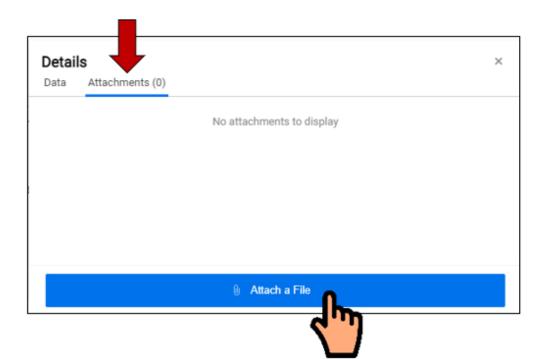


7. After saving the information in the Details Form – Data tab, click on the Details Form - Attachments tab. Attach the requested documentation in PDF file format. All documentation should be attached as a single file.

### \*Attaching documentation is required.

a. To attach the PDF file containing the School System's documentation, click on the "Attach a File" button located at the **bottom** of the Details Form – Attachments Tab.

Note: Only attach documentation for the program referenced in the Details Form – Data tab. Each program has their own Details Form –Data tab for attaching documentation separately.

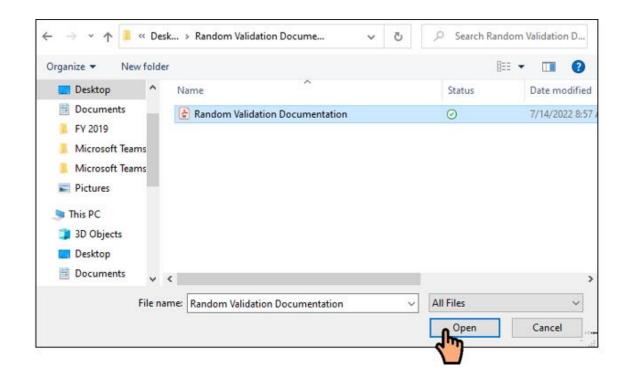




7. Next, click on the Details Form Attachments tab. Attach the requested
documentation in PDF file format. All
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b. Browse your computer and locate the documentation file to be attached; select the file; the "File Name" will appear in your file browser; click on "Open;" the file selected should be listed as an attachment in the Details Form – Attachments Tab.

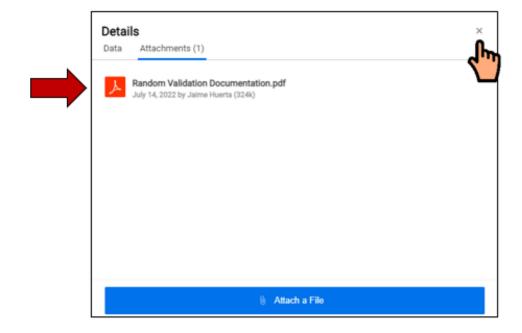




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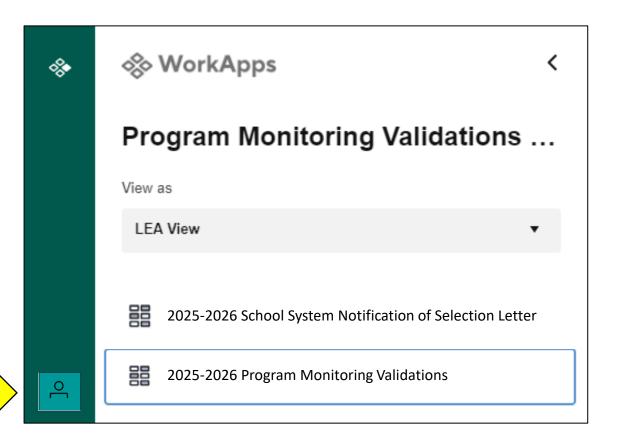
### \*Attaching documentation is required.

c. Confirm that the document you are attaching is listed as an Attachment. Click on the "X" at the top right-hand corner to close the Details Form.





7. Sign out of the Federal Program
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Validations WorkApp by clicking on
the icon located in the bottom lefthand corner of the window and
selecting "Sign out."





# **Preparing Documents for Upload: 2 Step Process**

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## **Federal Program Compliance Division**

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# **2025-2026 Program Monitoring Validations Process Online Resources**



### Overall Process Resources

- 2025-2026 PMV Process Handbook
- Instructions for Submitting Documentation Training Video & Training Slides
- Navigating the Smartsheet WorkApp System Video

## Program-Specific Resources

- Guidance Documents for each Program/Requirement
- Training Videos and Training Slides for each Program/Requirement

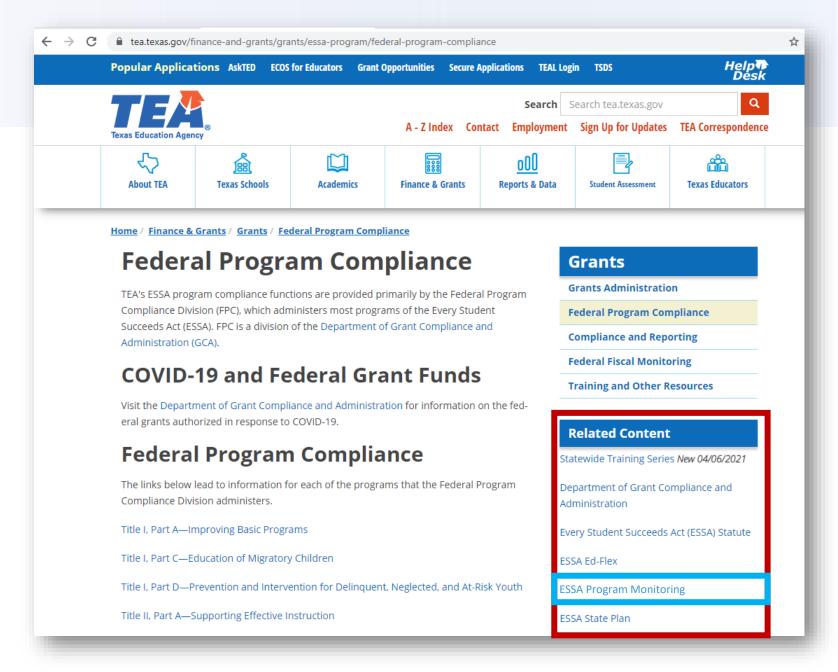


# Online Resources Posted by 10/13/2025

# Federal Program Compliance Division Webpage

**Related Content** 

**ESSA Program Monitoring Validations** 

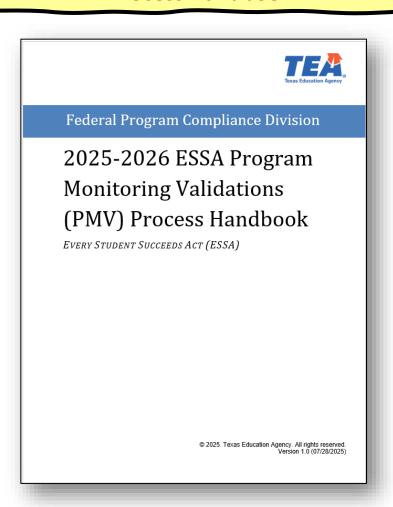


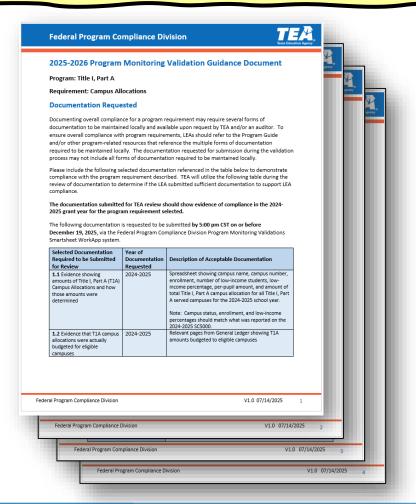


# 2025-2026 Program Monitoring Validations Process Online Resources

#### **Process Handbook**

### **Program/Requirement-Specific Guidance Document**







# 2025-2026 Program Monitoring Validations Process Handbook



#### Federal Program Compliance Division

2025-2026 ESSA Program Monitoring Validations (PMV) Process Handbook

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# 2025-2026 Program Monitoring Validations Process Program/Requirement-Specific Guidance Documents

#### **Federal Program Compliance Division**



#### 2025-2026 Program Monitoring Validation Guidance Document

Program: Title I, Part A

Requirement: Campus Allocations

#### **Documentation Requested**

Documenting overall compliance for a program requirement may require several forms of documentation to be maintained locally and available upon request by TEA and/or an auditor. To ensure overall compliance with program requirements, LEAs should refer to the Program Guide and/or other program-related resources that reference the multiple forms of documentation required to be maintained locally. The documentation requested for submission during the validation process may not include all forms of documentation required to be maintained locally.

Please include the following selected documentation referenced in the table below to demonstrate compliance with the program requirement described. TEA will utilize the following table during the review of documentation to determine if the LEA submitted sufficient documentation to support LEA compliance.

The documentation submitted for TEA review should show evidence of compliance in the 2024-2025 grant year for the program requirement selected.

The following documentation is requested to be submitted by 5:00 pm CST on or before December 19, 2025, via the Federal Program Compliance Division Program Monitoring Validations

Smartsheet WorkAbb system.				
Selected Documentation Required to be Submitted for Review	Year of Documentation Requested	Description of Acceptable Documentation		
1.1 Evidence showing amounts of Title I, Part A (T1A) Campus Allocations and how those amounts were determined	2024-2025	Spreadsheet showing campus name, campus number, enrollment, number of low-income students, low-income percentage, per-pupil amount, and amount of total Title I, Part A campus allocation for all Title I, Part A served campuses for the 2024-2025 school year.  Note: Campus status, enrollment, and low-income percentages should match what was reported on the 2024-2025 SC5000.		
1.2 Evidence that T1A campus allocations were actually budgeted for eligible campuses	2024-2025	Relevant pages from General Ledger showing T1A amounts budgeted to eligible campuses		

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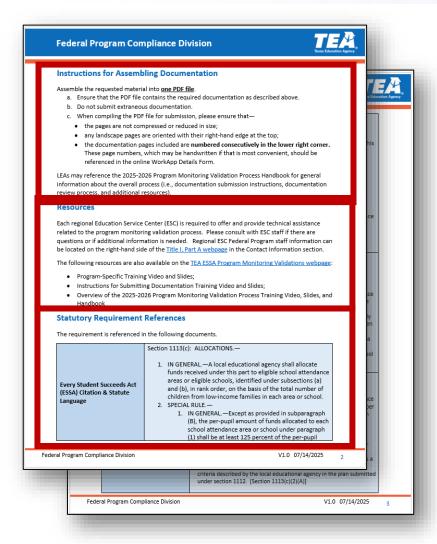
## **Guidance Document Topics**

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# **TEM** 2025-2026 Program Monitoring Validations Process **Program/Requirement-Specific Guidance Documents**



## **Guidance Document Topics**

- **Instructions for Assembling Documentation**
- Resources
- **Statutory Requirement References**
- **Contact Information**

The requirement is referenced in the following documents.

Every Student Succeeds Act	Statute Information		
(ESSA) Statute	ESSA Section ####		
TEA ESSA Program-Specific Provisions & Assurances	ESSA Program-Specific Provisions & Assurances Information		
TEA Compliance Report Program Compliance Self- Check Item	Compliance Report Program Compliance Self-Check Item Information		



# 2025-2026 Program Monitoring Validations Process Resources

- Education Service Center (ESC) ESSA Basic Services Initiatives
  - Contact your regional ESC for training and technical assistance
    - Title I, Part A
      - Includes Title I, Part D, Subpart 2 and Private School Equitable Services
    - Title I, Part C
      - Includes Private School Equitable Services
    - Title II, Part A
      - Includes Private School Equitable Services
    - Title IV, Part A
      - Includes Private School Equitable Services
- Regional ESC program contacts will contact School Systems selected to participate in the program monitoring validation process within 48 hours of School System notification of selection to offer and provide complimentary training and technical assistance to the School System prior to documentation submission





# **TEA** Federal Program Compliance Division (FPC)

# 2025-2026 Program **Monitoring Validations Process**



# 2025-2026 Program Monitoring Validations Process





### October 13, 2025

TEA posts PMV Resources to ESSA Program Monitoring Validations Webpage



#### October 20, 2025

School Systems receive email notification of selection from the Federal Program Compliance (FPC) Division WorkApp System. TEA posts list of School Systems selected to the ESSA Program Monitoring Validations Webpage.



#### October 21, 2025 - November 14, 2025

ESCs offer/provide program-specific training to School Systems selected



#### October 21, 2025 - December 18, 2025

ESCs offer/provide technical assistance to School Systems selected



#### October 21, 2025 - December 19, 2025

School Systems submit documentation to TEA via Federal Program Compliance (FPC) Division WorkApp System





## **Presentation Feedback**



- Select Event Name: 9/25/2025: 25-26
   PMV Process Statewide Virtual Training,
   presented by Jaime Huerta
- Select Program Name: Federal Program Compliance Division - General
- Select a response for the training evaluation statements.
- Provide feedback for the open-ended items.
- Optional: Provide email address if you would like for a staff member to follow up with you regarding any additional feedback you may want to share.

https://app.smartsheet.com/b/form/e1425a8ae38f4c869627ce01a91ec953



## Federal Program Compliance Division Program Contacts Department of Grant Compliance and Administration

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Programs	Program Contacts, Roles/Responsibilities, and Contact Information
Title I, Part A – Improving Basic Programs	Vivian Smyrl, Program Director   Email: vivian.smyrl@TEA.Texas.gov   Phone: (512) 936-6216
Title I, Part C – Education of Migratory Children	Idalia Ibanez, Program Director   Email: <u>idalia.ibanez@TEA.Texas.gov</u>   Phone: (512) 463-6911  Nez Paniagua-Jimenez, Program Coordinator   Email: <u>nez.paniagua-jimenez@TEA.Texas.gov</u>   Phone: (512) 936-2235
Title I, Part D – Prevention and Intervention for Delinquent, Neglected, and At-Risk Youth	Gerardo Ramirez, Program Director   Email: gerardo.ramirez@TEA.Texas.gov   Phone: (512) 463-9390
Title II, Part A – Supporting Effective Instruction	Gerardo Ramirez, Program Director   Email: gerardo.ramirez@TEA.Texas.gov   Phone: (512) 463-9390
Title IV, Part A – Student Support and Academic Enrichment	LaNetra Guess, Program Director   Email: <u>lanetra.guess@TEA.Texas.gov</u>   Phone: (512) 463-6939
Title V, Part A – Funding Transferability	Idalia Ibanez, Program Director   Email: idalia.ibanez@TEA.Texas.gov   Phone: (512) 463-6911
Title V, Part B – Rural Education Achievement Program (REAP): Rural and Low-Income Schools (RLIS) and Small Rural School Achievement (SRSA)	Nez Paniagua-Jimenez, Program Director   Email: nez.paniagua-jimenez@TEA.Texas.gov   Phone: (512) 936-2235
Title VIII – ESSA Unsafe School Choice Option Persistently Dangerous Schools	Idalia Ibanez, Program Director   Email: <u>idalia.ibanez@TEA.Texas.gov</u>   Phone: (512) 463-6911
ESSA Private Nonprofit School Equitable Services (PNP)	LaNetra Guess, PNP Ombudsman   Email: <u>lanetra.guess@TEA.Texas.gov</u>   Phone: (512) 463-6939
Ed-Flex Supplement, Not Supplant (SNS)	Vivian Smyrl, Program Director   Email: vivian.smyrl@TEA.Texas.gov   Phone: (512) 936-6216
Smartsheet WorkApp System	Victoria Rivera, Program and Project Coordinator   victoria.rivera@TEA.Texas.gov   Phone: (512) 463-9956

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