Early Childhood Education Support Networks

TEA
Texas Education Agency

General Description:

To improve the quality of early childhood education across the state, in 2018, TEA launched early childhood education support networks with school districts, charters, and regional education service centers focused on increasing programmatic alignment, resource sharing, and technical assistance. The purpose of the technical assistance is to expand public-private partnerships (general partnerships, Harvey partnership, and SB 1882 in-district charters), increase enrollment of three- and four-year-olds, and to sustain continuous quality improvement. TEA Early Childhood Division Staff oversees and implements the project, so there is no additional funding necessary. There are two tiers of engagement within this initiative:

- **Tier 1** is available to all districts and charters and includes ongoing webinars, resource development, and on-demand phone and email support. It also includes regular, web-based train-the-trainer sessions with Education Service Center staff.

- **Tier 2** includes targeted technical assistance to four groups of Local Education Agencies (LEAs) with each group focusing on an aspect of Early Childhood Education (Quality, Access, or Partnerships). Technical assistance for Tier 2 LEAs takes place in the form of monthly calls with TEA staff, webinars, virtual PLC meetings, resource development and sharing, activities, and assignments.

Outcomes:
90% of LEAs participating in the Tier 2 groups focused on *Enrollment* will demonstrate improvement as measured by enrollment plan status at the beginning of the Spring 2019 semester, mid-Spring 2019 semester, and late Summer 2019
90% of LEAs in Tier 2 group focused on *Quality* will complete the High-Quality Prekindergarten and Kindergarten Self-Assessment and show growth in at least two domains by the end of 2019.

Enrollment: 80% of LEAs participating in the Tier 2 groups focused on *Enrollment* will demonstrate usage two or more new strategies resulting in more families enrolling in prekindergarten.

Resources:

https://tea.texas.gov/interiorpage.aspx?id=51539621029

2018-2019

Participating LEAs

Advantage Academy	Marshall ISD
Alief ISD	Memphis ISD
Amarillo ISD	Midland ISD
Austin ISD	Milano ISD
Bonham ISD	Monte Alto ISD
Cameron ISD	Northside ISD
Canutillo ISD	Pawnee ISD
Carrizo Springs ISD	Pharr-San Juan-Alamo ISD
Cityscape Schools, Inc.	Plano ISD
Clint ISD	Pleasanton ISD
Conroe ISD	Prairie Lea ISD
Corpus Christi ISD	Promesa Public Schools
Crowley ISD	Rains ISD
Dilley ISD	Ramirez CSD
Dimmitt ISD	Rio Grande City CISD
Donna ISD	Royse City ISD
Edgewood ISD	San Felipe Del Rio CISD
El Paso ISD	Sanger ISD
Forney ISD	Seagraves Schools
Fort Bend ISD	Seguin ISD
Freer ISD	Sheldon ISD
Godley ISD	Socorro ISD
Harlingen CISD	Spring ISD
Hempstead ISD	Springtown ISD
Hillsboro ISD	Stafford MSD
Humble ISD	Sweetwater ISD
Huntington ISD	Terrell ISD
Hutto ISD	Trinity Environmental Academy
Ingleside ISD	Vanguard Academy
Jefferson ISD	Waskom ISD
Jim Hogg County ISD	Webb CISD
Lamesa ISD	West Oso ISD
Lazbuddie ISD	Wichita Falls ISD
Leander ISD	Ysleta ISD
Lubbock ISD	
Manor ISD	