



2020-21 RDA Framework Components



 RDA Manual adopted in rule at 19 TAC §97.1005 prescribes the applicable program indicators and measurement calculations



 RDA confidential LEA reports and subsequent public reports that data informs 3 program area diagnostic frameworks



 RDA performance levels (PLs) in 3 program areas calculated for LEA Determination Level (DL) assignment (additional federally required elements included for SPED)



 Continuous improvement engagement and activities occur based on targeted DL and cyclical monitoring assignments









2020 RDA Manual



- Adopted into Commissioner's Rules Texas Administrative Code (TAC) at 19 TAC §97.1005 effective September 1, 2020
- The 2020 RDA Manual and Overview presentation is located on the TEA website at https://tea.texas.gov/student-assessment/monitoring-and-interventions/rda/rda-and-pbmas-manuals
- Overview includes changes, COVID-19 impacts, and Program Indicator walk-throughs



Year to Year Comparisons



| 2019 RDA | 2020 RDA |
|---|--|
| Four program areas for reporting – BE/ESL, CTE, ESSA, and SPED | Three program areas for reporting – BE/ESL/EL, OSP, and SPED |
| Included 51 indicators across the program areas – BE/ESL = 9; CTE = 6; ESSA = 20; SPED = 16 | Includes 35 indicators aligned in three domains across three program areas - BE/ESL/EL = 11; OSP = 6; SPED = 18 |
| STAAR results included | STAAR results not available for inclusion in certain indicators – "No Data" will be displayed in affected indicators |
| Results from 2019 RDA report used for targeted monitoring purposes | Some monitoring activities will carry over from the prior year due to COVID-19 disruptions and insufficient RDA reported data during the 2019-2020 school year |





2020 RDA LEA Reports



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| 7. SPED Annual Dropout Rate (Grades 7-12) | | | | | |
|---|--------------------|------|----------|--------|----------------------|
| | PL 0 Cut Points | Rate | Dropouts | Attend | Performance Level |
| 2020 | 0 - 1.8 | 1.1 | 45 | 4,125 | 0 |
| 2019 | | | 37 | 3,932 | |
| 2018 | | | 44 | 3,889 | |

Bilingual Education/English as a Second Language & English Learner (BE/ESL/EL)

Domain I - Academic Achievement (Indicators 1-8)

Domain II - Post-Secondary Readiness (Indicators 9-10)

Domain III - Disproportionate Analysis (Indicator 11)

Other Special Populations (OSP)

Domain I – Academic Achievement (Indicators 1-3)

Domain II - Post-Secondary Readiness (Indicators 4-5)

Domain III - Disproportionate Analysis (Indicator 6)

Special Education (SPED)

Domain I – Academic Achievement (Indicators 1-5)

Domain II - Post-Secondary Readiness (Indicators 6-7)

Domain III - Disproportionate Analysis (Indicators 8-18)

Summary

Performance Level Summary

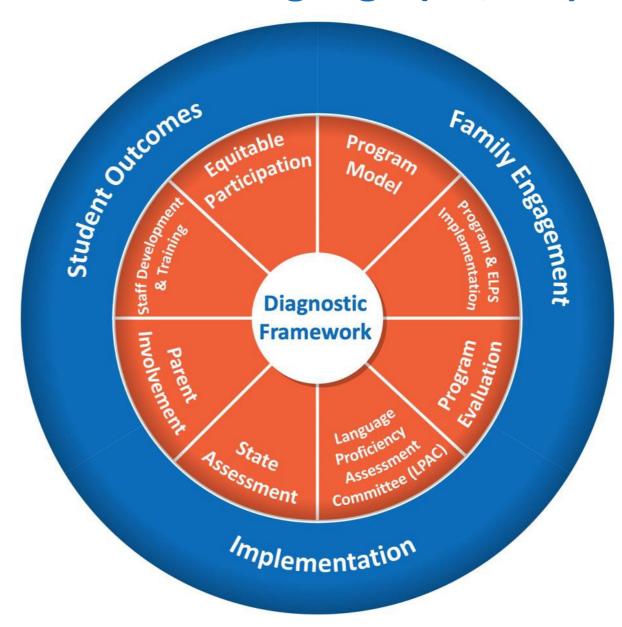
Federally Required Elements



Bilingual/English as a Second Language (BE/ESL)



Special Populations
EL Diagnostic
Framework

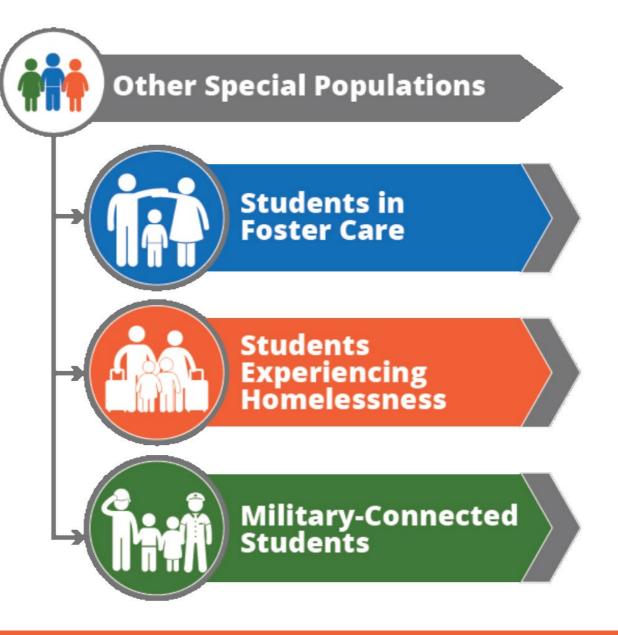




Other Special Populations (OSP)



Special Populations
OSP Included
Student Populations

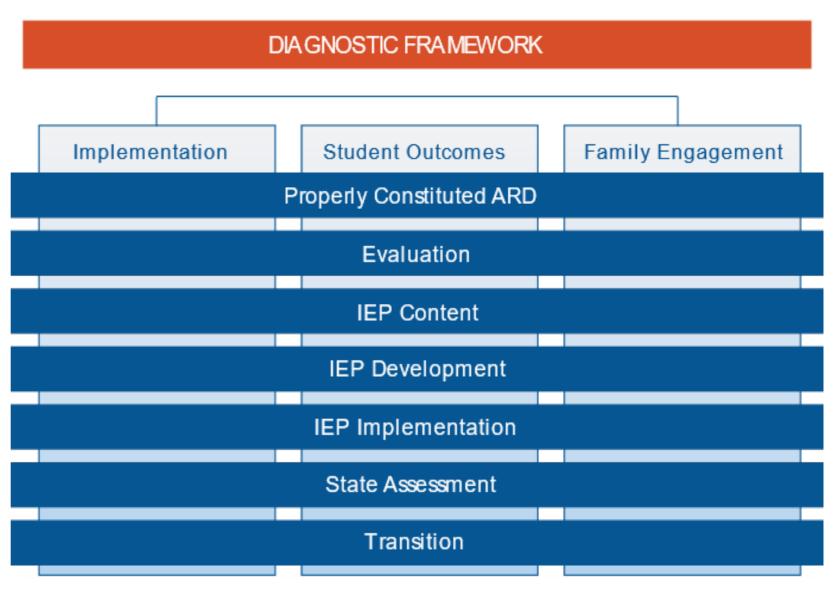




Special Education (SPED)



Special Populations
SPED Diagnostic
Framework



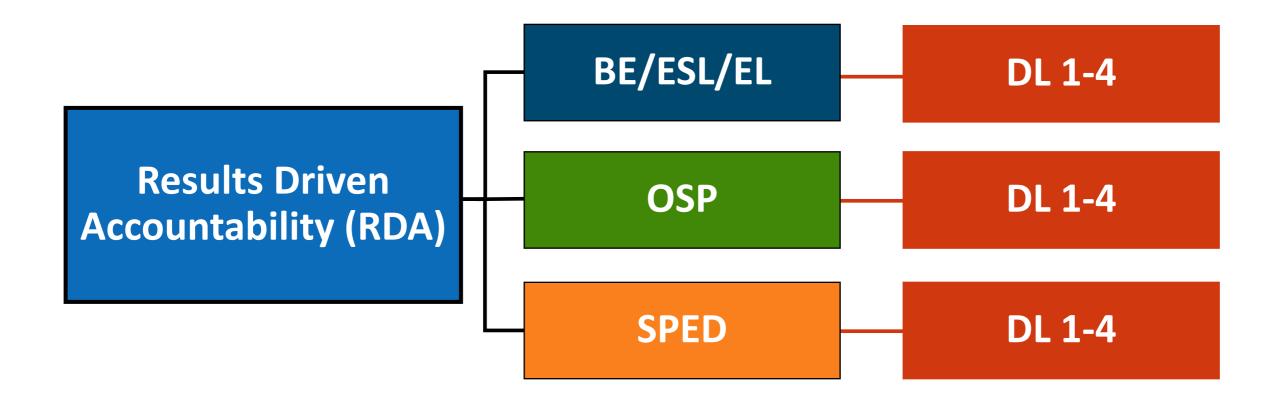






Special Populations







RDA Determination Levels and Categories



| Determination Level | DL1 | DL2 | DL3 | DL4 |
|---------------------------|-----------------------|---------------------|-----------------------|--------------------------------------|
| Determination Category | Meets Requirements | Needs Assistance | Needs Intervention | Needs Substantial Intervention |



Program Determination Level Assignment



2020 BE/ESL/EL Indicator Criteria and Associated Determination Levels for LEAs

| Determination Level | DL Criteria | # of LEAs | % by DL |
|--------------------------------------|-------------------|-----------|---------|
| Not Assigned (NA) | No data | 188 | 15% |
| Meets Requirements (DL1) | No PL 1, 2, or 3 | 895 | 75% |
| Needs Assistance (DL2) | No PL 2, or 3 | 60 | 5% |
| Needs Intervention (DL3) | No PL 3 | 39 | 3% |
| Needs Substantial Intervention (DL4) | At least one PL 3 | 20 | 2% |
| | Total | 1202 | 100% |



Program Determination Level Assignment



2020 OSP Indicator Criteria and Associated Determination Levels for LEAS

| Determination Level | DL Criteria | # of LEAs | % by DL |
|--------------------------------------|-------------------|-----------|---------|
| Not Assigned (NA) | No data | 244 | 20% |
| Meets Requirements (DL1) | No PL 1, 2, or 3 | 850 | 71% |
| Needs Assistance (DL2) | No PL 2, or 3 | 33 | 3% |
| Needs Intervention (DL3) | No PL 3 | 31 | 2% |
| Needs Substantial Intervention (DL4) | At least one PL 3 | 44 | 4% |
| | Total | 1202 | 100% |



Program Determination Level Assignment



2020 SPED Program Area Cut Points and Associated Determination Levels for LEAs

| Determination Level | Cut Point | # of LEA | % by DL |
|--------------------------------------|-----------|----------|---------|
| Meets Requirements (DL1) | 0.5 | 985 | 82% |
| Needs Assistance (DL2) | 0.7 | 141 | 12% |
| Needs Intervention (DL3) | 0.9 | 53 | 4% |
| Needs Substantial Intervention (DL4) | ≥1 | 23 | 2% |
| | Total | 1202 | 100% |







RDA Interventions and Differentiated Supports For Continuous Improvement



| Determination Level | DL1 | DL2 | DL3 | DL4 |
|-------------------------|-----------------------|------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Determination Category | Meets Requirements | Needs Assistance | Needs Intervention | Needs Substantial Intervention |
| Differentiated Supports | | | | |
| Universal | • | • | • | • |
| Targeted | | • | • | • |
| Intensive | | | | • |



Targeted Monitoring Activities by Program Area



| | Program | | BE/E | SL/EL | | | O | SP | | | SP | ED | |
|------------|----------------------------|-----|------|-------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| | Determination Level | DL1 | DL2 | DL3 | DL4 | DL1 | DL2 | DL3 | DL4 | DL1 | DL2 | DL3 | DL4 |
| Activities | Self-Assessment | Opt | Opt | • | • | | | | | • | • | • | • |
| - | Strategic Support Plan | Opt | Opt | • | • | Opt | Opt | • | • | Opt | • | • | • |
| Monitoring | Targeted Desk Review | | | | | | | | | | | • | • |
| Mon | Targeted On-Site Review* | | | | | | | | | | | • | • |

Key: Opt = Optional participation but recommended

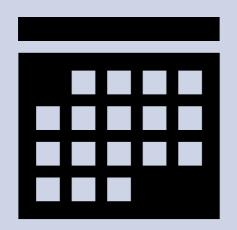
- = Required monitoring activity
- = Not required or not yet available
- * = SD Year 3 Status required



Continuous Improvement Strategic Support Plan (SSP)



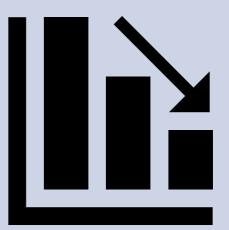
Annual Continuous Improvement Plan



Aligned to the Effective Schools Framework



Addresses Root Cause of Low Performance







TEM Upcoming Submissions and Training Opportunities

| Activity | Audience | Date |
|--|---------------------------------|-------------------|
| Strategic Support Plan (SSP) Overview | Local Education Agencies (LEAs) | October 19, 2020 |
| Dyslexia Monitoring Overview | LEAs | October 27, 2020 |
| District Coordinator of School Improvement (DCSI) Qualification Submission | LEAs | December 1, 2020 |
| BE/ESL/EL Self-Assessment Overview | LEAs | December 9, 2020 |
| SPED Self-Assessment Overview | LEAs | December 16, 2020 |
| State Performance Plan (SPP) Corrective Action Plan (CAP) Submission | LEAs | December 18, 2020 |
| SSP Submission | LEAs | December 18, 2020 |



Document Submissions



- Local Education Agencies will be able to:
 - Upload documents via the File
 Transfer feature in Ascend Texas
 - Label the document type
 - SSP
 - CAP
 - Supporting Documentation

Ascend Texas Guidance



Ascend Texas Roles in TEAL



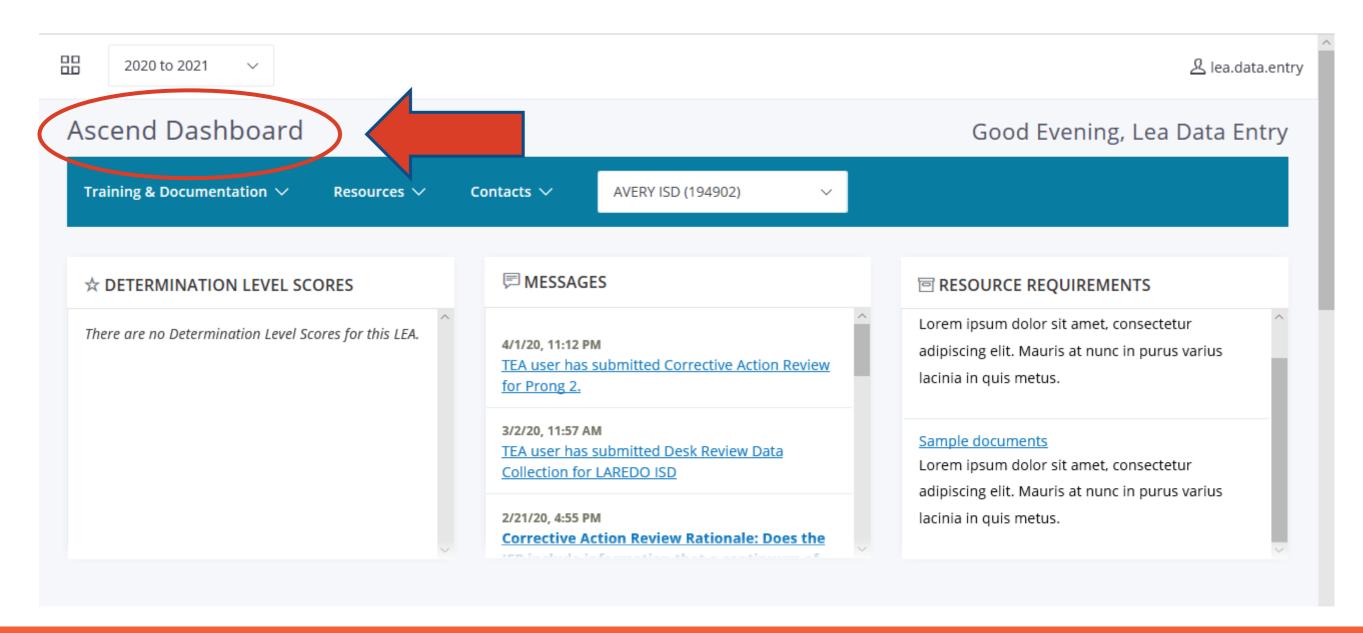
| Ascend Role in TEAL | Who Should Request |
|---------------------|----------------------------|
| LEA Approver* | Superintendent or designee |
| LEA Data Entry | LEA determined |
| TEA Full Edit | TEA only |
| TEA Viewer | TEA only |
| Viewer | ESC staff, LEA staff |

*LEA Approver role also allows for data entry



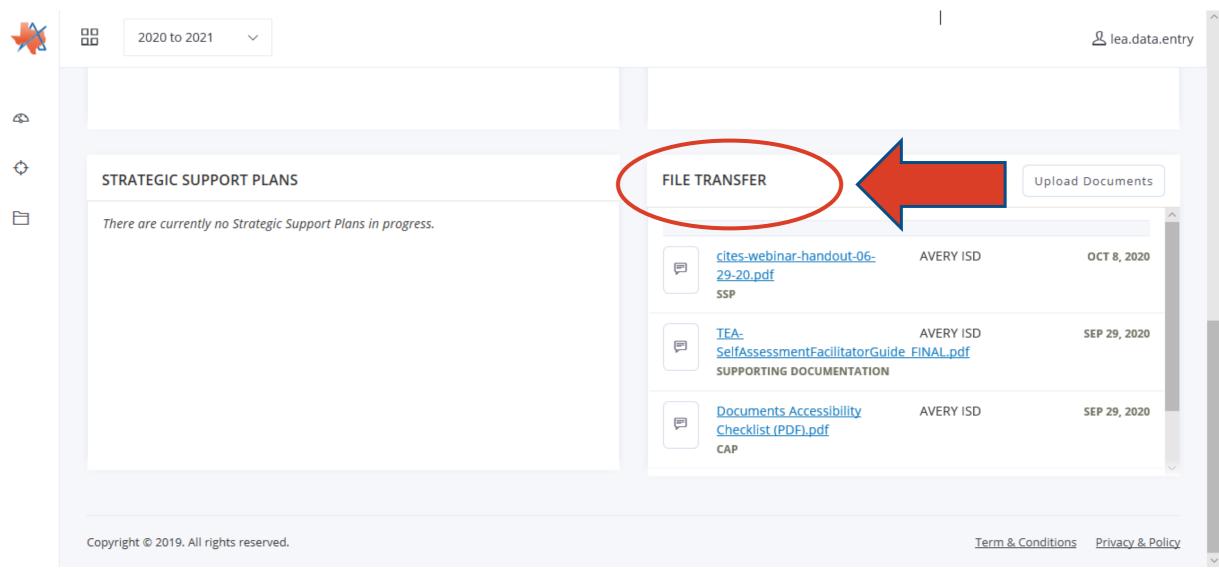
Ascend Texas User Dashboard





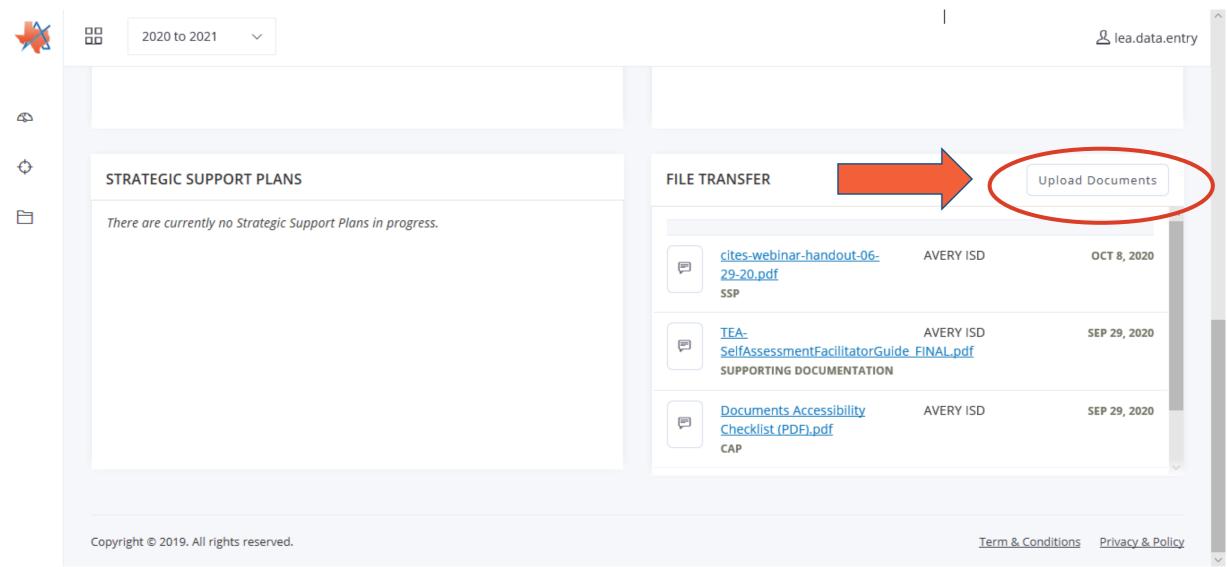


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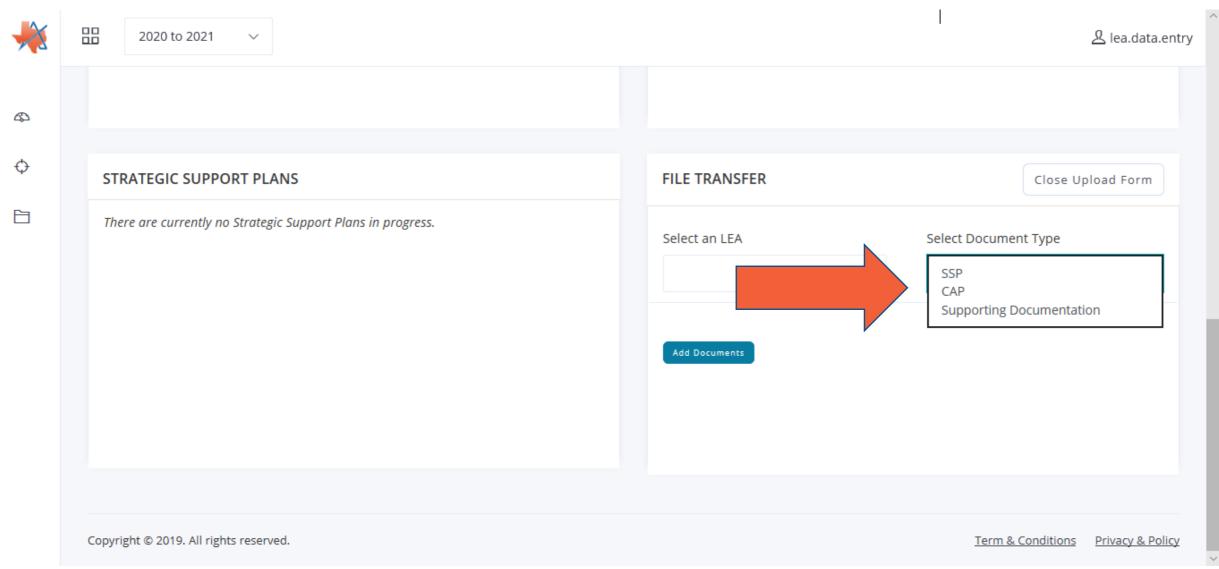


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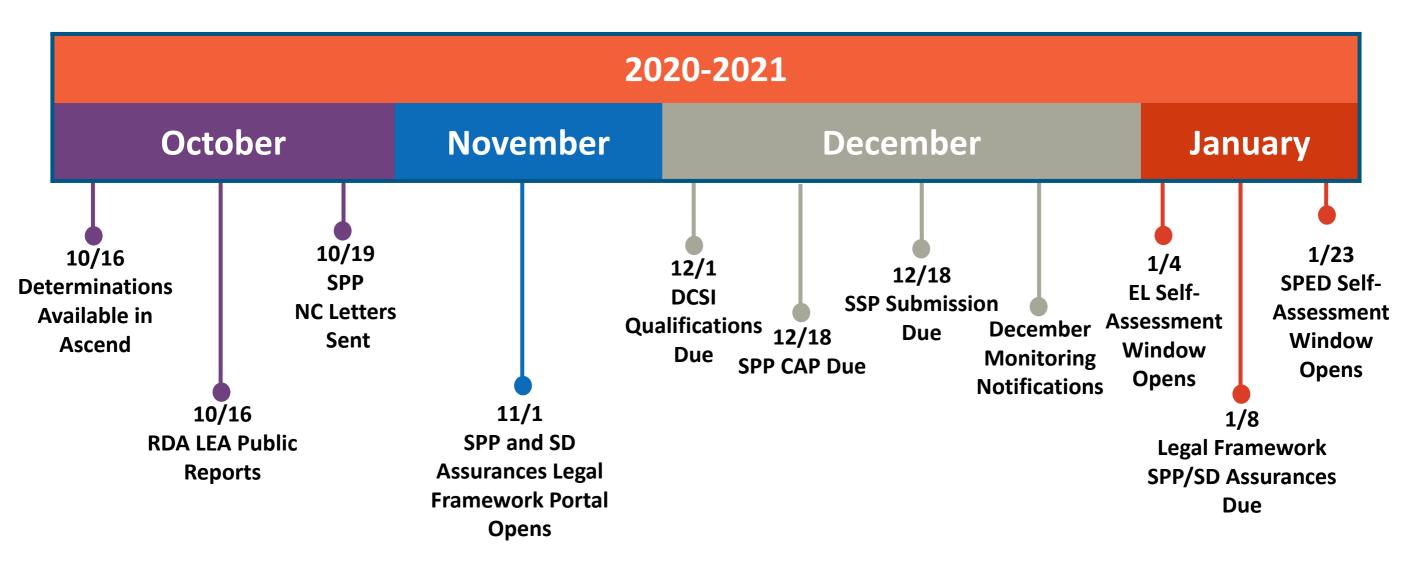


TEA Ascend Texas Dashboard





2020-2021 Key Events





Post Webinar Contact Information

• Questions regarding the 2020 RDA manual, applicable policies, or monitoring functions and events should be directed to the Office of Special Populations and Monitoring at (512) 463-9414 or by email at Reviewandsupport@tea.texas.gov

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