

DATE:	June 9, 2022
SUBJECT:	Cameras in the Classroom Survey
CATEGORY:	Special Education
NEXT STEPS:	LEAs to complete survey

Cameras in the Classroom Survey

The Texas Education Agency annually collects data through surveying local educational agencies (LEAs) regarding the requests each LEA receives for cameras in the classroom for a self-contained setting or other special education setting.

The survey collects data for each LEA in the following categories:

- number of total requests
- number of withdrawn requests
- number of approved requests
- number of denied requests, including the reasons for the denials.

Mandatory Data Reporting Reminder

Texas Education Code, Section 29.022(q), provides that "[t]he agency shall collect data relating to requests made [in accordance with Section 29.022] and actions taken by a school district or open-enrollment charter school in response to a request, including the number of requests made, authorized, or denied."

The survey is now open and is available through this link:

[2021-2022 SY Cameras in the Classroom Survey](#)

The deadline for completing the required survey for the School Year (SY) 2021-2022 is **August 26, 2022**.

Only one survey is completed for each school district or open-enrollment charter school. The data collected pertain to all requests for cameras in the classroom that were made during the school year (SY) 2021–2022 and the school district or open-enrollment charter school's response to each request. Thank you for your participation in this survey. For questions related to the survey, please email tebbi.bowman@tea.texas.gov.