




REVISED: ALL PRINCIPALS/APs: Letter to Parents of ELL Students
Category: Required Action

Audience: All Principals/APs
Post Date: Dec 11, 2008

Due Date: n/a
Meeting Date: n/a
Master Calendar: n/a

Attachment(s):  [Revised English PDF.pdf](#)
 [Revised Spanish PDF.pdf](#)
 [Revised Haitian-Creole PDF.pdf](#)

To inform Principals of the REVISED Florida Department of Education notice requirement.

- NEW---PLACE A COPY OF THE LETTER IN EACH ELL STUDENT'S LEP FOLDER.
- NEW---Letter should be sent to all students that participated in the CELLA assessment.
- NEW---Attached letters have been updated with the new letterhead. If you have not sent the previous letters, please use the updated ones.
- No Child Left Behind Act (NCLB), under the Title III accountability for English Language Learners (ELLs), requires that states establish Annual Measurable Objectives (AMAOs).
- The AMAO accountability in Florida is based on the Comprehensive English Language Learning Assessment (CELLA) and the Florida Comprehensive Assessment Test (FCAT) test results.
- Any district that does not meet the target for each AMAO, must comply with USDOE requirements to continue to receive Title III funding.
- M-DCPS, not having met AMAO 3, must notify parents in writing of the district's failure to meet AMAOs.
- All schools must send to the parents of ELL students a copy of the attached letters, in English and the appropriate native language.

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