Mission:

To serve Arizona’s education community, and actively engage parents, to ensure that all Arizona children have the knowledge to determine their future, achieve their goals, and be successful citizens.

Description:

The Arizona Department of Education (the Department) is administered by the Superintendent of Public Instruction, an elected position. The Superintendent, in conjunction with the State Board of Education, leads the State in developing and implementing educational guidelines and standards. The Superintendent supports direct services to 236 locally-governed school districts, including 14 vocational districts and 8 accommodation districts. The Superintendent, in conjunction with the State Board for Charter Schools, oversees 434 charters (as of August 2017). The Department executes the educational guidelines through evaluation, training, school improvement assistance, dissemination of information, and administration and allocation of funds. The Department also serves as the primary source for information on the status and needs of the public school system.

Office of Indian Education:
The Office of Indian Education, under the Office of the Superintendent, administers federal and state programs to meet the educational and cultural needs of American Indian students in participating LEAs. Technical assistance is provided in collaboration with all units at ADE that interface with these LEAs. Conferences and training, as well as parental involvement activities, are provided to all of Arizona’s local educational agencies on reservations and urban areas with high populations of American Indian students. The Office of Indian Education also provides services to tribal education programs that wish to be a part of the Department of Education. The office implements A.R.S. 15-244, Indian Education Act. Outreach is provided to all of Arizona’s local educational agencies on reservations and urban areas with high populations of American Indian students. Technical assistance is provided in collaboration with all units at ADE that interface with these LEAs. Conferences and training, as well as parental involvement activities, are also provided on-site and at ADE. The Director of Indian Education serves as a liaison between the tribal education departments and the ADE, works via partnerships with outside agencies to provide resources for Native American students, and facilitates the Superintendent of Public Instruction’s initiatives to benefit the academic achievement and cultural awareness of Arizona’s indigenous youth.

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Goal: 1

To increase customer satisfaction.

Objectives:

1 2017 Obj: Obtain internal satisfaction rating for Policy Development and Government Relations of at least 3.95.*

2018 Obj: By June 29, 2018, establish a baseline percentage of agency Ombudsman requests resolved within two weeks of receipt.

2019 Obj: Increase by 5% the baseline percentage established in FY2018 for agency Ombudsman requests resolved within two weeks or maintain percentage if baseline is at 90% or above.

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*Internal customer satisfaction surveys were not distributed in FY17 and as a result an FY17 measure is not available.
Objectives:  
2 2017 Obj: Obtain internal customer satisfaction rating of 4.0 on the effectiveness of communication.  
2018 Obj: This objective is no longer being measured.**  
2019 Obj: This objective is no longer being measured.**

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*PDGR received a drastic increase to this performance rating in FY16. In FY17 and FY18, PDGR will stay focused on increasing our score but must ensure the new processes put into place are systematic and sustainable.

**This objective is no longer being measured.

Objectives:  
3 2017 Obj: Maintain internal satisfaction on timeliness of services for Policy Development and Government at 4.10.  
2018 Obj: This objective is no longer being measured.*  
2019 Obj: This objective is no longer being measured.*

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*This objective is no longer being measured.

Objectives:  
4 2017 Obj: Increase internal satisfaction with the Department’s website from 4.01 to 4.20.*  
2018 Obj: Establish a baseline for the Department’s Twitter followers.**  
2019 Obj: Increase the Department's Twitter followers by 5 percent from the baseline established in 2018.**

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*The decision was made to discontinue satisfaction surveys for the website, so 2017 data is not available.

**New objectives and measures are defined in its place for 2018 and 2019.

Objectives:  
5 2017 Obj: Maintain at least a 4.75 or higher satisfaction rating on email response time.  
2018 Obj: N/A*  
2019 Obj: N/A*

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*Email satisfaction is no longer under the purview of Communications.

Objectives:  
6 2017 Obj: Maintain at least a 4.25 satisfaction rating for internal conference operations and management.  
2018 Obj: Maintain at least a 4.25 satisfaction rating for internal conference operations and management.  
2019 Obj: Maintain at least a 4.25 satisfaction rating for internal conference operations and management.

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**Program Summary**

Program: EDA 2.0  STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION / VOC AND TECH EDUCATION
Contact: Karol Schmidt, Executive Director
Phone: State Board of Education (602) 542-5057

Mission:
To aggressively set policies that foster excellence in public education.

Description:
The Arizona State Board of Education (the Board), created by Article 11 of the Arizona Constitution, is responsible for the supervision and regulation of the public school system. The primary powers and duties of the Board are prescribed in A.R.S. § 15-203. For the purposes of federal law, the State Board of Education also serves as the State Board for Vocational and Technical Education.
◆ Goal:  1 To set fair and reasonable policies and standards that foster excellence in public education

Objectives:  1 2017 Obj: Increase from 2016, the percentage of 9th grade students who graduate within four years.
             2018 Obj: Increase from 2017, the percentage of 9th grade students who graduate within four years.
             2019 Obj: Increase from 2018, the percentage of 9th grade students who graduate within four years.

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**FY2017 graduation rate data will not be available until late September 2017, as we need the data from summer graduates (July and August) to process.

◆ Goal:  2 To ensure student safety by investigating and taking appropriate action on complaints made against professional educators

Objectives:  1 2017 Obj: Ensure timely investigation and disposition of cases regarding alleged immoral and unprofessional conduct by certified educators and applicants for certification.**
             2018 Obj: Ensure timely investigation and disposition of cases regarding alleged immoral and unprofessional conduct by certified educators and applicants for certification.
             2019 Obj: Ensure timely investigation and disposition of cases regarding alleged immoral and unprofessional conduct by certified educators and applicants for certification.

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**FY 2017 estimates based on the 3 current investigators of the unit and their past performance. FY 2018 estimates are based on a fully staffed unit.

***2017 Actual number of closed investigations is significantly higher due to corrective action taken and steps implemented to ensure the accurate tracking and accountability of all cases that are processed through the unit. The unit was also fully staffed with 5 investigators and 1 chief.

^2018 Estimate is based on the unit having 4 investigator positions and analyzing the past performance of the current investigators in those positions.

**2019 Estimates are based on the unit having all 7 positions filled.

2  OC Adjudications by State Board of Education

125***  65  119*  70^  90^^

***The significant difference in the estimated case closure and the actual case closure is due to a better accounting of cases and application. All investigations are now assigned case numbers.

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^2018 Estimate is based on the unit having 4 investigator positions and analyzing the past performance of the current investigators in those positions.

**2019 Estimates are based on the unit having all 7 positions filled.

Objectives:  2 2017 Obj: Ensure timely distribution of K-3 Reading base weight funds to Local Education Agencies which require Board approval of K-3 Literacy Plans by the State Board each fiscal year pursuant to A.R.S. §15-211.
             2018 Obj: Submit completed list of evaluated LEA K-3 Literacy Plans to the State Board each fiscal year for approval and distribution of K-3 Reading base weight funds pursuant to A.R.S. §15-211.
             2019 Obj: Submit completed list of evaluated LEA K-3 Literacy Plans to the State Board each fiscal year for approval and distribution of K-3 Reading base weight funds pursuant to A.R.S. §15-211.

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*Completion date by scheduled board meeting of indicated month.

PROGRAM SUMMARY

Program:     EDA  3.0  ADMINISTRATION
Contact:     Shari Zara, Deputy Superintendent
Phone:       (602) 364-2347

Mission:

To serve Arizona’s education community, and actively engage parents, to ensure every student has access to an excellent education.

Description:

The Administration Program provides the support for efficient and effective operations through Business and Finance, Information Technology, Human Resources, Building Operations, and Organizational Development. This Program provides the facilities and technology infrastructure, fiscal management and controls, guidance and supplies necessary to accomplish the daily operations of the Agency. Its duties involve obtaining and managing a competent workforce and ensuring a high level of customer service is provided to assist in accomplishing the overall Agency mission. Lastly, the auditing of school Average Daily Membership (ADM) reports and monitoring responses to single audit findings is conducted through this area.
This Program Contains the following Subprograms:
- Business and Finance
- Information Technology
- Research and Evaluation
- Health and Nutrition Services

SUBPROGRAM SUMMARY

Program: EDA 3.1 BUSINESS AND FINANCE
Contact: Ross Begnoche, Chief Financial Officer
Phone: Business and Finance (602) 542-7883

Mission:
To provide exceptional customer support in a safe work environment through a commitment to continual process improvements with timely, efficient, and cost-effective financial, procurement, building operations, human resources, payroll, audit and organizational development services to the Arizona Department of Education and its customers, ensuring compliance with Federal, State and Agency laws, regulations and policies.

Description:
The Business and Finance subprogram is responsible for providing financial, procurement, audit, building operations and distribution, human resources, and organizational development support services to the Agency. Financial services include budgeting, accounting, grants management, and audit functions. The Grants Management Unit facilitates the pass-through of assistance funds to District and Charter schools. The Audit Unit administers external ADM audits and internal audits. Procurement services include contracts management and purchasing. Building Operations and Distribution include facilities, print shop, and central mail distribution functions. Human Resource services include personnel functions. Organizational Development services include process improvement functions, Unit-specific training, consulting, and meeting facilitation, problem-solving, and customized staff and leadership development services provided through the Employee Development & Career Center (EDCC). These administrative functions are centralized to ensure efficient and effective operational support to the Agency, and consistent application of state, federal and agency rules, regulations, guidelines, and procedures.

Goal: To improve process efficiency

Objectives:
1. 2017 Obj: Decrease response time for internal maintenance requests from 9 to 7 business hours while maintaining at 97 percent.**
   2018 Obj: Increase the percentage of maintenance requests completed within 7 business hours from 97 to 97.50.**
   2019 Obj: Increase the percentage of maintenance requests completed within 7 business hours from 97 to 97.75.

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*Change to the previous performance measure language was necessary, as ADE facilities are unable to control the response time ADOA has for external requests.
**The revised Performance Measure more accurately reflects the services now being measured by Building Operations.

Objectives:
2. 2017 Obj: Achieve a turnaround time of 3.00 weeks or less on classification actions.
   2018 Obj: Maintain a turnaround time of 3.00 weeks or less on classification actions.
   2019 Obj: Maintain a turnaround time of 3.00 weeks or less on classification actions.

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*While the FY16 actual is quite lower than the target, there were some rare actions that were turned around so quickly by ADOA that it brought the average down. We have lowered our target for the next two years, but to go lower than three weeks at this time is not feasible (as we do not know if ADOA will be able to continue such quick service).

Objectives:
3. 2017 Obj: Maintain a minimum of 98.50 percent of print jobs completed on time.
   2018 Obj: Maintain a minimum of 98.50 percent of print jobs completed on time.
   2019 Obj: Maintain a minimum of 98.50 percent of print jobs completed on time.

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Goal: To improve employee and customer satisfaction

Objectives:
1. 2017 Obj: Increase satisfaction ratings achieved in 2016 by at least .19, up to 4.15 or higher.
   2018 Obj: Maintain or increase satisfaction ratings from 2017.
   2019 Obj: Maintain or increase satisfaction ratings from 2018.

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**Goal:**

To provide accurate and helpful information to the public

**Objectives:**

1. **2017 Obj:** Maintain the number of Average Daily Membership (ADM) Audit Reports issued to school districts or charter schools at 36.
2. **2018 Obj:** Maintain the number of Average Daily Membership (ADM) Audit Reports issued to school districts or charter schools at 36.
3. **2019 Obj:** Increase the number of Average Daily Membership (ADM) Audit Reports issued to school districts or charter schools from 36 to 42.

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**Objectives:**

1. **2017 Obj:** Increase the number of federal fiscal monitoring reviews of schools performed from 156 to 175.
2. **2018 Obj:** Develop a risk-based approach to fiscal monitoring reviews in order to increase the depth and scope of the reviews, which will temporarily decrease the number of federal fiscal monitoring reviews of schools performed from 175 to 150 to allow for this more rigorous approach.*
3. **2019 Obj:** Increase the number of federal fiscal monitoring reviews of schools performed from 150 to 175.

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*The number of federal fiscal monitoring reviews is planned to decrease from 175 to 150 for FY18 since the ADE Grants Unit is in the process of developing a risk-based school selection model as called for by the Federal Uniform Grant Guidance requirements. Because this model will focus additional staff effort to more thoroughly perform reviews of those schools with the highest potential risk, the number of reviews performed by staff will temporarily decrease.
**Mission:**

To provide information technology application development, as well as consulting services for integration of off-the-shelf services or custom development, while ensuring network and operations capability in order to exceed the expectations of both internal and external education stakeholders.

**Description:**

Information Technology (IT) is a subprogram of the Arizona Department of Education that manages the agency’s overall technology management initiatives. Through working with other business units’ data stewards, the agency focuses on internal and external education stakeholder demands and service level agreements. This subprogram implements established guidelines to ensure data quality and maximize technology resource utilization. The primary activities that IT supports include assisting stakeholders with data collection, data use, data security, data storage, data integration and reporting. IT is also responsible for development and management of the State Longitudinal Data System (SLDS), and provides statewide P-20 education stakeholder reporting services. IT offers technical assistance and training to enable all of Arizona’s educational stakeholders to effectively utilize ADE’s offered technology services and information and recommends policy changes and additions based on best-in-class technology. Staff collaborate with strategic partners to provide timely technology tools needed to support reporting and decision-making by all education stakeholders (educators, the Arizona legislature, the state government, the federal government, business groups, researchers, parents, students, etc.), while also providing development and support for the implementation of the Arizona Education Learning and Accountability System (AELAS).

◆ **Goal:** 1 To ensure customer business success

**Objectives:**

1. 2017 Obj: Maintain at least 99.75 percent service availability and uptime on critical services.
2. 2018 Obj: Maintain at least 99.75 percent service availability and uptime on critical services.
3. 2019 Obj: Maintain at least 99.75 percent service availability and uptime on critical services.

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◆ **Goal:** 2 To ensure customer system availability

**Objectives:**

1. 2017 Obj: Achieve at least 90 percent of First Call resolution.
2. 2018 Obj: Maintain at least 85 percent of First Call resolution.
3. 2019 Obj: Maintain at least 85 percent of First Call resolution.

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◆ **Goal:** 3 To increase quality of customer delivery

**Objectives:**

1. 2017 Obj: Maintain a monthly percentage rating of 92 or better on all production changes deployed on time and performing as designed.
2. 2018 Obj: Maintain a monthly percentage rating of 92 or better on all production changes deployed on time and performing as designed.
3. 2019 Obj: Maintain a monthly percentage rating of 92 or better on all production changes deployed on time and performing as designed.

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Mission:

To serve the Arizona Department of Education and Arizona’s education system by providing reliable and valid research, evaluation of various education initiatives, and implementation of State and Federal accountability of Arizona’s students, public schools and LEAs.

Description:

Research and Evaluation is now merged with Accountability. The new program area is called Accountability and Research. The ADE Accountability and Research team is responsible for measuring the growth in quality of Arizona schools and districts by producing timely and reliable accountability determinations as required by State and Federal law and providing support services to the Agency in the areas of research, data reporting, and evaluation to/of programs that are aligned with the strategic objectives and mission of ADE divisions and the Agency. The section works closely with Assessments and the State Board of Education in order to accurately label schools in a fair and systematic manner. Staff support schools, districts, and other stakeholders to refine the system as well as utilize data in an appropriate and effective manner. Staff also represent the Agency with research and evaluation entities and activities throughout Arizona and nationally.

Accountability services are provided primarily to the State Board of Education who oversees the State accountability system. Accountability staff responds to data questions and provides impact data to the Board. They work closely with the field and IT to ensure data quality and accuracy. This subprogram is also responsible for implementing the State and Federal accountability system delivering data, letter grades, and Federal determinations to Districts and schools through secure web-based applications and reports. Accountability subprogram additionally creates and produces data for State and school report cards.

Research services are provided at the request of other Agency programs and include project design, strategies and technical aspects of data collection, primary and secondary data analyses, literature and policy reviews, interpretation of findings, and implementation of findings into practice. This subprogram is also primarily responsible for producing publicly available data sets that meet State and Federal privacy laws. Staff provide services in program or process evaluations, including developing evaluation plans, coordinating and monitoring of program evaluation RFPs, designing evaluation instruments, collecting quantitative and qualitative data, analyzing results, and evaluation reports.

◆ Goal: 1 To issue on time, valid and reliable evaluations of school and student performance as required by State and Federal statutes.

Objectives:

1 2017 Obj: Achieve the targeted percentage of students meeting or exceeding State academic standards in English Language Arts and Math.

2018 Obj: Achieve the targeted percentage of students meeting or exceeding State academic standards in English Language Arts and Math.

2019 Obj: Achieve the targeted percentage of students meeting or exceeding State academic standards in English Language Arts and Math.

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* Performance Measure changed to reflect focus on highest assessment rather than grade level.

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Mission:

To provide Arizonans with health and nutrition knowledge and identify available resources to positively impact the academic success and well-being of Arizonans.

Description:

The Health and Nutrition subprogram provides technical assistance to support and improve the health environment of schools, daycare centers and homes, cash assistance and donated foods to serve nutritionally adequate meals to children in schools, preschools, daycare centers and homes. Over two-thirds of the children served are low income, based on free and reduced-income eligibility status. The free and reduced status is based on the federal poverty guidelines and is an indicator of a child’s at risk status. Training, technical assistance, and compliance reviews are conducted to ensure health and nutrition integrity and fiscal accountability as prescribed by the United States Department of Agriculture.

The Health and Nutrition subprogram includes various health programs and the meals served in these programs are planned to meet the U.S. Dietary Guidelines for Americans. These guidelines provide advice about food choices that promote health and prevent disease, encouraging an increased intake of fruits, vegetables and grains, while limiting fat, salt and sugar. These programs include: the National School Lunch Program, the After School Snack Program, the School Breakfast Program, the Child and Adult Care Food Program, the Summer Food Service Program, the Food Distribution Program, the Special Milk Program, the Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Program, School Health Programs, and Clinical School Health.

School Safety and Prevention:
The Office of School Safety and Prevention (SS&P) provides funding, training, and technical assistance for safe and supportive learning environments that meet the continuum of school safety, prevention, intervention and response. Through collaboration with diverse local, state and federal partners, the Office supports Arizona schools so that students are safe, healthy, and ready to learn. Strategies utilized by SS&P are grounded in evidence of effectiveness, and the Office contributes to the knowledge base through its own data collection, program evaluation, and research efforts.

Goal: 1

To ensure compliance with State and Federal statutes and regulations along with other contractual obligations.

Objectives:

2017 Obj: Increase the percentage of Food Service Management Companies (FSMC) correctly invoicing schools from 91 to 92.
2018 Obj: Increase the percentage of Food Service Management Companies (FSMC) correctly invoicing schools from 92 to 93.
2019 Obj: Maintain the percentage of Food Service Management Companies (FSMC) correctly invoicing schools at 93.

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Goal: 2

To increase customer satisfaction

Objectives:

2017 Obj: Increase external customer satisfaction rating of Health & Nutrition Services from 4.08 to 4.12.

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To distribute state aid for the education of students in preschool (with disability), kindergarten, and grades one through twelve, monitor compliance with statutory expenditure limitations, and provide prompt customer service while collecting and analyzing data required for the distribution of state aid.

School Finance disburses equalization assistance (Basic State Aid) to school districts and charter schools pursuant to a statutory formula, which requires the first portions of school district funding to be generated by a local property tax levy and a state equalization assistance property tax levy (levied by the counties). The equalization formula is designed to provide equitable per-pupil funding among school districts and charter schools for maintenance and operation and certain capital needs. Equalization assistance is based on the school district’s or charter school’s student count (Average Daily Membership) and funding levels set in statute.

School Finance collects student level data, which becomes the basis for payment of state aid and other monies. This data is also used by numerous other areas within the Department of Education. In addition to student data, transportation and employee data is collected. Assistance is provided to districts and charters to ensure accurate data is available for payment and budget analysis purposes.

School Finance also disburses other special formula funding for the following programs: (1) Additional State Aid (Homeowner’s Rebate Program); (2) Assistance to School Districts (education of children whose parents or legal guardians are employed by certain state institutions); (3) Certificate of Educational Convenience (education of children who reside in areas of the state which are not included within an organized school district); (4) Residential and Institutional Vouchers; (5) County Jails and Detention Centers; (6) Juvenile Corrections and Adult Corrections; (7) Classroom Site Fund (additional funds for teacher compensation and other specified purposes); (8) Instructional Improvement Fund (also additional funds for teacher compensation and other specified purposes); and (9) County Small Schools Service Program.

School district compliance with statutory expenditure limitations is determined for each school district based on each district’s adopted budget. Monthly updates are provided throughout the year. Final compliance testing is performed after the close of the fiscal year, upon the submission of school districts’ Annual Financial Reports.

Further, School Finance collects data to meet the reporting requirements for the National Public Education Finance Survey (NPEFS) and the federal Common Core of Data, fiscal (revenues and expenditure) and non-fiscal (student counts). Data submitted is the basis for determining Arizona’s Title I monies, and is used in numerous studies and reports. In addition, School Finance provides education related data to other governmental agencies and taxpayers as requested and/or required.

◆ Goal: 1 To provide timely and reliable customer service

Objectives: 1 2017 Obj: Maintain a completion rate of 100 percent for State mandated payments made according to statutory or established schedules.
2018 Obj: Return to a completion rate of 100 percent for State mandated payments made according to statutory or established schedules.
2019 Obj: Return to a completion rate of 100 percent for State mandated payments made according to statutory or established schedules.
Mission:

To promote the development and the implementation of quality education for all learners by providing quality services and resources to schools, parent groups, government agencies, and community groups to enable them to achieve their goals.

Description:

The Highly Effective Schools Division, consisting of Exceptional Student Services (ESS), Adult Education Services (AES), and 21st Century Community Learning Centers (21CCLC), provides funding, technical assistance, and resource coordination to local education agencies and public/private organizations in their administration of preschool through adult programs including before and after school programming and summer programming. It also provides development opportunities to teachers and administrative professionals and supports local efforts focused on parental and community involvement. This Division includes efforts aimed at:

1. Fostering educational excellence for students with disabilities between the ages of 3 years and 22 years;
2. Serving children whose economic, cultural, or intellectual situations create the need for additional school extension opportunities offered through school day extension programs that support academic achievement, family engagement and social/emotional growth;
3. Serving Arizona’s education community by ensuring adult learners have access to education that prepares them for success in college, career and life.

This Program Contains the following Subprograms:

- Exceptional Student Services
- School Improvement and Intervention
- Career and Technical Education
- Title I
- Emergent Student Services
Mission:
To provide high quality service that builds capacity to improve outcomes for students with disabilities.

Description:
The vision of Exceptional Student Services is that students with disabilities are well prepared for transition to adult life and higher education/training, employment, and independent living. To achieve this vision, ESS builds the capacity of educators to improve student outcomes and supports implementation of the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA) through activities aligned with the Results Driven Accountability initiative from the Office of Special Education Programs.

◆ Goal: 1 To ensure that all students with disabilities have access to an excellent education.

Objectives: 1 2017 Obj: Increase the percentage of students with IEPs graduating from high school with a diploma from 63 to 68.
2018 Obj: Increase the percent of youth with IEPs graduating from high school with a regular diploma from 64.42 to 80.
2019 Obj: Maintain the percent of youth with IEPs graduating from high school with a regular diploma at 80.

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*FY Actual data represents one year previous (i.e. FY 2017 = graduation data from FY2015-FY2016). The FY 2018 and FY 2019 estimates are based on the current targets set in the State Performance Plan/Annual Performance Report (SPP/APR) required by the Office of Special Education Programs (OSEP) related to this objective. Targets were set by special education stakeholders and will be reviewed in FY 2018 and adjusted as necessary.

Objectives: 2 2017 Obj: Increase from 2016, the percentage of students with IEPs scoring at or above proficient in reading, as measured by standardized assessments, at least 1 percent.
2018 Obj: Targeted public education agencies (districts/charters) will increase the performance of students with disabilities in grades 3-5 on the English/Language Arts (ELA) State assessment from 6.4% to 8.4% to meet the State proficiency average for students with disabilities in grades 3-5.
2019 Obj: Targeted public education agencies (districts/charters) will increase the performance of students with disabilities in grades 3-5 on the English/Language Arts (ELA) State assessment to 12.99% to meet the State proficiency average for students with disabilities in grades 3-5.

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*The objective has been revised for FY 2018 and FY 2019 to align with the State-identified Measureable Result (SiMR) ESS identified in the State Systemic Improvement Plan (SSIP) required by the Office of Special Education Programs.
**Estimate not available.
*Data not available for FY2016.

Objectives: 3 2017 Obj: Increase from 2016, the percentage of students with IEPs scoring at or above proficient in math, as measured by standardized assessments, at least 1 percent.
2018 Obj: No longer tracking this measure. It is not aligned with the State Performance Plan/Annual Performance Report Indicators required for submission by the Office of Special Education Programs.
2019 Obj: No longer tracking this measure. It is not aligned with the State Performance Plan/Annual Performance Report Indicators required for submission by the Office of Special Education Programs.

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** Estimate not available.
*Data for FY2016 not available.

◆ Goal: 2 To improve customer satisfaction.

Objectives: 1 2017 Obj: Increase external customer satisfaction rating for Exceptional Student Services from 3.70 to 3.85.
2018 Obj: This performance measure is no longer tracked by the agency.
2019 Obj: This performance measure is no longer tracked by the agency.

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**Mission:**

To improve Local Education Agencies (LEAs) and school systems in order to significantly increase and sustain quality outcomes for Arizona students.

**Description:**

Description: Support and Innovation (SI) provides innovative support and intervention services to LEAs and schools to dramatically improve outcomes for all students. SI provides leadership and evidence based technical support to close achievement and opportunity gaps for underserved students, and focus on system transformation to improve outcomes for all students, as required by State and Federal Accountability Systems. Through a tiered system of supports, SI employs evidence based decision-making to provide actionable data to inform the iterative process of continuous improvement planning increasing student achievement. SI’s system of support emphasizes building the capacity of the LEAs/Charter Holders and site leadership to support the continuous improvement cycle. In addition to technical assistance, SI provides Comprehensive Needs Assessment and Integrated Action Planning guidance, support and monitoring, professional development based on identified needs, onsite visits, desktop monitoring, programmatic progress monitoring and evaluation, fiscal monitoring, and compliance monitoring.

**Goal:**

1. To provide technical assistance and training for districts and schools to improve effectiveness

**Objectives:**

1. **2017 Obj:** Complete at least 95% of scheduled monitoring visits to SIG/Comprehensive Support Schools on time.

2. **2018 Obj:** Complete at least 95% of scheduled monitoring visits to SIG/Comprehensive Support Schools on time.

3. **2019 Obj:** Complete at least 80% of scheduled monitoring visits to SIG/Comprehensive Support Schools on time.

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**SUBPROGRAM SUMMARY**

Program: EDA 5.2 SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT AND INTERVENTION

Contact: Devon Isherwood, Deputy Associate Superintendent

Phone: Support and Innovation  (602) 364-0379


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All dollars are presented in thousands (not FTE).
**Mission:**

To prepare Arizona students for workforce success and continuous learning.

**Description:**

The Career and Technical Education (CTE) subprogram at the Arizona Department of Education oversees all State and Federal funding specifically earmarked for all secondary and postsecondary CTE programs designed to prepare individuals for postsecondary education and transition to employment in current or emerging careers. This subprogram directs and is responsible for the quality of all CTE programs under secondary and postsecondary districts and all CTE programs under Joint Technical Education Districts (JTED). This includes oversight of over $25.4 million of Federal Carl Perkins funds and $11.6 million of State Block Grant funding. The subprogram is responsible for assuring quality and compliance with all associated Federal and State legislation for CTE funding, including budgeting and directing funds to specific programs, providing reports to Federal and State entities, collecting, analyzing and reporting related data, including performance measures, and establishing fiscal accountability for funds.

The CTE subprogram is also responsible for directing the development and approval of quality CTE programs in 73 program career areas leading to placement of students in postsecondary education and/or into employment. The subprogram develops industry validation standards which not only meets occupational needs and employability skills but also focuses on related academic skills and standards. The subprogram oversees the development of end-of-program assessments and maintains the assessment management system. Leadership is provided for curriculum, assessment development, dissemination of materials and professional development opportunities, including pedagogy, and articulation of secondary to postsecondary education.

The CTE subprogram directs CTE research and assessment, which supports the need for specific programs, based on Arizona labor market information identifying occupations with high wage, high skill and high demand, and collects, reports and analyzes data for districts and other entities in order to provide accurate information and industry evaluation for continuous improvement of CTE programs. The CTE subprogram also supports implementation of new and emerging programs such as those in the Science, Technology, Engineering and Math (STEM) cluster, and the Bioscience areas, based on research in Arizona services workforce strategy by Battelle. The subprogram works with stakeholder groups to establish partnerships with business and industry and workforce development agencies to ensure the CTE programs are preparing students to be college and career ready by having the workplace employability skills, technical skills and industry recognized certifications needed for careers leading to economic independence. The subprogram gives direction to identification of priorities, such as specific occupations or work-based learning, to align with labor market and business and industry needs into the future.

The subprogram oversees and conducts all Federal compliance reviews for CTE programs through Office for Civil Rights. The seven co-curricular CTE student organizations, FFA, FCCLA, Educators Rising Arizona, FBLA, DECA, HOSA and SkillsUSA, also function under this subprogram to provide student organizations, FFA, FCCLA, Educators Rising Arizona, FBLA, DECA, HOSA and SkillsUSA, also function under this subprogram to provide workplace employability skills, technical skills and industry recognized certifications needed for careers leading to economic independence. The subprogram gives direction to identification of priorities, such as specific occupations or work-based learning, to align with labor market and business and industry needs into the future.

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**Objectives:**

1. **2017 Obj:** Increase the percent of 12th grade students in the same cohort year who are CTE program concentrators from 27.0 to 28.0.
2. **2018 Obj:** Increase the percent of 12th grade students in the same cohort year who are CTE program concentrators from 26.0 to 27.0.
3. **2019 Obj:** Increase the percent of 12th grade students in the same cohort year who are CTE program concentrators from 27.0 to 28.0.

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*The external customer satisfaction rating for CTE will no longer be derived from the annual External Customer Satisfaction Survey distributed by ADE/CTE. CTE will include an “overall satisfaction” measure in all CTE customer surveys and report results quarterly.

**Objectives:**

1. **2017 Obj:** Increase external customer satisfaction rating for Career and Technical Education from 3.77 to 3.92.
2. **2018 Obj:** Increase external customer satisfaction rating for Career and Technical Education from 3.92 to 4.07.
3. **2019 Obj:** Increase external customer satisfaction rating for Career and Technical Education from 4.07 to 4.72.

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*Final FY2016 data was 25.8%.

**Estimates were updated to reflect change in language from previous “grides 9-12” to “12th grade students”. CTE concentrators are not reported until after student graduates.

***FY2017 data not available until 8/31/17.
Objectives:  
2017 Obj: Increase the percent of Career and Technical Education concentrators who pass the National Certification Assessment from (estimated) 6 to 7.
2018 Obj: Increase the percent of Career and Technical Education concentrators who pass the National Certification Assessment from 7 to 8.
2019 Obj: Increase the percent of Career and Technical Education concentrators who pass the National Certification Assessment from 8 to 9.

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***FY2017 data not available until 8/31/17.

SUBPROGRAM SUMMARY

Program: EDA 5.4 TITLE I
Contact: Peter Laing, Deputy Associate Superintendent
Phone: Title I (602) 364-3842
Statute: P.L. 107-110

Mission:
To support the implementation of Arizona’s System of School Support in order to impact teaching and learning in Kindergarten through 12th grade classrooms so that educationally disadvantaged students achieve high academic success.

Description:
Title I, under the Elementary and Secondary Education Act, provides financial assistance to local educational agencies to meet the needs of educationally deprived children at preschool, elementary, and secondary school levels who are in low income areas. The purpose of this Title I funding is to help all children achieve the State’s academic standards. This is accomplished through supplemental programs that consist of instructional services, instructional support services, school wide reform efforts, and increased involvement of parents in their children’s education.

Goal: 1 To ensure compliance with State and Federal statutes and regulations along with other contractual obligations

Objectives:  
2017 Obj: Maintain the established target percentage of school districts in Federal indicator compliance.
2018 Obj: Maintain the established target percentage of school districts in Federal indicator compliance.
2019 Obj: Maintain the established target percentage of school districts in Federal indicator compliance.

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**Mission:**
To serve Local Educational Agencies (LEAs) in accessing quality educational programs on reservations and urban areas with high populations of American Indian students through technical assistance, timely allocation and distribution of program funds, monitoring state and federal grants, and providing data collection related to school safety to ensure that every child has access to a safe school environment and an excellent education.

**Description:**
The Special Projects sub-program (formerly Emergent Student Services, now part of the Office of the Superintendent) serves Arizona's indigenous school populations through targeted initiatives.

**Office of Indian Education:**
The Office of Indian Education, under the Office of the Superintendent, administers federal and state programs to meet the educational and cultural needs of American Indian students in participating LEAs. The office implements A.R.S. 15-244, Indian Education Act. Outreach is provided to all of Arizona's local educational agencies on reservations and urban areas with high populations of American Indian students. Technical assistance is provided in collaboration with all units at ADE that interface with these LEAs. Conferences and training, as well as parental involvement activities, are also provided on-site and at ADE. The Director of Indian Education serves as a liaison between the tribal education departments and the ADE, works via partnerships with outside agencies to provide resources for Native American students, and facilitates the Superintendent of Public Instruction's initiatives to benefit the academic achievement and cultural awareness of Arizona's indigenous youth.

◆ **Goal:** 1 To provide timely and reliable customer service

**Objectives:**
1 2017 Obj: Maintain Office of Indian Education external customer satisfaction rating at 4.28.*

2018 Obj: Meet with at least five tribal councils that did not receive an ADE meeting in 2017.**

2019 Obj: Meet with at least five tribal councils that did not receive an ADE meeting in 2018.

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**New Performance measure for FY2018**

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**Mission:**
To improve student achievement by ensuring all teachers and leaders are highly effective through rigorous preparation, professional development and ongoing support. (This program has been moved to Student Achievement and Educator Excellence.)

**Description:**
This program has been moved to Student Achievement and Educator Excellence.

**This Program Contains the following Subprograms:**

- Office of Arizona Charter Schools Programs (AZCSP)
- Educator Excellence/Title II - A
Mission:

To ensure high-quality educational choices by selecting, monitoring, and assisting transformative leaders.

Description:

The Arizona Charter Schools Program (AZ CSP) is a competitive start-up grant that supports visionary leaders who will form high quality charter schools focusing on improving the academic outcomes and closing the achievement gaps for all educationally disadvantaged students; and improving educationally disadvantaged high school student achievement and graduation rates.

Goal: 1 To ensure high-quality educational choices

Objectives:

2017 Obj: Conduct 56 school monitoring visits.
2018 Obj: Conduct 50 school monitoring visits.*
2019 Obj: Conduct 40 school monitoring visits.*

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*School monitoring can include desk monitoring of Funding Applications and Completion Reports.

Objectives:

2017 Obj: Maintain at least a 4.50 external customer satisfaction rating for AZ CSP.*
2018 Obj: Provide Governance and Formative assessment training for 20 schools.**
2019 Obj: Provide Governance and Formative assessment training for 10 schools.**

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* Customer Service rating measure has been discontinued.
** New objective and measures for 2018/2019 replaces 2017 objective and measures.

Mission:

To improve student achievement in public education through high quality professional learning, educator certification, credentialing, and evaluation systems that support effective teachers and administrators.

Description:

The Educator Excellence Section with the Highly Effective Teachers and Leaders Division consists of the following units: Effective Teachers and Leaders and Certification. The Effective Teachers and Leaders unit is responsible for overseeing the implementation of ESSA Federal legislation for achieving the goal of having an effective teacher in every classroom, achieving equitable access to effective teachers, working collaboratively with stakeholders and Institutions of Higher Education to design and implement a rigorous professional preparation program approval process and rigorous educator assessments based on the AZ professional educator standards, providing guidance/technical assistance to LEAs while reviewing and approving Title II-A grant applications and revisions, assisting LEAs with meeting Federal and State requirements for principal and teacher evaluation, and overseeing pay for performance initiatives.

The Certification Unit certifies teachers, administrators, speech language pathologists, speech language technicians, school psychologists and guidance counselors. The unit provides technical assistance regarding certification statutes and State Board rules to the field in the form of on-site visits, phone calls, counter service and emails. The Certification Unit also implements new certification rules that have been created through legislation and State Board rule.

Goal: 1 To provide timely and reliable customer service

Objectives:

2017 Obj: From October through May, reduce the average processing time for certification evaluation services completed by the Certification Unit from 9 to 8 days.
2018 Obj: From October through May, reduce the average processing time for certification evaluation services completed by the Certification Unit from 8.9 to 8.5 days.
**Goal: 2** To ensure the quality of Arizona's educators through evaluation and certification

**Objectives:**
- 1 2017 Obj: Maintain at least 95 percent of core academic teaching positions taught by appropriately certified teachers according to applicable state statutes and State Board of Education rules.
- 2018 Obj: Maintain at least 95 percent of core academic teaching positions taught by appropriately certified teachers according to applicable state statutes and State Board of Education rules.
- 2019 Obj: Maintain at least 95 percent of core academic teaching positions taught by appropriately certified teachers according to applicable state statutes and State Board of Education rules.

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*FY18 estimate has been adjusted to align with the FY17 actual number.

**Program Summary**

- **Program:** EDA 7.0 HIGH ACADEMIC STANDARDS FOR STUDENTS
- **Contact:** Carol Lippert, Associate Superintendent
- **Phone:** High Academic Standards for Students (602) 364-1985
- **Statute:** A.R.S. § 15-241, 15-751-756.01-.13, 15-910, 41-1279.03, P.L. 107-110

**Mission:**

*To build excellence in Arizona education through the provision of effective development and technical assistance that supports the needs of LEAs.*

**Description:**
The High Academic Standards program provides leadership in the development of K-12 Academic Standards, Early Childhood Education Standards, Career and Technical Education Standards, and English Language Proficiency Standards along with ongoing support for the effective implementation of these standards at the local level. The content experts within the subprograms provide guidance documents, professional development and technical assistance to Arizona educators to ensure that educators have the necessary information to provide effective instruction. The High Academic Standards program provides support specifically to educators and classrooms providing instruction to K-12 students, K-12 English Language Learners and young students ages 3-5 in early education programs, as well as providing career and technical education services to high school students and community colleges. Additionally, this division supports several student subgroups: Early Childhood Special Education, Migrant, Homeless, and Gifted and Talented Students.
This Program Contains the following Subprograms:

- K-12 Academic Standards
- Early Childhood
- Title III - OELAS

**SUBPROGRAM SUMMARY**

| Program: | EDA 7.1 K-12 ACADEMIC STANDARDS |
| Contact: | Jonathan Moore, Deputy Associate Superintendent |
| Phone: | K-12 Academic Standards (602) 364-2810 |

**Mission:**

To provide Arizona’s educators with professional learning opportunities and resources that support best practices for standards-based teaching and learning for all students.

**Description:**

The K-12 Academic Standards section provides leadership in the development of the state’s academic standards as well as support and assistance to schools in implementing the standards as adopted by the Arizona State Board of Education. ADE-sponsored professional development and technical assistance in implementing Arizona’s content standards are offered regularly for school/district teams to ensure that all teachers have the necessary skills and knowledge to teach Arizona’s standards effectively.

The K-12 Academic Standards section also administers the Mathematics and Science Partnership grant which focuses on improving teacher content and pedagogical content knowledge in mathematics and science. The K-12 Academic Standards section provides professional development for educators across Arizona in the area of foundational reading standards in support of Move On When Reading and administers the Move On When Reading Literacy Plan portal. Content specialists from all academic standards areas provide statewide professional development and technical assistance to LEAs. Gifted Programming offers assistance to LEAs in the appropriate identification and delivery of services to gifted and talented students.

◆ **Goal:** 1 To provide training and professional development to improve the effectiveness of standards based teaching and learning

**Objectives:** 1

- 2017 Obj: Increase the percent of LEAs who have attended ADE-sponsored professional development for mathematics from 87 to 89.*
  
  2018 Obj: Train 500 Arizona educators in the area of Mathematics Standards by the end of the fiscal year.
  
  2019 Obj: Train 500 Arizona educators in the area of Mathematics Standards by the end of the fiscal year.

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Number of Arizona educators who have attended ADE-sponsored Mathematics Standards professional development (as measured cumulatively by LEAs who have attended ADE face-to-face sponsored trainings, or web-based trainings for mathematics).*

Number of Arizona educators who have attended ADE-sponsored Mathematics Standards professional development.**

*FY2017 Objective is no longer applicable.

**New Performance Measure has been entered for 2018 and 2019.

**Objectives:** 2

- 2017 Obj: Increase the percent of LEAs completing ADE-sponsored ELA Standards professional development from 80 to 82.
  
  2018 Obj: Train 500 Arizona educators in the area of English Language Arts Standards by the end of the fiscal year.*
  
  2019 Obj: Train 500 Arizona educators in the area of English Language Arts Standards by the end of the fiscal year.

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*FY2017 Objective is no longer applicable.

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<td>Maintain 93 percent or better, of preschool children in general education who met age level expectations in literacy development at the end of the school year.</td>
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Mission:

To provide leadership and support to schools, organizations, educators, families, and communities in implementing programs that assist all children from birth through age 8 years to become successful lifelong learners.

Description:

The Early Childhood Education section provides professional support to Arizona’s early childhood educators and also participates in multiple partnerships designed to create quality learning environments and opportunities for young children. Specifically, this section focuses on programs that include Preschool Special Education programs for children ages 3 to 5 years old with disabilities, Head Start programs, Preschool Development Grant funded classrooms, and Title I preschools. Content specialists in this section also provide professional development support to LEAs with kindergarten through grade three programs. The Early Childhood Education section supports school readiness and early learning success by encouraging the implementation of high quality program guidelines and educational standards. Local community programs are provided access to resources, on-site support, funding, and opportunities for professional development to promote developmentally appropriate learning environments.

Goal: 1  To ensure compliance with the Office of Special Education Programs requirements

Program: EDA 7.2 EARLY CHILDHOOD
Contact: Nicol Russel, Deputy Associate Superintendent
Phone: Early Childhood Education (602) 542-8706
Achieve at least 90 percent of preschool children in general education who met age level expectations in language development at the end of the school year.

**Objectives:**

- **2017 Obj:** Maintain 90 percent or better, of preschool children in general education who met age level expectations in language development at the end of the school year.
- **2018 Obj:** Maintain 90 percent or better, of preschool children in general education who met age level expectations in language development at the end of the school year.
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Achieve at least 93 percent of preschool children in general education who met age level expectations in social and emotional development at the end of the school year.

**Objectives:**

- **2017 Obj:** Maintain 93 percent of preschool children in general education who met age level expectations in social and emotional development at the end of the school year.
- **2018 Obj:** Maintain 93 percent of preschool children in general education who met age level expectations in social and emotional development at the end of the school year.
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Maintain 70 percent or better, of preschool children in special education who met age level expectations in social and emotional development at the end of the school year.

**Objectives:**

- **2017 Obj:** Maintain 70 percent or better, of preschool children in special education who met age level expectations in social and emotional development at the end of the school year.
- **2018 Obj:** Maintain 70 percent or better, of preschool children in special education who met age level expectations in social and emotional development at the end of the school year.
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Maintain 77 percent or better of preschool children in special education who met age level expectations in physical development at the end of the school year.

**Objectives:**

- **2017 Obj:** Achieve at least 80 percent or better of preschool children in special education who met age level expectations in physical development at the end of the school year.
- **2018 Obj:** Achieve at least 80 percent or better of preschool children in special education who met age level expectations in physical development at the end of the school year.
- **2019 Obj:** Achieve at least 80 percent or better of preschool children in special education who met age level expectations in physical development at the end of the school year.

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Achieve at least 60 percent or better, of preschool children in special education who met age level expectations in language development at the end of the school year.

**Objectives:**

- **2017 Obj:** Maintain 60 percent or better, of preschool children in general education who met age level expectations in language development at the end of the school year.
- **2018 Obj:** Maintain 60 percent or better, of preschool children in general education who met age level expectations in language development at the end of the school year.
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2 To increase customer satisfaction

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### SUBPROGRAM SUMMARY

**Program:** EDA 7.3 TITLE III - OELAS

**Contact:** Kate Wright, Deputy Associate Superintendent

**Phone:** OELAS (602) 542-9689

**Statute:** A.R.S. § 15-241, 15-751-756.01-13, 15-910, 41-1279.03, P.L. 107-110

### Mission:

To be a critical partner invested in EL and MEP student success, using expertise and the cumulative experience of the practitioners in Arizona to guide LEAs, teachers, and families in compliant and effective ways to support the high achievement of EL and MEP students.

### Description:

The Office of English Language Acquisition Services (OELAS) was formally established on September 21, 2006, pursuant to A.R.S 15-756.07. This subprogram is authorized under the federal Every Student Succeeds Act of 2015 (ESSA) and the federal Civil Rights Act to provide technical assistance to local educational agencies for their English Language Learner (ELL) students. In addition, pursuant to A.R.S. § 15-751 through A.R.S. § 15-756.01, each school with enrolled ELL students must provide programs that ensure students develop their skills in the English language and to give them the opportunity to meet Arizona Academic Standards.

The assistance the subprogram provides to LEAs consists of the following: (1) Providing notification to local educational agencies of their requirements/responsibilities for compliance under federal and state statutes; (2) Providing notification to local educational agencies of their requirements/responsibilities in regards to Arizona Department of Education policy and as described under the Flores lawsuit; (3) Providing methods/technical assistance to local education agencies for identifying, assessing, reassessing, reclassifying, and reporting on ELL students; (4) Providing information, materials, resources, and strategies for Structured English Language Immersion models; and (5) Providing professional development opportunities for teachers and administrators to ensure ELL student attainment of English language proficiency and academic achievement through the use of Structured English Language Immersion (SEI) models, the state Compensatory Instruction Fund, Title III funding, and providing technical assistance for SEI budget calculation and submission; (6) Review and approve continuous improvement plans in ALEAT to ensure required Title III components have been addressed; (7) Review and recommend for Arizona State Board approval of SEI Endorsement Coursework.

### Migrant Education:

The Migrant Education Program is a federally funded, state-operated program under the Elementary and secondary Education Act (ESEA) that provides supplemental program services to the children, ages 3 through 21, of seasonal or temporary agricultural workers. In Arizona, the program delivers services primarily through local educational agencies (LEAs) that design programs to meet the unserved needs of children residing in their area. To facilitate broader services, some provisions are delivered through statewide models which, in particular, are designed to meet the credit accrual and informational needs for students.

### Goal:

1 To ensure compliance with State and Federal statutes and regulations along with other contractual obligations

### Objectives:

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*The technical assistance provided has been effective and has therefore yielded fewer LEAs in corrective action for the 2016-
2017 school year. Since there are less LEAs to serve, our Actual and Estimates may decline.

**Goal:** 2 To increase academic gains of students reclassified as FEP

**Objectives:**
1. 2017 Obj: Increase the percentage of students reclassified as Fluent English Proficient (FEP) from 30 to 30.5.
2. 2018 Obj: Increase the percentage of students reclassified as Fluent English Proficient (FEP) from 16 to 20.
3. 2019 Obj: Increase the percentage of students reclassified as Fluent English Proficient (FEP) from 20 to 24.

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*The reclassification rate will not be available until the Accountability section has all the data necessary to calculate.

**Goal:** 3 To increase customer satisfaction

**Objectives:**
1. 2017 Obj: Increase Homeless Education external customer satisfaction rating from 4.50 to 4.55.
2. 2018 Obj: Implement a new external customer satisfaction survey for the Homeless Education program and set baseline score.*
3. 2019 Obj: Increase the Homeless Education external customer satisfaction rating from baseline.

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*The ADE Homeless Education program stopped previous survey methods due to changes in the program. In the FY2018 year, the program will implement a new and updated survey which will establish a new baseline. Another reason for the change is due to a change in leadership within the program.

**Objectives:**
1. 2017 Obj: Increase Migrant Education external customer satisfaction rating from 4.50. to 4.55.*
2. 2018 Obj: Increase the percentage of LEAs meeting the requirements of the Service Delivery Plan from 30% to 45%.
3. 2019 Obj: Increase the percentage of LEAs meeting the requirements of the Service Delivery Plan from 45% to 50%.

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Increase the percentage of LEAs meeting the requirements of the Service Delivery Plan.**

*This is no longer measured.

**New estimates for 2018 and 2019.
**Mission:**

To promote attainment of high academic achievement for all students through implementation of valid and reliable assessments and accurate measurement of school and student performance.

To increase student academic achievement through strategies to: improve the quality and effectiveness of teachers, principals, and other school leaders in addition to providing services to educators to assist them in obtaining and maintaining their Arizona Educator Certification.

To measure, support, and seek to improve LEA and school systems in order to significantly increase and sustain quality outcomes for Arizona students.

**Description:**

The Accountability and Assessment program focuses on improving student achievement through development and administration of valid and reliable assessments and report academic outcomes in order to make informed decisions about students, classroom practice, schools, and districts in Arizona. Support and Innovation provides support and intervention services to schools seeking to improve student achievement and academic outcomes as required by State and Federal Accountability Systems.

The Accountability Section measures performance and quality of Arizona schools, as required by State and/or Federal laws. The section works closely with School Finance, IT, Assessments, and the State Board of Education, in order to accurately label schools in a fair, transparent, and systematic manner. Accountability staff support schools, districts, and other stakeholders through appropriate and effectively reporting student outcome data for over 1 million students enrolled in almost 2000 charter and district schools throughout Arizona.

The purpose of Title I-Improving the Academic Achievement of the Disadvantaged of the Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA) is to “provide all children significant opportunity to receive a fair, equitable, and high-quality education and to close educational achievement gaps”. Title I provides technical assistance, service and support to local educational agencies (LEAs) and schools to help ensure every child has access to an excellent education.

The Certification Unit at the Arizona Department of Education provides services to educators to assist them in obtaining and maintaining their Arizona Educator Certification. Educators are certified in a myriad of areas which include Early Childhood, Elementary, Secondary, CTE, STEM, Arts, Physical Education, Administration, Special Education, Adult Education and others as well as adding approved content areas and endorsements. The unit also assists out-of-state educators in obtaining Arizona Certification as well as supports Human Resource departments through staff training and facilitating on-site certification events to meet the needs of their educators.

Effective Teachers and Leaders (Title II-A) is responsible for increasing student academic achievement through strategies to: improve the quality and effectiveness of teachers, principals, and other school leaders; increase the number of teachers, principals, and other school leaders who are effective in improving student academic achievement in schools; and provide low-income and minority students greater access to effective teachers, principals, and other school leaders. Effective Teachers and Leaders staff work closely with Local Educational Agencies (LEAs) to provide guidance, strategies, and resources to:

- Improve the effectiveness of teachers and leaders
- Achieve equitable access to effective teachers
- Support targeted professional development based on identified needs
- Assist with the implementation of the Arizona Framework for Measuring Educator Effectiveness

Support and Innovation seeks to improve LEA and school systems in order to significantly increase and sustain quality outcomes for Arizona students. The unit drives academic reform, promoting systemic change through on-site visits and desktop supports to LEAs and schools as well as a variety of professional learning opportunities. Support and Innovation actualizes systemic change in LEAs and schools by supporting the creation and sustaining of a culture of learning; planning and implementing of evidence-based Integrated Action Plans based on a comprehensive needs assessment and root cause analysis; growth of bold, turnaround leaders who significantly influence student learning, as well as, other aspects of school conditions; an instructional focus with processes and supports for teacher collaboration to constantly improve and refine standards-based, evidence based instructional and assessment practices; and data driven decision making with consistent processes for using data in all decisions as well as to measure both program implementation and student outcomes.

**This Program Contains the following Subprograms:**

- Assessment
- Adult Education
Mission:
To develop and administer valid and reliable student assessments aligned to adopted State standards.

Description:
The Assessment Section develops, administers, and provides score reports for statewide assessments that meet both State and Federal statutory requirements for student assessment. The assessments are developed in collaboration with Arizona educators, following nationally accepted scientific-based methods to produce valid and reliable assessments. The Assessment Section also creates support materials to help educators, parents, and students understand and prepare for these statewide assessments. The Assessment Section is responsible for:
- AzMERIT and AIMS Science which are statewide academic assessments that measure student proficiency of the Arizona content standards.
- MSAA and AIMS A Science which are statewide academic assessments for students with significant cognitive disabilities.
- AZELLA which measures English language proficiency of students identified as second language learners and determines placement for appropriate instruction.

In addition, the Assessment Section supports the administration of National Assessment of Educational Progress (NAEP) and the international assessments PIRLS, PISA, and TIMSS. These assessments are given to small samples of Arizona students.

The Assessment Section collaborates closely with numerous other sections within ADE: Accountability, K-12 Standards, Office of English Language Acquisition Services (OELAS), Exceptional Student Services (ESS), and Informational Technology (IT).

Goal:  To develop relevant and accurate instruments to assess all Arizona students

Objectives:
1. 2017 Obj: Evaluate customer satisfaction with Accountability and improve efficacy by piloting real-time, on-going customer feedback.
   - 2018 Obj: Maintain or increase the Accountability customer satisfaction ratings from the baseline established in FY17 by utilizing real-time, on-going customer feedback.
   - 2019 Obj: Maintain or increase the Accountability customer satisfaction ratings from FY18 by utilizing real-time, on-going customer feedback.

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*New objective and measure-data not available for FY2016

**FY19 estimate will be updated based on FY18 results.

Objectives:
2. 2017 Obj: Provide numerous engagement opportunities for external stakeholder(s) to collaborate and provide feedback on Accountability policy and implementation.
   - 2018 Obj: Provide numerous engagement opportunities for external stakeholder(s) to collaborate and provide feedback on Accountability policy and implementation.
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*New objective and measure-data not available for 2016.

**FY2017 and FY2018 objective and performance measure revised to align with Assessment’s mission and description.
**Mission:**

To serve Arizona’s education community by ensuring adult learners have access to education that prepares them for success in college, career, and life.

**Description:**

The Adult Education subprogram provides adult learners who are at least 16 years of age, legally present in the United States and not currently enrolled in the public K-12 school system, access to quality educational opportunities that will support them in their employment, job training, and higher education aspirations. This subprogram also assists adult learners in acquiring the knowledge and skills necessary for effective participation in society.

Adult Education, one of four core programs authorized under the Workforce Innovation & Opportunity Act (WIOA), coordinates with Workforce Development, Employment Services and Vocational Rehabilitation Services to provide learner-centered instruction below post-secondary levels to adult learners in one or more of the following areas:

1. English Language Acquisition
2. Adult Basic Education
3. Adult Secondary Education, including preparation for testing to obtain a High School Equivalency diploma
4. Civics engagement
5. Workforce preparation skills
6. Digital literacy skills.

**Goal:** To increase academic achievement of learners age 16 and over

**Objectives:**

1. **2017 Obj:** Establish baseline for the percentage of adult learners increasing academic skills by two grade levels or more.^

2. **2018 Obj:** Increase the percentage of adult learners increasing academic skills by two grade levels or more to one percentage point over baseline.

3. **2019 Obj:** Increase the percentage of adult learners increasing academic skills by two grade levels or more to two percentage points over baseline.

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\^ FY2016 end-of-year data was 51%

\*New performance requirements implemented under WIOA for this measure, effective July 1, 2016 for FY2017 outcomes.

\**Final outcome data available by January 2018.
Objectives:  
2017 Obj: Increase the percentage of adult learners earning a High School Equivalency diploma to two percentage points over FY2016 actual.
2018 Obj: Increase the percentage of adult learners earning a High School Equivalency diploma to one percentage points over FY2017 baseline.
2019 Obj: Increase the percentage of adult learners earning a High School Equivalency diploma to two percentage points over FY2017 baseline.

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* The estimate for 2017 was based on cohort methodology; after WIOA regulations were released in August 2016 the methodology changed to include all students as the denominator making the 2017 outcome a baseline for a new performance measure. Final outcome data is available January 2018.

Goal:  
2 To improve customer satisfaction

Objectives:  
1 2017 Obj: Pilot online survey process to track external customer satisfaction following email and virtual technical assistance and establish baseline.*
2018 Obj: Pilot online survey process to track external customer satisfaction following email and virtual technical assistance and establish baseline.**
2019 Obj: Increase external customer satisfaction to two percentage points over baseline.

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*The pilot was not completed in 2017.
**Pilot and baseline will be conducted in 2018.

Objectives:  
2 2017 Obj: Maintain at least 97 percent of GED transcript requests fulfilled in one business day.
2018 Obj: Maintain at least 97 percent of GED transcript requests fulfilled in one business day.
2019 Obj: Maintain at least 97 percent of GED transcript requests fulfilled in one business day.

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*Slight decrease in percent of transcript requests fulfilled in one day due to staff vacancies.