

**Resolution Agreement
Hamilton Unified School District
OCR Case No. 09-16-1023**

The Hamilton Unified School District (District), without admitting to any violation of law, agrees to implement the following provisions in this Resolution Agreement (Agreement) to resolve the issues investigated by the Office for Civil Rights, U.S. Department of Education (OCR), under the Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (Title VI) and its implementing regulation in the above referenced OCR case number.

The District agrees to take the following steps:

I. English Learner Student Progress Monitoring

- A. The District will develop a plan (Plan) to monitor student progress of English language acquisition designed to identify English Learner (EL) students and Reclassified Fluent English Proficient (RFEP) students at all grade levels and English proficiency levels who are not making expected progress. The Plan will include a description of the criteria by which such students will be identified, the instruction and interventions available to them, the process to be used to assign students to instruction and intervention programs and an evaluation of the programs' effectiveness.

Reporting Requirements

- B. By October 1, 2018, the District will submit to OCR for review and approval the Plan described above.
- C. By October 1, 2018, the District will submit to OCR for review a copy of all *Long-Term English Learner Monitoring and Catch-up Plans* and *RFEP Monitoring and Plans* completed during the 2017-2018 school year.
- D. By June 28, 2019, the District will submit to OCR for review documentation of implementation of the Plan described in Section I.A., including copies of all *Long-Term English Learner Monitoring and Catch-up Plans* and *RFEP Monitoring and Plans* completed during the 2018-2019 school year.

II. Monitoring

The District understands that by signing this Agreement, it agrees to provide data and other information in a timely manner in accordance with the reporting requirements of this Agreement. Further the District understands that during the monitoring of this agreement, if necessary, OCR may visit the District, interview staff and students, and request such additional reports or data as are necessary for OCR to determine whether the District has fulfilled the terms of this Agreement. Upon the District's satisfaction of the commitments made under the Agreement, OCR will close the case.

The District understands and acknowledges that OCR may initiate administrative enforcement or judicial proceedings to enforce the specific terms and obligations of this Agreement. Before initiating administrative enforcement (34 C.F.R. §§ 100.9, 100.10), or judicial proceedings to enforce this Agreement, OCR shall give the District written notice of the alleged breach and sixty (60) calendar days to cure the alleged breach.

_____/s/_____
Superintendent
Hamilton Unified School District

06/20/2018
Date