

RESOLUTION AGREEMENT
Roanoke County Public Schools
OCR Complaint No. 11-18-1439

Roanoke County Public Schools (the Division) agrees to fully implement this Resolution Agreement (Agreement) to resolve Office for Civil Rights (OCR) Complaint No. 11-18-1439. This Agreement does not constitute an admission by the Division of a violation of Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 (Section 504), Title II of the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 (Title II), or any other law enforced by OCR.

The Division commits to modifying the areas at Northside High School (the School) identified in this Agreement and assures that upon successful completion, these areas and the routes to the nearest main front accessible entrance will be accessible to individuals with disabilities. All modifications to the areas identified in this Agreement will be made accessible in accordance with the U.S. Department of Justice 2010 ADA Standards for Accessible Design (2010 Standards), 28 C.F. R. Part 36, Appendix A.

1. By March 15, 2019, the Division will provide adequate accessible parking spaces, including van accessible parking spaces, to serve the School's main accessible front entrance in compliance with the 2010 Standards. The accessible parking spaces will be in Front Lot A, the lot directly adjacent to the School's main front accessible entrance and contain a minimum of seven accessible spaces. During large scheduled events held at the School where the main front entrance of the School is utilized, such as back to school night, the majority of these accessible parking spaces will be reserved for use by guests and parents attending the event. The Division will also continue to maintain the 5 designated accessible spaces located in the School's lower front lot (Front Lot B).
2. All of the accessible spaces will have appropriate signage, access isles and connection to an accessible route, including directional signage if applicable, to the accessible main entrance of the School pursuant to Item 1 of the Agreement.
3. If Item 1 of this Agreement is not completed by March 15, 2019, the Division will designate a process and provide interim adequate accessible parking spaces in compliance with Item 1 of this Agreement.
4. During the 2018-2019 and 2019-2020 school years, the School Principal and the School's Section 504 Coordinator will serve as points of contact to provide accessible parking for any parents who may have a scheduled parent-teacher conference at the school or may want to visit the school that have concerns regarding the availability of accessible parking spaces at the School.

Reporting Requirement:

By February 8, 2019, the Division will submit to OCR, for review and approval, its proposal, including a prospective timeframe and the specifications for the accessible parking spaces, to complete the work set forth in paragraphs 1-2 above.

By March 15, 2019, the Division will provide OCR with documentation verifying it has fulfilled the commitments in paragraphs 1-2 above, or paragraph 3 above if required,

including photographs with slope measurements demonstrating that the accessible parking spaces, access isles, and signage comply with the 2010 ADA Standards for Accessible Design. OCR may schedule an on-site visit to inspect the renovations, with reasonable notice to the Division.

The Division 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 the Agreement. Further, the Division understands that during the monitoring of this Agreement, if necessary, OCR may visit the Division, interview staff and students, and request such additional reports or data as are necessary for OCR to determine whether the Division has fulfilled the terms of this Agreement. Upon the Division's satisfaction of the commitments made under this Agreement, OCR will close this case.

The Division 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 will give the Division written notice of the alleged breach and sixty (60) calendar days to cure the alleged breach.

By: _____
Dr. Jessica McClung, Assistant Superintendent
Roanoke County Public Schools

Date: _____