

Academic Services Monthly Update

Highlights & District Updates for Our Community

MONTHLY UPDATE

FEDERAL PROGRAMS
FUNDING & STUDENT SUPPORT

- **Grant Application Completed:** The district's Special Education grant application was submitted on time, securing vital federal funds to support local classrooms and students.
- **Managing Our Resources:** Every grant dollar is carefully tracked to ensure our schools meet state standards and bring maximum benefits to the children.

SPECIAL EDUCATION
STRONG PROGRAMS & STUDENT SUCCESS

- **Tiers of Intensity Training:** A first group of case managers completed training at Region 20, learning the latest reporting rules to better guide campus teams.
- **Yearly Review Planning:** Preparations are underway for the regular district review, ensuring special education services remain strong, supportive, and on schedule.

STUDENT SUPPORT
COUNSELING & FAMILY CARE

- **Community Partnerships:** A positive planning session took place with trusted partners—including South Texas Rural Health Services, KSTARR, and TCHAT—**to renew agreements and expand mental health care for families.**



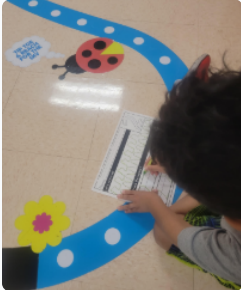
COUNSELING & GUIDANCE
Working Together for Our Kids
District leaders, counselors, and local healthcare partners meet to plan caring mental health and wellness services for students and families.

SECTION 504
EASY ACCESS & SCHOOL TEAM SUPPORT

- **Moving Records Online:** Shifting Section 504 paperwork into a secure digital system continues district-wide, making records easy for staff to locate while protecting student privacy.
- **Campus Team Guidance:** Regular training and coaching are provided to school committees so every student receives needed accommodations without delay.

EMERGENT BILINGUAL & LANGUAGE PROGRAMS
LANGUAGE GROWTH & CLASSROOM READINESS

- **Beginning-of-Year Testing:** Beginning-of-year language assessments (LAS Links and Pre-LAS) are now finished, helping identify and welcome new and returning bilingual learners.
- **Campus Committee Collaboration:** Close collaboration with campus language committees ensures test results turn into personalized learning plans for each child.



BILINGUAL READINESS & PRE-LAS
Early Language Assessment & Growth
Pre-LAS testing helps teachers discover each young learner's language strengths, guiding fun, hands-on activities that build early speaking and listening skills.