

Bilingual Coordinators Network (BCN)

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Agenda

- English Learner Progress Indicator (ELPI) Update
- ELPI formula (with long-term English learner [LTEL])
- Takeaways from the August Council of Chief State School Officers (CCSSO) meeting in Denver

ELPI Update

Processing the ELPI

- The ELPI transferred from the Academic Accountability Unit (AAU) to the Data Visualization and Reporting Office (DVRO)
- DVRO programmers have matched the ELPI results posted in the March Dashboard
- DVRO staff are now reviewing the 2016–17 California English Language Development Test (CELDT) file to begin processing for the Fall 2017 Dashboard release

ELPI Update (Cont.)

The data used for Fall 2017 Dashboard will include current data.

Dashboard Release	CELDT Data	RFEP* Data
March	2014-15	2013-14
Fall 2017	2016-17	2015-16

*Reclassified Fluent English Proficient

ELPI Update (Cont.)

September State Board of Education (SBE) Agenda Item

- AMARD will present to the SBE at the September 2017 SBE meeting on approving the ELPI formula (outlined in the April 2017 SBE Memo).
- April SBE Memo with summary found here:
<http://www.cde.ca.gov/be/pn/im/documents/memo-dsib-amard-apr17item01.doc>

ELPI Formula

Annual CELDT Test Takers Who Increased at least 1 CELDT Level

Plus

Annual CELDT Test Takers Who Maintained Early Advanced/
Advanced English Proficient on the CELDT

Plus

English learners (ELs) Who Were Reclassified in the Prior Year

Plus

**LTEL CELDT Test Takers Who
Increased at Least 1 CELDT Level**

Divided by

Total Number of Annual CELDT Test Takers in the Current Year plus

ELs Who Were Reclassified in the Prior Year

Takeaways from the CCSSO Meeting

- States differ significantly (Vermont vs. California)
- N size matters a lot (privacy vs. transparency)
- Many different ways states are responding to the Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA)
EL accountability (growth is common)

Discussion Questions

At your tables please discuss:

- What are your main takeaways from today's presentation?
- What do you think people in your district want to know most when it comes to the ELPI?
- How you will share the main takeaways with the people at your district?

Questions???

Thank you for your time!

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