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Additional Days School Year Overview August 1, 2023

# **Key TEA Personnel**

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## Additional Days School Year (ADSY) Team

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# **Declining Achievement During Summer Breaks**

Student achievement levels drop during the summer months, commonly referred to as the "summer slide".



Graph completed by Boston Consulting Group. Source: Cooper, H., Borman, G., and Fairchild, R. (2010). "School Calendars and Academic Achievement" In. J. Meece and J.Eccles (Eds.), Handbook of research on schools, schooling and human development (pp. 342-355). Mahwah, NJ: Eribaum



# **Economically disadvantaged students experienced greater learning loss in both reading and math**



1. Includes STAAR 3-8 Reading, English I and English II EOC Assessments; 2.7M tested students in 2019 with 2M eco. dis. and 2.4M in 2021 with 1.7M eco. dis. 2. Includes STAAR 3-8 Mathematics, Algebra I EOC Assessment; 3.3M tested students in 2019 with 1.7M eco. dis. and 2.9M in 2021 with 1.4M eco. dis. Note: Results for grades 3-5 combine assessments given in Spanish and English. Participation in STAAR math and reading assessments in 2021 was 86%. Spring 2021 STAAR results are for learning and recovery planning only – no SSI grade promotion requirements or ratings for districts or campuses. There is no 2020 STAAR data because of cancellation of STAAR in spring 2020. | Source: Spring 2019 and Spring 2021 STAAR Data

# **TEXAS Education Agency** In 2022, ADSY campuses outpaced the state in percent of students who scores approaches or better on STAAR

Percent STAAR eligible scoring Approaches or Better - Grades 3-5 SY20-21 to SY21-22

— ADSY Campuses
— non ADSY



2021202220212022Campuses using ADSY days outpaced non-ADSY campuses in change in students scoring<br/>approaches or better on STAAR by 9 percentage points in math and 8 percentage points in RLA.

Sources: PEIMS ADSY attendance data, Student STAAR data. Only students in grades 3-5 in SY21-22 with STAAR records in both SY20-21 and SY21-22 are included (non-ADSY campuses N=569,823; ADSY campuses N=41,479 students in 352 campuses.

# **Additional Days School Year (ADSY)**



HB 3 added **half-day formula funding** for school systems that want to add instructional days (beyond a minimum 180 days, **up to 210 days**) to any of their elementary schools (grades **PK-5**).



# **ADSY Eligibility**





Serve at least one grade level within grades PreK-5



Ensure the **campus academic calendar will have at least 180 instructional days**, not including staff development waivers; ideal calendars also have two bad-weather make-up days identified



Have a campus academic calendar with at least 75,600 operational minutes



Be willing to **add up to 30 additional half days of instruction** (ADSY days) to the 180 instructional days in a campus's academic calendar



Have a **teacher** meeting the LEA's certification requirements **deliver at least two hours of instruction** on dedicated ADSY days



Host **ADSY days on separate days** from regular instructional calendar days



# **ADSY Design Considerations**





## **Option 1: Voluntary Summer Learning**

- Purpose: Summer Enrichment
- <u>Think</u>: 180-day traditional calendar, and up to 30 days for something additional



## **Option 2: Intersessional Calendar**

- <u>Purpose</u>: Targeted Remediation
- <u>Think</u>: 180 days spaced out over the full year, with intermittent breaks for targeted remediation with a subset of students



## **Option 3: Full Year Redesign**

- Purpose: Rethinking the School Day
- <u>Think</u>: A revamped 7x6-weeks calendar, daily schedule changes to increase teacher planning time and student play



# **Summer Program Example**





Snyder ISD – 2021-2022 Calendar

30 Additional Days through Summer Program

Last Day of Academic Year: June 11, 2021

Summer Dates: June 14 – July 30, 2021 Program follows evidence-based practices from RAND Getting to Work on Summer Learning (minimum of 25 six-hour days)

Start of Following Year: August 11, 2021

**Length of Summer Break:** 1.5 weeks for students in Summer Intersession, 8.5 weeks for others

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# **Intersessional Calendar Example**



Garland ISD – 2021-2022 Calendar

Additional Days School Year

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22 Additional Days through Intersessions

Start Date: August 2, 2021

Intersessions: 9/27 - 10/1 - Fall Intersession 1/3 - 1/6 - Winter Intersession 3/7 - 3/11 - Spring Intersession 6/13 - 6/23 - Summer Intersession

**End Date:** 6/9/22 for all students, 6/23/22 for students in Summer Intersession

**Length of Summer Break:** 7 weeks for students in Summer Intersession, 9 weeks for others

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# **Full Year Redesign Calendar Example**





#### 2021-22 VINES INSTRUCTIONAL CALENDAR

| JULY   | AUGUST   | SEPTEMBER                                    | OCTOBER   |  |  |
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| Student Holidays   | Important Da                                       |  |   |  |  |
| Staff Development/Work Day                                   | . Aug. 13 Teachers Report to W                     | /orkJuly 5                                   |   |  |  |
|  | Labor Day Week                                     |  |   |  |  |
| Thanksgiving   |  |  |   |  |  |
| Midwinter Break  |  |  |   |  |  |
| Martin Luther King Jr. Holiday Jan. 17<br>Presidents Day     |  |  |   |  |  |
| Spring Break Mar. 14-18 👘 Nine Weeks Start/End               |  |  |   |  |  |
| Student Holiday April 15<br>Memorial Day                     |  |  | Updated on April 28, 2021.                              |  |  |
| memorial day   | First/Last Day of                                  | Classes Q 2520 V                             | 2520 W.W. Thorne Blvd Houston, TX 77073                 |  |  |
|  | Additional Schoo                                   |  |   |  |  |
|  | Student Showcas                                    | e Days 🌐 Aldine                              | ISD.org () /AldineSchoolDistrict                        |  |  |

#### Aldine ISD – 2021-2022 Calendar

30 Additional Days through Full Year Redesign

Start Date: July 9, 2021

Additional Days: Wednesdays throughout the school year (minimizes attendance risks for non-compulsory ADSY funding)

End Date: 6/9/22

Length of Summer Break: 4 weeks for all students

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# **PEIMS and Fiscal Considerations**



There are fiscal considerations around timing of funds (ADSY) or extending use of ESSER funds. It is critical to bring your finance team along as a core member of the planning committee.



**ADSY Attendance Projections** – Attendance is projected on a biennial basis. If you did not project ADSY attendance for 2023-2024 or 2024-2025 in the winter of 2022, you can still receive ADSY funds, however it would be in the settle-up process after the year is over.



**Attaching to Associated School Year** – Summer ADSY days can be associated with either the previous school year or the following school year. This impacts the grade levels a campus/LEA would invite to the summer program. *This may also impact SIS rollover and require attendance to be collected manually*.



**Reporting with 180 days** – LEAs will receive a warning in the 3<sup>rd</sup> PEIMS submission starting in 22-23 for any instructional calendars fewer than 180. This warning does not account for Missed Day Waivers or future waiver opportunities. PEIMS coordinators need to be aware of the ADSY program!





# 2023-2024 Updates



## **ADSY Survey**



TEA is launching the **2023-2024 ADSY Implementation Survey** from **August 3<sup>rd</sup> through August 25<sup>th</sup>, 2023**. The goal is to gather implementation trends to inform support, as well as to verify academic calendar eligibility. This will launch via TAA on Thursday, August 3<sup>rd</sup>. Please encourage participating LEAs to complete this survey!



# **ADSY Waiver Updates**



Beginning in the 2023–2024 school year, participating campuses are eligible for up to five days of ADSY waivers for missed instructional days throughout the year due to weather, health, or safety reasons. These waiver days are for the purpose of ensuring compliance with the 180 days of instruction requirement and are distinct from the Missed School Day waiver.

LEAs needing an ADSY Waiver will need to submit documentation through the TEAL waivers system.



# **ADSY Waiver Components**

- LEA Contact (First Name, Last Name, Phone, Email)
- Date of Board Approval
- Campus(es) impacted (*select "All Campuses" if applying for the entire district*)
- Reason for Missed School Day(s) (*Weather, Health, Safety, or Other*)
- Date of Missed School Day(s)
- Certification of Board-adopted 180 instructional day calendar for the current school year
- Explanation of Reason for Missed School Day(s)
- Supporting Documentation (submitted with waiver application):
  - Documentation for the reason for missed school day(s). Supporting documentation may be news articles, letter to parents, info shared with Board or district, etc.
  - Board agenda from meeting at which the waiver application request was approved.
  - Submission of evidence of a board-approved 180-day calendar via the ADSY 2023-2024 survey to verify ADSY eligibility. (Must be submitted prior to applying for the waiver.





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ADSY Planning and Execution Program



# **ADSY vs. ADSY PEP**

ADSY PEP is a grant program – distinct from ADSY -- that includes **an initial planning year followed by annual program refinement and implementation**. Participating LEAs implement either an evidence based summer program or a full year redesign.

ADSY PEP requirements are above and beyond the requirements to access ADSY formula funds. Only LEAs going through the grant program need to meet these requirements (some examples below).

#### Summer

- 25+ summer days with 6+ hours
- 3 hours of academics + 2 hours enrichment + 1 flex hour each day
- Strategic plan development focused on academic, enrichment, operations, and culture

#### Full Year Redesign

- 30 ADSY days added as a streamlined 210-day calendar for all students
- Daily master schedule changes to reflect more student brain breaks and teacher planning time
- Strategic plan development focused on all facets of model design and implementation



# **ADSY Planning and Execution Program**

The ADSY Planning and Execution Program (PEP) is a four-year process for school systems to design, implement, and continuously improve Summer Learning and Full Year Redesign options of the ADSY Initiative. This program is not required to access ADSY funding.



# **ADSY PEP Stakeholders**





#### **Decision 8 / ADSY Summer**



# **Decision 7: ADSY PEP Full Year Redesign Current State**

| Cycle<br># | # of<br>Active<br>LEAs | Implem<br>entatio<br>n Year | ADSY<br>Student<br>Enrollment | ADSY Day<br>Att. Rate | Non-ADSY<br>Day<br>Att. Rate |
|------------|------------------------|-----------------------------|-------------------------------|-----------------------|------------------------------|
| 1          | 5                      | 21-22                       | 4,136                         | 86.8%                 | 91.3%                        |
| 2          | 6                      | 22-23                       | 848 (estimated)               | Pending               |                              |
| 3          | 3                      | 23-24                       | TBD                           |                       |                              |

Decision 7 / Full Year Redesign remains a small grant program that is difficult to implement, but is seeing very promising student outcomes.



# **ADSY PEP Full Year Redesign Accountability Growth**

Initial accountability data for Cycle 1 Full Year Redesign grantees shows participating campuses outperforming their LEA's accountability growth by an average of 11 points.



**District vs. FYR Campus Growth from 2019 to 2022** 

# **Decision 8: ADSY PEP Summer Current State**



| Cycle<br># | # of<br>Active<br>LEAs | Implementati<br>on Summer | Student<br>Enrollment |  |
|------------|------------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------|--|
| 1          | 5                      | 2021                      | 2,600                 |  |
| 2          | 38                     | 2022                      | 41,000+               |  |
| 3          | 22                     | 2023                      | 62,000+               |  |
| 4          | 9+                     | 2024                      | TBD                   |  |

Decision 8 / Strong Summer has supported over 5% of districts in the state implement an evidence-based summer program.



# **ADSY PEP LEAs Across the State**



ADSY PEP has LEA representation across the state:

- 60+ LEAs implementing Voluntary Summer Learning in summer 2023
- 12 LEAs implemented Full-Year Redesign or Intercessional Models in 2022-23







Budgeting for Summer Learning



## **Budgeting Tools - Most Common Sources of Summer Funding**

| Funding Source                    | Federal vs.<br>State | Type of Funding   | Funding Delivery<br>Method                                   | Timing for<br>Receiving Funds                | Fund Flexibility Level  |
|-----------------------------------|----------------------|-------------------|--|--|---|
| 21st CCLC                         | Federal              | Competitive Grant | New grants are awarded<br>in grant cycles every 2-3<br>years | One grant cycle is five years long           | HIGH: Funds can be used for academics or enrichment   |
| Additional Days School Year       | State                | Formula Funding   | Foundation School<br>Program                                 | State funding cycle<br>(including settle-up) | HIGH: Funds are dispersed as general revenue  |
| Early Education Allotment         | State                | Formula Funding   | Foundation School<br>Program                                 | State funding cycle                          | HIGH: Funds must go toward improving student performance  |
| English Learner Summer<br>Program | Federal              | Formula Funding   | EL units are reimbursed on a prorated basis                  | Annually                                     | LOW: Funds must be used on instruction  |
| State Compensatory Education      | State                | Formula Funding   | Foundation School<br>Program                                 | State funding cycle                          | HIGH: Funds must go toward increasing academic achievement and reducing dropout rates               |
| Teacher Incentive Allotment       | State                | Formula Funding   | Foundation School<br>Program                                 | Annually                                     | LOW: Only TIA districts are eligible for this funding.<br>Funds must go toward teacher compensation |
| Title Funds                       | Federal              | Formula Funding   | Drawdowns determined by districts                            | Drawdowns<br>determined by<br>districts      | VARIES: Fund use is determined by Title Fund  |



# **Example: Stacking ADSY with 21<sup>st</sup> CCLC Funds**

| Hour              | Hour One        | Hour Two        | Hour Three           | Hour Four            | Hour Five            | Hour Six             |
|-------------------|-----------------|-----------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|
| Programming       | Instruction     | Instruction     | Instruction          | Enrichment           | Enrichment           | Enrichment           |
| Funding<br>Source | ADSY<br>Funding | ADSY<br>Funding | 21st CCLC<br>Funding | 21st CCLC<br>Funding | 21st CCLC<br>Funding | 21st CCLC<br>Funding |

ADSY funds can be 'stacked' with 21<sup>st</sup> Century/ACE funds in the same day if they are used as a supplemental aspect to the program.

- ADSY has a minimum instruction requirement of two hours per day
- 21<sup>st</sup> CCLC requires a four-hour summer day



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Implementation Trends





Regions that include major urban centers (Houston, Dallas, San Antonio) tend to have higher district representation. Rural east Texas and the panhandle areas tend to be underrepresented.



Q&A



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