

K-12 English Language Development Curriculum Committee Meeting #4

Date: Aug 13, 2026 4:00 PM MST

Time: 4:00 - 6:00pm (doors open at 3:50pm)

Location: District Training Center, North & South

Facilitators: Kristie Faitz-Kroener, Jennifer Stults, and Nanci Walker - ELD Instructional Coaches

Purpose of Committee: The Federal Programs Department will be facilitating the committee process for presenting a K-12 ELD curriculum adoption (for students with pre-emergent and basic English language proficiency) to the PV Governing Board. As part of this process, the committee will be considering traditional publisher resources, online programs, and open source curriculum resources for this adoption.

Purpose of meeting: To review the evaluation of curricula and gain consensus on which resources will move forward for the 60-day review or be removed from consideration.

Outcomes of meeting: A shared understanding of the K-12 ELD curriculum adoption process so that we can make clear recommendations and communicate our progress to stakeholders.

- Review and discuss the first three meetings and our shared goal
- Preview upcoming important dates and action items
- Review EL data from 2026
- Review the process of evaluating curriculum and the importance of evidence-based decision making.
- Reach consensus on categories to include in the draft evaluation rubric
- Work in subgroups; up to 3 reviewers per subgroup share pros/cons of evaluated curriculum

Agenda

- A. **Welcome**
 - a. Purpose, Committee Members, Welcome and Introductions
- B. **Curriculum Adoption Process**
 - a. Adoption Timeline
 - b. Curriculum Review Framing Story
- C. **EL Data Review**
 - a. AZELLA Data
- D. **Rubric**
 - a. Review and finalize rubric
- E. **Evaluating Curriculum**
 - a. Review in groups
 - b. Share pros and cons
- F. **Communication**
 - a. Communication

- b. Meeting Evaluation +/-Δ

G. Call to the Public and Questions

- a. Community member comments

H. Next Steps

- a. Thank you for your service
- b. Next Meetings
 - i. Meeting #5 - September 14, 2026 from 4-6pm in DTC North & South
 - ii. Meeting #6 - October 22, 2026 from 4-6pm in DTC North & South