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TO: Superintendents of Public School Districts
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SUBJECT: English Language Learner (ELL) and Immigrant Student Counts for 2024-25 ESSA Title III Allocations

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The New York State Education Department (NYSED) is preparing to calculate 2024-25 ESSA Title III allocations to Local Education Agencies (LEAs) for ELL and Immigrant

stration of the New York State English as a Second Language Achievement Test (NYSESLAT), LEAs may have already reported appropriate ELL codes in the SIRS. It is still important, however, for LEAs to verify ELL student counts as described in this memo.

The following timeline has been established:

Beginning the week of May 6, 2024 through the weekending on June 7, 2024

- LEAs review ELL counts by district and charter school in Level 2 o

  harter school student data in their local student management systems and ensure that the revised data are loaded into Level 2 of the SIRS by June 7, 2024. Local Level 1 data centers will require data to be submitted earlier than June 7 in order to allow sufficient time for processing.

- LEAs work with nonpublic schools to verify accuracy of ELL counts reported through the IDEx on the Fall 2023 BEDS Online Report Nonpublic form. Information on how to log into the IDEx can be found at http://www.p12.nysed.gov/irs/documents/IDEXinstructionsBEDSIMF.pdf

- LEAs review nonpublic immigrant data reported through the IDEx on the Fall 2023 BEDS Online Report District form. Information on how to log into the IDEx can be found at http://www.p12.nysed.gov/irs/documents/IDEXinstructionsBEDSIMF.pdf

June 10, 2024

- Public ELL and Immigrant counts by district and charter school in Level 2 of the SIRS and nonpublic school ELL and Immigrant counts by district in BEDS on June 10, 2024 will be used for 2024-25 Title III ELL allocations.

End of June 2024 to early July 2025

2024-25 Title III ELL and Immigrant counts will be posted at
http://www.p12.nysed.gov/accountability/allocations/

Local Education Agencies (LEAs) should work with nonpublic schools to ensure that inaccurate data are corrected:

Counts of ELL students attending nonpublic schools are reported by nonpublic schools on Item 6A of the Fall 2023 Nonpublic BEDS form. Nonpublic schools with incorrect ELL counts should scan corrected ELL counts for Item 6A of their Fall 2023 BEDS Report of Nonpublic Schools form and email them to the NYSED Office of Information and Reporting Services (IRS) at datasupport@nysed.gov > >} Œ Œ š] } v X _ } Œ Œ š] } v • require the CEO } µ v š • • Z } µ o Œ (o š • š µ v š • Á Z } were enrolled on BEDS day, October 4, 2023.

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