Policy 6170

English Language Development Program

In accordance with the Board's philosophy to provide a quality educational program for all students enrolled in the Tredyffrin/Easttown School District and to increase the English language proficiency of students who are English Learners (ELs), the District will provide an effective Language Instruction Educational Program (LIEP) in accordance with applicable federal and state laws and regulations that meets the needs of ELs.

The goal of the LIEP is to demonstrate success in increasing the English language proficiency and student academic achievement of ELs so that they can attain the academic standards adopted by the Board and achieve academic success.

The Superintendent or designee, in conjunction with appropriate stakeholders, shall develop and disseminate written procedures regarding the ELD program, which shall include the following:

- 1. Program goals;
- 2. Students enrollment procedures (i.e. Home Language Survey);
- 3. Assessment procedures for program entrance, measuring progress in gaining English proficiency, and program exiting;
- 4. Accommodations for ELs in the classroom;
- 5. Grading policies;
- 6. Resources, including support agencies and interpreters.

ELD Programs and services to students attending private schools shall be provided only if, and only to the extent, required by law.

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