



SOUTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

SCHOOL DISTRICT MEMORANDA

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Missed last week's memos?

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IMPORTANT DATES

[Missing Assessment Scores in Enrich for Achievement or Preparing for Success Ratings \(9/30/2022\)](#)

[Embargoed Report Cards to Districts \(10/1/2022\)](#)

[Surplus Property on District Websites \(10/7/2022\)](#)

[Update or Add Information to the Summer Survey or Narrative \(10/11/2022\)](#)

[Public Report Card Release \(10/13/2022\)](#)

[SC SBHA Informational Session \(10/17/2022\)](#)

[Capital Needs Reports \(11/1/2022\)](#)

[U.S. Presidential Scholars Award Nominations \(11/4/2022\)](#)

ACCOUNTABILITY

New Multilingual Learner Program Data Management System

AUDIENCE: District Superintendents, ESEA Title III MLP Coordinators, District Information Technology (IT) Leaders, PowerSchool IT Contacts

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The South Carolina Department of Education (SCDE) has procured a vendor, [Ellevation](#), to provide South Carolina districts with a Multilingual Learner Program (MLP) Data Management System. Ellevation will assist with two essential components of the MLP – a platform for required programmatic documentation and an instructional strategies component.

MENTAL HEALTH

New Opportunity to Support School Mental Health Efforts

AUDIENCE: District Superintendents, Public Information Officers, Principals, Student Services Directors, RBHS Coordinators, Special Services Directors, Mental Health Directors, School Counseling Personnel Coordinators

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The University of South Carolina Department of Psychology, in partnership with the SC Department of Health and Human Services, is announcing the launch of the John H. Magill SC School Behavioral Health Academy (SBHA). The SC SBHA is designed to support school districts as they strengthen mental health services to students using a multi-tiered systems approach. Through a mix of online instruction and in-person coaching, the SC SBHA will assist school districts in responding to the child and adolescent mental health crisis by adopting practical, science-based approaches to improving mental health for all students.

Beginning October 3, SC SBHA courses will be available to counselors, teachers, administrators, and other staff to support student mental health.

[New Opportunity to Support School Mental Health Efforts - Memo](#) PDF (165 KB)

PROVISO

Proviso 1.113 (SDE: Surplus Property) - Compliance Instructions

AUDIENCE: District Superintendents

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Per proviso 1.113 (SDE: Surplus Property), “school districts must publish on their website by September 15, 2022, a list of properties that qualify under this provision.”

To ensure compliance, districts shall provide Daniel Haven, dbhaven@ed.sc.gov, a link to this specific portion of their website no later than **Friday, October 7, 2022**. Please use the following in the subject line when emailing the link: “Proviso 1.113 – District Name.”

[Proviso 1.113 \(SDE: Surplus Property\) - Compliance Instructions - Memo](#) PDF (141 KB)

SCHOOL FACILITIES

Statewide Capital Needs Report

AUDIENCE: District Superintendents, District Facilities Managers

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Section 59-144-130 of the SC Code of Laws requires the State Board of Education (SBE) to report every three years, “the projected five-year school facilities requirements reported by

the school districts, the needs identified since the last report, and those previously identified needs addressed since the last report.”

This report is due to the General Assembly in December 2022 but must first be approved by the SBE at its December 2022 meeting. **In order to ensure that the deadline is met, the Office of School Facilities (OSF) must receive the necessary information from each district on or before November 1, 2022.** Your immediate attention to this matter is critical.

[Statewide Capital Needs Report - Memo](#) PDF (167 KB)

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