



Decatur Independent School District
Board of Trustees Agenda Item

To: Board of Trustees
From: Taylor Williams
Subject: 2025-2026 District Improvement Plan Update
Meeting Date: August 27, 2026
Type of Item: ☐ Information ☐ Presentation ☐ Consent Agenda ☐ Discussion ☒ Action

Supporting Documents: ☐ Yes ☒ No

Background Information and Rationale:

The language of the District Improvement Plan is updated to reflect the Comprehensive School Mental Health Services Requirements as follows:

Priority 1: Nurture learning to ensure high performance

Performance Objective 1.1: Students will be safe and secure

Key Strategic Action:

Strengthen districtwide grief-informed and trauma-informed practices by providing staff training, implementing consistent campus-level practices and procedures, and connecting students experiencing grief or trauma with appropriate supports and resources.

Key Performance Indicator:

By the end of the 2026–27 school year, 100% of campuses will implement documented grief-informed and trauma-informed practices, with staff training and implementation monitored through campus and district documentation.

Support of Strategic Goals:

- Goal 1: DISD supports students in a multitude of ways to nurture learning and ensure high performance.

Fiscal Implication: N/A

Administrative Recommendation: Accept the updated language in the District Improvement Plan as noted above.

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Respectfully submitted,

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