



MASSACHUSETTS

**Department of Elementary
and Secondary Education**

**Truro
(LEA Code: 0300)**

ESSA Federal Grant Program Monitoring (I, IIA, and IVA)

Monitoring Outcomes Report

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Federal Grant Programs Team

Resource Allocation Strategy and Planning Office



**Patrick Tutwiler
Interim Commissioner**

MEMORANDUM

To: Truro, Title I, IIA, and IVA Directors in FY 2024 Monitoring Cohort

From: Simone Lynch, Director of Federal Grant Programs

Date: May 16, 2025

Subject: Notice of FY 2024 ESSA (Titles I, IIA, and IVA) program monitoring required actions

Thank you for submitting materials for your district's FY 2024 federal grant program monitoring review. Our federal grant program staff have reviewed the materials your district submitted and, in certain cases, have requested and obtained additional documentation from your district.

All district submissions, record of review, and the district's monitoring outcomes report are located in the Communication Hub and Monitoring Portal (CHAMP). The report lists all review criteria and indicates which requirements were fulfilled and which had findings. Criteria with findings include a finding description, required action, and a deadline for submission of evidence that the required action to address the finding is complete.

Evidence of required actions are to be uploaded in CHAMP by the deadline, **October 10, 2025**, in the same manner that initial submission of documentation was uploaded by the district monitoring contact.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact your ESSA grant monitoring reviewer.

Monitoring Outcomes Report

Criteria	Finding	Requirement Fulfilled	Required Action Resolved (if applicable)
1-A Title I Needs Assessment		Yes	
1-D Submission of Annual ESSA Grant Application		Yes	
2-A Maintenance of Effort		Yes	
2-C Title I Supplement, Not Supplant		Yes	
2-E Supplement, Not Supplant for Schoolwide Program Schools		Yes	
2-F Reservation of Title I Funds		Yes	
3-A Title I Family/Guardian Notification		Yes	
3-B Title I Family/Guardian Engagement	Yes		10/10/2025
3-C Title I Family/Guardian Outreach and Involvement	Yes		10/10/2025
4-A Title I Evaluation		Yes	
4-B Title I Schoolwide Programs		Yes	
5-A Title I Selection and Allocation		Yes	
9-A Professional Growth and Improvement	Yes		10/10/2025

3-B Title I Family/Guardian Engagement

Finding

Requirements

District and schools develop jointly with, annually evaluate and update with, and distribute to families/guardians written family/guardian engagement policies and school-family/guardian compacts.

- Family/Guardian engagement policies describe specific rights of families/guardians and the information and meaningful activities developed with families/guardians so the entire community is prepared to participate in student educational growth. Policies must also describe how families/guardians are involved in an annual evaluation of the effectiveness of the family/guardian engagement in improving academic achievement.
- School-family/guardian compacts are agreements between the entire school and the home (families/guardians) that describe the responsibilities of each party, including the student, if desired.

Legal Standards

ESEA §§1111-1112; §§1114-1116

Finding Description

The district did not submit evidence that the Title I family engagement policies were evaluated by families/guardians.

Required Action

Submit a current, dated copy of the district's and each Title I school's Title I family engagement policy after they have been updated with family/guardian input. Submit evidence that the family engagement policies have been reviewed by parents and revisions have been made in an updated policy.

Deadline for Submission of Evidence

Oct 10, 2025

3-C Title I Family/Guardian Outreach and Involvement

Finding

Requirements

Schools conduct meetings at least annually to inform participating families/guardians of students about Title I programs. District and its schools develop materials and implement training/meeting time for Title I families/guardians to understand and collaborate on:

- The state's academic content standards and state student academic achievement standards;
- State and local academic assessments, including alternative assessments;
- The family/guardian engagement requirements of section 1116; and
- Sharing best practices and resources with families/guardians on how to monitor and improve student academic progress and achievement

Additionally, districts and schools provide accessible tools to assist all families in understanding and collectively supporting student improvement and achievement.

Legal Standards

ESEA §§1111-1112; §§1114-1116

Finding Description

The district did not provide a dated notice to parents informing them of the annual Title I meeting where information about State academic standards, assessments, and parental involvement requirements and opportunities for involvement were discussed.

Required Action

Submit the dated notice sent to families/guardian informing them of the annual Title I meeting for the 2025-2026 school year.

Deadline for Submission of Evidence

Oct 10, 2025

9-A Professional Growth and Improvement

Finding

Requirements

Districts must have a system of professional growth and improvement that meets the requirements of the MA Educator Evaluation Framework, an induction and mentoring program that is strategically designed to allow for

continuous improvement of new teachers and of the program itself, and professional development activities that are sustained (not stand-alone, 1-day, or short term workshops), intensive, collaborative, job-embedded, data-driven, and classroom-focused.

Legal Standards

ESEA § 2103(b)(2)(B)

Finding Description

The district did not submit evidence of a mentoring and induction program.

Required Action

Submit evidence of a mentoring and induction program for the 2025-26 school year.

Deadline for Submission of Evidence

Oct 10, 2025