AIMS K-12 College Prep Charter District

Finance Committee Meeting

Date and Time

Tuesday August 26, 2025 at 5:30 PM PDT

Location

171 12th Street, Oakland, CA 94607

Members of the public, staff, and faculty may join virtually at:

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Agenda

		Purpose	Presenter	Time
I.	**Opening Items**			**5:30 PM**
	A. Record Attendance		Ahsjanae Hutchings	1 m
	B. Call the Meeting to Order		Director Edington	
II.	**Public Comment**			**5:31 PM**
	A. Public Comment on Agenda Items	Discuss	Ahsjanae Hutchings	4 m
	B. Public Comment On Non-Agenda Items	Discuss	Ahsjanae Hutchings	4 m
III.	**Approve Minutes**			**5:39 PM**
	A. Finance Committee Meeting: 6/24/25	Approve Minutes	Chris Edington	2 m
IV.	**Non-Action Items**			
V.	**Action Items**			**5:41 PM**
	A. WestED Contract	Vote	Marco Menendez	5 m
	B. Destiny Art Center	Vote	Marco Menendez	5 m

		Purpose	Presenter	Time
C.	Tool Box Project	Vote	Marco Menendez	5 m
D.	Removal/Disposal of Surplus/Obsolete/Unusable Property	Vote	Marco Menendez	5 m
E.	Board on Track Renewal	Vote	Ahsjanae Hutchings	3 m
F.	CA Dashboard MOU	Vote	Christopher Ahmad	3 m
G.	GO Math	Vote	Christopher Ahmad	3 m
H.	Uniforms	Vote	Christopher Ahmad	3 m
I.	Elevate	Vote	Christopher Ahmad	3 m
J.	BACSAC	Vote	Christopher Ahmad	5 m
K.	Cengage ELD	Vote	Christopher Ahmad	5 m
L.	NuGerm	Vote	Christopher Ahmad	5 m
M.	Playground Construction	Vote	Christopher Ahmad	5 m
N.	Rush order Tees	Vote	Julia Li	3 m
O.	Ascend Rehab Services	Vote	Deborah Woods	5 m
P.	Empowered Psychological Services	Vote	Deborah Woods	5 m
Q.	AB LMFT Supervisor Contract 2025-26	Vote	Deborah Woods	5 m
R.	Every Special Child MOU	Vote	Deborah Woods	5 m
S.	Seneca Master Contract	Vote	Deborah Woods	3 m
T.	ATX Learning	Vote	Deborah Woods	5 m
U.	ELOP Plan and Budget	Vote	Jimmie Brown	5 m
V.	Website Rebuild New Vendor Agreement	Vote	Suzen Chu	5 m
W.	AIMS Salary Schedule	Vote	Tiffany Tung	5 m
X.	Unaudited Actuals	Vote	Christina Jordan	5 m
Y.	Budget Revisions	Vote	Marco Menendez	5 m

VI. Closing Items **7:32 PM**

		Purpose	Presenter	Time
A.	Adjourn Meeting	FYI	Chris Edington	
B.	NOTICES	FYI	Ahsjanae Hutchings	

The next regular Finance meeting of the Board of Directors is scheduled to be held on Tuesday September 16th, 2025, at 5:30 pm. AIMS does not discriminate on the basis of disability in the admission or access to, or treatment or employment in, its programs or activities. Marisol Magana has been designated to receive requests for disability-related modifications or accommodations in order to enable individuals with disabilities to participate in open and public meetings at AIMS. Please notify Marisol Magana at (510) 220-9985 at least 24 hours in advance of any disability accommodations being needed in order to participate in the meeting.

I, Ahsjanae Hutchings, hereby certify that I posted this agenda on the AIMS website at www.aimsk12.org, on or before August 23rd, 2025 on or before 5:30 PM.
Certification of Posting

Coversheet

Finance Committee Meeting: 6/24/25

Section:	III. Approve Minutes
Item:	A. Finance Committee Meeting: 6/24/25
Purpose:	Approve Minutes
Submitted by:	
Related Material:	Minutes for Finance Committee Meeting on June 24, 2025

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AIMS K-12 College Prep Charter District

Minutes

Finance Committee Meeting

Date and Time
Tuesday June 24, 2025 at 5:30 PM

Location
171 12th Street, Oakland, CA 94607

President Colly will be joining virtually: 4121 Laguna Ave Oakland, CA 94607

Members of the public, staff, and faculty may join virtually at:

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Committee Members Present
C. Edington, J. Colly, K. Ballentine (remote)

Committee Members Absent
None

Guests Present
A. Hutchings

I. Opening Items

A. Record Attendance

B. Call the Meeting to Order

C. Edington called a meeting of the Finance Committee of AIMS K-12 College Prep Charter District to order on Tuesday Jun 24, 2025 at 5:58 PM.

II. Approve Minutes

A. Finance Committee Meeting: 5/22/25

C. Edington made a motion to approve the minutes from.
K. Ballentine seconded the motion.
The committee **VOTED** to approve the motion.

Roll Call
K. Ballentine Aye

Roll Call

C. Edington	Aye
J. Colly	Aye

III. Closing Items

A. Adjourn Meeting

There being no further business to be transacted, and upon motion duly made, seconded and approved, the meeting was adjourned at 6:57 PM.

Respectfully Submitted,
C. Edington

B. NOTICES

Coversheet

WestED Contract

Section: V. Action Items
Item: A. WestED Contract
Purpose: Vote
Submitted by:
Related Material:
WestEd Submission Cover Letter - fillable.pdf
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AIMS K-12 College Prep Charter District
Board Submission Cover Letter

Submitter Information

Full Name: Marco Menendez
Position/Title: Interim Executive Director
Department: Administration

Item Details

Title of Item: West Ed
Is this item a: ☑ New Submission
☐ Renewal
If Renewal: Please summarize any changes from the previous submission:

Approvals

Has this item been reviewed and
☐ Superintendent
☑ Chief Business Officer (CBO) (If budget changes)
☐ Director of Compliance (If plan changes)
☐ Neither

Committee Review

Has this item been through the appropriate committee review process?
☐ Yes ☑ No
If yes: Please specify which committee(s) and provide minutes or approval documentation:

If no: Explain why:
This item is currently being submitted for finance committee review

Deadline Information

Is there a submission deadline for this item?
☑ Yes ☐ No
If yes: Please indicate the deadline date (MM/DD/YYYY): 8/18/2025

Financial Information (if applicable):

Total Cost: $ 95,000
Is this expenditure included in the annual budget?
☑ Yes ☐ No
Please specify in which plan this expense is indicated:
☐ SPSA ☑ LCAP ☐ Other:

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FUNDING AGREEMENT

Agreement Number: C-00022030

This Agreement is entered into between WestEd and the Funder named in Section A below.

SECTION A: CONTACTS

AIMS K-12 College Prep Charter District ("Funder")

AIMS K-12 College Prep Charter District Technical Contact:
Marco Menendez
Interim Executive Director
171 East 12th Street
Oakland, CA 94606
marco.menendez@aimsk12.org

WestEd

WestEd Technical Contact:
Christine Han
Improvement Specialist
P: (650) 449-5865
chan@wested.org

WestEd Contracts Contact:
Contracts Management Department
730 Harrison Street
San Francisco, CA 94107
P: 415.615.3136
contracts@wested.org

WestEd Billing Contact:
Accounts Receivable Department
3020 Old Ranch Parkway, Suite 220
Seal Beach, CA 90740
P: 562.799.5188
billing@wested.org

SECTION B: WORK OR SERVICES

1. **Agreement Term**

Start Date: 08/18/2025 End Date: 06/30/2026

2. Work or Services to be Completed by WestEd (brief description)

See Exhibit 1, Scope of Work.

3. Maximum Fees and Expenses

$95,000.00

4. Attachments

The parties agree to comply with the terms and conditions of the following attachments which are by this reference made a part of this Agreement. See attached:

[X] WestEd Terms and Conditions
[X] Exhibit 1, Scope of Work

SECTION C: PAYMENT

Payment Schedule:
This is a Fixed Price agreement.
25% shall be due in September 2025
25% shall be due in December 2025
25% shall be due in March 2026
25% shall be due in June 2026

Checks Made Payable to:
WestEd
Attn: WestEd Operating Account
P. O. Box 889001
Los Angeles, CA 90088-9001

Electronic Fund Transfers (EFT):
Wells Fargo Bank
ABA Number 121000248
Account Number: 4029113164

All payments must include a reference to Agreement Number C-00022030

Net 30: All payments due under this Agreement shall be made by the Funder to WestEd within thirty (30) calendar days from the date of the invoice.

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SECTION D: AUTHORIZED SIGNATORIES

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Agreement has been executed by the parties hereto.

WestEd

Agreed and accepted:

Rajwant Virk
box SIGN 1J5VZ724-1VRK5962

Authorized Signature

Name: Rajwant Virk

Title: Contracts Department Manager

Date: Aug 20, 2025

AIMS K-12 College Prep Charter District ("Funder")

Agreed and accepted:

Marco Menendez
box SIGN 4WPP5K66-1VRK5962

Authorized Signature

Name: Marco Menendez

Title: Interim Executive Director

Date: Aug 20, 2025

WestEd and Funder hereby enter into this Agreement ("Agreement") for the performance of the services set forth above in Section B (2).

The remainder of this page is intentionally left blank.

WestEd Funding Agreement: Terms and Conditions

GENERAL PROVISIONS

1.0 Independent Status and Responsibilities

In performing its services, WestEd shall be an independent contractor with authority and responsibility to control and direct the performance of the services required under this Agreement, subject to Funder's general right to inspect work in progress to determine whether the services are being performed in accordance with this Agreement. All persons hired and/or contracted by WestEd shall be WestEd's employees and/or subcontractors.

DATA PROPRIETARY RIGHTS AND PRIVACY, LEGAL PROTECTION, AND TERMINATION

2.0 Intellectual Property Ownership and Limited License to Use

2.1 WestEd is and will remain the sole and exclusive owner of any newly created data, documents, information, and other materials ("Work Product") developed by WestEd under this Agreement. WestEd is and will remain the sole and exclusive owner of any of WestEd's pre-existing Work Product that may be incorporated into Work Product or shared with Funder under this Agreement. These ownership rights includes, without limitation, any and all intellectual property rights in such newly created and pre-existing Work Product.

2.2 WestEd hereby grants to Funder a nonexclusive, non-transferable, without right to sublicense, global, royalty-free, limited license to use Work Product provided by WestEd to Funder under this Agreement solely for noncommercial purposes. For the avoidance of doubt, a "commercial purpose" would include any activity by the Funder directly or indirectly through an agent to market, offer to sell, sell, or otherwise monetize WestEd's Work Product. This limited license does not include the right to use the WestEd name, trademarks, service marks, or logos in any way without the express written consent of WestEd.

2.3 Unless sooner terminated or extended, this limited license expires on the **third** anniversary of the effective date of this Agreement.

2.4 All pre-existing WestEd data and materials provided to Funder by WestEd to assist in the performance of this Agreement shall remain WestEd's property. WestEd hereby authorizes Funder to have access to and make use of the data and/or materials as is appropriate for the performance by Funder of its obligations under the Agreement. Funder receives no authorization, permission, or license to use WestEd data and materials other than for Funder's compliance with this Agreement. Any such authorization, permission or license automatically terminates with the expiration or termination of this Agreement.

2.5 Upon expiration or termination of this Agreement for any reason before completion, Funder shall promptly request instructions from WestEd regarding whether Funder should: (a) Erase or destroy any WestEd Work Product maintained by it; or (b) Return the Work Product to WestEd. Funder shall promptly comply with WestEd's instructions. This provision shall survive termination of this Agreement.

3.0 Confidential Information

3.1 If the parties have previously or concurrently entered into a Confidential Nondisclosure Agreement ("NDA"), that NDA is incorporated herein by reference. If the parties have not entered into an NDA, the following provisions apply.

3.2 The party disclosing Confidential Information is the "Disclosing Party"; the party receiving the disclosed Confidential Information is the "Receiving Party".

3.3 "Confidential Information" shall mean and include, where appropriate and without limitation, all technical, financial, and business information of any kind whatsoever, such as, for example and not limited to, data, specifications, proposals research projections, processes, techniques, technology, ideas, know-how, improvements, inventions (whether or not patentable or copyrightable), trade secrets, formulae, information concerning research or development by or for the Disclosing Party, information which is or has been generated or received in confidence by or for the Disclosing Party by or from any person, and any other information as well as any and all tangible and intangible embodiments thereof of any kind whatsoever; in each case disclosed by the Disclosing Party to the Receiving Party, or obtained by the Receiving Party through observation or examination of the foregoing, regardless of whether such information or embodiment has been marked as confidential. Confidential Information shall include disclosures in any form, whether in writing, in an electronic format (including without limitation emails, tapes, diskettes, compact disks, or other similar media), and orally (in the case of oral disclosures, only if such disclosure is identified as confidential prior to disclosure).

3.4 The confidentiality obligations of this Agreement shall not apply to any information which (a) is already in the public domain through no breach of this Agreement; (b) was, as between the parties, lawfully in the Receiving Party's possession prior to receipt from the Disclosing Party; (c) is received by the Receiving Party independently from a third party free to disclose such information to the Receiving Party lawfully; or (d) is independently developed by the Receiving Party without reliance on Confidential Information or reliance on individuals who have had access to Confidential Information. It will be the Receiving Party's burden to prove the existence of one of these exceptions by a preponderance of the evidence.

3.5 Shall not be copied, distributed, or disseminated in any way or form to any third parties by the Receiving Party without the prior written consent of the Disclosing Party, except as required by a valid legal process or a court or other lawful order; provided, however, that the Receiving Party shall first have given reasonable notice to the Disclosing Party and shall have provided reasonable assistance at the Disclosing Party's expense to contest or limit the scope of disclosure of Confidential Information pursuant to such legal process; and if disclosure is compelled, that such disclosure be pursuant to a suitable protective order.

3.6 Shall be maintained in confidence and may only be disclosed to those employees and agents of the Receiving Party or of its affiliates who have a need to know.

3.7 Shall not be used by the Receiving Party for any purpose, except as otherwise expressly stated in this Agreement, without the prior written consent of the Disclosing Party.

3.8 Shall remain the property of the Disclosing Party and be either destroyed or returned to the Disclosing Party (along with all paper, electronic, or other copies thereof) within 30 days of the completion of the Agreement, or within 30 days of receipt by the Receiving Party of a written request from the Disclosing Party setting forth the Confidential Information to be destroyed or returned. For any Confidential Information to be destroyed, the Receiving Party shall certify in writing to the Disclosing Party the destruction of any and all documents, papers, and materials containing such Confidential Information, and notes thereon in the Receiving Party's possession, including paper, electronic, or other copies thereof.

3.9 The Receiving Party shall protect the confidentiality of Confidential Information through the exercise of the same degree of care, but no less than a reasonable degree of care, to prevent the unauthorized dissemination, duplication, use, or disclosure of the Confidential Information as the Receiving Party uses to protect its own confidential information of a like nature. If the Receiving Party discloses Confidential Information to any of its employees or agents, the Receiving Party shall inform such employees or agents of the restrictions under this Agreement on duplication, use, and disclosure to third parties and dissemination within its organization, and shall take other actions necessary to maintain the confidence of such Confidential Information (including executing agreements with employees that are materially similar to those set forth herein).

3.10 All provisions governing Confidential Information set forth above shall survive termination of this Agreement and shall remain in effect for three (3) years following the termination of this Agreement, or from the last act performed by either party in furtherance of their obligations under this Agreement, whichever occurs later.

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4.0 Protection of Confidential Pupil Records and Information

4.1 This Agreement potentially involves Funder's possession of confidential pupil records or information under the Family Education Rights and Privacy Act of 1974 (FERPA) (20 U.S.C.A. §1232g), California Education Code section 49060 et seq., and any other applicable statute or regulation of any other State with jurisdiction over this Agreement, whether provided by WestEd or by a local educational agency.

4.2 Funder bears full responsibility for compliance with all applicable federal, state, and local laws concerning the confidentiality of pupil records or information, including but not limited to the following: (1) ensuring that the storage, maintenance, and transmission of all confidential pupil records or information, whether in electronic or paper form, uses the most secure form of data protection, encryption, and security to prevent breach unauthorized disclosure, or theft of data; (2) ensuring that confidential pupil records or information is only accessed by personnel necessary to carry out Funder's obligations under this Agreement; (3) entering into any necessary agreements with educational agencies for the possession, maintenance, and use of confidential pupil records and information; (4) ensuring that Funder's use of confidential pupil records or information complies with all statutory and/or contractual provisions regarding the permissible uses of such records or information; (5) providing any required notice to parents and/or guardians regarding Funder's possession, storage, or use of confidential pupil records or information, including any unauthorized disclosure thereof; (6) complying with procedures for the return, disposal, or destruction of confidential pupil records or information upon the completion of Funder's duties and obligations under this Agreement; (7) procedures to ensure that confidential pupil records or information shall be aggregated or anonymized in such a manner so as to prevent the disclosure of Personally Identifiable Information as defined in 34 CFR § 99.3; and (8) any other measures that may be reasonably necessary to comply with all applicable laws governing pupil records or information. Funder shall not disclose any confidential pupil records or information to any third party, subcontractor, or vendor, without the written consent of WestEd. In the event that Funder discloses any confidential pupil records or information to any third party, subcontractor, or vendor as part of the performance of its obligations under this Agreement, it shall include Funder's obligations under this Agreement in any agreement with the third party, subcontractor, or vendor.

4.3 Nothing in this Agreement shall be construed to give WestEd any propriety right, whether it be in copyright, trademark, patent, or otherwise, to any pupil records or information provided in connection with its performance of its obligations under this Agreement.

4.4 The indemnification provision in this Agreement shall apply to any and all actions, suits, claims, demands, losses, costs, penalties, obligations, errors, omissions, or liabilities made by any party in connection with the alleged disclosure of confidential pupil records or information.

4.5 This paragraph shall be interpreted in conjunction with any other requirements applying to Funder as contained in any prime contract, subcontract, or Request for Proposal terms. Any such requirements that are more restrictive as to Funder shall supersede those set forth in this Agreement.

4**.6** All provisions governing Confidential Pupil Records and Information set forth above shall survive termination of this Agreement and shall remain in effect for seven (7) years following the termination of this Agreement, or from the last act performed by either party in furtherance of their obligations under this Agreement, whichever occurs later.

5.0 Indemnification

Funder shall, to the fullest extent permitted by law, indemnify, defend, and hold harmless WestEd, its constituent entities, officers, directors, employees, attorneys, agents, representatives, volunteers, successors, and assigns (collectively hereinafter "WestEd") from and against any and all actions, suits, claims, demands, losses, costs, penalties, obligations, errors, omissions, or liabilities, including legal costs, attorney's fees, and expert witness fees, whether or not suit is actually filed, and/or any judgment rendered against WestEd, that may be asserted or claimed by any person, firm or entity arising out of, or in connection with, WestEd's performance under this Agreement, or any acts, errors, negligence, omissions, or intentional acts by Funder, its Governing Board, administrators, employees, agents, representatives, volunteers, successors, and assigns. This indemnity and hold harmless provision shall exclude actions brought by third persons against WestEd arising out of any acts, errors, negligence, omissions, or intentional acts by the WestEd or solely out of any acts or omissions of WestEd that are not otherwise related to or connected with Funder. WestEd shall promptly give notice to Funder of the threatened or instituted claim along with a demand for defense and/or indemnity under this Section. This indemnification clause shall survive termination of this Agreement.

6.0 Insurance

6.1 Without in any way limiting the Funder's liability pursuant to Section 5 Indemnification of this Agreement, Funder shall procure and maintain during the full term of this Agreement the following insurance amounts and coverage for services and work provided for in this Agreement:

a) Commercial General Liability, with limits not less than $1,000,000 each occurrence, $2,000,000 aggregate combined Single Limit for Bodily Injury and Property Damage, including coverage (or no exclusion) for sexual abuse and molestation;

b) Business Automobile Liability Insurance with limits not less than $1,000,000 each occurrence Combined Single Limit for Bodily Injury and Property Damage, including coverage for Owned, Non-owned, and Hired Vehicles, as applicable;

c) Worker's Compensation Insurance, for statutory limits and Employer's Liability limits not less than $1,000,000 each accident;

d) Umbrella or Excess Liability for limits not less than $1,000,000 per occurrence, $1,000,000 aggregate above general liability, auto liability and employer's liability;

e) Professional Liability (if applicable) for limits not less than $1,000,000 per occurrence, $3,000,000 aggregate

f) Employment Practices Liability for limits not less than $2,000,000 per occurrence, $2,000,000 aggregate;

g) Cyber Liability for limits not less than $2,000,000 per occurrence, $2,000,000 aggregate; and

h) Funder shall name WestEd as additional insured. Funder shall provide WestEd with appropriate certificate(s) of insurance and of endorsement, including an updated certificate in the event the certificate originally provided expires during the performance period of the Agreement. Funder also understands and agrees that WestEd may withhold payment for services for any violations of the insurance provisions of this Agreement.

7.0 Force Majeure

WestEd will not be liable for any failure to perform as required by this Agreement, if the failure to perform is caused by circumstances reasonably beyond WestEd's control, such as labor disturbances or labor disputes of any kind; accidents; failure of governmental approval required for full performance; civil disorders, insurrections, or commotions; acts of aggression; acts of God; natural disasters (such as earthquakes, floods, tsunamis, etc.); energy or other conservation measures; explosions; failure of utilities; mechanical breakdowns; material shortages or supply chain disruptions; cyberattacks or other compromise of digital systems; disease, pandemic, or other public health crises; theft, vandalism, acts of terrorism, civil disturbance, Acts of war, geopolitical disturbances; or other such occurrences.

8.0 Termination

Either party may terminate this Agreement before performance is completed by giving written notice to the other party at least thirty calendar (30) days before the termination date**.** In the event of termination, WestEd shall cease all work on the Agreement upon receiving written notice of termination. Payment shall be made under the Agreement for all work performed as of the

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effective date of termination and all non-cancelable obligations. WestEd agrees to submit all final invoices with respect to this Section within ninety (90) days of termination of this Agreement. See Section 18 for specifics regarding notice.

CONDUCT AND CAPACITY OF PARTIES

9.0 Conflict of Interest

Funder and WestEd agree that, to the best of each party's knowledge and belief, there are no relevant facts or circumstances which could give rise to an organizational conflict of interest, as defined as, activities or relationships with other persons, organizations or any other third party which would cause either party to be unable or potentially unable to render impartial assistance or advice to the other party or the other party's objectivity in performing the work might be otherwise impaired, or resulting in an unfair competitive advantage, or that Funder or WestEd has disclosed all such relevant information to the other party. Funder and WestEd agree that if an actual or potential organizational conflict of interest is discovered after this Agreement is executed, each party will make a full disclosure in writing to the other party. This disclosure shall include a description of actions which the party has taken or proposes to take, after consultation with the other party, to avoid, mitigate, or neutralize the actual or potential conflict. WestEd or Funder may terminate for convenience this Agreement, in whole or in part, if it deems such termination necessary to avoid an organizational conflict of interest. If Funder or WestEd was aware of a potential organizational conflict of interest prior to the execution of this Agreement or discovered an actual or potential conflict after award and did not disclose or misrepresented relevant information to the other party, the Agreement may be terminated for default, or the parties may pursue such other remedies as may be permitted by law or this Agreement.

10.0 Disputes

The parties will attempt to settle any dispute, claim or controversy arising out of or relating to this Agreement or the breach, termination, enforcement, interpretation, or validity thereof, including the determination of the scope (hereinafter a "Dispute"), through good faith negotiations. Such negotiations shall take place face to face, between representatives authorized to settle the Dispute, within 30 days from the date one party provides the other party with written notice of a Dispute, and the legal and factual basis for such Dispute (hereinafter the "Negotiations"). Only in the event that a Dispute cannot be resolved through such good faith Negotiations, either party may submit the Dispute to arbitration in San Francisco, California. The arbitration shall be administered by JAMS, a private, third party alternative dispute resolution provider, pursuant to its Comprehensive Arbitration Rules and Procedures. No party shall file an arbitration demand or complaint until the parties have engaged in good faith Negotiations and such Negotiations have ended in an impasse. Judgment on the award rendered by the arbitrators may be entered in any court having jurisdiction. This clause shall not preclude parties from seeking provisional remedies in aid of arbitration from a court of appropriate jurisdiction.

11.0 Non-Discrimination in Employment

No person shall on the ground of race, religion, citizenship, color, disabilities, national origin, sex, age, political affiliation, service in the uniformed services, genetic information or genetic characteristics, ancestry, marital status, sexual orientation, gender identity, gender expression, pregnancy, physical or mental disability, medical condition, or beliefs be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be subjected to discrimination under any program or activity funded or otherwise financially assisted, in whole or in part with funds made available hereunder.

OTHER CONTRACTUAL PROVISIONS

12.0 No Alteration of Agreement

No alteration, addendum, modification, or waiver of the terms of this Agreement shall be valid unless made in writing and signed by both parties, and no oral understanding or agreement not incorporated herein shall be binding on either of the parties. No inline delineation or alteration shall be accepted or bind WestEd.

13.0 Authority to Sign

Both parties executing this Agreement acknowledge and warrant that they possess the authority to enter into this Agreement on behalf of their respective companies.

14.0 Jurisdiction, Venue, and Governing Law

The parties agree that any legal proceedings arising out the performance of this Agreement shall be filed in the County of San Francisco, State of California. This Agreement shall be governed by the substantive laws California. Funder shall also comply with all applicable Federal and state laws, regulations, standards, orders, and requirements.

15.0 Entire Agreement

This Agreement, together with Exhibits hereto, and any agreements or documents expressly incorporated by reference, is the entire agreement of the parties and supersedes any prior agreements between them, whether written or oral, with respect to the subject matter hereof.

16.0 Severability

If any provision of this Agreement is found by a court to be void, invalid or unenforceable, this Agreement will either be reformed to comply with applicable law or the provision in question will be stricken so as not to affect the validity or enforceability of the remainder of this Agreement.

17.0 Counterparts

This Agreement may be executed in two or more counterparts, each of which together shall be deemed an original, but all of which together shall constitute one and the same instrument. In the event that any signature is delivered by facsimile transmission or by email delivery of a ".pdf" format data file, such signature shall create a valid and binding obligation of the party executing (or on whose behalf such signature is executed) with the same force and effect as if such facsimile or ".pdf" signature page were an original thereof.

18.0 Notices

Any notice or other communication given by one party to the other under this Agreement shall be in writing and will be considered to have been given if delivered by hand or sent by certified United States mail, return receipt requested, or by commercial courier service to the other party at the address stated above or to such other address as may be specified by either party in a notice to the other. Notice is effective upon receipt. Service of legal process by one party on the other relating to a Dispute or an IP Dispute may be accomplished under the provisions of this Section and shall have the same force and effect as if personally served on that party. A copy of any notice or other communication shall also be sent to the Parties' respective email addresses, but such email copy shall not affect the calculation of the effective date of notice.

19.0 Audit

During the term of this Agreement and for a reasonable period of time thereafter, WestEd or its agent shall have the right, with reasonable notice and at mutually agreeable times during regular business hours, on Funder's premises, to examine and make copies of all books and records of Funder insofar as they relate to this Agreement.

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Third-Pary Partnership with American Indian Public Charter School II (AIPCS II)

Scope of Work Submitted by WestEd to AIPCS II

Project Purpose

On June 10, 2025 the Alameda County Office of Education Board of Trustees (ACBOE) approved a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) for the American Indian Model Public School II (AIPCS II) upon the condition that AIPCS II fund a third party to review and support the collection of accountability metrics. The Accountability Metrics have been developed and agreed upon by AIPCS II and ACOE and are codified in the MOU. WestEd will provide third-party assistance to AIPCS II in reviewing and supporting the collection of these accountability metrics. This partnership aims to ensure timely data collection, transparent reporting, and effective oversight, leading to measurable school improvement.

Objectives

The objectives of this work are to:

1. Facilitate the development and maintenance of a comprehensive Accountability Calendar that ensures the timely collection and reporting of data aligned with agreed-upon accountability metrics
2. Provide expert technical assistance in data validation, assessment, and accountability by reviewing documentation for quality, identifying missing metrics, and using validated data to evaluate progress towards target metrics.
3. Foster collaboration and communication between agencies through regular meetings and updates, addressing identified issues, and guiding corrective actions to ensure consistent progress.

Activities & Deliverables

Task 1: Agency Coordination and Collaboration

1.1 Coordination with AIPCS II. WestEd will hold up to monthly one-hour virtual meetings with AIPCS II data point person to support the coordination of tasks associated with monthly data submission and tri-party meetings.

1.2 Coordination with ACOE. WestEd will hold up to monthly virtual one-hour pre-meetings with ACOE to:

- Support the maintenance and alignment of a 12-month Accountability Calendar
- Provide updates to ACOE on collection of accountability metrics within agreed upon timeline
- Review agendas for tri-party review meetings

1.3 Interagency Meetings. WestEd will facilitate monthly in-person tri-party review meetings to:

- Review trend analysis and provide status updates on data collection, identify patterns
- Review and confirm source documentation quality in EpiCenter, identify missing metrics within agreed upon timelines
- Review any applicable corrective actions

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1.4 Bi-Annual Reflection Sessions. WestEd will conduct two in-person reflection sessions, each lasting three hours, at mid-year and end-of-year intervals. These sessions are designed to facilitate a review of progress in enhancing data collection and analysis processes, ensuring both data quality and accuracy. Additionally, the reflection sessions will help identify opportunities to integrate data collection efforts for both accountability and continuous improvement efforts.

Task 2: Data for Accountability

2.1 WestEd will conduct the following activities to support data for accountability:

- Review and confirm source documentation quality in EpiCenter, identify missing metrics within agreed upon timelines
- Review trend analysis and provide status updates on data collection, identify patterns
- Provide technical data, assessment and accountability expertise

Task 3: Project Management

3.1 WestEd will conduct the following project management activities:

- Support with the creation of a 12-month Accountability Calendar
- Coordination with AIPCS II and ACOE to ensure that WestEd has proper access to all relevant documents, file share platforms, and data platforms
- Documentation of roles and responsibilities, working agreements, and communication and collaboration routines
- Knowledge management, including support with establishing a file share structure
- Scheduling for tri-party meetings and meetings with individual agencies

Project Timeline and Cost

The timeline for this project is August 2025 – June 2026, with a fixed price contract amount of $95,000 for all services provided.

Project Team

WestEd's project team will be led by Christine Han and will be supported by other WestEd team members with expertise in data analysis, accountability systems, and project management.

WestEd Contacts	AIPCS II Contacts
Christine Han Project Lead WestEd chan@wested.org **Erica Boas** Project Advisor WestEd eboas@wested.org **Amber Valdez** Project Advisor WestEd avaldez@wested.org	**Julia Li** Interim Co-Executive Director AIPCS II julia.li@aimsk12.org **Kimi Kean** Board Member AIPCS II kimi.kean@aimsk12.org

Coversheet

Destiny Art Center

Section:	V. Action Items
Item:	B. Destiny Art Center
Purpose:	Vote
Submitted by:	
Related Material:	AIMS Board Submission Cover Letter - A&M 25-26.pdf AIMS K-12xDestiny_MOU_Fall 2025.pdf

AIMS K-12 College Prep Charter District
Board Submission Cover Letter

Submitter Information

Full Name: Marco Menenderz
Position/Title: Interim Executive Director
Department: K-8 Arts and Music

Item Details

Title of Item: Contract Approval for Destiny Arts - guest arts and music teachers for K-8
Is this item a:
- [x] New Submission
- [ ] Renewal

If Renewal: Please summarize any changes from the previous submission:
In lieu of hiring art and music teachers (4 former positions) we are contracti
Destiny Arts to provide guest teachers for our K-8.

Approvals

Has this item been reviewed and
- [x] Superintendent
- [ ] Chief Business Officer (CBO) (If budget changes)
- [ ] Director of Compliance (If plan changes)
- [ ] Neither

Committee Review

Has this item been through the appropriate committee review process?
- [x] Yes
- [ ] No

If yes: Please specify which committee(s) and provide minutes or approval documentation:

If no: Explain why:

Deadline Information

Is there a submission deadline for this item?
- [x] Yes
- [ ] No

If yes: Please indicate the deadline date (MM/DD/YYYY):

Financial Information (if applicable):

Total Cost: $ 196,000

Is this expenditure included in the annual budget?
- [x] Yes
- [ ] No

Please specify in which plan this expense is indicated:
- [ ] SPSA
- [ ] LCAP
- [x] Other: Arts and Music

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PARTNER CONTRACTOR AGREEMENT

This Contractor Agreement (the "**Agreement**") is made and entered into as of **August 15th, 2025** (*the effective date of contract*) between **AIMS K-12 College Prep**, (the "**Partner**") and **Destiny Arts Center**, (the "**Contractor**") (collectively, the "**Parties**").

A. Scope of Work

Destiny Arts Center agrees to:

- Provide programming that aligns with the vision, mission, youth development model, principles and goals of Destiny Arts Center and the Partner.
- Provide supervision and administrative infrastructure for Destiny Arts Center teaching artists.
- Maintain communication between Destiny Arts Center and the Partner.
- Provide designated Destiny Arts Center teaching artists with training, supervision, and program development to ensure optimum operation of the classes.

B. Programming

Destiny Arts Center agrees to provide the following programming:

- **Creative Youth Development in the artistic areas of Hip Hop Dance, African Dance, Haitian Dance, Capoeira, Drumming and Theatre.**
- Serving **Kindergarten – 5th graders at AIMS K-8 Campus and 6th-8th grade at the Shoong Family Cultural Center**.
- Programming will be from **August 18th, 2025 – January 16th, 2026**
- Excluding all prescheduled federal and school holidays, Monday – Thursday, weekly, 3 Teaching Artists will hold classes for Elementary and 2 Teaching Artists a day will hold classes for the Middle School according to the following schedule:

ELEMENTARY	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday
8:30 - 9:00				
9:00 - 9:30	5A, 5B, 5C	5A, 5B, 5C	5A, 5B, 5C	5A, 5B, 5C
9:30 - 10:00	KA,KB	KA, KB	KA,KB	KA, KB
10:00 - 10:30				
10:30 - 11:00	1A, 1B	1A, 1B	1A, 1B	1A, 1B
11:00 - 11:30				
11:30 - 12:00	2A, 2B, 2C	2A, 2B, 2C	2A, 2B, 2C	2A, 2B, 2C
12:00 - 12:30				

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12:30 - 1:00				
1:00 - 1:30	3A, 3B, 3C	3A, 3B, 3C	3A, 3B, 3C	3A, 3B, 3C
1:30 - 2:00				
2:00 - 2:30	4A, 4B, 4C	4A, 4B, 4C	4A, 4B, 4C	4A, 4B, 4C
MIDDLE	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday
9:30 - 10:30	7 UCB/Harvard	7 Brown/Yale	7 UCB/Harvard	7 Brown/Yale
10:30 - 11:00				
11:00 - 12:00	6 UCLA/UCSD	6 USF/UCSB	6 UCLA,UCSD	6 USF, UCSB
12:00 - 12:30				
12:30 - 1:45				
1:45 - 2:45	8 CalTech/Gonzag	8 Princeton/Georgetown	8 CalTech/Gonzag	8 Princeton/Georgetown

- Destiny Teaching Artists will also support lunch periods and assist during dismissal at the end of the day.
- All Destiny Arts Center Classes provide Social Emotional Learning through our 30+ year honed Creative Youth Development Framework. (attached)
- Each class will attempt to provide a culminating showcase of learned techniques and self-created art for all participants of the program.
- Showcasing may include recording of students, in which case, Destiny will work with partner to obtain necessary photo/recording release paperwork from caregivers.
- Site will be responsible for enrolling students and providing teaching location.
- There will be a maximum of 30 students in each one hour-long class session.
- In the event that schools return to remote learning, Destiny Arts Center is equipped to pivot to providing Virtual Classes via Zoom and other media channels.

C. **Evaluation and Tracking**

Destiny Arts Center agrees to:

- follow requirements of sites in regards to attendance policies and record keeping.
- administer its own evaluations to ensure the quality of programming at the site
- collect demographic information (gender and ethnicity) from all students in Destiny Arts Center classes for evaluation and data entry purposes if necessary.

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- collect parent/guardian contact information to keep parents/guardians abreast of Destiny events that their child will participate in.
- obtain consent from all students and their parents/guardians to participate in off-site activities.

D. Communication

- Destiny Arts Center will provide the school with accurate contact information for each Destiny Arts Center teaching artist.
- Destiny Arts Center's teaching artist will contact the Site Coordinator immediately if they are running late or will be unable to teach class for any reason.
- Destiny Arts Center will attempt to provide replacement staff if the primary teaching artist is unable to attend and will inform the Site Coordinator of any changes.
- Inability to find a suitable substitute for classes may result in cancellation of classes; however, Destiny Arts Center Staff will inform Site Coordinators of this possibility as soon as possible and attempt to schedule a make-up class.

E. Operating Agreements

- Destiny Arts Center teaching artist will not leave youth unattended in the program area and will immediately address any inappropriate youth behavior in a manner that honors the sites rules and practices.
- If there is an incident, Destiny Arts Center staff will report immediately to the Head of School and/or Site Coordinator.
- Destiny Arts Center teaching artists will arrive 15 minutes before classes start to ensure proper preparation for classes.

F. Safety Agreements

- Each Destiny Arts Center teaching artist will be background checked via LiveScan fingerprinting and tested for TB before beginning classes.
- Destiny Arts Center is committed to providing a safe, violence-free environment in which to learn and practice. In this regard, it is strictly prohibited for anyone involved in Destiny Arts Center to act in a violent or threatening manner. If any Destiny Arts Center staff member observes or becomes aware of violent or threatening conduct by a student, an employee, contractor, visitor or anyone else, he or she will notify a school administrator immediately.

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G. **Fees and Payment Terms**

The total cost of for the Destiny Arts Center program described above for the time noted is due by the Partner is **$196,000.**

Destiny Arts Center Installment Schedule:

Program Period	Invoice Due	Payment Due	Amount
8/18/25-10/31/25	9/1/25	9/30/25	$98,000
11/1/25-1/15/26	12/15/25	1/15/26	$98,000

I. **Term and Termination**

This Agreement takes effect immediately as of the Effective Date, and remains in full force and effect until the Contractor has completed the Services (the "**Term**"), unless earlier terminated.

Either Party may terminate this Agreement for cause by providing the other Party written notice if the other Party: (i) is in material breach of this Agreement and has failed to cure such breach within five (5) days after its receipt of written notice of such breach provided by the non-breaching Party; (ii) engages in any unlawful business practice related to that Party's performance under the Agreement; or (iii) files a petition for bankruptcy, becomes insolvent, acknowledges its insolvency in any manner, ceases to do business, makes an assignment for the benefit of its creditors, or has a receiver, trustee or similar party appointed for its property.

J. **Force Majeure**

Neither party shall be liable in damages or have the right to terminate this Agreement for any delay or default in performing hereunder if such delay or default is caused by conditions beyond its control including, but not limited to Acts of God, Government restrictions, wars, insurrections and/or any other cause beyond the reasonable control of the party whose performance is affected.

K. **Non-Compete Clause**

The Partner agrees that for a period of 3 years after completion of this project/service, they cannot solicit any Destiny Teaching Artist to independently perform similar duties as were performed during this program or teach similar art forms that Destiny provides.

L. **Representations**

Both Parties represent that they are fully authorized and empowered to enter into this Agreement, and that the performance of the obligations under this Agreement will not violate or infringe upon the rights of any third-party, or violate any agreement between

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the Parties and any other person, firm or organization or any law or governmental regulation. This Agreement shall not be assigned by either party without the express consent of the other party.

This Agreement may be amended only by written agreement duly executed by an authorized representative of each party (email is acceptable). A failure or delay in exercising any right, power or privilege in respect of this Agreement will not be presumed to operate as a waiver, and a single or partial exercise of any right, power or privilege will not be presumed to preclude any subsequent or further exercise, of that right, power or privilege or the exercise of any other right, power or privilege.

M. **Indemnification**

The Contractor shall indemnify and hold harmless the Company, its affiliates, and its respective officers, directors, agents and employees from any and all claims, demands, losses, causes of action, damage, lawsuits, judgments, including attorneys' fees and costs, arising out of, or relating to, the Contractor's services under this Agreement.

N. **Liability**

Except with respect to the parties' indemnification obligations, neither party shall be liable to the other for any special, indirect, incidental, punitive or consequential damages arising from or related to this agreement, including bodily injury, death or related to this agreement, including bodily injury, death, loss of revenue, or profits or other benefits, and claims by any third party, even if the parties have been advised of the possibility of such damages. The foregoing limitation applies to all causes of action in the aggregate, including without limitation to breach of contract, breach of warranty, negligence, strict liability, and other torts. Neither part shall be found liable if "forces of nature" prevent fulfillment of the obligations of this agreement. Either party may terminate this agreement, only if all feasible attempts have been made at fulfillment.

O. **Confidential Information**

Each Party (on its behalf and on behalf of its subcontractors, employees or representatives, or agents of any kind) agrees to hold and treat all confidential information of the other Party, including, but not limited to, trade secrets, curriculum, employee and student information and any other information that the receiving Party reasonably should know is confidential ("**Confidential Information**") as confidential and protect the Confidential Information with the same degree of care as each Party uses to protect its own Confidential Information of like nature.

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Confidential Information does not include any information that (i) at the time of the disclosure or thereafter is lawfully obtained from publically available sources generally known by the public (other than as a result of a disclosure by the receiving Party or its representatives); (ii) is available to the receiving Party on a non-confidential basis from a source that is not and was not bound by a confidentiality agreement with respect to the Confidential Information; or (iii) has been independently acquired or developed by the receiving Party without violating its obligations under this Agreement or under any federal or state law.

P. Law and Jurisdiction

This Agreement is be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the State of California without reference to any principles of conflicts of laws, which might cause the application of the laws of another state. Any action instituted by either party arising out of this Agreement will only be brought, tried and resolved in the applicable federal or state courts having jurisdiction in the State of California. EACH PARTY HEREBY CONSENTS TO THE EXCLUSIVE PERSONAL JURISDICTION AND VENUE OF THE COURTS, STATE AND FEDERAL, HAVING JURISDICTION IN THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA.

Q. Accepted and Agreed

Marco Menendez Date **08/17/2025**

Marco Menendez
Executive Director
AIMS K-12 College Prep

Date

Mike Lee
Deputy Director
Destiny Arts Center

Coversheet

Tool Box Project

Section: V. Action Items
Item: C. Tool Box Project
Purpose: Vote
Submitted by:
Related Material: tool box Submission Cover Letter - fillable.pdf
Quote 2248.pdf

AIMS K-12 College Prep Charter District
Board Submission Cover Letter

Submitter Information

Full Name: Marco Menendez
Position/Title: Interim ED
Department: Admin

Item Details

Title of Item: Tool Box Project
Is this item a: ☑ New Submission
☐ Renewal
If Renewal: Please summarize any changes from the previous submission:

Approvals

Has this item been reviewed and

- ☐ Superintendent
- ☑ Chief Business Officer (CBO) (If budget changes)
- ☐ Director of Compliance (If plan changes)
- ☐ Neither

Committee Review

Has this item been through the appropriate committee review process?

☑ Yes ☐ No

If yes: Please specify which committee(s) and provide minutes or approval documentation:

If no: Explain why:

Deadline Information

Is there a submission deadline for this item?

☐ Yes ☐ No

If yes: Please indicate the deadline date (MM/DD/YYYY): 8/5/25

Financial Information (if applicable):

Total Cost: $ 20,971.01

Is this expenditure included in the annual budget?

☑ Yes ☐ No

Please specify in which plan this expense is indicated:

☐ SPSA ☐ LCAP ☑ Other:

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Quote No. 2248

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Bill To:
AIMS Middle School College Prep
Mikeal Wooten
71 12th Street
Oakland, CA 94607

Ship To:
AIMS Middle School College Prep
71 12th Street
Oakland, CA 94607

Primary Contact(s):
Mikeal Wooten
mikael.wooten@aimsk12.org
Mikeal Wooten

Vendor/Bidder#

Date: 08/05/2025

Implementation Type:
Material Order or Material Reorder

Training Date(s):

Toolbox Project PBLLC
P.O. Box 280
Sebastopol, CA 95473

+17072003617
orders@toolboxproject.com
Tax/VAT No.: 81-1208238

Project manager:
Laurel Collin

Prices valid up to 30 days from the date of the quote.

Product Name	Quantity	Price	Total
Curricula			**6,786.00**
K-6 Essential Toolbox (English) One each for the K-8 teachers and the Principal.	28	82.00	2,296.00
K-3 Lesson Plan (Supplemental to Essential Toolbox) One each for the K-3 teachers.	8	185.00	1,480.00
4-6 Lesson Plan (Supplemental to Essential Toolbox) One each for the 4-8 teachers.	16	185.00	2,960.00
Administrators Guide One for the Principal.	1	50.00	50.00
Classroom/ Student Materials			**2,992.00**
K-3 Manila Toolboxes (Cardstock sets of 30) One bundle each for the K-3 teachers. Each K-3 student gets a K-3 Manila Toolbox. There will be some extras.	8	25.00	200.00
K-3 Large Toolcards (B&W, sets of 30, English) One bundle each for the K-3 teachers. Each K-3 student will get a set of the K-3 Large Toolcards. There will be some extras.	8	28.00	224.00
4-6 Small Toolcards (B&W, sets of 32, English) One bundle each for the 4-8 teachers. Each 4th-8th student will get a set of the 4-6 Small Toolcards. There will be some extras.	16	23.00	368.00
4-6 Toolbox Student Journals (English) One 4-8 journal for each of the 4th-8th students.	400	5.50	2,200.00
Fan Deck			**610.50**
K-6 Fan Deck (English) One each for the K-8 teachers, Instructional Assistants and Principal.	33	18.50	610.50

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Product Name	Quantity	Price	Total
Posters			**896.00**
K-3 Feelings Poster (Color, 18 × 24) One each for the K-3 teachers classrooms.	11	13.75	151.25
4-6 Feelings Poster (Color, 18 × 24) One each for the 4-8 teachers classrooms.	19	13.75	261.25
K-3 12 Tools Poster (Color, 24 × 36) English One each for the K-3 teachers classrooms.	11	15.75	173.25
4-6 Tools for the Journey Poster (Color, 24 × 36) English One each for the 4-8 teachers classrooms.	19	15.75	299.25
K-6 Administrators Poster (Color, 12 × 18) One for the school office or Principal's office.	1	11.00	11.00
Puppet Set			**880.00**
K-3 Puppets (Character set of 4) One set for each of the K-3 teachers.	8	110.00	880.00
Book Set			**5,275.00**
Grades K-1 Book Set One set each for the K-1 teachers.	4	195.00	780.00
Grades 2-3 Book Set One set each for the 2-3 teachers.	4	195.00	780.00
Grades 4-6 Book Set One set each for the 4-8 teachers.	16	195.00	3,120.00
Grades K-6 Complete Book Set One set for the Library.	1	595.00	595.00
Shipping and Handling			**1,743.95**
Shipping and Handling 10% on materials	1	1,743.95	1,743.95
		Subtotal:	**19,183.45**
		Tax:	1,787.56
		Total (USD):	**20,971.01**

Important Information

Terms of Sale:

Scheduling Training Date(s):
We will schedule your training dates once we receive payment or a purchase order (PO).

Materials:
If you are purchasing training and materials, your materials will be shipped 2 weeks prior to your training date.
If you are just purchasing materials we will ship you your materials once we receive a payment or a purchase order (PO).

Payment:
If you are wanting to pay by credit card there will be a 3.3% + .30 cents fee added to the total amount.
Purchase Orders are also accepted.

Email orders and purchase orders to:
orders@toolboxproject.com

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Book Sets:
Availability and binding of children's trade books sold by Toolbox Project PBLLC are subject to change without notice.
At this time all book sets are taking longer than 1 month to process and ship.

Additional Materials:
This quote may not list all the products/materials we offer. Visit our website for a full list of materials and their descriptions.
We also offer a wider range of materials in Spanish and English/Spanish.

Thank you for your interest in Toolbox Project, we look forward to working with you!

Coversheet

Removal/Disposal of Surplus/Obsolete/Unusable Property

Section: V. Action Items
Item: D. Removal/Disposal of Surplus/Obsolete/Unusable Property
Purpose: Vote
Submitted by:
Related Material:
Junk Kings AIMS Board Submission Cover Letter - fillable.pdf
Junk King Estimate_Redacted.pdf
AIMS Surplus_Obsolete_Unusable Property For Removal 8-19-2025.xlsx - Furntiture.pdf

AIMS K-12 College Prep Charter District
Board Submission Cover Letter

Submitter Information

Full Name: Marco Menendez
Position/Title: Interim ED
Department: Admin

Item Details

Title of Item: Junk Kings
Is this item a: ☑ New Submission
☐ Renewal
If Renewal: Please summarize any changes from the previous submission:

Approvals

Has this item been reviewed and

- ☐ Superintendent
- ☑ Chief Business Officer (CBO) (If budget changes)
- ☐ Director of Compliance (If plan changes)
- ☐ Neither

Committee Review

Has this item been through the appropriate committee review process?

☑ Yes ☐ No

If yes: Please specify which committee(s) and provide minutes or approval documentation:

If no: Explain why:

Deadline Information

Is there a submission deadline for this item?

☐ Yes ☑ No

If yes: Please indicate the deadline date (MM/DD/YYYY):

Financial Information (if applicable):

Total Cost: $ 5,201.00

Is this expenditure included in the annual budget?

☐ Yes ☑ No

Please specify in which plan this expense is indicated:

☐ SPSA ☐ LCAP ☑ Other:

Laila Ahmad
Nutritional Service Coordinator
AIMS K-12 College Prep Charter District
171 12th Street | Oakland | CA 94607
[redacted]

---------- Forwarded message ---------
[redacted]

JUNK KING
a neighborly company

Estimate

Estimate Date: 08/15/2025
Amount:
Total: $5,201.00

Thank you for allowing Junk King to give you an estimate for your junk removal needs.

Our estimate includes all labor, tax, and dump fees and we will beat any written estimate.

We are a licensed and insured service that recycles or donates up to 60% of the items we haul from your location. We call ahead, show up on time and leave your property clean and tidy.

Please make sure the name, address, and phone number below are correct. If anything is incorrect, please call us at 1.888.888.JUNK (5865) or email us at callcenter@junk-king.com.

Estimate #:	JK3659955
Date:	08/15/2025
Name:	Laila Ahmad
Address:	[redacted]

Junk Removal, 5 load(s):	$4,640.00
Labor (x4.00):	$720.00
Gas Surcharge (x5.00):	$125.00
Discounts:	$284.00

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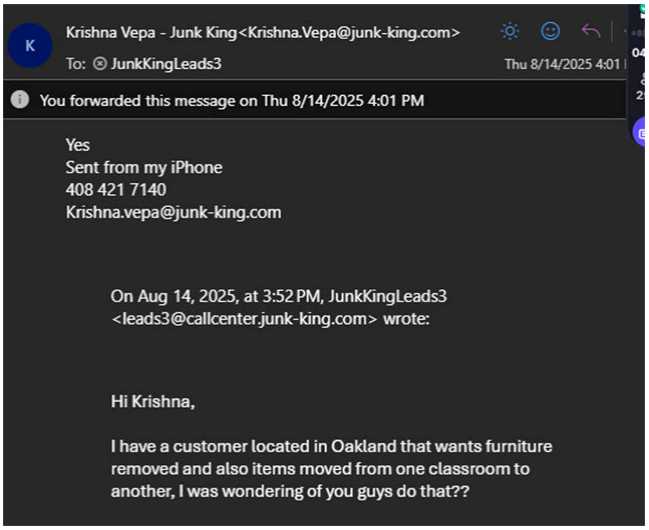
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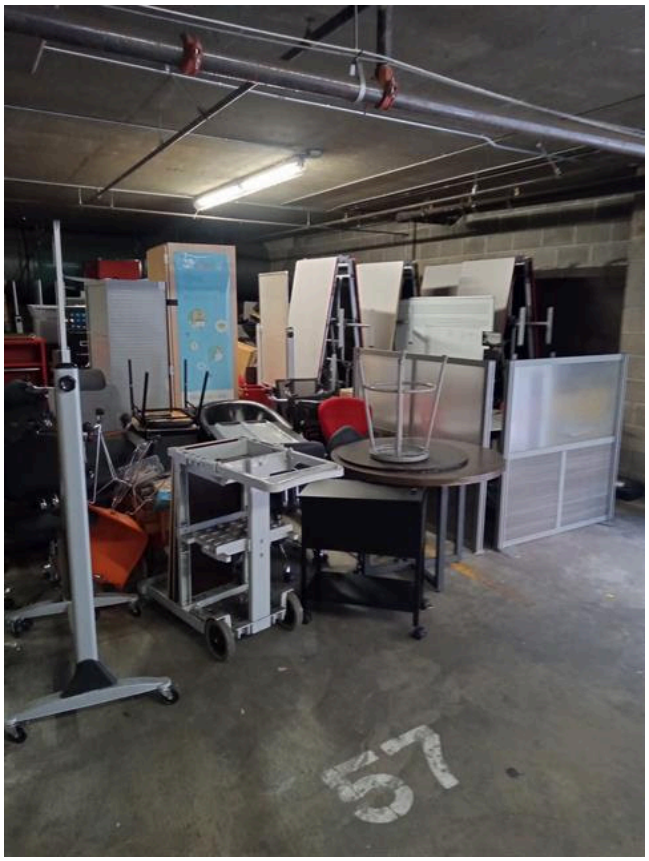

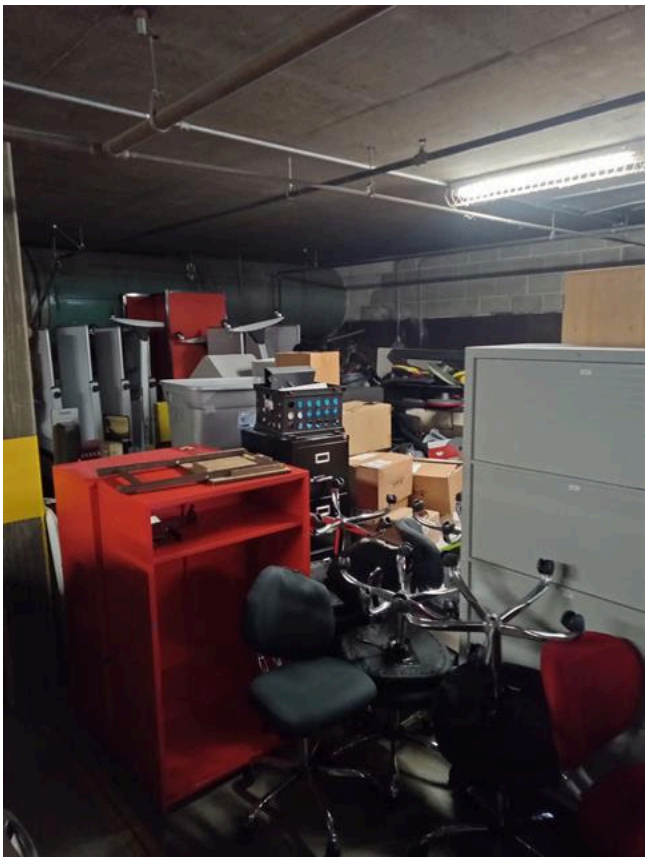

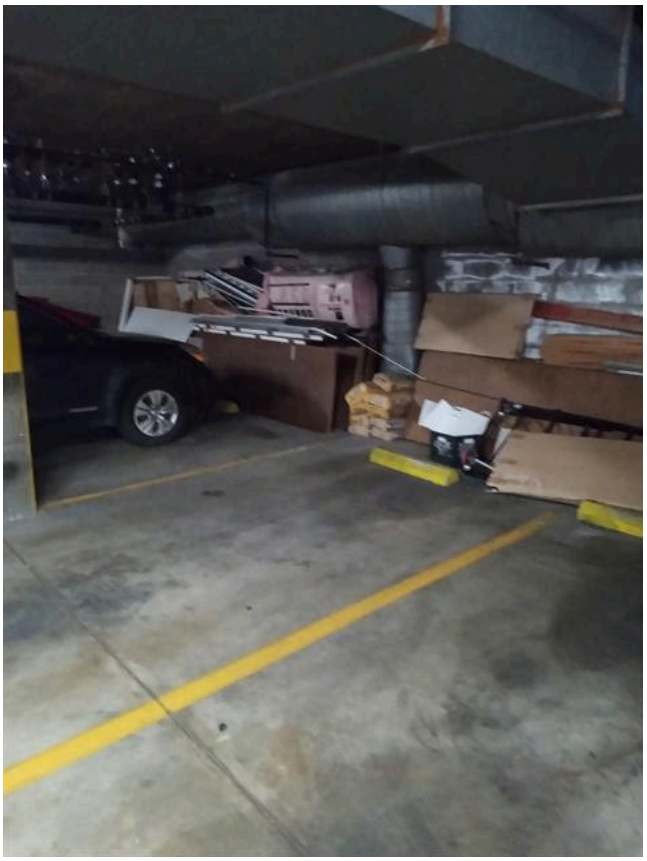

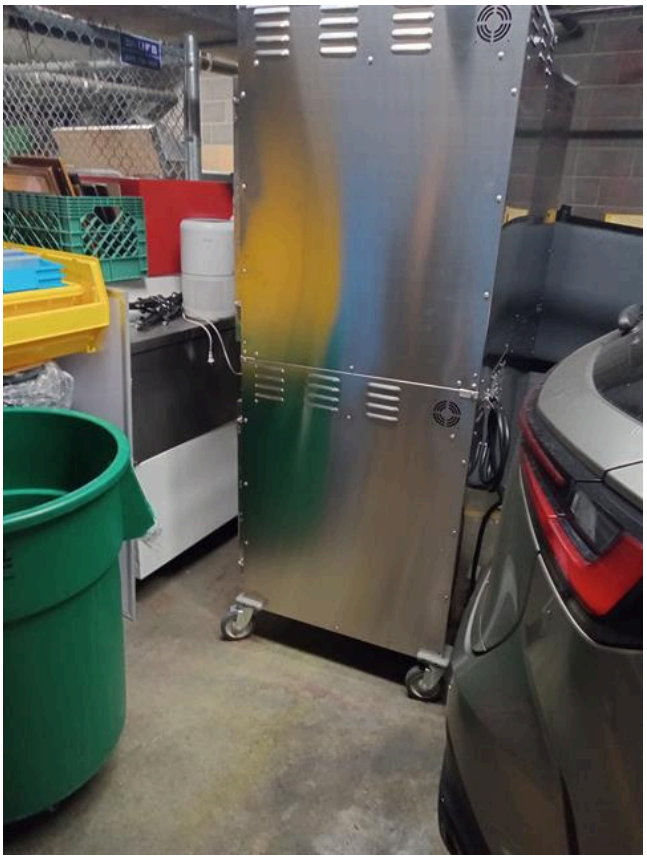

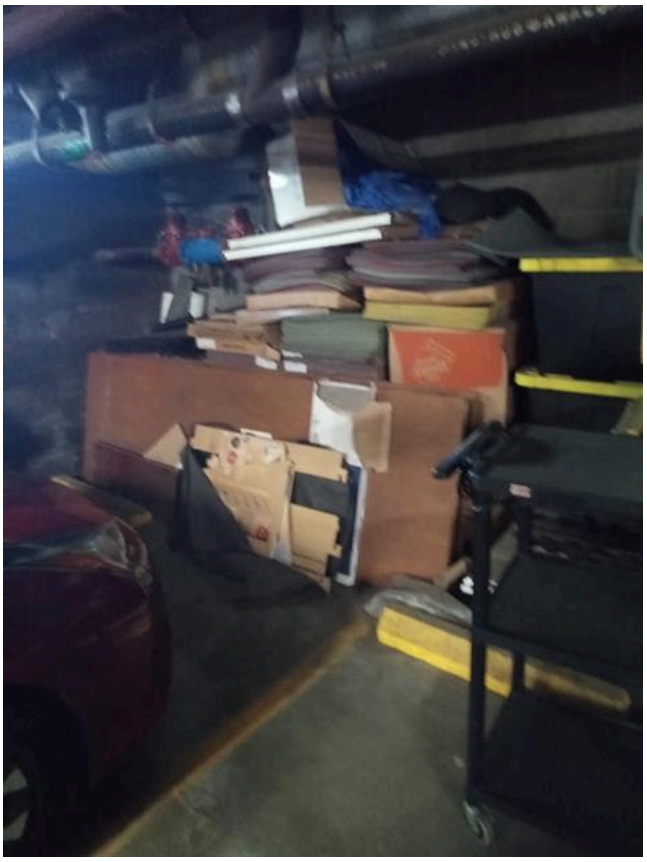

Remember, Junk King will beat any written estimate. If you have questions about the value of our service as compared to our competitors, debris boxes, or doing it yourself, please don't hesitate to call us!

We're confident you'll be happy with Junk King from start to finish.

Thanks again for the opportunity to earn your business.

Your friends at Junk King Alameda.

Item Description	Quantity	Department	Condition
glass desk	1	Central Office	broken
small office chairs	25	instruction	worn/old
large office chairs	3	Central office	worn/old
student desk w/chairs	10	Instruction	worn/old
tables	6	Instruction	worn/old
sofa unit (1 seat)	10	Central office	worn/old
Coffee Table	1	Central office	worn/old
Book Shelves	4	Instruction	worn/old
outdoor benches	10	Operations	worn/old

Coversheet

Board on Track Renewal

Section:	V. Action Items
Item:	E. Board on Track Renewal
Purpose:	Vote
Submitted by:	
Related Material:	invoice_2024-27956.pdf Board on track submission cover letter.pdf

Invoice #2024-27956

We've moved!

Our remittance address has changed to:
TransAct Communications LLC
PO Box 713652
Chicago, IL 60677-0431

From

BoardOnTrack, Inc.
19217 36th Ave W Suite 213
Lynnwood, WA 98036

Bill To

AIMS College Prep Charter District, CA
171 12th st.
Oakland, CA 94607-4900
United States

Invoice Summary

Invoice Number	2024-27956
Renewal Date	07/01/2025
Due Date	08/22/2025
Invoice Date	07/29/2025
Amount Due (USD)	$ 13,495.00

Description	Rate	Amount
BoardOnTrack Membership for the term 07/01/2025 through 06/30/2026.	13,495.00000	13,495.00
	Amount Due (USD)	$ 13,495.00

AIMS K-12 College Prep Charter District
Board Submission Cover Letter

Submitter Information

Full Name: Ahsjanae Hutchings
Position/Title: Executive Assistant to the Board of Directors
Department: Admin

Item Details

Title of Item: Board On Track Renewal
Is this item a: ☐ New Submission
☑ Renewal
If Renewal: Please summarize any changes from the previous submission:

Approvals

Has this item been reviewed and
☐ Superintendent
☑ Chief Business Officer (CBO) (If budget changes)
☐ Director of Compliance (If plan changes)
☐ Neither

Committee Review

Has this item been through the appropriate committee review process?
☑ Yes ☐ No
If yes: Please specify which committee(s) and provide minutes or approval documentation:

If no: Explain why:

Deadline Information

Is there a submission deadline for this item?
☑ Yes ☐ No
If yes: Please indicate the deadline date (MM/DD/YYYY): 8/26/25

Financial Information (if applicable):

Total Cost: $ 13,495
Is this expenditure included in the annual budget?
☑ Yes ☐ No
Please specify in which plan this expense is indicated:
☐ SPSA ☐ LCAP ☑ Other:

Coversheet

CA Dashboard MOU

Section: V. Action Items
Item: F. CA Dashboard MOU
Purpose: Vote
Submitted by:
Related Material:
StudentDataPrivacyAgreement_withMOU_MultipleMeasures_AIMS-K12-College-Prep.pdf

STUDENT DATA PRIVACY AGREEMENT
and
MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING
(SERVICE AGREEMENT)

***** AIMS K12 COLLEGE PREP *****

and

MULTIPLE MEASURES, LLC

July 16, 2025

STUDENT DATA PRIVACY AGREEMENT

This Student Data Privacy Agreement ("DPA") is entered into by and between the AIMS K12 COLLEGE PREP (hereinafter referred to as "LEA") and Multiple Measures, LLC (hereinafter referred to as "Provider") on July 16, 2025. The Parties agree to the terms as stated herein.

RECITALS

WHEREAS, the Provider has agreed to provide the Local Education Agency ("LEA") with certain digital educational services ("Services"); and

WHEREAS, in order to provide the Services, the Provider may receive and the LEA may provide documents or data that are covered by several Federal and State statutes, among them, the Federal Educational and Privacy rights Act ("FERPA") at 12 U.S.C. 1232g, Children's Online Privacy Protection Act ("COPPA"), 15 U.S.C. 6501-6502; Protection of Pupil Rights Amendment ("PPRA") 20 U.S.C. 1232 h; and

WHEREAS, the Parties wish to enter into this DPA to ensure that the Services conform to the requirements of the privacy laws referred to above and to establish implementing procedures and duties; and

NOW THEREFORE, the parties agree as follows:

ARTICLE I: PURPOSE AND SCOPE

1. **Purpose of DPA**. The purpose of this DPA is to describe the duties and responsibilities to protect student data transmitted to Provider from the LEA, including compliance with all applicable privacy statutes, including the FERPA, PPRA, and COPPA. In performing these services, the Provider shall be considered a School Official with a legitimate educational interest, and performing services otherwise provided by the LEA. Provider shall be under the direct control and supervision of the LEA. Control duties are set forth below.

2. **Nature of Services Provided**. The Provider has agreed to provide the following digital educational services described below and as may be further outlined in Exhibit "A" hereto:

   Assessment Reporting and Data Analytics

3. **Student Data to Be Provided**. In order to perform the Services, LEA shall provide the categories of data described below or as indicated in the Schedule of Data, attached hereto as Exhibit "B":

   See Exhibit B

4. **DPA Definitions**. The definition of terms used in this DPA is found in Exhibit "C". In the event of a conflict, definitions used in this DPA shall prevail over any term used in any agreement for Services.

ARTICLE II: DATA OWNERSHIP AND AUTHORIZED ACCESS

1. **Student Data Property of LEA**. All Student Data or any other Pupil Records transmitted to the Provider is and will continue to be the property of and under the control of the LEA. The Parties agree that as between them, all rights, including all intellectual property rights in and to Student Data or any other Pupil Records contemplated shall remain the exclusive property of the LEA. For the purposes of FERPA, the Provider shall be considered a School Official, under the control and direction of the LEAs as it pertains to the use of student data notwithstanding the above. Provider may create a transfer pupil-generated content to a separate account, according to the procedures set forth below.
2. **Parent Access**. Provider and the LEA shall establish reasonable procedures by which a parent, legal guardian, or eligible student may review personally identifiable information on the pupil's records, correct erroneous information, and procedures for the transfer of pupil-generated content to a personal account, consistent with the functionality of services. Provider shall respond in a reasonably timely manner to the LEA's request for personally identifiable information in a pupil's records held by the Provider to view or correct as necessary. In the event that a parent of a pupil or other individual contacts the Provider to review any of the Pupil Records of Student Data accessed pursuant to the Service Agreement, the Provider shall refer the parent or individual to the LEA, who will follow the necessary and proper procedures regarding the requested information.
3. **Separate Account**. Provider shall, at the request of the LEA, transfer Student generated content to a separate student account.
4. **Third Party Request**. Should a Third Party, including law enforcement and government entities, contact Provider with a request for data held by the Provider pursuant to the Service Agreement, the Provider shall redirect the Third Party to request the data directly from the LEA. Provider shall notify the LEA in advance of a compelled disclosure to a Third Party unless legally prohibited.
5. **No Unauthorized Use**. Provider shall not use Student Data or information in a Pupil Record for any purpose other than as explicitly specified in the Service Agreement.
6. **Subprocessors**. Provider shall enter into written agreements with all Subprocessors performing functions pursuant to the Service Agreement, whereby the Subprocessors agree to be bound by the terms of this DPA.

ARTICLE III: DUTIES OF LEA

1. **Provide Data In Compliance With FERPA**. LEA shall provide data for the purposes of the Service Agreement in compliance with the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act ("FERPA"), 20 U.S.C. section 1232g, AB 1584 and the other privacy statutes quoted in this DPA.
2. **Reasonable Precautions**. LEA shall take reasonable precautions to secure usernames, passwords, and any other means of gaining access to the services and hosted data.
3. **Unauthorized Access Notification**. LEA shall notify Provider promptly of any known or suspected unauthorized access. LEA will assist Provider in any efforts by Provider to investigate and respond to any unauthorized access.
4. **LEA Representative**. At request of Provider, LEA shall designate an employee or agent of the LEA as the LEA representative for the coordination and fulfillment of the duties of this DPA.

ARTICLE IV: DUTIES OF PROVIDER

1. **Privacy Compliance**. The Provider shall comply with all California and Federal laws and regulations pertaining to data privacy and security, including but not limited to FERPA, COPPA, and PPRA.

2. **Authorized Use**. The data shared pursuant to the Service Agreement, including persistent unique identifiers, shall be used for no purpose other than the Services stated herein and/or otherwise authorized under the statutes referred to in subsection (1), above.
3. **Employee Obligation**. Provider shall require all employees and agents who have access to Student Data to comply with all applicable provisions of FERPA laws with respect to the data shared under the Service Agreement. Provider agrees to require and maintain an appropriate confidentiality agreement from each employee or agent with access to Student Data pursuant to the Service Agreement.
4. **No Disclosure**. LEA shall not disclose any data obtained under the Service Agreement in a manner that could identify an individual student to any other entity in published results of studies as authorized by the Service Agreement. Deidentified information may be used by the vendor for the purposes of development and improvement of educational sites, services, or applications.
5. **Disposition of Data**. Provider shall dispose of all personally identifiable data obtained under the Service Agreement when it is no longer needed for the purpose for which it was obtained and transfer said data to LEA or LEA's designee within 60 days of the date of termination and according to a schedule and procedure as the Parties may reasonably agree. Nothing in the Service Agreement authorizes Provider to maintain personally identifiable data obtained under the Service Agreement beyond the time period reasonably needed to complete the disposition. Disposition shall include (1) the shredding of any hard copies of any Pupil Records; (2) Erasing; or (3) Otherwise modifying the personal information in those records to make it unreadable or indecipherable. Provider shall provide written notification to LEA when the Data has been disposed. The duty to dispose of Student Data shall not extend to data that has been de-identified or placed in a separate Student account, pursuant to the other terms of the DPA. Nothing in the Service Agreement authorizes Provider to maintain personally identifiable data beyond the time period reasonably needed to complete the disposition.
6. **Advertising Prohibition**. Provider is prohibited from using Student Data to (a) market or advertise to students or families/guardians; (b) inform, influence, or enable marketing, advertising, or other commercial efforts by a Provider; or (c) develop a profile of a student, family member/guardian or group, for any commercial purpose other than providing the Service to Client.

ARTICLE V: DATA PROVISIONS

1. **Data Security**. The Provider agrees to abide by and maintain adequate data security measures to protect Student Data from unauthorized disclosure or acquisition by an unauthorized person. The general security duties of Provider are set forth below. Provider may further detail its security programs and measures in in Exhibit "D" hereto. These measures shall include, but are not limited to:

   a. **Passwords and Employee Access**. Provider shall make best efforts practices to secure usernames, passwords, and any other means of gaining access to the Services or to Student Data, at a level suggested by Article 4.3 of NIST 800-63-3. Provider shall only provide access to Student Data to employees or contractors that are performing the Services. As stated elsewhere in this DPA, employees with access to Student Data shall have signed confidentiality agreements regarding said Student Data. All employees with access to Student Records shall pass criminal background checks.

   b. **Destruction of Data**. Provider shall destroy all personally identifiable data obtained under the Service Agreement when it is no longer needed for the purpose for which it was obtained or transfer said data to LEA or LEA's designee, according to a schedule and procedure as the parties may reasonable agree. Nothing in the Service Agreement authorizes Provider to maintain personally identifiable data beyond the time period reasonably needed to complete the disposition.

   c. **Security Protocols**. Both parties agree to maintain security protocols that meet industry best practices in the transfer or transmission of any data, including ensuring that data may only be viewed or accessed by parties legally allowed to do so. Provider shall maintain all data obtained or generated pursuant to the Service Agreement in a secure computer environment and not copy, reproduce, or transmit data obtained pursuant to the Service Agreement, except as necessary to fulfill the purpose of data requests by LEA.

   d. **Employee Training**. The Provider shall provide periodic security training to those of its employees who operate or have access to the system. Further, Provider shall provide LEA with contact information of an employee who LEA may contact if there are any security concerns or questions.

   e. **Security Technology**. When the service is accessed using a supported web browser, Secure Socket Layer ("SSL"), or equivalent technology protects information, using both server authentication and data encryption to help ensure that data are safe secure only to authorized users. Provider shall host data pursuant to the Service Agreement in an environment using a firewall that is periodically updated according to industry standards.

   f. **Security Coordinator**. Provider shall provide the name and contact information of Provider's Security Coordinator for the Student Data received pursuant to the Service Agreement

   g. **Subprocessors Bound**. Provider shall enter into written agreements whereby Subprocessors agree to be bound to the same requirements and duties as set forth in Article IV of the Service Agreement and shall periodically conduct or review compliance monitoring and assessments of Subprocessors to determine their compliance with this Article.

2. **Data Breach**. In the event that Student Data is accessed or obtained by an unauthorized individual, Provider shall provide notification to LEA within a reasonable Service Agreement of time of the incident. Provider shall follow the following process:

   a. The security breach notification shall be written in plain language, shall be titled "Notice of Data Breach," and shall present the information described herein under the following headings: "What Happened," "What Information Was Involved," "What We Are Doing," "What You Can Do," and "For More Information." Additional information may be provided as a supplement to the notice.

   b. The security breach notification described above in section 2(a) shall include, at a minimum, the following information:

      i. The name and contact information of the reporting LEA subject to this section.

      ii. A list of the types of personal information that were or are reasonably believed to have been the subject of a breach.

      iii. If the information is possible to determine at the time the notice is provided, then either (1) the date of the breach, (2) the estimated date of the breach, or (3) the date range within which the breach occurred. The notification shall also include the date of the notice.

      iv. Whether the notification was delayed as a result of a law enforcement investigation, if that information is possible to determine at the time the notice is provided.

      v. A general description of the breach incident, if that information is possible to determine at the time the notice is provided.

   c. At LEA's discretion, the security breach notification may also include any of the following:

      i. Information about what the agency has done to protect individuals whose information has been breached.

      ii. Advice on steps that the person whose information has been breached may take to protect himself or herself.

   d. Any agency that is required to issue a security breach notification pursuant to this section to more than 500 California residents as a result of a single breach of the security system shall electronically submit a single sample copy of that security breach notification, excluding any personally identifiable information, to the Attorney General. Provider shall assist LEA in these efforts.

   e. At the request and with the assistance of the LEA, Provider shall notify the affected parent, legal guardian or eligible pupil of the unauthorized access, which shall include the information listed in subsections (b) and (c), above.

ARTICLE VI: MISCELLANEOUS

1. **Term**. The Provider shall be bound by this DPA for the duration of the Service Agreement or so long as the Provider maintains any Student Data. Notwithstanding the foregoing, Provider agrees to be bound by the terms and obligations of this DPA for no less than three (3) years.
2. **Termination**. In the event that either party seeks to terminate this DPA, they may do so by mutual written consent so long as the Service Agreement has lapsed or has been terminated.
3. **Effect of Termination Survival**. If the Service Agreement is terminated, the Provider shall destroy all of LEA's data pursuant to Article V, section 1(b).
4. **Priority of Agreements**. This DPA shall govern the treatment of student records in order to comply with the privacy protections, including those found in FERPA. In the event there is conflict between the terms of the DPA and the Service Agreement, or with any other bid/RFP, license agreement, or writing, the terms of this DPA shall apply and take precedence. Except as described in this paragraph herein, all other provisions of the Service Agreement shall remain in effect
5. **Notice**. All notices or other communication required or permitted to be given hereunder must be in writing and given by personal delivery, facsimile or e-mail transmission (if contact information is provided for the specific mode of delivery), or first class mail, postage prepaid, sent to the addresses set forth herein.
6. **Application of Agreement to Other Agencies**. Provider may agree by signing the Form of General Application be bound by the terms of this DPA for the services described therein for any Successor Agency who signs a Joinder to this DPA.
7. **Entire Agreement**. This DPA constitutes the entire agreement of the parties relating to the subject matter hereof and supersedes all prior communications, representations, or agreements, oral or written, by the parties relating thereto. This DPA may be amended and the observance of any provision of this DPA may be waived (either generally or in any particular instance and either retroactively or prospectively) only with the signed written consent of both parties. Neither failure nor delay on the part of any party in exercising any right, power, or privilege hereunder shall operate as a waiver of such right, nor shall any single or partial exercise of any such right, power, or privilege preclude any further exercise thereof or the exercise of any other right, power, or privilege.
8. **Severability**. Any provision of this DPA that is prohibited or unenforceable in any jurisdiction shall, as to such jurisdiction, be ineffective to the extent of such prohibition or unenforceability without invalidating the remaining provisions of this DPA, and any such prohibition or unenforceability in any jurisdiction shall not invalidate or render unenforceable such provision in any other jurisdiction. Notwithstanding the foregoing, if such provision could be more narrowly drawn so as not to be prohibited or unenforceable in such jurisdiction while, at the same time, maintaining the intent of the parties, it shall, as to such jurisdiction, be so narrowly drawn without invalidating the remaining provisions of this DPA or affecting the validity or enforceability of such provision in any other jurisdiction.

9. **Arbitration of Disputes**. The parties agree that any controversy or claim arising out of or relating to this DPA or breach of this DPA shall be settled by arbitration in accordance with the commercial arbitration rules of the American Arbitration Association. Arbitration shall be the exclusive forum for the resolution of any controversies, claims, or disputes arising out of or relating to this DPA. The neutral arbitrator shall be jointly chosen by both parties either from a list of arbitrators supplied by the American Arbitration Association, or a n alternate source by agreement of the parties. The decision of the arbitrator, including determination of the damages suffered, if any, shall be exclusive, final and binding on the parties. The arbitrator shall only have the authority to award traditional contract remedies, and any award shall not exceed the maximum value of this DPA. Each party shall be solely and exclusively responsible for its costs of arbitrating any dispute, with the sole exception of the fee of the arbitrator, the record or transcript of the arbitration, and the cost of the facilities for the arbitration, which shall be borne equally by both parties.

[*Memorandum of Understanding follows*]

MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

This Memorandum of Understanding ("MOU" and/or “Service Agreement”) is entered into by and between AIMS K12 COLLEGE PREP (hereinafter referred to as "LEA") and Multiple Measures, LLC (hereinafter referred to as "Provider") on July 16, 2025. This document states and clarifies the duties and agreements offered by each of the participants.

RECITALS

WHEREAS, Provider has offered to provide LEA with certain digital educational services ("Services"); and

WHEREAS, the Parties herein are also entering into a Student Data Privacy Agreement (“SDPA”), governing the exchange and use of private student information; and

WHEREAS, in order to provide the Services, LEA may supply, and Provider may receive documents and/or data that are covered by several Federal and State statutes, among them, the Federal Educational and Privacy rights Act ("FERPA") at 12 U.S.C. 1232g, Children's Online Privacy Protection Act ("COPPA"), 15 U.S.C. 6501-6502; Protection of Pupil Rights Amendment ("PPRA") 20 U.S.C. 1232 h; and

WHEREAS, the Parties herein desire to enter into this Service Agreement, setting forth the services to be provided by Provider, as well as requirements to be met by LEA.

NOW THEREFORE, the parties agree as follows:

ARTICLE I: PURPOSE AND SCOPE

1. **Description of Cooperative Agencies**. Multiple Measures, LLC, a business of digital educational services who specializes in Assessment Reporting and Analytics, offers services to public school districts and charter schools for Multiple Measures Assessment Reporting Service (MMARS™). AIMS K12 College Prep is an LEA that governs a California public school.

NOW, THEREFORE, it is hereby agreed by and between parties as follows:

2. **Roles and Responsibilities**.
    1) LEA acknowledges that Provider has no access to the test and student data, except through the LEA, and pursuant to the SDPA.
    2) LEA is to acquire state/interim/benchmark test data desired for reporting by means of exporting the data files from the test publisher, in the manner and format required by Provider.
    3) LEA agrees to deliver the test data to Provider, along with the time and effort required to acquire said data from the test publisher.
    4) LEA is to submit the data referred to above to Provider, via the secure file upload tool required by Provider, and according to the rules stated and outlined in the SDPA. Once received, Provider will process the data provided by LEA in a time-effective manner. Provider will create Analytics Reports and deliver said reports to LEA via Multiple Measures Ready Reports™, a secure portal to which authorized LEA end-users can login and view and/or download their reports.
    5) Provider agrees to provide the Assessment Reporting and Analytics services along with the time and effort required to carry out the agreed processes.

6) Provider agrees to offer customer support to LEA end-users at no additional cost. Customer support is available by email, online, or by telephone during standard business hours.

7) Provider agrees to provide LEA with credentials required for secure access to Multiple Measures Ready Reports™ and Provider's secure file upload tool.

3. <u>Special Treatment of Aggregate Reporting of Small Group Sizes</u>.

1) LEA acknowledges that the California Department of Education (CDE) has established guidelines for aggregate reporting of small groups, such that *any group or subgroup that contains fewer than 11 students is not reported publicly*, due to the risk of identification of the individual students.

2) From time to time, LEA may request that Provider deliver reports containing fewer students.

3) LEA acknowledges that Provider's release of this information to LEA is contrary to CDE's guidelines, and that LEA assumes full responsibility for any sharing of this information, and indemnifies and holds Provider harmless for any improper use or distribution.

4) LEA further certifies that these types of reports will be used internally only, with persons having a "need to know", and will not be shared publicly in any way, including in school board meetings or with school board members.

4. <u>Scope</u>. LEA has requested that Provider deliver reports for the following tests:

- State Assessments
  - SBAC
  - CAST
  - ELPAC
  - CAA
- Benchmark Assessments
  - To be determined
    (e.g. iReady, STAR, NWEA-MAP, IXL, ICA, IAB, etc.)

[*Signature Page Follows*]

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have executed this Student Data Privacy Agreement and Data Sharing Addendum and Memorandum of Understanding as of the last day noted below.

AIMS K12 COLLEGE PREP

By: _____ Date: _____

Printed Name: _____ Title/Position: _____

MULTIPLE MEASURES, LLC

By: _____ Date: _____

Printed Name: Craig Clifford Title/Position: CEO

EXHIBIT "A"

DESCRIPTION OF SERVICES

Assessment Reporting and Data Analytics, for
annual and benchmark assessments;
includes reports for groups, subgroups, and pupils.

Powered by BoardOnTrack

EXHIBIT "B"
SCHEDULE OF DATA

Category of Data	Elements	Check if used by your system
Application Technology Meta Data	IP Addresses of users, Use of cookies etc.	
	Other application technology meta data-Please specify:	
Application Use Statistics	Meta data on user interaction with application	
Assessment	Standardized test scores	X
	Observation data	X
	Other assessment data-Please specify: Local Assessments, Classroom Grades, SEL Assessments and Surveys	X
Attendance	Student school (daily) attendance data	X
	Student class attendance data	X
Communications	Online communications that are captured (emails, blog entries)	
Conduct	Conduct or behavioral data	X
Demographics	Date of Birth	X
	Place of Birth	
	Gender	X
	Ethnicity or race	X
	Language information (native, preferred or primary language spoken by student)	X
	Other demographic information-Please specify:	CALPADS, SIS
Enrollment	Student school enrollment	X
	Student grade level	X
	Homeroom	X
	Guidance counselor	X
	Specific curriculum programs	X
	Year of graduation	X
	Other enrollment information-Please specify:	
Parent/Guardian Contact Information	Address	
	Email	
	Phone	
Parent/Guardian ID	Parent ID number (created to link parents to students)	
Parent/Guardian Name	First and/or Last	
Schedule	Student scheduled courses	X
	Teacher names	X

Category of Data	Elements	Check if used by your system
Special Indicator	English language learner information	X
	Low income status	X
	Medical alerts	
	Student disability information	X
	Specialized education services (IEP or 504)	X
	Living situations (homeless/foster care)	X
	Other indicator information-Please specify:	
Category of Data	**Elements**	**Check if used by your system**
Student Contact Information	Address	
	Email	
	Phone	
Student Identifiers	Local (School district) ID number	X
	State ID number	X
	Vendor/App assigned student ID number	X
	Student app username	X
	Student app passwords	
Student Name	First and/or Last	X
Student In App Performance	Program/application performance (typing program-student types 60 wpm, reading program-student reads below grade level)	
Student Program Membership	Academic or extracurricular activities a student may belong to or participate in	X
Student Survey Responses	Student responses to surveys or questionnaires	
Student work	Student generated content; writing, pictures etc.	X
	Other student work data - Please specify:	
Transcript	Student course grades	X
	Student course data	X
	Student course grades/performance scores	X
	Other transcript data -Please specify:	
Transportation	Student bus assignment	
	Student pick up and/or drop off location	

Category of Data	Elements	Check if used by your system
	Student bus card ID number	
	Other transportation data - Please specify:	
Other	Please list each additional data element used, stored or collected by your application	

EXHIBIT "C"

DEFINITIONS

De-Identifiable Information (DII): De-Identification refers to the process by which the Vendor removes or obscures any Personally Identifiable Information ("PII") from student records in a way that removes or minimizes the risk of disclosure of the identity of the individual and information about them.

NIST 800-63-3: Draft National Institute of Standards and Technology ("NIST") Special Publication 800-63-3 Digital Authentication Guideline.

Operator: The term "operator" means the operator of an Internet Website, online service, online application, or mobile application with actual knowledge that the site, service, or application is used primarily for K–12 school purposes and was designed and marketed for K–12 school purposes.

Personally Identifiable Information (PII): The terms "Personally Identifiable Information" or "PII" shall include, but are not limited to, student data, metadata, and user or pupil-generated content obtained by reason of the use of Provider's software, website, service, or app, including mobile apps, whether gathered by Provider or provided by LEA or its users, students, or students' parents/guardians. PII includes, without limitation, at least the following:

First and Last Name	Home Address
Telephone Number	Email Address
Discipline Records	Test Results
Special Education Data	Juvenile Dependency Records
Grades	Evaluations
Criminal Records	Medical Records
Health Records	Social Security Number
Biometric Information	Disabilities
Socioeconomic Information	Food Purchases
Political Affiliations	Religious Information
Text Messages	Documents
Student Identifiers	Search Activity
Photos	Voice Recordings
Videos	

General Categories:

Indirect Identifiers: Any information that, either alone or in aggregate, would allow a reasonable person to be able to identify a student to a reasonable certainty

Information in the Student's Educational Record

Information in the Student's Email

Provider: For purposes of the Service Agreement, the term "Provider" means provider of digital educational software or services, including cloud-based services, for the digital storage, management, and retrieval of pupil records.

Pupil Generated Content: The term "pupil-generated content" means materials or content created by a pupil during and for the purpose of education including, but not limited to, essays, research reports, portfolios, creative writing, music or other audio files, photographs, videos, and account information that enables ongoing ownership of pupil content.

Pupil Records: Means both of the following: (1) Any information that directly relates to a pupil that is maintained by LEA and (2) any information acquired directly from the pupil through the use of instructional software or applications assigned to the pupil by a teacher or other local educational LEA employee.

Service Agreement: Refers to the Contract or Purchase Order to which this DPA supplements and modifies.

School Official: For the purposes of this Agreement, a School Official is a contractor that: (1) Performs an institutional service or function for which the agency or institution would otherwise use employees; and (2) Is under the direct control of the agency or institution with respect to the use and maintenance of education records.

Student Data: Student Data includes any data, whether gathered by Provider or provided by LEA or its users, students, or students' parents/guardians, that is descriptive of the student including, but not limited to, information in the student's educational record or email, first and last name, home address, telephone number, email address, or other information allowing online contact, discipline records, videos, test results, special education data, juvenile dependency records, grades, evaluations, criminal records, medical records, health records, social security numbers, biometric information, disabilities, socioeconomic information, food purchases, political affiliations, religious information text messages, documents, student identifies, search activity, photos, voice recordings or geolocation information. Student Data shall constitute Pupil Records for the purposes of this Agreement, and for the purposes of California and Federal laws and regulations. Student Data as specified in Exhibit B is confirmed to be collected or processed by the Provider pursuant to the Service Agreement. Student Data shall not constitute that information that has been anonymized or de-identified.

Subprocessor: For the purposes of this Agreement, the term "Subprocessor" (sometimes referred to as the "Subcontractor") means a party other than LEA or Provider, who Provider uses for data collection, analytics, storage, or other service to operate and/or improve its software.

Targeted Advertising: Targeted advertising means presenting an advertisement to a student where the selection of the advertisement is based on student information, student records or student generated content or inferred over time from the usage of the Provider's website, online service or mobile application by such student or the retention of such student's online activities or requests over time.

Coversheet

GO Math

Section: V. Action Items
Item: G. GO Math
Purpose: Vote
Submitted by:
Related Material:
Go Math AIMS Board Submission Cover Letter - fillable.pdf
Aims College Prep ES CA Go Math K-5 2015 1-Year Renewal CP#9310530[3] (1).pdf

AIMS K-12 College Prep Charter District
Board Submission Cover Letter

Submitter Information

Full Name: Christopher Ahmad
Position/Title: Principal
Department: High School

Item Details

Title of Item: GO MATH
Is this item a: X New Submission
Renewal
If Renewal: Please summarize any changes from the previous submission:

Approvals

Has this item been reviewed and
X□ Superintendent
X□ Chief Business Officer (CBO) (If budget changes)
X□ Director of Compliance (If plan changes)
□ Neither

Committee Review

Has this item been through the appropriate committee review process? □ Yes X□ No
If yes: Please specify which committee(s) and provide minutes or approval documentation:

If no: Explain why:

Bringing it to the board for the first time

Deadline Information

Is there a submission deadline for this item?
□ Yes x No
If yes: Please indicate the deadline date (MM/DD/YYYY):

Financial Information (if applicable):
Total Cost: $ $26,293.88

Is this expenditure included in the annual budget?
x□ Yes No
Please specify in which plan this expense is indicated:

□ SPSA □x LCAP □ Other:

LCAP AIPCS II 1.1	
4100 - Text Books and Materials	AIPCS II K-5 (030-305)

End of the Board Submission Cover Letter | Version: Spring 2024

Date of Proposal: 4/14/2025 **Proposal Expiration Date: 9/30/2025**

Proposal #009310530

Prepared For

Aims College Prep ES

Attention:
Christoher Ahmad
christopher.ahmad@aimsk12.org

For the Purchase of:

CA Go Math K-5 2015 1-Year

Prepared By
Cynthia Gonzales
cynthia.gonzales@hmhco.com

Please submit this proposal with your purchase order.

Purchase orders or duly executed service agreements for **Professional Services** purchased, must be submitted at least 30 days before the service event date.

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Date of Proposal: 4/14/2025 **Proposal for** **Expiration Date: 9/30/2025**

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ISBN		Title		Price	Quantity	Value of All Materials
Grade K						
Hybrid Package						
SRP/TRP						
1599654	9780544458017	California Go Math! Hybrid Student Resource Package Single-Volume with 1 Year Digital Grade K Package Includes: California Student Edition Grade K California Practice Workbook Grade K Bilingual Mathboard Grade K Online Interactive Student Edition (includes Personal Math Trainer) 1 Yr Grade K SBAC Test Prep Student Edition Grade K	c	$38.93	75	$2,919.75
Total for Hybrid Package						
a la carte items available for purchase						
1567169	9780544264410	HMH Go Math! California Teacher Edition and Planning Guide Bundle Grade K 2015	c	$125.66	3	$376.98
1567423	9780544257337	California Go Math! Online Teacher Digital Management Center 1 Year Digital Grade K	c	$204.78	3	$614.34
Total for a la carte items available for purchase						
Total for Grade K				**$3,911.07**		
Grade 1						
Hybrid Package						
SRP/TRP						
1599657	9780544458048	California Go Math! Hybrid Student Resource Package Single-Volume with 1 Year Digital Grade 1 Package Includes: California Student Edition Grade 1 California Practice Workbook Grade 1 Bilingual Mathboard Grade 1 Online Interactive Student Edition (includes Personal Math Trainer) 1 Yr Grade 1 SBAC Test Prep Student Edition Grade 1	c	$38.93	75	$2,919.75
Total for Hybrid Package						
a la carte items available for purchase						
1567171	9780544264434	HMH Go Math! California Teacher Edition and Planning Guide Bundle Grade 1 2015	c	$125.66	3	$376.98
1567424	9780544264267	California Go Math! Online Teacher Digital Management Center 1 Year Digital Grade 1	c	$204.78	3	$614.34
Total for a la carte items available for purchase						
Total for Grade 1				**$3,911.07**		
Grade 2						
Hybrid Package						
SRP/TRP						

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Aims College Prep ES

	ISBN	Title		Price	Quantity	Value of All Materials
1599660	9780544458079	California Go Math! Hybrid Student Resource Package Single-Volume with 1 Year Digital Grade 2 Package Includes: California Student Edition Grade 2 California Practice Workbook Grade 2 Bilingual Mathboard Grade 2 Online Interactive Student Edition (includes Personal Math Trainer) 1 Yr Grade 2 SBAC Test Prep Student Edition Grade 2	c	$38.93	75	$2,919.75

Total for Hybrid Package

a la carte items available for purchase

1567443	9780544264458	HMH Go Math! California Teacher Edition and Planning Guide Bundle Grade 2 2015	c	$125.66	3	$376.98
1567425	9780544264274	California Go Math! Online Teacher Digital Management Center 1 Year Digital Grade 2	c	$204.78	3	$614.34

Total for a la carte items available for purchase

Total for Grade 2 **$3,911.07**

Grade 3

Hybrid Package

SRP/TRP

1599663	9780544458109	California Go Math! Hybrid Student Resource Package Single-Volume with 1 Year Digital Grade 3 Package Includes: California Student Edition Grade 3 California Practice Workbook Grade 3 Bilingual Mathboard Grade 3 Online Interactive Student Edition (includes Personal Math Trainer) 1 Yr Grade 3 SBAC Test Prep Student Edition Grade 3	c	$38.93	75	$2,919.75

Total for Hybrid Package

a la carte items available for purchase

1567445	9780544264472	HMH Go Math! California Teacher Edition and Planning Guide Bundle Grade 3 2015	c	$125.66	3	$376.98
1567426	9780544264281	California Go Math! Online Teacher Digital Management Center 1 Year Digital Grade 3	c	$204.78	3	$614.34

Total for a la carte items available for purchase

Total for Grade 3 **$3,911.07**

Grade 4

Hybrid Package

SRP/TRP

1599666	9780544458130	California Go Math! Hybrid Student Resource Package Single-Volume with 1 Year Digital Grade 4 Package Includes: California Student Edition Grade 4 California Practice Workbook Grade 4 Bilingual Mathboard Grade 4 Online Interactive Student Edition (includes Personal Math Trainer) 1 Yr Grade 4 SBAC Test Prep Student Edition Grade 4	c	$38.93	75	$2,919.75

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ISBN		Title		Price	Quantity	Value of All Materials
Total for Hybrid Package						
a la carte items available for purchase						
1567447	9780544264496	HMH Go Math! California Teacher Edition and Planning Guide Bundle Grade 4 2015	c	$125.66	3	$376.98
1567427	9780544264298	California Go Math! Online Teacher Digital Management Center 1 Year Digital Grade 4	c	$204.78	3	$614.34
Total for a la carte items available for purchase						
Total for Grade 4				**$3,911.07**		
Grade 5						
Hybrid Package						
SRP/TRP						
1599669	9780544458161	California Go Math! Hybrid Student Resource Package Single-Volume with 1 Year Digital Grade 5 Package Includes: California Student Edition Grade 5 California Practice Workbook Grade 5 Bilingual Mathboard Grade 5 Online Interactive Student Edition (includes Personal Math Trainer) 1 Yr Grade 5 SBAC Test Prep Student Edition Grade 5	c	$38.93	75	$2,919.75
Total for Hybrid Package						
a la carte items available for purchase						
1567449	9780544264519	HMH Go Math! California Teacher Edition and Planning Guide Bundle Grade 5 2015	c	$125.66	3	$376.98
1567428	9780544264304	California Go Math! Online Teacher Digital Management Center 1 Year Digital Grade 5	c	$204.78	3	$614.34
Total for a la carte items available for purchase						
Total for Grade 5				**$3,911.07**		
HMH Professional Services						
Getting Started						
1651771	9780544884281	California Go Math 2015 Getting Started Live Online 2-Hour Grade K-6 Designed specifically for district/school leaders and Math coaches and mentors, clients gain knowledge of the program's organization, lesson design, and support resources. The goal is to build deeper understanding of the program's alignment to standards as well as identify key teacher and student behaviors to observe in their learning environments. Learning Outcomes • Recognize program alignment to national standards • Understand program organization and resources that support differentiation, assessment, and effective whole and small group instruction • Identify teacher and student behaviors when observing HMH classroom implementation/delivery that positively impact student achievement		$800.00	1	$800.00
Total for Getting Started						
Total for HMH Professional Services				**$ 800.00**		

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ISBN	Title	Price	Quantity	Value of All Materials

Total Savings:	**$0.00**
Subtotal Purchase Amount:	**$24,266.42**
Shipping & Handling:	**$0.00**
Sales Tax:	**$2,027.46**
Total Cost of Proposal (PO Amount):	**$26,293.88**

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Aims College Prep ES

Total Cost of Proposal (PO Amount): $26,293.88

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- Please return this cost proposal with your signed purchase order that matches product, prices and shipping charges.
- Provide the exact address for *delivery* of print materials. The shipping address may be your district warehouse or individual school sites, but it is essential that this is accurate.
- Please supply the name of each important district point of contact for all aspects of the solution including their direct contact information (email/phone):
  - Point of Contact for Print materials
  - Point of Contact for Digital materials
  - Point of Contact for Scheduling Professional Development
  - Email address for Accounts Payable contact
- Please confirm that we have the correct 'Ship to' and 'Sold to' information on the cost proposal.

Ship to:	**Sold to:**
Aims Colg Prep Elem Schl	Aims Colg Prep Elem Schl
171 12th St	171 12th St
Oakland, CA 94607-4900	Oakland, CA 94607-4900

- Please provide funding start and end dates.
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- HMH reserves the right to transmit documents electronically.
- Our payment terms are 30 days from the invoice date.
- Print subscription material quantities may be adjusted across grades for like products, to accommodate enrollment fluctuations, quantities cannot be adjusted between different programs or copyrights.
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Coversheet

Uniforms

Section:	V. Action Items
Item:	H. Uniforms
Purpose:	Vote
Submitted by:	
Related Material:	Uniforms AIMS Board Submission Cover Letter - fillable.pdf Invoice 3365390.pdf tee 2 (1).pdf tee1 (1).pdf

AIMS K-12 College Prep Charter District
Board Submission Cover Letter

Submitter Information

Full Name: Christopher Ahmad
Position/Title: Principal
Department: High School

Item Details

Title of Item: Uniforms from Rushordertees
Is this item a: X New Submission
Renewal
If Renewal: Please summarize any changes from the previous submission:

Approvals

Has this item been reviewed and
X□ Superintendent
X□ Chief Business Officer (CBO) (If budget changes)
X□ Director of Compliance (If plan changes)
□ Neither

Committee Review

Has this item been through the appropriate committee review process? □ Yes X□ No
If yes: Please specify which committee(s) and provide minutes or approval documentation:

If no: Explain why:

Bringing it to the board for the first time

Deadline Information

Is there a submission deadline for this item?
□ Yes x No
If yes: Please indicate the deadline date (MM/DD/YYYY):

Financial Information (if applicable):
Total Cost: $ $31,866.44
Is this expenditure included in the annual budget?
□ Yes X No
Please specify in which plan this expense is indicated:
□ SPSA □ LCAP □ Other:

LCAP 1.1.6 Supplies, but wanting to reallocate PD budget for these uniforms since we are no longer doing Teach Like a Champion

AIPHS (040-000)	0000 - General Fund

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Payment Needed to Begin Order #3365390

Order Placed on July 29, 2025

Pay Now Online

CREDIT CARD affirm Pay over time

or Pay by Phone at (800) 620-1233

Delivery Date: Friday, August 08, 2025

- **Order in Progress**
  AIMS High School
  Brenda Nixon
  746 Grand Ave
  Oakland, California 94610

Design Name	Qty	Size	Item Color & Spec	Item Description	Price/Piece	Subtotal
Design 1	50	XS	Red | 1 Color Front	G180 Adult Heavy Blend 8 oz., 50/50 Fleece Crew	$16.06	$803.00
Design 1	165	S	Red | 1 Color Front	G180 Adult Heavy Blend 8 oz., 50/50 Fleece Crew	$16.06	$2,649.90
Design 1	165	M	Red | 1 Color Front	G180 Adult Heavy Blend 8 oz., 50/50 Fleece Crew	$16.06	$2,649.90
Design 1	50	L	Red | 1 Color Front	G180 Adult Heavy Blend 8 oz., 50/50 Fleece Crew	$16.06	$803.00
Design 1	15	XL	Red | 1 Color Front	G180 Adult Heavy Blend 8 oz., 50/50 Fleece Crew	$16.06	$240.90
Design 1	5	2XL	Red | 1 Color Front	G180 Adult Heavy Blend 8 oz., 50/50 Fleece Crew	$18.06	$90.30
Design 1	1	ONE SIZE	PLACEHOLDER | 1 Color Front	PLACEHOLDER PLACEHOLDER	-	**FREE**
Design 2	165	S	True red | 1 Color Front	973 Adult 8 oz. NuBlend Fleece Sweatpants	$18.36	$3,029.40
Design 2	165	M	True red | 1 Color Front	973 Adult 8 oz. NuBlend Fleece Sweatpants	$18.36	$3,029.40
Design 2	50	L	True red | 1 Color Front	973 Adult 8 oz. NuBlend Fleece Sweatpants	$18.36	$918.00
Design 2	15	XL	True red | 1 Color Front	973 Adult 8 oz. NuBlend Fleece Sweatpants	$18.36	$275.40

Design Name	Qty	Size	Item Color & Spec	Item Description	Price/Piece	Subtotal
Design 2	5	2XL	True red | 1 Color Front	973 Adult 8 oz. NuBlend Fleece Sweatpants	$20.36	$101.80
Design 2	50	YXL	True red | 1 Color Front	973B Youth 8 oz. NuBlend Fleece Sweatpants	$18.36	$918.00
Design 2	1	ONE SIZE	PLACEHOLDER | 1 Color Front	PLACEHOLDER PLACEHOLDER	-	**FREE**
Design 3	155	S	White | Embroidery Front-Left Chest	G880 Adult 6 oz., 50/50 Jersey Polo	$14.50	$2,247.50
Design 3	150	M	White | Embroidery Front-Left Chest	G880 Adult 6 oz., 50/50 Jersey Polo	$14.50	$2,175.00
Design 3	50	L	White | Embroidery Front-Left Chest	G880 Adult 6 oz., 50/50 Jersey Polo	$14.50	$725.00
Design 3	40	XL	White | Embroidery Front-Left Chest	G880 Adult 6 oz., 50/50 Jersey Polo	$14.50	$580.00
Design 3	5	2XL	White | Embroidery Front-Left Chest	G880 Adult 6 oz., 50/50 Jersey Polo	$17.40	$87.00
Design 3	50	YXL	White | Embroidery Front-Left Chest	G880B Youth 6 oz., 50/50 Jersey Polo	$14.50	$725.00
Design 3	155	S	Navy | Embroidery Front-Left Chest	G880 Adult 6 oz., 50/50 Jersey Polo	$14.50	$2,247.50
Design 3	150	M	Navy | Embroidery Front-Left Chest	G880 Adult 6 oz., 50/50 Jersey Polo	$14.50	$2,175.00
Design 3	50	L	Navy | Embroidery Front-Left Chest	G880 Adult 6 oz., 50/50 Jersey Polo	$14.50	$725.00
Design 3	40	XL	Navy | Embroidery Front-Left Chest	G880 Adult 6 oz., 50/50 Jersey Polo	$14.50	$580.00
Design 3	5	2XL	Navy | Embroidery Front-Left Chest	G880 Adult 6 oz., 50/50 Jersey Polo	$17.40	$87.00
Design 3	50	YXL	Navy | Embroidery Front-Left Chest	G880B Youth 6 oz., 50/50 Jersey Polo	$14.50	$725.00
Design 3	1	ONE SIZE	PLACEHOLDER | Embroidery Front-Left Chest	PLACEHOLDER PLACEHOLDER	-	**FREE**

Subtotal (1803 Items): **$28,588.00**
Discount: **$-2858.80**
Delivery on **August 08, 2025**: **$3500.00**

Tax: **$2,637.24**

Grand Total: $31,866.44

Paid: **$12,500.00**
Remaining Balance: **$19,366.44**

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Invoice #3372313

Order Placed on July 31, 2025

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2727 Commerce Way
Philadelphia, PA 19154

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CREDIT CARD | affirm Pay over time

or Pay by Phone at (800) 620-1233

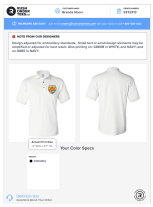
Delivery Date: Friday, August 08, 2025

- **Order in Progress**
  AIMS High School
  Brenda Nixon
  746 Grand Ave
  Oakland, California 94610

Billing Info

American Indian Model Schools
Katema Ballentine
746 Grand Ave
Oakland, California 94610

Purchase Order #12111 (Download Copy of PO)

Design Name	Qty	Size	Item Color & Spec	Item Description	Price/Piece	Subtotal
						
Polo	155	S	White | Embroidery Front-Left Chest	G880 Adult 6 oz., 50/50 Jersey Polo	$14.50	$2,247.50
Polo	150	M	White | Embroidery Front-Left Chest	G880 Adult 6 oz., 50/50 Jersey Polo	$14.50	$2,175.00
Polo	50	L	White | Embroidery Front-Left Chest	G880 Adult 6 oz., 50/50 Jersey Polo	$14.50	$725.00
Polo	40	XL	White | Embroidery Front-Left Chest	G880 Adult 6 oz., 50/50 Jersey Polo	$14.50	$580.00
Polo	5	2XL	White | Embroidery Front-Left Chest	G880 Adult 6 oz., 50/50 Jersey Polo	$17.40	$87.00
Polo	50	YXL	White | Embroidery Front-Left Chest	G880B Youth 6 oz., 50/50 Jersey Polo	$14.50	$725.00
Polo	155	S	Navy | Embroidery Front-Left Chest	G880 Adult 6 oz., 50/50 Jersey Polo	$14.50	$2,247.50

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Polo	50	L	Navy | Embroidery Front-Left Chest	G880 Adult 6 oz., 50/50 Jersey Polo	$14.50	$725.00
Polo	40	XL	Navy | Embroidery Front-Left Chest	G880 Adult 6 oz., 50/50 Jersey Polo	$14.50	$580.00
Polo	5	2XL	Navy | Embroidery Front-Left Chest	G880 Adult 6 oz., 50/50 Jersey Polo	$17.40	$87.00
Polo	50	YXL	Navy | Embroidery Front-Left Chest	G880B Youth 6 oz., 50/50 Jersey Polo	$14.50	$725.00
Polo	1	ONE SIZE	PLACEHOLDER | Embroidery Front-Left Chest	PLACEHOLDER PLACEHOLDER	-	FREE

Subtotal (901 Items): **$13,079.00**

Delivery on **August 08, 2025**: **$1000.00**

Tax: **$1,340.60**

Grand Total: $15,419.60

Paid: **$0.00**

Remaining Balance: **$15,419.60**

Form **W-9**
(Rev. March 2024)
Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Request for Taxpayer Identification Number and Certification

Go to *www.irs.gov/FormW9* for instructions and the latest information.

Give form to the requester. Do not send to the IRS.

Before you begin. For guidance related to the purpose of Form W-9, see *Purpose of Form*, below.

Print or type. See *Specific Instructions* on page 3.

1 Name of entity/individual. An entry is required. (For a sole proprietor or disregarded entity, enter the owner's name on line 1, and enter the business/disregarded entity's name on line 2.)

Printfly Corporation

2 Business name/disregarded entity name, if different from above.

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3a Check the appropriate box for federal tax classification of the entity/individual whose name is entered on line 1. Check only **one** of the following seven boxes.

☐ Individual/sole proprietor ☐ C corporation ☑ S corporation ☐ Partnership ☐ Trust/estate

☐ LLC. Enter the tax classification (C = C corporation, S = S corporation, P = Partnership) . . . . .

Note: Check the "LLC" box above and, in the entry space, enter the appropriate code (C, S, or P) for the tax classification of the LLC, unless it is a disregarded entity. A disregarded entity should instead check the appropriate box for the tax classification of its owner.

☐ Other (see instructions)

4 Exemptions (codes apply only to certain entities, not individuals; see instructions on page 3):

Exempt payee code (if any)

Exemption from Foreign Account Tax Compliance Act (FATCA) reporting code (if any)

(Applies to accounts maintained outside the United States.)

3b If on line 3a you checked "Partnership" or "Trust/estate," or checked "LLC" and entered "P" as its tax classification, and you are providing this form to a partnership, trust, or estate in which you have an ownership interest, check this box if you have any foreign partners, owners, or beneficiaries. See instructions . . . . . ☐

5 Address (number, street, and apt. or suite no.). See instructions.

2727 Commerce Way

Requester's name and address (optional)

6 City, state, and ZIP code

Philadelphia, PA 19154

7 List account number(s) here (optional)

Part I Taxpayer Identification Number (TIN)

Enter your TIN in the appropriate box. The TIN provided must match the name given on line 1 to avoid backup withholding. For individuals, this is generally your social security number (SSN). However, for a resident alien, sole proprietor, or disregarded entity, see the instructions for Part I, later. For other entities, it is your employer identification number (EIN). If you do not have a number, see *How to get a TIN*, later.

Note: If the account is in more than one name, see the instructions for line 1. See also *What Name and Number To Give the Requester* for guidelines on whose number to enter.

Social security number

			–			–				

or

Employer identification number

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Part II Certification

Under penalties of perjury, I certify that:

1. The number shown on this form is my correct taxpayer identification number (or I am waiting for a number to be issued to me); and
2. I am not subject to backup withholding because (a) I am exempt from backup withholding, or (b) I have not been notified by the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) that I am subject to backup withholding as a result of a failure to report all interest or dividends, or (c) the IRS has notified me that I am no longer subject to backup withholding; and
3. I am a U.S. citizen or other U.S. person (defined below); and
4. The FATCA code(s) entered on this form (if any) indicating that I am exempt from FATCA reporting is correct.

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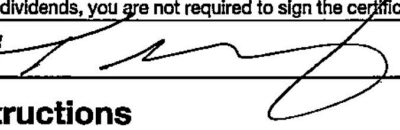
Sign Here Signature of U.S. person  Date 5/22/2024

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- **Order in Progress**
  AIMS High School
  Brenda Nixon
  746 Grand Ave
  Oakland, California 94610

Billing Info

American Indian Model Schools
Katem Ballentine
746 Grand Ave
Oakland, California 94610

Purchase Order #1211 (Download Copy of PO)

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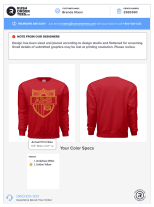						
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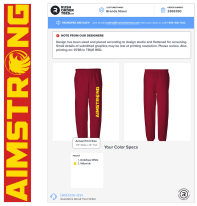						
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Subtotal (900 Items): **$15,509.00**

Discount: **$-2858.80**

Delivery on **August 08, 2025**: **$2500.00**

Tax: **$1,296.65**

Grand Total: $16,446.85

Paid: **$12,500.00**

Remaining Balance: **$3,946.85**

Form **W-9**
(Rev. March 2024)
Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Request for Taxpayer Identification Number and Certification

Go to *www.irs.gov/FormW9* for instructions and the latest information.

Give form to the requester. Do not send to the IRS.

Before you begin. For guidance related to the purpose of Form W-9, see *Purpose of Form*, below.

Print or type. See *Specific Instructions* on page 3.

1 Name of entity/individual. An entry is required. (For a sole proprietor or disregarded entity, enter the owner's name on line 1, and enter the business/disregarded entity's name on line 2.)

Printfly Corporation

2 Business name/disregarded entity name, if different from above.

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3a Check the appropriate box for federal tax classification of the entity/individual whose name is entered on line 1. Check only **one** of the following seven boxes.

☐ Individual/sole proprietor ☐ C corporation ☑ S corporation ☐ Partnership ☐ Trust/estate

☐ LLC. Enter the tax classification (C = C corporation, S = S corporation, P = Partnership) . . . . .

Note: Check the "LLC" box above and, in the entry space, enter the appropriate code (C, S, or P) for the tax classification of the LLC, unless it is a disregarded entity. A disregarded entity should instead check the appropriate box for the tax classification of its owner.

☐ Other (see instructions)

4 Exemptions (codes apply only to certain entities, not individuals; see instructions on page 3):

Exempt payee code (if any)

Exemption from Foreign Account Tax Compliance Act (FATCA) reporting code (if any)

(Applies to accounts maintained outside the United States.)

3b If on line 3a you checked "Partnership" or "Trust/estate," or checked "LLC" and entered "P" as its tax classification, and you are providing this form to a partnership, trust, or estate in which you have an ownership interest, check this box if you have any foreign partners, owners, or beneficiaries. See instructions . . . . . ☐

5 Address (number, street, and apt. or suite no.). See instructions.

2727 Commerce Way

Requester's name and address (optional)

6 City, state, and ZIP code

Philadelphia, PA 19154

7 List account number(s) here (optional)

Part I Taxpayer Identification Number (TIN)

Enter your TIN in the appropriate box. The TIN provided must match the name given on line 1 to avoid backup withholding. For individuals, this is generally your social security number (SSN). However, for a resident alien, sole proprietor, or disregarded entity, see the instructions for Part I, later. For other entities, it is your employer identification number (EIN). If you do not have a number, see *How to get a TIN*, later.

Note: If the account is in more than one name, see the instructions for line 1. See also *What Name and Number To Give the Requester* for guidelines on whose number to enter.

Social security number

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or

Employer identification number

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Part II Certification

Under penalties of perjury, I certify that:

1. The number shown on this form is my correct taxpayer identification number (or I am waiting for a number to be issued to me); and
2. I am not subject to backup withholding because (a) I am exempt from backup withholding, or (b) I have not been notified by the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) that I am subject to backup withholding as a result of a failure to report all interest or dividends, or (c) the IRS has notified me that I am no longer subject to backup withholding; and
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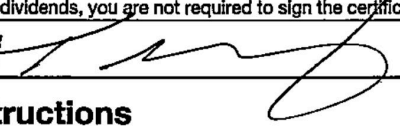
Sign Here Signature of U.S. person  Date 5/22/2024

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Coversheet

Elevate

Section: V. Action Items
Item: I. Elevate
Purpose: Vote
Submitted by:
Related Material: Quote QU0054.pdf
Quote QU0055 (2).pdf
Elevate Education AIMS Board Submission Cover Letter - fillable.pdf

DRAFT QUOTE

AIMS College Prep Elementary School
Attention: Christopher Ahmad
171 12th St
OAKLAND CA 94607

Date
25 Jul 2025

Quote Number
QU-0054

Reference
AIMS College Prep Student Sessions

Elevate Education, Inc.
20 Jay Street, Ste 744
Brooklyn NY 11201

Description	Quantity	Unit Price	Amount USD
WORKSHOP #1	15.00	375.00	5,625.00
WORKSHOP #2	15.00	375.00	5,625.00
WORKSHOP #3	15.00	375.00	5,625.00
WORKSHOP #4	15.00	375.00	5,625.00
		Subtotal	22,500.00
		TOTAL TAX	0.00
		TOTAL USD	**22,500.00**

DRAFT QUOTE

AIMS College Prep Elementary School
Attention: Christopher Ahmad
171 12th St
OAKLAND CA 94607

Date
25 Jul 2025

Quote Number
QU-0055

Reference
AIMS - FACULTY

Elevate Education, Inc.
20 Jay Street, Ste 744
Brooklyn NY 11201

Description	Quantity	Unit Price	Amount USD
FACULTY SESSION	1.00	375.00	375.00
		Subtotal	375.00
		TOTAL TAX	0.00
		TOTAL USD	**375.00**

AIMS K-12 College Prep Charter District
Board Submission Cover Letter

Submitter Information
Full Name: Christopher Ahmad
Position/Title: Principal
Department: High School

Item Details
Title of Item: Elevate
Is this item a: X New Submission
Renewal
If Renewal: Please summarize any changes from the previous submission:

Approvals
Has this item been reviewed and
X□ Superintendent
X□ Chief Business Officer (CBO) (If budget changes)
X□ Director of Compliance (If plan changes)
□ Neither

Committee Review
Has this item been through the appropriate committee review process? □ Yes X□ No
If yes: Please specify which committee(s) and provide minutes or approval documentation:

If no: Explain why:

Bringing it to the board for the first time

Deadline Information
Is there a submission deadline for this item?
□ Yes x No
If yes: Please indicate the deadline date (MM/DD/YYYY):

Financial Information (if applicable):
Total Cost: $19,999.98

Is this expenditure included in the annual budget?
x□ Yes No
Please specify in which plan this expense is indicated:

□ SPSA □x LCAP □ Other:

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5800. - Professional/Consulting Services and Operating	*AIPCS 2 6*

	0000 - General Fund	Lcap 1.1.7

Coversheet

BACSAC

Section: V. Action Items
Item: J. BACSAC
Purpose: Vote
Submitted by:
Related Material:
BACSAC Invoice #1306 (AIMS).pdf
BACSAC Invoice #1306 (AIMS) (1).pdf
BacSAC Elevate Education AIMS Board Submission Cover Letter - fillable.pdf
Spendwise PO#12067.pdf

INVOICE

Bay Area Charter School Athletic Conference
1033 Shoreline Dr
San Mateo, CA 94404-2004

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www.bacsac.org

Bill to
Julia Li
AIMS College Prep High School
746 Grand Avenue
Oakland, CA 94610

Invoice details
Invoice no.: 1306
Terms: Net 45
Invoice date: 07/21/2025
Due date: 09/04/2025

#	Date	Product or service	Description	Qty	Rate	Amount
1.		**Membership 2025-26**	Annual Membership	1	$3,400.00	$3,400.00
2.		**Cross Country**	Includes facility rentals, officiating & administrative charges per sport.	1	$735.00	$735.00
3.		**Girls Volleyball**	Includes court rentals, officiating & administrative charges per sport.	1	$3,045.00	$3,045.00
4.		**Fall Boys Soccer**	Includes facility rentals, officiating & administrative charges per sport.	1	$3,360.00	$3,360.00
5.		**Girls Basketball**	Includes court rentals, officiating & administrative charges per sport.	1	$2,835.00	$2,835.00
6.		**Boys Basketball**	Includes court rentals, officiating & administrative charges per sport.	1	$2,835.00	$2,835.00
7.		**Spring Girls Soccer**	Includes field rentals, officiating & administrative charges per sport.	1	$3,360.00	$3,360.00
8.		**Boys Volleyball**	Includes court rentals, officiating & administrative charges per sport.	1	$3,045.00	$3,045.00

Total **$22,615.00**

Note to customer

Make Check Payable to: BACSAC
Send to:

BACSAC
c/o Peter Hanley
1033 Shoreline Dr.
San Mateo, CA 94404

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AIMS K-12 College Prep Charter District
Board Submission Cover Letter

Submitter Information

Full Name: Christopher Ahmad
Position/Title: Principal
Department: High School

Item Details

Title of Item: BACSAC
Is this item a: X New Submission
Renewal
If Renewal: Please summarize any changes from the previous submission:

Approvals

Has this item been reviewed and
X□ Superintendent
X□ Chief Business Officer (CBO) (If budget changes)
X□ Director of Compliance (If plan changes)
□ Neither

Committee Review

Has this item been through the appropriate committee review process? □ Yes X□ No
If yes: Please specify which committee(s) and provide minutes or approval documentation:

If no: Explain why:

Bringing it to the board for the first time

Deadline Information

Is there a submission deadline for this item?
□ Yes x No
If yes: Please indicate the deadline date (MM/DD/YYYY):

Financial Information (if applicable):
Total Cost: $22,615.00

Is this expenditure included in the annual budget?
x□ Yes No
Please specify in which plan this expense is indicated:

□ SPSA □x LCAP □ Other:

4342 - Materials for Sports Program	
Sports Dept. (010-140)	
LCAP Goal 2.3.1	

CLOSED

P.O. #	Vendor	Bill to	Ship to
12067	BACSAC c/o Peter Hanley	American Indian Model Schools	American Indian Model Schools

Date	Due date	Terms	Quote#
07/22/2025	09/04/2025		

Requisitioner	Shipping
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Line	Description	Quantity	U/M	Price	Tax	Amount
1	Membership 2025-26	1	Unit(s)	3400.00	N	3,400.00
	Account: 4342 - Materials for Sports Program; Group: Sports Dept. (010-140); Tag: 0000 - General Fund; Memo: LCAP Goal 2.3.1					
2	Cross Country	1	Unit(s)	735.00	N	735.00
	Account: 4342 - Materials for Sports Program; Group: Sports Dept. (010-140); Tag: 0000 - General Fund; Memo: LCAP Goal 2.3.1					
3	Girls Volleyball	1	Unit(s)	3045.00	N	3,045.00
	Account: 4342 - Materials for Sports Program; Group: Sports Dept. (010-140); Tag: 0000 - General Fund; Memo: LCAP Goal 2.3.1					
4	Fall Boys Soccer	1	Unit(s)	3360.00	N	3,360.00
	Account: 4342 - Materials for Sports Program; Group: Sports Dept. (010-140); Tag: 0000 - General Fund; Memo: LCAP Goal 2.3.1					
5	Girls Basketball	1	Unit(s)	2835.00	N	2,835.00
	Account: 4342 - Materials for Sports Program; Group: Sports Dept. (010-140); Tag: 0000 - General Fund; Memo: LCAP Goal 2.3.1					

Line	Description	Quantity	U/M	Price	Tax	Amount
6	Boys Basketball	1	Unit(s)	2835.00	N	2,835.00
	Account: 4342 - Materials for Sports Program; Group: Sports Dept. (010-140); Tag: 0000 - General Fund; Memo: LCAP Goal 2.3.1					
7	Spring Girls Soccer	1	Unit(s)	3360.00	N	3,360.00
	Account: 4342 - Materials for Sports Program; Group: Sports Dept. (010-140); Tag: 0000 - General Fund; Memo: LCAP Goal 2.3.1					
8	Boys Volleyball	1	Unit(s)	3045.00	N	3,045.00
	Account: 4342 - Materials for Sports Program; Group: Sports Dept. (010-140); Tag: 0000 - General Fund; Memo: LCAP Goal 2.3.1					

▲ Hide detail

Sub-total	22,615.00
Taxes (0.00%)	0.00
Total	**22,615.00**

Comments
None

Attachments

BACSAC Invoice #1306 (AIMS).pdf (60.9 KB)

AIMS High School - LCAP 2025-2026 (1) (1).pdf (1.9 MB)

Approvers

Mikael Wooten (07/22/2025)

Julia Li (07/22/2025)

Jimmie Brown (07/24/2025)

Katema Ballentine (07/30/2025)

Coversheet

Cengage ELD

Section: V. Action Items
Item: K. Cengage ELD
Purpose: Vote
Submitted by:
Related Material:
AIMS Board Submission Cover Letter - ELD Curriculum.docx (1).pdf
Cengage PO July 28 2025.pdf
9-12 ELT - NEW Lift - 1 YR Option - Revised QTYs (Split 2 of 2)_V1.pdf.pdf

AIMS K-12 College Prep Charter District
Board Submission Cover Letter

Submitter Information
Full Name: Adria Banihashemi
Position/Title: ELD Manager
Department: ELD
Date of Submission (MM/DD/YYYY): 08/19/2025

Item Details
Title of Item: Cengage ELD Curriculum
Is this item a: X New Submission
□ Renewal
If Renewal: Please summarize any changes from the previous submission:

Approvals
Has this item been reviewed by:
□ Superintendent *
□ Chief Business Officer (CBO) (If budget changes) *
□ Director of Compliance (If plan changes) *
□ Neither
* it has been approved in Spendwise by all approvers, including CBO

Committee Review
Has this item been through the appropriate committee review process?
X Yes □ No
If yes: Please specify which committee(s) and provide minutes or approval documentation:

The curriculum was approved by the ELD dept. upon review by ELD teacher and Manager

If no: Explain why:

Deadline Information
Is there a submission deadline for this item?
x Yes □ No
If yes: Please indicate the deadline date (MM/DD/YYYY): 8/19/2025

Financial Information (if applicable):
Total Cost: $10,880.30
Is this expenditure included in the annual budget?
X Yes □ No
Please specify in which plan this expense is indicated:

□ SPSA X LCAP □ Other:

OPEN

P.O. #	Vendor	Bill to	Ship to
12097	Cengage Learning	American Indian Model Schools	American Indian Model Schools

Date	Due date	Terms	Quote#
07/28/2025			

Requisitioner	Shipping
Adria Bani	

Line	Description	Quantity	U/M	Price	Tax	Amount
1	supplementary textbooks/practice books for ELD **Name/Number**: Books & Other Reference Materials	1	Unit(s)	10880.30	N	10,880.30

Account	Group	Tag	Memo
4200 - Books and Other Reference Materials	AIPHS (040-000)	0000 - General Fund	

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Sub-total	10,880.30
Taxes (0.00%)	0.00
Total	**10,880.30**

Comments
GENERAL FUND. These are books/curriculum supplies for item 1.1.6 of the AIMS HS LCAP (attached). Invoice and W9 are attached.

Attachments

AIMS High School - LCAP 2025-2026.pdf (1.9 MB)

9-12 ELT - NEW Lift - 1 YR Option - Revised QTYs (Split 2 of 2)_V1.pdf.pdf (248 KB)

W9 (1).pdf (308 KB)

Approvers

Adria Bani (07/28/2025)

Julia Li (07/28/2025)

Christopher Ahmad (07/28/2025)

Keisha Smith (pending)

Katema Ballentine

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ATTN: Order Fulfillment
10650 Toebben Drive
Independence, KY 41051
(888)-915-3276

Created Date 7/12/2025
Expiration Date 8/29/2025

Invoice Number 00088144

Prepared By:
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Presented To:
Adria Banihashemi
adria.bani@aimsk12.org

Bill To:
AIMS COLLEGE PREP HIGH SCHOOL

Ship To:
AIMS COLLEGE PREP HIGH SCHOOL
746 Grand Avenue
Oakland, California 94610
United States

Product	ISBN	Quantity	Sales Price	Total Price
Lift Welcome: Teacher's Book	9798214172378	1.00	USD 200.00	USD 200.00
Lift Phonics: Practice Book	9798214457970	20.00	USD 30.00	USD 600.00
Lift Intro: Teacher's Book	9798214172484	1.00	USD 200.00	USD 200.00
Lift Intro: Language Companion	9798214172538	10.00	USD 30.00	USD 300.00
Lift Fundamentals: Student's Book + the Spark platform, Instant Access Package	9780357918227	10.00	USD 100.00	USD 1,000.00
Lift Fundamentals: Teacher's Book	9780357501245	1.00	USD 200.00	USD 200.00
Lift Fundamentals: Language Companion	9780357501207	10.00	USD 30.00	USD 300.00
Lift 1: Student's Book + the Spark platform, Instant Access Package	9780357918234	10.00	USD 100.00	USD 1,000.00
Lift 1: Teacher's Book	9780357501252	1.00	USD 200.00	USD 200.00
Lift 1: Language Companion	9780357501214	10.00	USD 30.00	USD 300.00
Lift 2: Student's Book + the Spark platform, Instant Access Package	9780357918241	20.00	USD 100.00	USD 2,000.00
Lift 2: Teacher's Book	9780357501269	1.00	USD 200.00	USD 200.00
Lift 2: Language Companion	9780357501221	20.00	USD 30.00	USD 600.00
Lift 3: Student's Book + the Spark platform, Instant Access Package	9780357918258	20.00	USD 100.00	USD 2,000.00
Lift 3: Teacher's Book	9780357501276	1.00	USD 200.00	USD 200.00
Lift 3: Language Companion	9780357501238	20.00	USD 30.00	USD 600.00

Subtotal	USD 9,900.00
Total Price	USD 9,900.00
Shipping and Handling	USD 980.30
Grand Total	USD 10,880.30
Total Savings	USD 9.70

Terms & Conditions

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ATTN: Order Fulfillment
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(888)-915-3276

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Additional Information

Comments

Coversheet

NuGerm

Section:	V. Action Items
Item:	L. NuGerm
Purpose:	Vote
Submitted by:	
Related Material:	NuGERM AIMS Board Submission Cover Letter - fillable.pdf AIMS College Prep High School NUGERM.pdf

AIMS K-12 College Prep Charter District
Board Submission Cover Letter

Submitter Information

Full Name: Christopher Ahmad
Position/Title: Principal
Department: High School

Item Details

Title of Item: NUGERM
Is this item a: X New Submission
Renewal
If Renewal: Please summarize any changes from the previous submission:

Approvals

Has this item been reviewed and
X□ Superintendent
X□ Chief Business Officer (CBO) (If budget changes)
X□ Director of Compliance (If plan changes)
□ Neither

Committee Review

Has this item been through the appropriate committee review process? □ Yes X□ No
If yes: Please specify which committee(s) and provide minutes or approval documentation:

If no: Explain why:

Bringing it to the board for the first time

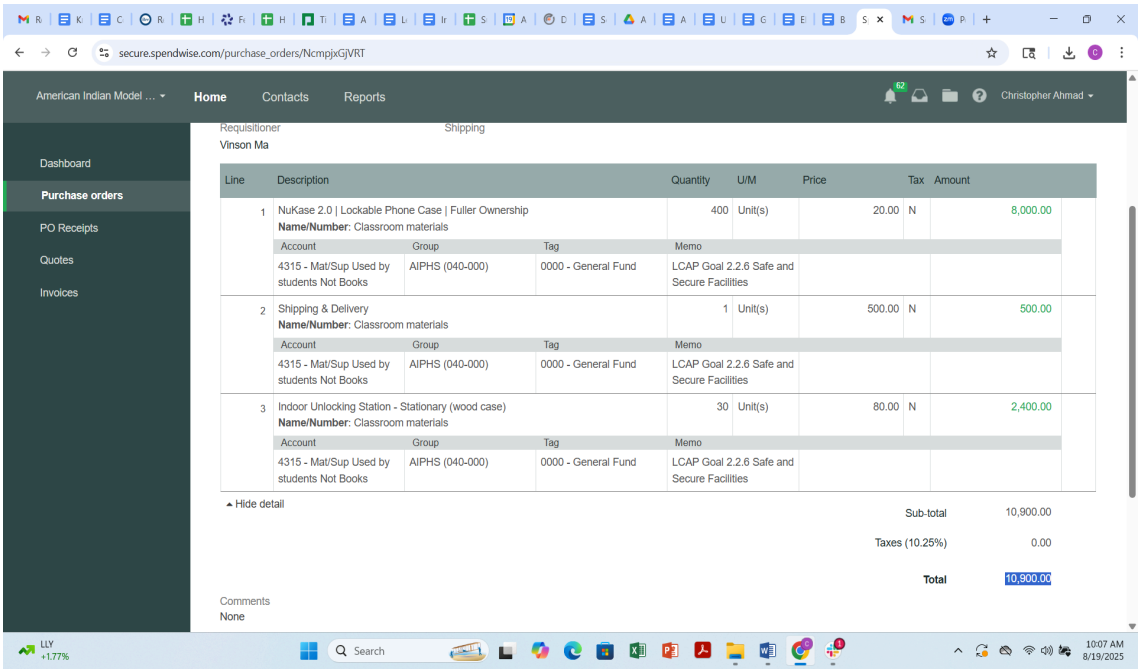
Deadline Information

Is there a submission deadline for this item?
□ Yes x No
If yes: Please indicate the deadline date (MM/DD/YYYY):

Financial Information (if applicable):
Total Cost: $10,900.00

Is this expenditure included in the annual budget?
x□ Yes No
Please specify in which plan this expense is indicated:

□ SPSA □x LCAP □ Other:



LCAP Goal 2.2.6 Safe and Secure Facilities

Quote

NuGerm
380 NW 67th St. STE 103
Boca Raton, FL 33487
(561) 462-2041
Tony Kholodovsky
ak@Nugerm.com

DATE	VALID UNTIL
08/15/25	09/15/25

CUSTOMER

Christopher Ahmad
AIMS College Prep High School
746 Grand Ave
Oakland, CA 94610

Project Description

QUOTE NO.	SHIP DATE	SHIP VIA	SALESPERSON	TERMS
T2008	~30 Days	UPS	Tony Kholodovsky	NET15

ITEM NO.	DESCRIPTION	QTY	UNIT PRICE	TOTAL
NUKASE	NuKase™ 2.0 | Lockable Phone Case | Full Ownership	400	$20.00	$8,000.00
LABELS	Screen Blocking ID Labels	1	$0.00	$0.00
SHIPPING	Shipping & Delivery	1	$500.00	$500.00
INST-1	Implementation Guide | Student & Teacher Intro Letter	1	$0.00	$0.00
NU-INDR-1	Indoor Unlocking Station - Stationary (wood base)	30	$80.00	$2,400.00
		0	$0.00	$0.00
				$0.00
				$0.00
		TOTAL		**$10,900.00**

For questions concerning this formal quote, please contact

Tony Kholodovsky | Phone: (561) 462-2041 | Fax: 561.571.2524 | James@Nugerm.com

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Coversheet

Playground Construction

Section:	V. Action Items
Item:	M. Playground Construction
Purpose:	Vote
Submitted by:	
Related Material:	AIMS NPC #118392.pdf AIMS Board Submission Cover Letter (Form) (1).pdf

NPC NATIONAL PLAYGROUND CONSTRUCTION
BYO Installation Division
Installation Quotes Valid for 90 Days

PROPOSAL #: 118392

ACCOUNT:
AIMS K-12 COLLEGE PREP CHARTER DISTRICT

DATE CREATED:
8/12/2025

ACCOUNT REP:
Devon Ward

PREPARED FOR:

PRIMARY CONTACT:
Laila Ahmad

EMAIL:
laila.ahmad@aimsk12.org

PHONE NUMBER:
+19255956487

ORGANIZATION:
AIMS K-12 College Prep Charter District

BILLING & SHIPPING:

BILLING ADDRESS:
AIMS K-12 College Prep Charter District
171 12th Street
Oakland, CA 94607

SHIPPING ADDRESS:
AIMS K-12 College Prep Charter District
171 12th Street
Oakland, CA 94607

Correct?

COMMENTS & DETAILS:
Price quoted for delivery coordination and installation. NPC shall not be responsible for removing existing trees, limbs, roots etc. Unless otherwise noted price excludes: sitework, site security, core drilling or cutting concrete or asphalt, permits, lift gates, impact fees, debris/trash removal, and prevailing wages. Site must be clear, level and accessible at time of installation. The customer is responsible for marking all Private underground utilities, NPC will call for Public Utility Locate.

Qty	Product	Price	Total
1	**INSTALLATION** Model: Installation Certified installation by professional playground installers. Price includes coordinating deliveries and unloading large equipment at the delivery address listed on this proposal / purchase order. Installation of 6 covered picnic tables purchased elsewhere. Non-prevailing wage quotes. Includes disposal of spoils (these tables are inground mount only and must be core drilled through concrete to install footers into the ground).	$12,232.00	$12,232.00

I Accept! Let's Go

Have questions about this quote?
Call **800-853-5316** or visit BYOPLAYGROUND.COM

Sub Total:	$12,232.00
Sales Tax:	$0.00
Shipping:	$0.00
Total:	$12,232.00

I APPROVE THIS PROJECT AND AM READY TO PLACE MY ORDER:
Approval and acceptance of this proposal may be executed by signing below and faxing or emailing back to the contact information listed above. Unless prior arrangements are approved, a 50% deposit for NPC is due upon ordering. Balance is due Net 15 upon substantial completion. By signing below you agree to the terms and conditions found here: https://www.npcinstall.com/npc-terms-and-conditions

Please note, sales tax calculations are calculated upon invoicing due to tax rate changes and/or change orders. If you believe you should be tax-exempt, please provide a tax exemption certificate prior to submitting a purchase order.

Authorized Purchaser: _____ Date: _____

AIMS K-12 College Prep Charter District
Board Submission Cover Letter

Submitter Information

Full Name: Christopher Ahmad
Position/Title: Head of School - High School
Department: High School
Date of Submission (MM/DD/YYYY): 8/19/2025

Item Details

Title of Item: Request for Canopy Table Installation Approval
Is this item a:
- [x] New Submission
- [ ] Renewal

If Renewal: Please summarize any changes from the previous submission:

Approvals

Has this item been reviewed by:
- [ ] Superintendent
- [ ] Chief Business Officer (CBO) (If budget changes)
- [ ] Director of Compliance (If plan changes)
- [ ] Neither

Committee Review

Has this item been through the appropriate committee review process?
- [ ] Yes
- [x] No

If yes: Please specify which committee(s) and provide minutes or approval documentation:

If no: Explain why:
The canopy tables were purchased through the KIT grant, which had a strict deadline to spend down funds.

Deadline Information

Is there a submission deadline for this item?
- [x] Yes
- [ ] No

If yes: Please indicate the deadline date (MM/DD/YYYY): 9/12/2025

Financial Information (if applicable):

Total Cost: $ $12,232.00

Is this expenditure included in the annual budget?
- [ ] Yes
- [x] No

Please specify in which plan this expense is indicated:
- [ ] SPSA
- [x] LCAP
- [ ] Other:

Coversheet

Rush order Tees

Section: V. Action Items
Item: N. Rush order Tees
Purpose: Vote
Submitted by:
Related Material: Rush Order Tees- K-8 Uniforms 25-26.pdf

AIMS K-12 College Prep Charter District
Board Submission Cover Letter

Submitter Information

Full Name: Julia Li/Jonathan Winn

Position/Title: K-8 Head of School

Department: Sites

Item Details

Title of Item: Rush Order Tees: K-8 Uniforms for 25-26

Is this item a: ☑ New Submission
☐ Renewal

If Renewal: Please summarize any changes from the previous submission:

Approvals

Has this item been reviewed and

☐ Superintendent
☐ Chief Business Officer (CBO) (If budget changes)
☐ Director of Compliance (If plan changes)
☐ Neither

Committee Review

Has this item been through the appropriate committee review process?

☐ Yes ☐ No

If yes: Please specify which committee(s) and provide minutes or approval documentation:

If no: Explain why:

Deadline Information

Is there a submission deadline for this item?

☑ Yes ☐ No

If yes: Please indicate the deadline date (MM/DD/YYYY): 8/14/25

Financial Information (if applicable):

Total Cost: $ 43192.50

Is this expenditure included in the annual budget?

☐ Yes ☐ No

Please specify in which plan this expense is indicated:

☐ SPSA ☐ LCAP ☐ Other:

OPEN

P.O. #	Vendor	Bill to	Ship to
12065	Rush Orders Tees	American Indian Model Schools	American Indian Model Schools

Date	Due date	Terms	Quote#
07/21/2025			#4403016-1

Requisitioner
Kevin Ma

Shipping

Line	Description	Quantity	U/M	Price	Tax	Amount
1	School Uniforms and P.E Uniforms	1	ea	10109.46	N	10,109.46
	Account: 4315 - Mat/Sup Used by students Not Books; Group: AIPCS 2 6-8 (030-320); Tag: 0000 - General Fund; Memo: LCAP 1.1.6					
2	School Uniforms and P.E Uniforms	1	ea	10356.04	N	10,356.04
	Account: 4315 - Mat/Sup Used by students Not Books; Group: AIPCS 1 6-8 (020-320); Tag: 0000 - General Fund; Memo: LCAP 1.1.6					

▲ Hide detail

Sub-total	20,465.50
Taxes (10.25%)	0.00
Total	**20,465.50**

Comments
None

Attachments

RushOrder 25_26.pdf (165 KB)

AIMS Middle School - LCAP 2025-2026 (1) (1).pdf (1.95 MB)

Approvers

Julia Li (07/22/2025)

Jimmie Brown (07/24/2025)

Katema Ballentine (08/04/2025)

OPEN

P.O. #	Vendor	Bill to	Ship to
12070	Rush Orders Tees	American Indian Model Schools	American Indian Model Schools

Date	Due date	Terms	Quote#
07/22/2025			#4419437-1

Requisitioner	Shipping
Kevin Ma	

Line	Description	Quantity	U/M	Price	Tax	Amount
1	Youth Small White Polo	130	ea	14.40	N	1,872.00
	Account: 4315 - Mat/Sup Used by students Not Books; Group: AIPCS II K-5 (030-305); Tag: 0000 - General Fund; Memo: LCAP 1.1.6					
2	Youth Medium White Polo	125	ea	14.40	N	1,800.00
	Account: 4315 - Mat/Sup Used by students Not Books; Group: AIPCS II K-5 (030-305); Tag: 0000 - General Fund; Memo: LCAP 1.1.16					
3	Youth Large White Polo	125	ea	14.40	N	1,800.00
	Account: 4315 - Mat/Sup Used by students Not Books; Group: AIPCS II K-5 (030-305); Tag: 0000 - General Fund; Memo: LCAP 1.1.6					
4	Youth X-Large White Polo	45	ea	14.40	N	648.00
	Account: 4315 - Mat/Sup Used by students Not Books; Group: AIPCS II K-5 (030-305); Tag: 0000 - General Fund; Memo: LCAP 1.1.6					
5	Youth Small Navy **Name/Number**: Uniforms	130	ea	14.40	N	1,872.00
	Account: 4315 - Mat/Sup Used by students Not Books; Group: AIPCS II K-5 (030-305); Tag: 0000 - General Fund; Memo: LCAP 1.1.6					

Line	Description	Quantity	U/M	Price	Tax	Amount
6	Youth Medium Navy	125	ea	14.40	N	1,800.00
	Account: 4315 - Mat/Sup Used by students Not Books; Group: AIPCS II K-5 (030-305); Tag: 0000 - General Fund; Memo:					
7	Youth Large Navy	125	ea	14.40	N	1,800.00
	Account: 4315 - Mat/Sup Used by students Not Books; Group: AIPCS II K-5 (030-305); Tag: 0000 - General Fund; Memo: LCAP 1.1.6					
8	Youth X-Large Navy	45	ea	14.40	N	648.00
	Account: 4315 - Mat/Sup Used by students Not Books; Group: AIPCS II K-5 (030-305); Tag: 0000 - General Fund; Memo:					
9	Youth Small Grey Sport Sweater	140	ea	16.40	N	2,296.00
	Account: 4315 - Mat/Sup Used by students Not Books; Group: AIPCS II K-5 (030-305); Tag: 0000 - General Fund; Memo: LCAP 1.1.6					
10	Youth Medium Sport Grey	100	ea	16.40	N	1,640.00
	Account: 4315 - Mat/Sup Used by students Not Books; Group: AIPCS II K-5 (030-305); Tag: 0000 - General Fund; Memo: LCAP 1.1.6					
11	Youth Large Sport Grey	100	ea	16.40	N	1,640.00
	Account: 4315 - Mat/Sup Used by students Not Books; Group: AIPCS II K-5 (030-305); Tag: 0000 - General Fund; Memo: LCAP 1.1.6					
12	Youth X-Large Sport Grey	60	ea	16.40	N	984.00
	Account: 4315 - Mat/Sup Used by students Not Books; Group: AIPCS II K-5 (030-305); Tag: 0000 - General Fund; Memo: LCAP 1.1.6					

Line	Description	Quantity	U/M	Price	Tax	Amount
13	Price Difference	1	Unit(s)	3927.00	N	3,927.00

Account	Group	Tag	Memo
5890 - Finance Charges/Interest	AIPCS II K-5 (030-305)	0000 - General Fund	LCAP 1.1.6

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Sub-total	22,727.00
Taxes (0.00%)	0.00
Total	**22,727.00**

Comments
None

Attachments

AIPCS II - LCAP 2025-2026 (2).pdf (1.96 MB)

quote-4419437-3302554.pdf (57.9 KB)

Approvers

Julia Li (07/23/2025)

Jimmie Brown (07/24/2025)

Katema Ballentine (08/04/2025)

Coversheet

Ascend Rehab Services

Section: V. Action Items
Item: O. Ascend Rehab Services
Purpose: Vote
Submitted by:
Related Material: Ascend Rehab Services Inc 2025-26 Master Contract Packet.pdf

AIMS K-12 College Prep Charter District
Board Submission Cover Letter

Submitter Information

Full Name: Deborah Woods
Position/Title: Director
Department: Special Education
Date of Submission (MM/DD/YYYY): August 26, 2025

Item Details

Title of Item: Ascend Rehab Services Inc
Is this item a:
- ☐ New Submission
- ☑ Renewal

If Renewal: Please summarize any changes from the previous submission:
Rate increase + 2 additional paraeducators

Approvals

Has this item been reviewed by:
- ☐ Superintendent
- ☑ Chief Business Officer (CBO) (If budget changes)
- ☐ Director of Compliance (If plan changes)
- ☐ Neither

Committee Review

Has this item been through the appropriate committee review process?
- ☑ Yes
- ☐ No

If yes: Please specify which committee(s) and provide minutes or approval documentation:
Renewal will go to finance committee and governance for review 8/26/25

If no: Explain why:

Deadline Information

Is there a submission deadline for this item?
- ☑ Yes
- ☐ No

If yes: Please indicate the deadline date (MM/DD/YYYY): 8/26/2025

Financial Information (if applicable):

Total Cost: $ 345,700

Is this expenditure included in the annual budget?
- ☑ Yes
- ☐ No

Please specify in which plan this expense is indicated:
- ☐ SPSA
- ☑ LCAP
- ☑ Other: SpEd Budget

2025-2026 **CONTRACT NUMBER:**

LOCAL EDUCATION AGENCY: AIMS K12 College Prep Charter District

NONPUBLIC SCHOOL/AGENCY/RELATED SERVICES PROVIDER:

NONPUBLIC, NONSECTARIAN SCHOOL/AGENCY SERVICES MASTER CONTRACT

GENERAL PROVISIONS

1. MASTER CONTRACT

This Master Contract (or "Contract") is entered into on July 1, 2025, between **Ascend Rehab Services Inc**, hereinafter referred to as the local educational agency ("LEA"), a member of the EDC Charter SELPA and **AIMS K12 College Prep Charter District** (nonpublic, nonsectarian school or agency), hereinafter referred to as NPS/A or "CONTRACTOR" for the purpose of providing special education and/or related services to students with exceptional needs under the authorization of California Education Code sections 56157, 56361 and 56365 *et seq*. and Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3000 *et seq*., AB 490 (Chapter 862, Statutes of 2003) and AB 1858 (Chapter 914, Statutes of 2004). It is understood that this agreement does not commit the LEA to pay for special education and/or related services provided to any student, or CONTRACTOR to provide such special education and/or related services, unless and until an authorized LEA representative approves the provision of special education and/or related services by CONTRACTOR.

Upon acceptance of a student, LEA shall submit to CONTRACTOR an Individual Service Agreement (hereinafter referred to as "ISA"). Unless otherwise agreed in writing, these forms shall acknowledge CONTRACTOR's obligation to provide all relevant services specified in the student's Individualized Education Program (hereinafter referred to as "IEP"). The ISA shall be executed within ninety (90) days of a student's enrollment. LEA and CONTRACTOR shall enter into an ISA for each student served by CONTRACTOR. As available and appropriate, the LEA shall make available access to any electronic IEP system and/or electronic database for the development of the ISA and invoices.

Unless placement and/or services is made pursuant to an Office of Administrative Hearings (hereinafter referred to as "OAH") order, a lawfully executed settlement agreement between LEA and parent or authorized by LEA for a transfer student pursuant to California Education Code section 56325, LEA is not responsible for the costs associated with NPS placement or NPS/A services until the date on which an IEP team meeting is convened, the IEP team determines that a NPS placement is appropriate, and the IEP is signed by the student's parent.

2. CERTIFICATION AND LICENSES

CONTRACTOR shall be certified by the California Department of Education (hereinafter referred to as "CDE") as a NPS/A. All NPS/A services shall be provided consistent with the area of certification and licensure specified by CDE Certification and as defined in California Education Code, section 56366 et seq and within the professional scope of practice of each provider's license, certification, and/or credential. A current copy of CONTRACTOR's NPS/A certification or a waiver of such certification issued by the CDE pursuant to Education Code section 56366.2 must be provided to LEA on or before the date this Agreement is executed by CONTRACTOR. This Master Contract shall be null and void if such certification or waiver is expired, revoked, rescinded, or otherwise nullified during the effective period of this Master Contract.

Total student enrollment shall be limited to capacity as stated on CDE certification and in Section 24 of the Master Contract.

In addition to meeting the certification requirements of the State of California, a CONTRACTOR that operates a program outside of this State shall be certified and all staff persons providing services to pupils shall be certified and/or licensed by that state to provide, respectively, special education and related services and designated instruction and related services to pupils under the federal Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. Sec. 1400 et seq.).

If CONTRACTOR is a licensed children's institution (hereinafter referred to as "LCI"), CONTRACTOR shall be licensed by the state, or other public agency having delegated authority by contract with the state to license, to provide nonmedical care room and board to children, including, but not limited to, individuals with exceptional needs. The LCI must also comply with all licensing requirements relevant to the protection of the child, and have a special permit, if necessary, to meet the needs of each child so placed. If the CONTRACTOR operates a program outside of this State, CONTRACTOR must obtain all required licenses from the appropriate licensing agency in both California and in the state where the LCI is located.

With respect to CONTRACTOR's certification, failure to notify the LEA and CDE in writing of any changes in: (1) credentialed/licensed staff; (2) ownership; (3) management and/or control of the agency; (4) major modification or relocation of facilities; or (5) significant modification of the program may result in the suspension or revocation of CDE certification and/or suspension or termination of this Master Contract by the LEA.

3. COMPLIANCE WITH LAWS, STATUTES, REGULATIONS

During the term of this Master Contract, unless otherwise agreed, CONTRACTOR shall comply with all applicable federal, state, and local statutes, laws, ordinances, rules, policies and regulations. CONTRACTOR shall also comply with all applicable LEA policies and procedures unless, taking into consideration all of the surrounding facts and circumstances, a policy or policies or a portion of a policy does not reasonably apply to CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR hereby acknowledges and agrees that it accepts all risks and responsibilities for its failure to comply with LEA policies and shall indemnify LEA under the provisions of Section 16 of this Agreement for all liability, loss, damage and expense (including reasonable attorneys' fees) resulting from or arising out of CONTRACTOR's failure to comply with applicable LEA policies (e.g., those policies relating to; the provision of special education and/or related services, facilities for individuals with exceptional needs, student enrollment and transfer, student inactive status, corporal punishment, student discipline, and positive behavior interventions).

CONTRACTOR acknowledges and understands that LEA may report to the CDE any violations of the provisions of this Master Contract; and that this may result in the suspension and/or revocation of CDE nonpublic school/agency certification pursuant to California Education Code section 56366.4(a).

4. TERM OF MASTER CONTRACT

The term of this Master Contract shall be from July 1, 2025, to June 30, 2026 (Title 5 California Code of Regulations section 3062(a)) unless otherwise stated. Neither the CONTRACTOR nor the LEA is required to renew this Master Contract in subsequent contract years. The parties acknowledge that any subsequent Master Contract is to be re-negotiated prior to June 30, 2026 (Title 5 California Code of Regulations section 3062(d)). In the event the contract negotiations are not agreed to by June 30th, the most recently executed Master Contract will remain in effect for 90 days (Education Code 56366(c)(1)). If, after 60 days the master contract or individual services agreement has not been finalized, as prescribed in paragraph (1) of subdivision (a), either party may appeal to the county superintendent of schools, if the county superintendent of schools is not participating in the local plan involved in the nonpublic, nonsectarian school or agency contract; or the Superintendent, if the county superintendent of schools is participating in the local plan involved in the contract, to negotiate the contract. Within 30 days of receipt of this appeal, the county superintendent of schools or the Superintendent, or the individual designee, shall mediate the formulation of a contract, which shall be binding upon both parties (Education Code 56366 (c) (2)). No Master Contract will be offered unless and until all of the contracting requirements have been satisfied. The offer of a Master Contract to a CONTRACTOR is at the sole discretion of the LEA.

The provisions of this Master Contract apply to CONTRACTOR and any of its employees or independent contractors. Notice of any change in CONTRACTOR's ownership or authorized representative shall be provided in writing to LEA within thirty (30) calendar days of change of ownership or change of authorized representative.

5. INTEGRATION/CONTINUANCE OF CONTRACT FOLLOWING EXPIRATION OR TERMINATION

This Master Contract includes each ISA and they are incorporated herein by this reference. This Master Contract supersedes any prior or contemporaneous written or oral understanding or agreement. This Master Contract may be amended only by written amendment executed by both parties.

CONTRACTOR shall provide the LEA with information as requested in writing to secure a Master Contract or a renewal.

At a minimum, such information shall include copies of current teacher credentials and clearance, insurance documentation and CDE certification. The LEA may require additional information as applicable. If the application packet is not completed and returned to District, no Master Contract will be issued. If CONTRACTOR does not return the Master Contract to LEA duly signed by an authorized representative within ninety (90) calendar days of issuance by LEA, the new contract rates will not take effect until the newly executed Master Contract is received by LEA and will not be retroactive to the first day of the new Master Contract's effective date. If CONTRACTOR fails to execute the new Master Contract within such ninety-day period, all payments shall cease until such time as the new Master Contract for the current school year is signed and returned to LEA by CONTRACTOR. (California Education Code section 56366(c)(1) and (2)). In the event that this Master Contract expires or terminates, CONTRACTOR shall continue to be bound to all of the terms and conditions of the most recent executed Master Contract between CONTRACTOR and LEA for so long as CONTRACTOR is servicing authorized students at the discretion of the LEA

6. INDIVIDUAL SERVICE AGREEMENT ("ISA")

This Agreement shall include an ISA developed for each student to whom CONTRACTOR is to provide special education and/or related services. An ISA shall only be issued for students enrolled with the approval of the LEA pursuant to Education Code section 56366 (a)(2)(A). An ISA may be effective for more than one contract year provided that there is a concurrent Master Contract in effect. In the event that this Master Contract expires or terminates, CONTRACTOR, shall continue to be bound to all of the terms and conditions of the most recent executed ISAs between CONTRACTOR and LEA for so long as CONTRACTOR is servicing authorized students.

Any and all changes to a student's educational placement/program provided under this Master Contract and/or an ISA shall be made solely on the basis of a revision to the student's IEP or by written agreement between the parent and LEA. At any time during the term of this Master Contract, a student's parent, CONTRACTOR, or LEA may request a review of a student's IEP subject to all procedural safeguards required by law.

Unless otherwise provided in this Master Contract, the CONTRACTOR shall provide all services specified in the IEP unless the CONTRACTOR and the LEA agree otherwise in the ISA. (California Education Code sections 56366(a) (5) and 3062(e)). In the event the CONTRACTOR is unable to provide a specific service at any time during the life of the ISA, the CONTRACTOR shall notify the LEA in writing within five (5) business days of the last date a service was provided. CONTRACTOR shall provide any and all subsequent compensatory service hours awarded to student as a result of lack of provision of services while student was served by the NPS/A.

If a parent or LEA contests the termination of an ISA by initiating a due process proceeding with the OAH, CONTRACTOR shall abide by the "stay-put" requirement of state and federal law unless the parent agrees otherwise or an Interim Alternative Educational Setting is deemed lawful and appropriate by LEA or OAH

consistent with Section 1415 (k)(1)(7) of Title 20 of the United States Code. CONTRACTOR shall adhere to all LEA requirements concerning changes in placement.

Disagreements between LEA and CONTRACTOR concerning the formulation of an ISA or the Master Contract may be appealed to the County Superintendent of Schools of the County where the LEA is located, or the State Superintendent of Public Instruction pursuant to the provisions of California Education Code section 56366(c) (2).

7. DEFINITIONS

The following definitions shall apply for purposes of this contract:

a. The term "CONTRACTOR" means a nonpublic, nonsectarian school/agency certified by the California Department of Education and its officers, agents, and employees.

b. The term "authorized LEA representative" means a LEA administrator designated to be responsible for NPS/A. It is understood, a representative of the Special Education Local Plan Area (SELPA) of which the LEA is a member is an authorized LEA representative in collaboration with the LEA. The LEA maintains sole responsibility for this Contract, unless otherwise specified in this Contract.

c. The term "credential" means a valid credential, life diploma, permit, or document in special education or pupil personnel services issued by, or under the jurisdiction of, the State Board of Education if issued prior to 1970 or the California Commission on Teacher Credentialing, which entitles the holder thereof to perform services for which certification qualifications are required as defined in Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3001(g).

d. The term "qualified" means that a person holds a certificate, permit or other document equivalent to that which staff in a public school are required to hold to provide special education and related services and has met federal and state certification, licensing, registration, or other comparable requirements which apply to the area in which the individual is providing special education or related services, including those requirements set forth in Title 34 of the Code of Federal Regulations sections 200.56 and 200.58, and those requirements set forth in Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations Sections 3064 and 3065, and adheres to the standards of professional practice established in federal and state law or regulation, including the standards contained in the California Business and Professions Code.

Nothing in this definition shall be construed as restricting the activities in services of a graduate needing direct hours leading to licensure, or of a student teacher or intern leading to a graduate degree at an accredited or approved college or university, as authorized by state laws or regulations. (Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations Section 3001 (r)).

e The term "license" means a valid non-expired document issued by a licensing agency within the Department of Consumer Affairs or other state licensing office authorized to grant licenses and authorizing the bearer of the document to provide certain professional services or refer to themselves using a specified professional title including but not limited to mental health and board and care services at a residential placement. If a license is not available through an appropriate state licensing agency, a certificate of registration with the appropriate professional organization at the national or state level which has standards established for the certificate that are equivalent to a license shall be deemed to be a license as defined in Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3001(l).

f. "Parent" means:

i. a biological or adoptive parent; unless the biological or adoptive parent does not have legal authority to make educational decisions for the child,

ii. a guardian generally authorized to act as the child's parent or authorized to make educational decisions for the child,

iii. an individual acting in the place of a biological or adoptive parent, including a grandparent, stepparent, or other relative with whom the child lives, or an individual who is legally responsible for the child's welfare,

iv. a surrogate parent,

v. a foster parent if the authority of the biological or adoptive parent to make educational decisions on the child's behalf has been specifically limited by court order in accordance with Code of Federal Regulations 300.30(b)(1) or (2).

vi. Parent does not include the state or any political subdivision of government or the NPS/A under contract with the LEA for the provision of special education or designated instruction and services for a child. (California Education Code section 56028).

g. The term "days" means calendar days unless otherwise specified.

h. The phrase "billable day" means a school day in which instructional minutes meet or exceed those in comparable LEA programs.

i. The phrase "billable day of attendance" means a school day as defined in California Education Code Section 46307, in which a student is in attendance and in which instructional minutes meet or exceed those in comparable LEA programs unless otherwise stipulated in an IEP or ISA.

j. It is understood that the term "Master Contract" also means "Contract" and is referred to as such in this document.

ADMINISTRATION OF CONTRACT

8. NOTICES

All notices provided for by this Contract shall be in writing. Notices shall be mailed, emailed, or delivered by hand and shall be effective as of the date of receipt by addressee.

All notices mailed or emailed to LEA shall be addressed to the person and address as indicated on the signature page of this Master Contract. Notices to CONTRACTOR shall be addressed as indicated on signature page of this Master Contract.

9. MAINTENANCE OF RECORDS

All records shall be maintained by CONTRACTOR as required by state and federal laws and regulations. Notwithstanding the foregoing sentence, CONTRACTOR shall maintain all records for at least five (5) years after the termination of this Master Contract. For purposes of this Master Contract, "records" shall include, but not be limited to student records as defined by California Education Code section 49061(b) including electronically stored information; registers and roll books of teachers and/or daily service providers; daily service logs and notes and other documents used to record the provision of related services including supervision; daily service logs and notes used to record the provision of services provided through additional instructional assistants, NPA behavior intervention aides, and bus aides; behavior emergency reports (BER); incident reports; notification of injuries; absence verification records (parent/doctor notes, telephone logs, and related documents) if the CONTRACTOR is funded for excused absences, however, such records are not required if positive attendance is required; bus rosters; staff lists specifying credentials

held and documents evidencing other staff qualifications, social security numbers, dates of hire, and dates of termination; records of employee training and certification, , including verification of behavior training consistent with 56366.1; staff time sheets; non-paid staff and volunteer sign-in sheets; transportation and other related services subcontracts; school calendars; bell/class schedules when applicable; liability and worker's compensation insurance policies; state NPS/A certifications; by-laws, if applicable; lists of current board of directors/trustees, if incorporated; statement of income and expenses; general journals; cash receipts and disbursement books; general ledgers and supporting documents; documents evidencing financial expenditures; federal/state payroll quarterly reports; evidence of electronic payments; and bank statements and canceled checks or facsimile thereof.

CONTRACTOR shall maintain student records in a secure location to ensure confidentiality and prevent unauthorized access. CONTRACTOR shall maintain a current list of the names and positions of CONTRACTOR's employees who have access to confidential records. CONTRACTOR shall maintain an access log for each student's record which lists all persons, agencies, or organizations requesting or receiving information from the record. Such log shall be maintained as required by California Education Code section 49064 and include the name, title, agency/organization affiliation, date/time of access for each individual requesting or receiving information from the student's record, and a description of the record(s) provided. Such log needs to record access to the student's records by: (a) the student's parent; (b) an individual to whom written consent has been executed by the student's parent; or (c) employees of LEA or CONTRACTOR having a legitimate educational interest in requesting or receiving information from the record. CONTRACTOR/LEA shall maintain copies of any written parental concerns granting access to student records. For purposes of this paragraph, "employees of LEA or CONTRACTOR" do not include subcontractors.

CONTRACTOR shall grant the following access to student records, (a) the student's parent; (b) employees of LEA or CONTRACTOR having a legitimate educational interest in requesting or receiving information from the record, and comply with parents' requests for copies of student records, as required by state and federal laws and regulations. CONTRACTOR agrees, in the event of school or agency closure, to forward student records within ten (10) business days to LEA. These shall include, but not limited to, current transcripts, IEP/IFSPs, BER's, incident reports, notification of injuries and all other relevant reports. LEA and/or SELPA shall have access to and receive copies of any and all records upon request within five (5) business days.

10. SEVERABILITY CLAUSE

If any provision of this agreement is held, in whole or in part, to be unenforceable for any reason, the remainder of that provision and of the entire agreement shall be severable and remain in effect.

11. SUCCESSORS IN INTEREST

This contract binds CONTRACTOR's successors and assignees. CONTRACTOR shall notify the LEA of any change of ownership or corporate control.

12. VENUE AND GOVERNING LAW

The laws of the State of California shall govern the terms and conditions of this contract with venue in the County where the LEA is located.

13. MODIFICATIONS AND AMENDMENTS REQUIRED TO CONFORM TO LEGAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE GUIDELINES

This Master Contract may be modified or amended by the LEA to conform to administrative and statutory guidelines issued by any state, federal or local governmental agency. The party seeking such modification shall provide the LEA and/or CONTRACTOR thirty (30) days' notice of any such changes or modifications made to conform to administrative or statutory guidelines and a copy of the statute or regulation upon which the modification or changes are based.

14. TERMINATION

This Master Contract or ISA may be terminated for cause. The cause shall not be the availability of a public class initiated during the period of the contract unless the parent agrees to the transfer of the student to the public school program at an IEP team meeting.

To terminate the contract either party shall give no less than twenty (20) days prior written notice (California Education Code section 56366(a)(4)). At the time of termination, CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA any and all documents CONTRACTOR is required to maintain under this Master Contract. ISAs are void upon termination of this Master Contract, as provided in Section 5 or 6. CONTRACTOR or LEA may terminate an ISA for cause. To terminate the ISA, either party shall give twenty (20) days prior written notice.

15. INSURANCE

CONTRACTOR shall, at CONTRACTOR'S sole cost and expense, maintain in full force and effect, during the term of this Contract, the following insurance coverage from a California licensed and/or admitted insurer with an A minus (A-), VII, or better rating from A.M. Best, sufficient to cover any claims, damages, liabilities, costs and expenses (including counsel fees) arising out of or in connection with CONTRACTOR's fulfillment of any of its obligations under this Agreement or either party's use of the work or any component or part thereof:

PART I - INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS FOR NONPUBLIC SCHOOLS AND AGENCIES

A. **Commercial General Liability Insurance**, including both bodily injury and property damage, with limits as follows:

$2,000,000 per occurrence
$ 500,000 fire damage
$ 5,000 medical expenses
$1,000,000 personal & adv. injury
$3,000,000 general aggregate
$2,000,000 products/completed operations aggregate

The policy may not contain an exclusion for coverage of claims arising from claims for sexual molestation or abuse. In the event that CONTRACTOR's policy should have an exclusion for sexual molestation or abuse claims, then CONTRACTOR shall be required to procure a supplemental policy providing such coverage.

B. **Workers' Compensation Insurance** in accordance with provisions of the California Labor Code adequate to protect the CONTRACTOR from claims that may arise from its operations pursuant to the Workers' Compensation Act (Statutory Coverage). The Workers' Compensation Insurance coverage must also include Employers Liability coverage with limits of $1,000,000/$1,000,000/$1,000,000.

C. **Commercial Auto Liability Insurance** for all owned, non-owned or hired automobiles with a $1 million combined single limit.

If no owned automobiles, then only hired and non-owned is required.

If CONTRACTOR uses a vehicle to travel to/from school sites, between schools and/or to/from students' homes or other locations as approved service locations by the LEA, CONTRACTOR must comply with State of California auto insurance requirements.

D. **Errors & Omissions (E & O)/Malpractice (Professional Liability) coverage**, including Sexual Molestation and Abuse coverage, unless that coverage is afforded elsewhere in the Commercial General Liability policy by

endorsement or separate policy**,** with the following limits:

$1,000,000 per occurrence
$2,000,000 general aggregate

E. CONTRACTOR, upon execution of this Contract and periodically thereafter upon request, shall furnish the LEA with certificates of insurance evidencing such coverage. The certificate of insurance shall include a ten (10) day non-renewal notice provision. The Commercial General Liability and Automobile Liability policy shall name the LEA and the Board of Education additional insured's premiums on all insurance policies and shall be paid by CONTRACTOR and shall be deemed included in CONTRACTOR's obligations under this contract at no additional charge.

F. Any deductibles or self-insured retentions above $100,000 must be declared to and approved by the LEA. At its option, LEA may require the CONTRACTOR, at the CONTRACTOR's sole cost, to: (a) cause its insurer to reduce to levels specified by the LEA or eliminate such deductibles or self-insured retentions with respect to the LEA, its officials and employees, or (b) procure a bond guaranteeing payment of losses and related investigation.

G. For any claims related to the services performed in connection with this Master Contract, the CONTRACTOR's insurance coverage shall be the primary insurance with respect to the LEA, its subsidiaries, officials and employees. Any insurance or self-insurance maintained by the LEA, its subsidiaries, officials and employees shall be excess of the CONTRACTOR's insurance and shall not contribute with it.

H. All Certificates of Insurance must reference the contract number, name of the school or agency submitting the certificate, and the location of the school or agency submitting the certificate on the certificate.

PART II - INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS FOR NONPUBLIC SCHOOLS AFFILIATED WITH A RESIDENTIAL TREATMENT FACILITY ("RTC")

When CONTRACTOR is an NPS affiliated with a **residential treatment center (NPS/RTC**), the following insurance policies are required:

A. **Commercial General Liability** including both bodily injury and property damage, with limits as follows:

$3,000,000 per occurrence
$6,000,000 in General Aggregate**.**

The policy shall be endorsed to name the LEA and the Board of Education as *named* additional insured and shall provide specifically that any insurance carried by the LEA which may be applicable to any claims or loss shall be deemed excess and the RTC's insurance primary despite any conflicting provisions in the RTC's policy. Coverage shall be maintained with no Self-Insured Retention above $100,000 without the prior written approval of the LEA.

B. **Workers' Compensation Insurance** in accordance with provisions of the California Labor Code adequate to protect the RTC from claims that may arise from its operations pursuant to the Workers' Compensation Act (Statutory Coverage). The Workers' Compensation Insurance coverage must also include Employers Liability coverage with limits of $1,000,000/$1,000,000/$1,000,000.

C. **Commercial Auto Liability** coverage with limits of $1,000,000 Combined Single Limit per Occurrence if the RTC does not operate a student bus service. If the RTC provides student bus services, the required coverage limit is $5,000,000 Combined Single Limit per Occurrence.

D. **Fidelity Bond** or **Crime Coverage** shall be maintained by the RTC to cover all employees who process or otherwise have responsibility for RTC funds, supplies, equipment or other assets. Minimum amount of coverage shall be $250,000 per occurrence, with no self-insured retention.

E. **Professional Liability/Errors & Omissions/Malpractice** coverage with minimum limits of $3,000,000 per occurrence and $6,000,000 general aggregate.

F. **Sexual Molestation and Abuse Coverage**, unless that coverage is afforded elsewhere in the Commercial General Liability or Professional liability policy by endorsement, with minimum limits of $3,000,000 per occurrence and $6,000,000 general aggregate.

If LEA or CONTRACTOR determines that a change in insurance coverage obligations under this section is necessary, either party may reopen negotiations to modify the insurance obligations.

16. INDEMNIFICATION AND HOLD HARMLESS

To the fullest extent allowed by law, CONTRACTOR shall indemnify and hold LEA and its Board Members, administrators, employees, agents, attorneys, volunteers, and subcontractors ("LEA Indemnities") harmless against all liability, loss, damage and expense (including reasonable attorneys' fees) resulting from or arising out of this Master Contract or its performance, to the extent that such loss, expense, damage or liability was proximately caused by negligence, intentional act, or willful act or omission of CONTRACTOR, including, without limitation, its agents, employees, subcontractors or anyone employed directly or indirectly by it (excluding LEA and LEA Indemnities). The duty and obligation to defend shall arise immediately upon tender of a claim or lawsuit to the CONTRACTOR. The LEA and the Member District(s) shall have the right in their sole discretion to select counsel of its choice to provide the defense at the sole cost of the CONTRACTOR or the applicable insurance carrier.

To the fullest extent allowed by law, LEA shall indemnify and hold CONTRACTOR and its Board Members, administrators, employees, agents, attorneys, and subcontractors ("CONTRACTOR Indemnities") harmless against all liability, loss, damage and expense (including reasonable attorneys' fees) resulting from or arising out of this Master Contract or its performance thereof, to the extent that such loss, expense, damage or liability was proximately caused by the negligent, intentional act or willful act or omission of LEA, including, without limitation, its agents, employees, subcontractors or anyone employed directly or indirectly by it (excluding CONTRACTOR and/or any CONTRACTOR Indemnities).

LEA represents that it is self-insured in compliance with the laws of the State of California, that the self-insurance covers LEA employees acting within the course and scope of their respective duties and that its self-insurance covers the LEA's indemnification obligations under this Master Contract.

17. INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR

Nothing herein contained will be construed to imply a joint venture, partnership or principal-agent relationship between the LEA and CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR shall provide all services under this Contract as an independent contractor, and neither party shall have the authority to bind or make any commitment on behalf of the other. Nothing contained in this Contract shall be deemed to create any association, partnership, joint venture or relationship of principal and agent, master and servant, or employer and employee between the parties or any affiliates of the parties, or between the LEA and any individual assigned by CONTRACTOR to perform any services for the LEA.

If the LEA is determined to be a partner, joint venture, co-principal, employer or co-employer of CONTRACTOR, CONTRACTOR shall indemnify and hold harmless the LEA from and against any and all claims for loss, liability, or damages arising from that determination, as well as any expenses, costs, taxes, penalties and interest charges incurred by the LEA as a result of that holding.

18. SUBCONTRACTING

CONTRACTOR shall provide written notification to LEA before subcontracting for special education and/or related services pursuant to this Master Contract. In the event LEA determines that it can provide the subcontracted service(s) at a lower rate, LEA may elect to provide such service(s). If LEA elects to provide such service(s), LEA shall provide written notification to CONTRACTOR within five (5) days of receipt of CONTRACTOR's original notice and CONTRACTOR shall not subcontract for said service(s).

CONTRACTOR shall incorporate all of the provisions of this Master Contract in all subcontracts, to the fullest extent reasonably possible. Furthermore, when CONTRACTOR enters into subcontracts for the provision of special education and/or related services (including, but not limited to, transportation) for any student, CONTRACTOR shall cause each subcontractor to procure and maintain insurance during the term of each subcontract. Such subcontractor's insurance shall comply with the provisions of Section 15. Each subcontractor shall furnish the LEA with original endorsements and certificates of insurance effecting coverage required by Section 15. The endorsements are to be signed by a person authorized by that insurer to bind coverage on its behalf. The endorsements are to be on forms as required by the LEA. All endorsements are to be received and approved by the LEA before the subcontractor's work commences. The Commercial General Liability and Automobile Liability policies shall name the LEA/SELPA and the LEA Board of Education as additional insured.

As an alternative to the LEA's forms, a subcontractor's insurer may provide complete, certified copies of all required insurance policies, including endorsements affecting the coverage required by this Master Contract. All Certificates of Insurance must reference the LEA contract number, name of the school or agency submitting the certificate, indication if NPS or NPA, and the location of the school or agency submitting the certificate. In addition, all subcontractors must meet the requirements as contained in Section 44 Clearance Requirements and Section 45 Staff Qualifications of this Master Contract.

19. CONFLICTS OF INTEREST

CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA upon request a copy of its current bylaws and a current list of its Board of Directors (or Trustees), if it is incorporated. CONTRACTOR and any member of its Board of Directors (or Trustees) shall disclose any relationship with LEA that constitutes or may constitute a conflict of interest pursuant to California Education Code section 56042 and Government Code Section 1090 including, but not limited to, employment with LEA, provision of private party assessments and/or reports, and attendance at IEP team meetings acting as a student's advocate. Pursuant to California Education code section 56042, an attorney or advocate for a parent of an individual with exceptional needs shall not recommend placement at CONTRACTOR's facility if the attorney or advocate is employed or contracted by the CONTRACTOR, or will receive a benefit from the CONTRACTOR, or otherwise has a conflict of interest.

The LEA shall neither execute an ISA with CONTRACTOR nor amend an existing ISA for a student when a recommendation for special education and/or related services is based in whole or in part on assessment(s) or reports provided by CONTRACTOR to the student without prior written authorization by LEA. This paragraph shall apply to CONTRACTOR regardless of when an assessment is performed or a report is prepared (i.e., before or after the student is enrolled in CONTRACTOR's school/agency) or whether an assessment of the student is performed or a report is prepared in the normal course of the services provided to the student by CONTRACTOR. To avoid conflict of interest, and in order to ensure the appropriateness of an Independent Educational Evaluation (hereinafter referred to as "IEE") and its recommendations, the LEA may not fund an IEE by an evaluator who provides ongoing service(s) or is sought to provide service(s) to the student for whom the IEE is requested. Likewise, the LEA may not fund services through the evaluator whose IEE the LEA agrees to fund. When no other appropriate assessor is available, LEA may request and if CONTRACTOR agrees, the CONTRACTOR may provide an IEE.

CONTRACTOR shall not admit a student living within the jurisdictional boundaries of the LEA on a private pay or tuition free "scholarship" basis and concurrently or subsequently advise/request parent(s) to pursue funding for the admitted school year from the LEA through due process proceedings.

20. NON-DISCRIMINATION

CONTRACTOR shall not, in employment or operation of its programs, unlawfully discriminate on the basis of gender, nationality, national origin, ancestry, race, color, ethnicity, ethnic group affiliation, religion, age, marital status, pregnancy or parental status, sex, sexual orientation, gender, gender identity or expression, physical or mental disability, genetic information or any other classification protected by federal or state law or the perception of one or more of such characteristics or association with a person or group with one or more of these actual or perceived characteristics.

EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM

21. FREE AND APPROPRIATE PUBLIC EDUCATION (FAPE)

The LEA shall provide CONTRACTOR with a copy of the IEP including the Individualized Transition Plan (hereinafter referred to as "ITP") of each student served by CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR shall provide special education and/or related services (including transition services) to each student within the NPS/A consistent with the student's IEP and as specified in the ISA. If CONTRACTOR is a NPS, CONTRACTOR shall not accept a student if it cannot provide or ensure the provision of the services outlined in the student's IEP. If student services are provided by a third party (i.e. Related Services Provider), CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA if provision of services cease.

Unless otherwise agreed to between CONTRACTOR and LEA, CONTRACTOR shall be responsible for the provision of all appropriate supplies, equipment, and/or facilities, as specified in the student's IEP and ISA. CONTRACTOR shall make no charge of any kind to parents for special education and/or related services as specified in the student's IEP and ISA (including, but not limited to, screenings, assessments, or interviews that occur prior to or as a condition of the student's enrollment under the terms of this Master Contract). LEA shall provide low incidence equipment for eligible students with low incidence disabilities when specified in the student's IEP and ISA. Such equipment remains the property of the SELPA/LEA and shall be returned to the SELPA/LEA when the IEP team determines the equipment is no longer needed or when the student is no longer enrolled in the NPS. CONTRACTOR shall ensure that facilities are adequate to provide LEA students with an environment which meets all pertinent health and safety regulations. CONTRACTOR may charge a student's parent(s) for services and/or activities not necessary for the student to receive a free appropriate public education after: (a) written notification to the student's parent(s) of the cost and voluntary nature of the services and/or activities; and (b) receipt by the LEA of the written notification and a written acknowledgment signed by the student's parent(s) of the cost and voluntary nature of the services and/or activities. CONTRACTOR shall adhere to all LEA requirements concerning parent acknowledgment of financial responsibility.

Voluntary services and/or activities not necessary for the student to receive a free appropriate public education shall not interfere with the student's receipt of special education and/or related services as specified in the student's IEP and ISA unless the LEA, CONTRACTOR, and PARENT agree otherwise in writing.

22. GENERAL PROGRAM OF INSTRUCTION

All NPS/A services shall be provided consistent with the area of certification specified by CDE Certification and as defined in California Education Code section 56366 et seq...

When CONTRACTOR is a NPS, CONTRACTOR's general program of instruction shall: (a) utilize evidence-based practices and be consistent with LEA's standards regarding the particular course of study and curriculum; (b) include curriculum that addresses mathematics, literacy and the use of educational, assistive technology and transition services; (c) be consistent with CDE's standards regarding the particular course of study and curriculum; (d) provide the services as specified in the student's IEP and ISA. Students shall have access to: (a) State Board of Education (SBE) - adopted Common Core State Standards ("CCSS") for curriculum and the same instructional materials for kindergarten and grades 1 to 8, inclusive; and provide standards – aligned core curriculum and instructional materials for grades 9 to 12, inclusive, used by an LEA, that contracts with the NPS: (b) college preparation courses; (c) extracurricular activities, such as art, sports, music and academic clubs; (d) career preparation and vocational training, consistent with transition plans pursuant to state and federal law and; (e) supplemental assistance, including individual academic tutoring, psychological counseling, and career and college counseling.

When CONTRACTOR serves students in grades 9 through 12 inclusive, LEA shall provide to CONTRACTOR a specific list of the course requirements to be satisfied by the CONTRACTOR leading toward graduation or completion of LEA's diploma requirements. CONTRACTOR shall not award a high school diploma to students who have not successfully completed all of the LEA's graduation requirements.

When CONTRACTOR is a NPA and/or related services provider, CONTRACTOR's general program of instruction and/or services shall utilize evidence-based practices and be consistent with LEA and CDE guidelines and certification, and provided as specified in the student's IEP and ISA. The NPA providing Behavior Intervention services shall develop a written plan that specifies the nature of their NPA service for each student within thirty (30) days of enrollment and shall be provided in writing to the LEA. School-based services may not be unilaterally converted by CONTRACTOR to a substitute program or provided at a location not specifically authorized by the IEP team. Except for services provided by a CONTRACTOR that is a Licensed Children's Institution (LCI), all services not provided in the school setting require the presence of a parent, guardian or adult caregiver during the delivery of services, provided such guardian or caregiver have a signed authorization by the parent or legal guardian to authorize emergency services as requested. LCI CONTRACTORS shall ensure that appropriate and qualified residential or clinical staff is present during the provision of services under this Master Contract. CONTRACTOR shall immediately notify LEA in writing if no parent, guardian or adult caregiver is present. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA a written description of the services and location provided prior to the effective date of this Master Contract. CONTRACTORS providing Behavior Intervention services must have a trained behaviorist or trained equivalent on staff. It is understood that Behavior Intervention services are limited per CDE Certification and do not constitute as an instructional program.

When CONTRACTOR is a NPA, CONTRACTOR shall not provide transportation nor subcontract for transportation services for students unless the LEA and CONTRACTOR agree otherwise in writing.

23. INSTRUCTIONAL MINUTES

When CONTRACTOR is a NPS, the total number of instructional minutes per school day provided by CONTRACTOR shall be at least equivalent to the number of instructional minutes per school day provided to students at like grade level attending LEA schools and shall be specified in the student's ISA developed in accordance with the student's IEP.

For students in grades kindergarten through 12 inclusive, unless otherwise specified in the student's IEP and ISA, the number of instructional minutes, excluding breakfast, recess, lunch and passing time shall be at the same level that Ed. Code prescribes for the LEA.

The total number of annual instructional minutes shall be at least equivalent to the total number of annual instructional minutes provided to students attending LEA schools in like grade level unless otherwise specified in the student's IEP.

When CONTRACTOR is a NPA and/or related services provider, the total number of minutes per school day provided by CONTRACTOR shall be specified in the student's ISA developed in accordance with the student's IEP.

24. CLASS SIZE

When CONTRACTOR is a NPS, CONTRACTOR shall ensure that class size shall not exceed a ratio of one teacher per twelve (12) students, unless CONTRACTOR and LEA agree otherwise in writing. Upon prior written approval by an authorized LEA representative, class size may be temporarily increased by a ratio of 1 teacher to fourteen (14) students when necessary, during the regular or extended school year to provide services to students with disabilities.

In the event a NPS is unable to fill a vacant teaching position responsible for direct instruction to students, and the vacancy has direct impact on the CDE Certification of that school, the NPS shall develop a plan to ensure appropriate coverage of students by first utilizing existing certificated staff. The NPS and the LEA may agree to one 30 school day period per contract year where class size may be increased to ensure

coverage by an appropriately credentialed teacher. Such an agreement shall be in writing and signed by both parties. This provision does not apply to a NPA.

CONTRACTOR providing special education instruction for individuals with exceptional needs between the ages of three and five years, inclusive, shall also comply with the appropriate instructional adult to child ratios pursuant to California Education Code sections 56440 et seq.

25. CALENDARS

When CONTRACTOR is an NPS, CONTRACTOR shall submit to the LEA/SELPA a school calendar with the total number of billable days not to exceed 180 days, plus extended school year billable days equivalent to the number of days determined by the LEA's extended school year calendar. Billable days shall include only those days that are included on the submitted and approved school calendar, and/or required by the IEP (developed by the LEA) for each student. CONTRACTOR shall not be allowed to change its school calendar and/or amend the number of billable days without the prior written approval of the LEA. Nothing in this Master Contract shall be interpreted to require the LEA to accept any requests for calendar changes.

Unless otherwise specified by the student's IEP, educational services shall occur at the school site. A student shall only be eligible for extended school year services as determined by the IEP team and the provision of such is specifically included in the ISA. Extended school year shall consist of twenty (20) instructional days, unless otherwise agreed upon by the IEP team convened by the LEA. Any days of extended school year in excess of twenty (20) billable days must be mutually agreed to, in writing, prior to the start of the extended school year.

Student must have actually been in attendance during the regular school year and/or during extended school year and received services on a billable day of attendance in order for CONTRACTOR to be eligible for payment. It is specifically understood that services may not be provided on weekends/holidays and other times when school is not in session, unless agreed to by the LEA, in writing, in advance of the delivery of any NPS service. Any instructional days provided without this written agreement shall be at the sole financial responsibility of the CONTRACTOR.

CONTRACTOR shall observe the same legal holidays as LEA. Those holidays are Labor Day, Veteran's Day, Thanksgiving Day, Christmas Day, New Year's Day, Martin Luther King Jr. Day, President's Day, Memorial Day, Juneteenth, and Independence Day. With the approval of LEA, CONTRACTOR may revise the date upon which CONTRACTOR closes in observance of any of the holidays observed by the LEA.

When CONTRACTOR is a NPA, CONTRACTOR shall be provided with a LEA-developed/approved calendar prior to the initiation of services. CONTRACTOR herein agrees to observe holidays as specified in the LEA-developed/approved calendar. CONTRACTOR shall provide services pursuant to the LEA-developed/approved calendar; or as specified in the LEA student's IEP and ISA. Unless otherwise specified in the LEA student's ISA, CONTRACTOR shall provide related services to LEA students on only those days that the LEA student's school of attendance is in session and the LEA student attends school. CONTRACTOR shall bill only for services provided on billable days of attendance as indicated on the LEA calendar unless CONTRACTOR and the LEA agree otherwise, in writing. Student must have actually been in attendance and/or received services on a billable day of attendance in order for CONTRACTOR to be eligible for payment. It is specifically understood that services may not be provided on weekends/holidays and other times when school is not in session, unless agreed to by the LEA, in writing, in advance of the delivery of any NPA service provided by CONTRACTOR. Any instructional days provided without this written agreement shall be at the sole financial responsibility of the CONTRACTOR.

26. DATA REPORTING

CONTRACTOR shall agree to provide to the LEA all data related to student information and billing information with LEA. CONTRACTOR shall agree to provide data related to all sections of this contract, including student discipline as noted below, and requested by and in the format required by the LEA. It is understood that all NPS/A shall utilize the LEA approved electronic IEP system for all IEP development, service tracking documentation, and progress reporting, unless otherwise agreed to by the LEA. Additional

progress reporting may be required by the LEA. The LEA shall provide the CONTRACTOR with appropriate software, user training and proper internet permissions to allow adequate access.

Using forms developed by the CDE or as otherwise mutually agreed upon by CONTRACTOR and LEA, CONTRACTOR shall provide LEA, on a monthly basis, a written report of all incidents in which a statutory offense is committed by any LEA student, regardless if it results in a disciplinary action of suspension or expulsion. This includes all statutory offenses as described in Education Code sections 48900 and 48915. CONTRACTOR shall also include incidents resulting in the use of a behavioral restraint and/or seclusion even if they were not a result of a violation of Education Code sections 48900 and 48915.

The LEA shall provide the CONTRACTOR with approved forms and/or format for such data including, but not limited to, invoicing, attendance reports and progress reports. The LEA may approve use of CONTRACTOR'S provided forms at their discretion.

27. LEAST RESTRICTIVE ENVIRONMENT/DUAL ENROLLMENT

CONTRACTOR and LEA shall follow all LEA policies and procedures that support Least Restrictive Environment ("LRE") options and/or dual enrollment options if available and appropriate, for students to have access to the general curriculum and to be educated with their nondisabled peers to the maximum extent appropriate.

CONTRACTOR and LEA shall ensure that LRE placement options are addressed at all IEP team meetings regarding students for whom ISAs have been or may be executed. This shall include IEP team consideration of supplementary aids and services, goals and objectives necessary for placement in the LRE and necessary to enable students to transition to less restrictive settings.

When an IEP team has determined that a student should be transitioned into the public school setting, CONTRACTOR shall assist the LEA in implementing the IEP team's recommended activities to support the transition.

28. STATEWIDE ACHIEVEMENT TESTING

When CONTRACTOR is a NPS, per implementation of Senate Bill 484, CONTRACTOR shall administer all statewide assessments within the California Assessment of Student Performance and Progress ("CAASPP"), Desired Results Developmental Profile ("DRDP"), California Alternative Assessment ("CAA"), achievement and abilities tests (using LEA-authorized assessment instruments), the Fitness Gram, , the English Language Proficiency Assessments for California ("ELPAC"), the Alternative English Language Proficiency Assessments for California ("Alternative ELPAC"), and as appropriate to the student, and mandated by LEA pursuant to LEA and state and federal guidelines.

CONTRACTOR is subject to the alternative accountability system developed pursuant to Education Code section 52052, in the same manner as public schools. Each LEA student placed with CONTRACTOR by the LEA shall be tested by qualified staff of CONTRACTOR in accordance with that accountability program. LEA shall provide test administration training to CONTRACTOR'S qualified staff. CONTRACTOR shall attend LEA test training and comply with completion of all coding requirements as required by LEA.

29. MANDATED ATTENDANCE AT LEA MEETINGS

CONTRACTOR shall attend District mandated meetings when legal mandates, and/or LEA policy and procedures are reviewed, including but not limited to the areas of: curriculum, high school graduation, standards-based instruction, behavior intervention, cultural and linguistic needs of students with disabilities, dual enrollment responsibilities, LRE responsibilities, transition services, data collection, and standardized testing and IEPs. LEA shall provide CONTRACTOR with reasonable notice of mandated meetings. Attendance at such meetings does not constitute a billable service hour(s).

30. POSITIVE BEHAVIOR INTERVENTIONS AND SUPPORTS

CONTRACTOR shall comply with the requirements of Education Code section 49005, et seq., 56521.1 and 56521.2. LEA students who exhibit behaviors that interfere with their learning or the learning of others must receive timely and appropriate assessments and positive supports and interventions in accordance with the federal law and it's implementing regulations. If the IEP team determines that a student's behavior impedes the individual learning or the learning of others, the IEP team is required to consider the use of positive behavioral interventions and supports, and other strategies, to address that behavior, consistent with Section 1414(d)(3)(B)(i) and (d)(4) of Title 20 of the United States Code and associated federal regulations. This could mean that instead of developing a Behavior Intervention Plan ("BIP"), the IEP team may conclude it is sufficient to address the student's behavioral problems through the development of behavioral goals and behavioral interventions to support those goals.

CONTRACTOR shall maintain a written policy pursuant to California Education Code section 56521.1 regarding emergency interventions and behavioral emergency reports. CONTRACTOR shall ensure that all of its staff members are trained in crisis intervention, emergency procedures, and evidenced-based practices and interventions specific to the unique behavioral needs of the CONTRACTOR's pupil population. The training shall be provided within 30 days of employment to new staff who have any contact or interaction with pupils during the school day, and annually to all staff who have any contact or interaction with pupils during the school day. The CONTRACTOR shall select and conduct the training in accordance with California Education Code section 56366.1. CONTRACTOR shall maintain written records of the training and provide written verification of the training annually and upon request.

Pursuant to Education Code section 56521.1, emergency interventions shall not be used as a substitute for a BIP, and shall not be employed longer than necessary to contain the behavior. Emergency interventions may only be used to control unpredictable, spontaneous behavior that poses clear and present danger of serious physical harm to the individual with exceptional needs, or others, and that cannot be immediately prevented by a response less restrictive than the temporary application of a technique used to contain the behavior. If a situation requires prolonged use of emergency intervention, staff must seek assistance from the school site administrator or a law enforcement agency.

CONTRACTOR shall complete a behavior emergency report when an emergency occurs that is defined as a serious, dangerous behavior that staff has determined to present a clear and present danger to others. It requires a non-violent physical intervention to protect the safety of student, self, or others and a physical intervention has been used; or a physical intervention has not been used, but an injury or serious property damage has occurred. Personal Safety Techniques may or may not have been used. Emergencies require a behavior emergency report form be completed and submitted to the LEA within twenty-four (24) hours for administrative action. CONTRACTOR shall notify Parent within twenty-four (24) hours via telephone. If the student's IEP does not contain a BIP, an IEP team shall schedule a meeting to review the behavior emergency report, determine if there is a necessity for a functional behavioral assessment, and to determine an interim plan. If the student already has a BIP, the IEP team shall review and modify the BIP if a new serious behavior has been exhibited or existing behavioral interventions have proven to be ineffective. CONTRACTOR shall schedule with LEA an IEP meeting within two (2) days.

Pursuant to Education Code section 56521.2, CONTRACTOR shall not authorize, order, consent to, or pay for the following interventions, or any other interventions similar to or like the following:

1. any intervention that is designed to, or likely to, cause physical pain, including, but not limited to, electric-shock;
2. an intervention that involves the release of noxious, toxic, or otherwise unpleasant sprays, mists, or substances in proximity to the face of the individual;
3. an intervention that denies adequate sleep, food, water, shelter, bedding, physical comfort, or access to bathroom facilities;
4. an intervention that is designed to subject, used to subject, or likely to subject, the individual to verbal abuse, ridicule, or humiliation, or that can be expected to cause excessive emotional trauma; restrictive interventions that employ a device, material, or objects that simultaneously immobilize all four extremities,
5. Prone restraint;

6. locked seclusion, unless it is in a facility otherwise licensed or permitted by state law to use a locked room;
7. an intervention that precludes adequate supervision of the individual;
8. an intervention that deprives the individual of one or more of the individual's senses.

CONTRACTOR shall comply with Education Code sections 49005.8, 56521.1 and 56521.2. Specifically, Contractor shall not do any of the following:

1. Use seclusion or a behavioral restraint for the purpose of coercion, discipline, convenience, or retaliation.
2. Use locked seclusion, unless it is in a facility otherwise licensed or permitted by state law to use a locked room.
3. Use a physical restraint technique that obstructs a pupil's respiratory airway or impairs the pupil's breathing or respiratory capacity, including techniques in which a staff member places pressure on a pupil's back or places the individual's body weight against the pupil's torso or back.
4. Use a behavioral restraint technique that restricts breathing, including, but not limited to, using a pillow, blanket, carpet, mat, or other item to cover a pupil's face.
5. Place a pupil in a facedown position with the pupil's hands held or restrained behind the pupil's back
6. Use prone containment.
7. Use a behavioral restraint for longer than is necessary to contain the behavior that poses a clear and present danger of serious physical harm to the pupil or others.

CONTRACTOR shall keep constant, direct observation of a pupil who is in seclusion, which may be through observation of the pupil through a window, or another barrier, through which the educational provider is able to make direct eye contact with the pupil. This observation shall not be through indirect means, including through a security camera or a closed-circuit television.

CONTRACTOR shall afford pupils who are restrained the least restrictive alternative and the maximum freedom of movement, and shall use the least number of restraint points, while ensuring the physical safety of the pupil and others.

In the case of a child whose behavior impedes the child's learning or that of others, the IEP team shall consider the use of positive behavioral interventions and supports, and other strategies, to address that behavior, consistent with Section 1414(d)(3)(B)(i) and (d)(4) of Title 20 of the United States Code and associated federal regulations.

All restraint practices must be reviewed and revised when they have an adverse effect on a student and are used repeatedly for an individual child, either on multiple occasions within the same classroom or multiple uses by the same individual. CONTRACTOR shall notify the student's parent/guardian when any type of physical or mechanical restraint or seclusion has been used. Upon the use of any type of physical or mechanical restraint or seclusions of an LEA student, CONTRACTOR shall complete a BER per the reporting and notification requirements listed above.

31. STUDENT DISCIPLINE

CONTRACTOR shall maintain and abide by a written policy for student discipline that is consistent with state and federal law and regulations. Using forms developed by the California Department of Education or as otherwise mutually agreed upon by CONTRACTOR and LEA, CONTRACTOR shall provide LEA, on a monthly basis, a written report of all incidents in which a statutory offense is committed by any LEA student, regardless if it results in a disciplinary action of suspension or expulsion. This includes all statutory offenses as described in Education Codes 48900 and 48915.CONTRACTOR shall also include incidents resulting in the use of a behavioral restraint and/or seclusion even if they were not a result of a violation of Education Code Sections 48900 and 48915.

When CONTRACTOR seeks to remove a student from his/her current educational placement for disciplinary reasons, CONTRACTOR shall immediately submit a written discipline report to the LEA. Written discipline reports shall include, but not be limited to: the student's name; the time, date, and description of the misconduct; the disciplinary action taken by CONTRACTOR; and the rationale for such

disciplinary action. A copy of the student's behavior plan, if any, shall be submitted with the written discipline report. CONTRACTOR and LEA agree to participate in a manifestation determination at an IEP meeting no later than the tenth (10^{th}) day of suspension

32. IEP TEAM MEETINGS

An IEP team meeting shall be convened at least annually to evaluate: (1) the educational progress of each student placed with CONTRACTOR, including all state assessment results pursuant to the requirements of Education Code section 52052; (2) whether or not the needs of the student continue to be best met at the NPS; and (3) whether changes to the student's IEP are necessary, including whether the student may be transitioned to a public school setting. (California Education Code sections 56366 (a) (2) (B) (i) and (ii)) and pursuant to California Education Code section 56345 (b) (4).)

If the LEA student is to be transferred from a NPS setting into a regular class setting in a public school for any part of the school day, the IEP team shall document a description of activities provided to integrate the student into the regular education program, including the nature of each activity as well as the time spent on the activity each day or week and a description of the activities provided to support the transition of the student from the special education program into the regular education program. Each student shall be allowed to provide confidential input to any representative of the individual IEP team. Except as otherwise provided in the Master Contract, CONTRACTOR and LEA shall participate in all IEP team meetings regarding students for whom ISAs have been or may be executed. At any time during the term of this Master Contract, the parent, the CONTRACTOR or the LEA may request a review of the student's IEP, subject to all procedural safeguards required by law, including reasonable notice given to, and participation of, the CONTRACTOR in the meeting. Every effort shall be made to schedule IEP team meetings at a time and place that is mutually convenient to parent, CONTRACTOR and LEA. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA assessments and written assessment reports by service providers upon request and/or pursuant to LEA policy and procedures. It is understood that attendance at an IEP meeting is part of CONTRACTOR'S professional responsibility and is not a billable service under this Master Contract.

It is understood that the CONTRACTOR shall utilize the approved electronic IEP system of the LEA for all IEP planning and progress reporting at the LEA's discretion. The LEA or SELPA may provide training for any CONTRACTOR to ensure access to the approved system. The CONTRACTOR shall maintain confidentiality of all IEP data on the approved system and shall protect the password requirements of the system. When a student dis-enrolls from the NPS/NPA, the NPS/NPA and LEA shall discontinue use of the approved system for that student.

Changes in any student's educational program, including instruction, services, or instructional setting provided under this Master Contract, may only be made on the basis of revisions to the student's IEP. In the event that the CONTRACTOR believes the student requires a change of placement, the CONTRACTOR may request a review of the student's IEP for the purposes of consideration of a change in the student's placement. Student is entitled to remain in the last agreed upon and implemented placement unless parent agrees otherwise or an Interim Alternative Educational Setting is deemed lawful and appropriate by LEA or OAH consistent with Section 1415 (k)(1)(7) of Title 20 of the United States Code.

33. SURROGATE PARENTS AND FOSTER YOUTH

CONTRACTOR shall recognize an LEA appointed surrogate parent assignments for students without parental representation, including unaccompanied homeless youths, in special education procedures pursuant to California Government Code Section 7579.5. Surrogate parents shall serve as the child's parent and have all the rights relative to the student's education that a parent has under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act pursuant to *20 USC 1414-1482 and 34 CFR 300.1-300.756.* A pupil in foster care shall be defined pursuant to California Education Code section 42238.01(b). The LEA shall annually notify the CONTRACTOR who the LEA has designated as the educational liaison for foster children. When a pupil in foster care is enrolled in a NPS by the LEA any time after the completion of the pupil's second year of high school, the CONTRACTOR shall schedule the pupil in courses leading towards graduation based on the diploma requirements of the LEA unless provided notice otherwise in writing pursuant to Section 51225.1.

34. DUE PROCESS PROCEEDINGS

CONTRACTOR shall fully participate in special education due process proceedings including mediations and hearings, as requested by LEA. Participation further includes the willingness to make CONTRACTOR's staff available for witness preparation and testimony as is necessary to facilitate a due process hearing. CONTRACTOR shall also fully participate in the investigation and provision of documentation related to any complaint filed with the State of California, the Office of Civil Rights, or any other state and/or federal governmental body or agency. Full participation shall include, but in no way be limited to, cooperating with LEA representatives to provide complete answers raised by any investigator and/or the immediate provision of any and all documentation that pertains to the operation of CONTRACTOR's program and/or the implementation of a particular student's IEP/Individual and Family Service Plan ("IFSP").

35. COMPLAINT PROCEDURES

CONTRACTOR shall maintain and adhere to its own written procedures for responding to parent complaints. These procedures shall include annually notifying and providing parents of students with appropriate information (including complaint forms) for the following: (1) Uniform Complaint Procedures pursuant to Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 4600 *et seq*.; (2) Nondiscrimination policy pursuant to Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 4960 (a); (3) Sexual Harassment Policy, California Education Code 231.5 (a) (b) (c); (4) Title IX Student Grievance Procedure, Title IX 106.8 (a) (d) and 106.9 (a); and (5) Notice of Privacy Practices in compliance with Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act ("HIPAA"). CONTRACTOR shall include verification of these procedures to the LEA. CONTRACTOR shall immediately notify LEA of any complaints filed against it related to LEA students and provide LEA with all documentation related to the complaints and/or its investigation of complaints, including any and all reports generated as a result of an investigation.

36. STUDENT PROGRESS REPORTS/REPORT CARDS AND ASSESSMENTS

Unless LEA requests in writing that progress reports be provided on a monthly basis, CONTRACTOR shall provide to parents at least four (4) written progress reports/report cards. At a minimum, progress reports shall include progress over time towards IEP goals and objectives. A copy of the progress reports/report cards shall be maintained at the CONTRACTOR's place of business and shall be submitted to the LEA and LEA student's parent(s) quarterly.

The CONTRACTOR shall also provide an LEA representative access to supporting documentation used to determine progress on any goal or objective, including but not limited to log sheets, observation notes, data sheets, pre/post tests, rubrics and other similar data collection used to determine progress or lack of progress on approved goals, objectives, transition plans or behavior intervention plans. The LEA may request such data at any time within five (5) years of the date of service. The CONTRACTOR shall provide this data supporting progress within five (5) business days of request. Additional time may be granted as needed by the LEA.

CONTRACTOR shall complete academic or other evaluations of the student ten (10) days prior to the student's annual or triennial review IEP team meeting for the purpose of reporting the student's present levels of performance at the IEP team meeting as required by state and federal laws and regulations and pursuant to LEA policies, procedures, and/or practices. CONTRACTOR shall provide sufficient copies of its reports, documents, and projected goals to share with members of the IEP team five (5) business days prior to the IEP meeting. CONTRACTOR shall maintain supporting documentation such as test protocols and data collection, which shall be made available to LEA within five (5) business days of request.

The CONTRACTOR is responsible for all evaluation costs regarding the updating of goals and objectives, progress reporting and development of present levels of performance. All assessments resulting from an assessment plan shall be provided by the LEA unless the LEA specifies in writing a request that CONTRACTOR perform such additional assessment. Any assessment and/or evaluation costs may be added to the ISA and/or approved separately by the LEA at the LEA's sole discretion.

It is understood that all billable hours must be in direct services to pupils as specified in the ISA. For NPA services, supervision provided by a qualified individual as specified in Title 5 Regulation, subsection 3065, shall be determined as appropriate and included in the ISA. Supervision means the direct observation of services, data review, case conferencing and program design consistent with professional standards for each professional's license, certification, or credential.

CONTRACTOR shall not charge the student's parent(s) or LEA for the provision of progress reports, report cards, evaluations conducted in order to obtain present levels of performance, interviews, and/or meetings. It is understood that all billable hours have limits to those specified on the ISA consistent with the IEP. It is understood that copies of data collection notes, forms, charts and other such data are part of the pupil's record and shall be made available to the LEA upon written request.

37. GRADES, HIGH SCHOOL COURSE CREDITS, & TRANSCRIPTS

When CONTRACTOR is a NPS, CONTRACTOR is responsible for assigning grades for any course of instruction taught at the NPS. The grades determined by the pupil's teacher, in the absence of clerical or mechanical mistake, fraud, bad faith, or incompetency, shall be final and consistent with the provisions specified in EC Section 49066. The grades each pupil receives in all courses of instruction taught by the NPS shall be reported to the parents and the LEA on a quarterly basis. Consistent with the LEA, should it become evident to the NPS the pupil is in danger of failing a course, the CONTRACTOR must initiate a parent conference, and the LEA representative must be in attendance.

When CONTRACTOR serves students in grades nine (9) through twelve (12) inclusive, LEA shall provide to CONTRACTOR a specific list of the course requirements to be satisfied by the CONTRACTOR leading toward graduation or completion of LEA's diploma requirements. CONTRACTOR shall not recommend awarding a high school diploma to students who have not successfully completed all of the LEA's graduation requirements.

Pupils enrolled in high school during the 2020-2021 academic year may request a Pass or No Pass grade as permitted in EC Section 49066.5, which may be reflected on the student's transcript and shall not negatively affect the pupil's grade point average.

CONTRACTOR shall prepare transcripts at the close of each semester, or upon student transfer, for students in grades nine (9) through twelve (12) inclusive, and submit them on LEA approved forms to the student's school of residence for evaluation of progress toward completion of diploma requirements as specified in LEA Procedures. CONTRACTOR shall submit to the LEA names of students and their schools of residence for whom transcripts have been submitted as specified by the LEA.

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Effective July 1, 2025, if determined appropriate by the pupil's IEP team, beginning when the pupil starts their high school experience and not later than when the pupil is 16 years of age or younger, as appropriate, and annually thereafter, a statement of needed transition services shall be included in the pupil's individualized education program. If the individualized education program team determines that the pupil would benefit from the postponement of the inclusion of appropriate measurable postsecondary goals and transition services until 16 years of age, rather than when the pupil begins their high school experience, the individualized education program team shall appropriately justify the basis for that postponement. (EC section 56043(h).)

38. STUDENT CHANGE OF RESIDENCE

Within five (5) school days from the date CONTRACTOR becomes aware of a student's change of residence, CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA, in writing, of the student's change of residence. Upon enrollment, CONTRACTOR shall notify parents in writing of their obligation to notify CONTRACTOR of the student's change of residence. CONTRACTOR shall maintain, and provide upon request by LEA, documentation of such notice to parents.

If CONTRACTOR had knowledge or should reasonably have had knowledge of the student's change of residence boundaries and CONTRACTOR fails to follow the procedures specified in this provision, LEA shall not be responsible for the costs of services delivered following the student's change of residence.

39. WITHDRAWAL OF STUDENT FROM PROGRAM

CONTRACTOR shall immediately report electronically and in writing to the LEA within five (5) business days when an LEA student is withdrawn without prior notice from school and/or services, including student's change of residence to a residence outside of LEA service boundaries, and parent/guardian withdrawal of student against professional advice from a NPS/RTC.

40. PARENT ACCESS

CONTRACTOR shall provide for reasonable parental access to students and all facilities including, but not limited to, the instructional setting, recreational activity areas, meeting rooms and student living quarters, when applicable. CONTRACTOR shall comply with any known court orders regarding parental visits and access to LEA students.

CONTRACTOR operating programs associated with a NPS/RTC shall cooperate with a parent's reasonable request for LEA student therapeutic visits in their home or at the NPS/RTC. CONTRACTOR shall require that parents obtain prior written authorization for therapeutic visits from the CONTRACTOR and the LEA at least thirty (30) days in advance. When requested, CONTRACTOR shall facilitate all parent travel and accommodations and for providing travel information to the parent as appropriate. Payment by LEA for approved travel-related expenses shall be made directly through the LEA consistent with LEA Procedures.

CONTRACTOR providing services in the student's home as specified in the IEP shall ensure that at least one parent of the child, or an adult caregiver with written and signed authorization to make decisions in an emergency, is present. The names of any adult caregiver other than the parent shall be provided to the LEA prior to the start of any home based services, including written and signed authorization in emergency situations. The parent shall inform the LEA of any changes of caregivers and provide written authorization for emergencies. The adult caregiver cannot also be an employee or volunteer associated with the NPS/NPA service provider.

All problems and/or concerns, both verbal and written, reported to pupil's parents shall also be provided, in writing, to the LEA.

41. LICENSED CHILDREN'S INSTITUTION ("LCI") CONTRACTORS AND RESIDENTIAL TREATMENT CENTER ("RTC") CONTRACTORS

If CONTRACTOR is a LCI, CONTRACTOR shall adhere to all legal requirements regarding educational placements for LCI students as stated in Education Code 56366 (a) (2) (C), 56366.9 (c) (1), Health and Safety Code section 1501.1and any other applicable laws and/or regulations, including LEA guidelines or procedures. An LCI shall not require that a pupil be placed in its NPS as a condition of being placed in its residential facility.

If CONTRACTOR is a NPS/RTC, CONTRACTOR shall adhere to all legal requirements under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA), 20 U.S.C. section 1400 et seq. including the federal regulations 34 C.F.R section 300 et seq. and Education Code section 56000 et seq. including Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3000 et seq.. CONTRACTOR shall comply with all monitoring requirements set forth in Section 43 below.

If CONTRACTOR is a NPS that is owned, operated by, or associated with a LCI, CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA, on a quarterly basis, a list of all students, including those identified as eligible for special education. For those identified as special education students, the list shall include: 1) special education eligibility at the time of enrollment and; 2) the educational placement and services specified in each student's IEP at the time of enrollment. A copy of the current IEP shall be provided to the LEA.

Unless placement is made pursuant to an Office of Administrative Hearings order or a lawfully executed agreement between LEA and parent, LEA is not responsible for the costs associated with NPS placement until the date on which an IEP team meeting is convened, the IEP team determines that a NPS placement is appropriate, and the IEP is signed by the student's parent or another adult with educational decision-making rights.

In addition to meeting the certification requirements of the State of California, a CONTRACTOR that operates a program outside of this State shall be certified or licensed by that state to provide, respectively, special education and related services and designated instruction and related services to pupils under the federal IDEA (20 U.S.C. Sec. 1400 et seq.) and shall be certified or licensed by the state to provide nonmedical care, clinical services, or short-term residential therapeutic programs, as applicable to the facility type.

42. STATE MEAL MANDATE

When CONTRACTOR is a NPS, CONTRACTOR and LEA shall satisfy the State Meal Mandate under California Education Code sections 49005 et seq.; ; 49501.5, the universal meal mandate enacted by AB 130 (2021-2022); 49530 et seq; and 49550 et seq.

LEA, at its sole discretion, may elect to directly provide meals to CONTRACTOR for distribution to LEA students at the nonpublic school on its own or by another local school district.

CONTRACTOR acknowledges that the LEA does not receive any state or federal reimbursement for any meals CONTRACTOR provides to LEA students and that CONTRACTOR is only eligible to receive direct reimbursement if it is an approved site under the National School Lunch Program.

In the event the LEA requests CONTRACTOR to provide meals to LEA students, CONTRACTOR will provide breakfast and lunch to LEA students in compliance with the meal pattern requirements under the School Breakfast Program and National School Lunch Program nutritional standards. LEA shall reimburse CONTRACTOR for each meal made available at a mutually agreed upon rate. In the event CONTRACTOR is unable to provide meals, the LEA and CONTRACTOR will work collaboratively to find a solution. In the event CDE determines that meals do not need to be provided, this paragraph shall not apply.

CONTRACTOR shall maintain all documentation of meals provided to LEA students. CONTRACTOR shall comply with record keeping requirements under the School Breakfast Program and National School Lunch Program or LEA template. Upon request, CONTRACTOR shall provide copies of any such records to LEA. CONTRACTOR shall also allow LEA to conduct site monitoring visits as deemed necessary by the LEA.

If CONTRACTOR uses a third-party vendor to provide meals, CONTRACTOR will assure that the third-party vendor agrees to comply with all meal pattern requirements of the School Breakfast Program and National School Lunch Program nutritional standards. Upon request, CONTRACTOR shall provide LEA with any contracts it has with third-party vendors providing meals for students.

43. MONITORING

The State Superintendent of Public Instruction ("Superintendent"), through the delegated monitoring activities to the California Department of Education (CDE), shall monitor CONTRACTOR'S facilities, the educational environment, and the quality of the educational program, including the teaching staff, the credentials authorizing service, the standards-based core curriculum being employed, and the standard focused instructional materials used on a three-year cycle, as follows: (1) CONTRACTOR shall complete a self-review in year one; (2) the Superintendent shall conduct an onsite review in year two; and (3) the Superintendent shall conduct a follow-up visit in year three.

CONTRACTOR shall participate in any LEA or CDE compliance review, if applicable, to be conducted as aligned with the CDE Onsite Review and monitoring cycle in accordance with California Education Code

section 56366.1(j). This review will address programmatic aspects of the NPS, compliance with relevant state and federal regulations, and Master Contract compliance. CONTRACTOR shall conduct any follow-up or corrective action procedures related to review findings.

If CONTRACTOR is also an LCI and/or NPS/RTC, the CDE shall annually evaluate whether CONTRACTOR is in compliance with Education Code section 56366.9 and Health and Safety Code section 1501.1(b).

The LEA or SELPA shall conduct an onsite visit to the NPS before placement of a pupil if the LEA does not have any pupils enrolled at the school at the time of placement.

The LEA or SELPA shall conduct at least one onsite monitoring visit during each school year to the CONTRACTOR site certified as an NPS where the LEA has placed a pupil and entered into a master contract. The monitoring visit shall include, but is not limited to, a review of services specified on the ISA and provided to the pupil, a review of progress the pupil is making toward the goals set forth in the pupil's IEP, a review of progress the pupil is making toward the goals set forth in the pupil's behavioral intervention plan, if applicable, an observation of the pupil during instruction, and a walkthrough of the facility. The LEA or SELPA shall report the findings resulting from the monitoring visit to the CDE within 60 calendar days of the onsite visit.

CONTRACTOR shall allow LEA representatives access to its facilities for additional periodic monitoring of each student's instructional program. LEA shall have access to observe each student at work, observe the instructional setting, interview CONTRACTOR employees, and review each student's records and progress. Such access shall include unannounced monitoring visits. When making site visits, LEA shall initially report to CONTRACTOR's site administrative office. CONTRACTOR shall be invited to participate in the review of each student's progress.

CONTRACTOR understands that LEA reserves the right to institute a program audit with or without cause. The program audit may include, but is not limited to, a review of core compliance areas of health and safety; curriculum/instruction; related services; and contractual, legal, and procedural compliance.

When CONTRACTOR is a NPS, CONTRACTOR shall collect all applicable data and prepare the applicable portion of a School Accountability Report Card as appropriate in accordance with California Education Code Section 33126.

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44. CLEARANCE REQUIREMENTS

CONTRACTOR shall comply with the requirements of California Education Code sections 44237, 35021.1, 35021.2, and 56366.1 including, but not limited to: obtaining clearance from both the California Department of Justice (hereinafter referred to as "CDOJ") and clearance from the Federal Bureau of Investigation (hereinafter referred to as "FBI") for CONTRACTOR's employees and volunteers who will have or likely may have any direct contact with LEA students. CONTRACTOR hereby agrees that CONTRACTOR's employees and volunteers shall not come in contact with students, in-person or virtually, until CDOJ and FBI clearance are ascertained. CONTRACTOR shall certify in writing to LEA that none of its employees, and volunteers, unless CONTRACTOR determines that the volunteers will have no direct contact with students, or subcontractors who may come into contact with students have been convicted of a violent or serious felony as those terms are defined in California Education Code section 44237(h), unless despite the employee's conviction of a violent or serious felony, he or she has met the criteria to be eligible for employment pursuant to California Education Code section 44237 (i) or (j). Upon request, clearance certification shall be submitted to the LEA. In addition, CONTRACTOR shall make a request for subsequent arrest service from CDOJ as required by California Penal Code section 11105.2. Contractor shall certify to LEA that they have successful background checks and enrolled in subsequent arrest notification service for all employees who may come into contact with students.

Notwithstanding the restrictions on sharing and destroying criminal background check information, CONTRACTOR, upon demand, shall make available to the LEA evidence of a successful criminal

background check clearance and enrollment in subsequent arrest notification service, as provided, for each owner, operator, and employee of the NPS/A. CONTRACTOR is required to retain the evidence on-site, as specified, for all staff, including those licensed or credentialed by another state agency. Background clearances and proof of subsequent arrest notification service, as required by California Penal Code section 11105.2, for all staff shall be provided to the LEA upon request.

45. STAFF QUALIFICATIONS

CONTRACTOR shall ensure that all individuals employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired by CONTRACTOR to provide classroom and/or individualized instruction or related services hold a license, certificate, permit, or other document equivalent to that which staff in a public school are required to hold in the service rendered consistent with Education Code section 56366.1(n)(1) and are qualified pursuant to Title 34 of the Code of Federal Regulations sections 200.56 and 200.58, and Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations sections 3001(r), 3064 and 3065. Such qualified staff may only provide related services within the scope of their professional license, certification or credential and ethical standards set by each profession, and not assume responsibility or authority for another related services provider or special education teacher's scope of practice.

CONTRACTOR shall ensure that all staff are appropriately credentialed to provide instruction and services to students with the disabling conditions placed in their program/school through documentation provided to the CDE (5 CCR 3064 (a)).
In accordance with California Education Code section 56366.1(a)(5), when CONTRACTOR is a NPS, an appropriately qualified person shall serve as curricular and instructional leader, and be able to provide leadership, oversight and professional development. The administrator of the NPS holds or is in the process of obtaining one of the following: (A) An administrative credential granted by an accredited postsecondary educational institution and two years of experience with pupils with disabilities. (B) A pupil personnel services credential that authorizes school counseling or psychology. (C) A license as a clinical social worker issued by the Board of Behavioral Sciences. (D) A license in psychology regulated by the Board of Psychology. (E) A master's degree issued by an accredited postsecondary institution in education, special education, psychology, counseling, behavioral analysis, social work, behavioral science, or rehabilitation. (F) A credential authorizing special education instruction and at least two years of experience teaching in special education before becoming an administrator. (G) A license as a marriage and family therapist certified by the Board of Behavioral Sciences. (H) A license as an educational psychologist issued by the Board of Behavioral Sciences. (I) A license as a professional clinical counselor issued by the Board of Behavioral Sciences. (California Education Code Section 56366.1 (a)(5)). CONTRACTOR shall maintain, and provide to the LEA upon request, documentation of its administrator's qualifications in accordance with the above.

CONTRACTOR shall comply with personnel standards and qualifications regarding instructional aides and teacher assistants respectively pursuant to federal requirements and California Education Code sections 45340 *et seq.* and 45350 *et seq.* Specifically, all paraprofessionals, including but not limited to, instructional aides and teacher assistants, employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired or subcontracted by CONTRACTOR to provide classroom and/or individualized instruction or related services, shall possess a high school diploma (or its recognized equivalent) and at least one of the following qualifications: (a) completed at least two (2) years of study at an institution of higher education; or (b) obtained an associate's (or higher) degree; or (c) met a rigorous standard of quality and can demonstrate, through a formal state or local assessment (i) knowledge of, and the ability to assist in instructing, reading, writing, and mathematics; or (ii) knowledge of, and the ability to assist in instructing, reading readiness, writing readiness, and mathematics readiness, as appropriate. CONTRACTOR shall comply with all laws and regulations governing the licensed professions, including but not limited to, the provisions with respect to supervision.

In addition to meeting the certification requirements of the State of California, a CONTRACTOR that operates a program outside of this state and serving a student by this LEA shall be certified or licensed by that state to provide special education and related services to pupils under the federal Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. Sec. 1400 et seq.).

46. VERIFICATION OF LICENSES, CREDENTIALS AND OTHER DOCUMENTS

CONTRACTOR shall submit to LEA a staff list, and copies of all current licenses, credentials, certifications, permits and/or other documents which entitle the holder to provide special education and/or related services by individuals employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired or sub-contracted by CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR shall ensure that all licenses, credentials, permits or other documents are on file at the office of the County Superintendent of Schools. CONTRACTOR shall provide the LEA with the verified dates of fingerprint clearance, Department of Justice clearance and Tuberculosis Test clearance for all employees, approved subcontractors and/or volunteers prior to such individuals starting to work with any student.

CONTRACTOR shall monitor the status of licenses, credentials, certifications, permits and/or other documents for all individuals employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired by CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA and CDE in writing within forty-five (45) days when personnel changes occur which may affect the provision of special education and/or related services to LEA students. CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA within forty-five (45) days if any such licenses, certifications or waivers are expired, suspended, revoked, rescinded, challenged pursuant to an administrative or legal complaint or lawsuit, or otherwise nullified during the effective period of this Master Contract. The LEA shall not be obligated to pay for any services provided by a person whose such licenses, certifications or waivers are expired, suspended, revoked, rescinded, or otherwise nullified during the period which such person is providing services under this Master Contract. Failure to notify the LEA and CDE of any changes in credentialing/licensed staff may result in suspension or revocation of CDE certification and/or suspension or termination of this Master Contract by the LEA.

47. STAFF ABSENCE

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school and CONTRACTOR's classroom teacher is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide an appropriately credentialed substitute teacher in the absent teacher's classroom in accordance with California Education Code section 56061. CONTRACTOR shall provide to the LEA documentation of substitute coverage. Substitute teachers shall remain with their assigned class during all instructional time.

The LEA shall not be responsible for any payment for instruction and/or services when an appropriately credentialed substitute teacher is not provided in accordance with California Education Code section 56061.

When CONTRACTOR is a NPA and/or related services provider, and CONTRACTOR's service provider is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide a qualified (as defined in Section 7 of this agreement and as determined by LEA) substitute, unless LEA provides appropriate coverage in lieu of CONTRACTOR's service providers. It is understood that the parent of a student shall not be deemed to be a qualified substitute for their student. LEA will not pay for services unless a qualified substitute is provided and/or CONTRACTOR provides documentation evidencing the provision of "make-up" services by a qualified service provider within thirty (30) calendar days from the date on which the services should have been provided. CONTRACTOR shall not "bank" or "carry over" make up service hours under any circumstances, unless otherwise agreed to in writing by CONTRACTOR and authorized LEA representative.

48. STAFF PROFESSIONAL BEHAVIOR WHEN PROVIDING SERVICES AT SCHOOL OR SCHOOL RELATED EVENTS OR AT SCHOOL FACILITY AND/OR IN THE HOME

It is understood that all employees, subcontractors, and volunteers of any certified NPS/A shall adhere to the customary professional and ethical standards when providing services. All practices shall only be within the scope of professional responsibility as defined in the professional code of conduct for each profession as well as any LEA professional standards as specified in Board policies and/or regulations when made available to the CONTRACTOR.

For services provided on a public-school campus, sign in/out procedures shall be followed by NPS/A providers working in a public-school classroom along with all other procedures for being on campus consistent with school and district policy. Such policies and procedures shall be made available to the CONTRACTOR upon request. It is understood that the public-school credentialed classroom teacher is responsible for the instructional program.

CONTRACTOR providing services outside of the student's school as specified in the IEP shall ensure that at least one parent of the child or an adult caregiver with written and signed authority to make decisions in an emergency is present during provision of services. The names of any adult caregiver other than the parent shall be provided to the LEA prior to the start of any home-based services, including written and signed authorization in emergency situations. The adult caregiver cannot also be an employee or volunteer associated with the NPS/NPA service provider. All problems and/or concerns reported by CONTRACTOR to parents or guardians, in either verbal or written form, shall be reported to the LEA.

HEALTH AND SAFETY MANDATES

49. HEALTH AND SAFETY

CONTRACTOR shall comply with all applicable federal, state, local, and LEA laws, regulations, ordinances, policies, and procedures regarding student and employee health and safety. CONTRACTOR shall comply with the requirements of California Education Code sections 35021 *et. seq*. and 49406, regarding the examination of CONTRACTOR's employees and volunteers for tuberculosis. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA documentation for each individual volunteering, employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired by CONTRACTOR of such compliance before an individual comes in contact with a student.

CONTRACTOR shall comply with OSHA Blood-Borne Pathogens Standards, 29 Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) section 1910.1030, when providing medical treatment or assistance to a student. CONTRACTOR further agrees to provide annual training regarding universal health care precautions and to post required notices in areas designated in the California Health and Safety Code.

50. FACILITIES AND FACILITIES MODIFICATIONS

CONTRACTOR shall provide special education and/or related services to students in facilities that comply with all applicable federal, state, and local laws, regulations, and ordinances related, but not limited to: disability access; fire, health, sanitation, and building standards and safety; fire warning systems; zoning permits; and occupancy capacity. When CONTRACTOR is a NPS, CONTRACTOR shall conduct fire drills as required by Title 5 California Code of Regulations section 550. CONTRACTOR shall be responsible for any structural changes and/or modifications to CONTRACTOR's facilities as required complying with applicable federal, state, and local laws, regulations, and ordinances. Failure to notify the LEA and CDE of any changes in, major modification or relocation of facilities may result in the suspension or revocation of CDE certification and/or suspension or termination of this Master Contract by the LEA.

51. ADMINISTRATION OF MEDICATION

CONTRACTOR shall comply with the requirements of California Education Code section 49422 et seq. when CONTRACTOR serves a student that is required to take prescription and/or over-the-counter medication during the school day. CONTRACTOR may designate personnel to assist the student with the administration of such medication after the student's parent(s) provide to CONTRACTOR: (a) a written statement from a physician detailing the type, administration method, amount, and time schedules by which such medication shall be taken; and (b) a written statement from the student's parent(s) granting CONTRACTOR permission to administer medication(s) as specified in the physician's statement. CONTRACTOR shall maintain, and provide to LEA upon request, copies of such written statements. CONTRACTOR shall maintain a written log for each student to whom medication is administered. Such written log shall specify the student's name; the type of medication; the date, time, and amount of each administration; and the name of CONTRACTOR's employee who administered the medication. CONTRACTOR maintains full responsibility for storing medications in a secure location and ensuring appropriate staff training in the administration of such medication consistent with physician's written orders. Any change in medication type, administration method, amount or schedule must be authorized by both a licensed physician and parent.

52. INCIDENT/ACCIDENT REPORTING

CONTRACTOR shall submit within 24 hours, electronically, any accident or incident report to the LEA. CONTRACTOR shall properly submit required accident or incident reports pursuant to the procedures specified in LEA Procedures.

53. CHILD ABUSE REPORTING

CONTRACTOR hereby agrees to annually train all staff members, including volunteers, so that they are familiar with and agree to adhere to its own child and dependent adult abuse reporting obligations and procedures as specified in California Penal Code section 11164 et seq. and Education Code 44691. To protect the privacy rights of all parties involved (i.e., reporter, child and alleged abuser), reports will remain confidential as required by law and professional ethical mandates. A written statement acknowledging the legal requirements of such reporting and verification of staff adherence to such reporting shall be submitted to the LEA.

54. SEXUAL HARASSMENT

CONTRACTOR shall have a Sexual and Gender Identity harassment policy that clearly describes the kinds of conduct that constitutes sexual harassment and that is prohibited by the CONTRACTOR's policy, as well as federal and state law. The policy should include procedures to make complaints without fear of retaliation, and for prompt and objective investigations of all sexual harassment complaints. CONTRACTOR further agrees to provide annual training to all employees regarding the laws concerning sexual harassment and related procedures pursuant to Government Code 12950.1.

55. REPORTING OF MISSING CHILDREN

CONTRACTOR assures LEA that all staff members, including volunteers, are familiar with and agree to adhere to requirements for reporting missing children as specified in California Education Code section 49370. A written statement acknowledging the legal requirements of such reporting and verification of staff adherence to such reporting shall be properly submitted to the LEA. The written statement shall be submitted as specified by the LEA.

FINANCIAL

56. ENROLLMENT, CONTRACTING, SERVICE TRACKING, ATTENDANCE REPORTING, AND BILLING PROCEDURES

CONTRACTOR shall assure that the nonpublic school or nonpublic agency has the necessary financial resources to provide an appropriate education for the students enrolled and will distribute those resources in such a manner to implement the IEP and ISA for each and every student.

CONTRACTOR shall comply with all LEA procedures concerning enrollment, contracting, attendance reporting, service tracking and billing including requirements of electronic billing as specified by the LEA Procedures, as well as provide all such records requested by LEA concerning the same. CONTRACTOR shall be paid for the provision of special education and/or related services specified in the student's IEP and ISA. All payments by LEA shall be made in accordance with the terms and conditions of this Master Contract and governed by all applicable federal and state laws.

CONTRACTOR shall maintain separate registers for the basic education program, each related service, and services provided by instructional assistants, behavior intervention aides and bus aides. Original attendance forms (i.e., roll books for the basic education program, service tracking documents and notes for instructional assistants, behavioral intervention aides, bus aides, and each related service) shall be completed by the actual service provider whose signature shall appear on such forms and shall be available for review, inspection, or audit by LEA during the effective period of this contract and for a period of five (5) years thereafter. CONTRACTOR shall verify the accuracy of minutes of reported attendance that is the basis of services being billed for payment.

CONTRACTOR shall submit invoices and related documents to LEA for payment, for each calendar month when education or related services were provided. Invoices and related documents shall be

properly submitted electronically and in addition, on an LEA form with signatures in the manner prescribed by LEA. At a minimum, each invoice must contain the following information: month of service; specific days and times of services coordinated by the LEA approved calendar unless otherwise specified in the IEP or agreed to by the LEA; name of staff who provided the service; approved cost of each invoice; total for each service and total for the monthly invoice; date invoice was mailed; signature of NPS/NPA administrator authorizing that the information is accurate and consistent with the ISA, CDE certificates and staff notification; verification that attendance report is attached as appropriate; indication of any made-up session consistent with this contract; verification that progress reports have been provided consistent with the ISA (monthly or quarterly unless specified otherwise on the ISA); and name or initials of each student for when the service was provided.

In the event services were not provided, rationale for why the services were not provided shall be included.

Such an invoice is subject to all conditions of this contract. At the discretion of the LEA, an electronic invoice may be required provided such notice has been made in writing and training provided to the CONTRACTOR at no additional charge for such training.

Invoices shall be submitted no later than thirty (30) days after the end of the attendance accounting period in which the services were rendered. LEA shall make payment to CONTRACTOR based on the number of billable days of attendance and hours of service at rates specified in this contract within forty-five (45) days of LEA's receipt of properly submitted hard copy of invoices prepared and submitted as specified in California Education Code Section 56366.5 and the LEA. CONTRACTOR shall correct deficiencies and submit rebilling invoices no later than thirty (30) calendar days after the invoice is returned by LEA. LEA shall pay properly submitted re-billing invoices no later than forty-five (45) days after the date a completely corrected re-billing invoice is received by LEA.

In no case shall initial payment claim submission for any Master Contract fiscal year (July through June) extend beyond December 31st after the close of the fiscal year. In no case shall any rebilling for the Master Contract fiscal year (July through June) extend beyond six (6) months after the close of the fiscal year unless approved by the LEA to resolve billing issues including re-billing issues directly related to a delay in obtaining information from the Commission on Teacher Credentialing regarding teacher qualification, but no later than twelve (12) months from the close of the fiscal year. If the billing or re-billing error is the responsibility of the LEA, then no limit is set provided that the LEA and CONTRACTOR have communicated such concerns in writing during the 12-month period following the close of the fiscal year. LEA will not pay mileage for NPA employee.

57. RIGHT TO WITHHOLD PAYMENT

LEA may withhold payment to CONTRACTOR when: (a) CONTRACTOR has failed to perform, in whole or in part, under the terms of this contract; (b) CONTRACTOR has billed for services rendered on days other than billable days of attendance or for days when student was not in attendance and/or did not receive services; (c) CONTRACTOR was overpaid by LEA as determined by inspection, review, and/or audit of its program, work, and/or records; (d) CONTRACTOR has failed to provide supporting documentation with an invoice, as required by EC 56366(c)(2); (e) education and/or related services are provided to students by personnel who are not appropriately credentialed, licensed, or otherwise qualified; (f) LEA has not received prior to school closure or contract termination, all documents concerning one or more students enrolled in CONTRACTOR's educational program; (g) CONTRACTOR fails to confirm a student's change of residence to another district or confirms the change of residence to another district, but fails to notify LEA within five (5) days of such confirmation; or (h) CONTRACTOR receives payment from Medi-Cal or from any other agency or funding source for a service provided to a student. It is understood that no payments shall be made for any invoices that are not received by six (6) months following the close of the prior fiscal year, for services provided in that year.

Final payment to CONTRACTOR in connection with the cessation of operations and/or termination of a Master Contract will be subject to the same documentation standards described for all payment claims for regular ongoing operations. In addition, final payment may be withheld by the LEA until completion of a review or audit, if deemed necessary by the LEA. Such review or audit will be completed within ninety

(90) days. The final payment may be adjusted to offset any previous payments to the CONTRACTOR determined to have been paid in error or in anticipation of correction of documentation deficiencies by the CONTRACTOR that remain uncorrected.

The amount which may be withheld by LEA with respect to each of the subparagraphs of the preceding paragraph are as follows: (a) the value of the service CONTRACTOR failed to perform; (b) the amount of overpayment; (c) the portion of the invoice for which satisfactory documentation has not been provided by CONTRACTOR; (d) the amount invoiced for services provided by the individual not appropriately credentialed, licensed, or otherwise qualified; (e) the proportionate amount of the invoice related to the applicable pupil for the time period from the date the violation occurred and until the violation is cured; or (f) the amount paid to CONTRACTOR by Medi-Cal or another agency or funding source for the service provided to the student.

If LEA determines that cause exists to withhold payment to CONTRACTOR, LEA shall, within ten (10) business days of this determination, provide to CONTRACTOR written notice that LEA is withholding payment. Such notice shall specify the basis or bases for LEA's withholding payment and the amount to be withheld. Within thirty (30) days from the date of receipt of such notice, CONTRACTOR shall take all necessary and appropriate action to correct the deficiencies that form the basis for LEA's withholding payment or submit a written request for extension of time to correct the deficiencies or submit to LEA written documentation demonstrating that the basis or bases cited by the LEA for withholding payment is unfounded. Upon receipt of CONTRACTOR's written request showing good cause, LEA shall extend CONTRACTOR's time to correct deficiencies (usually an additional thirty (30) days), otherwise payment will be denied.

If after subsequent request for payment has been denied and CONTRACTOR believes that payment should not be withheld, CONTRACTOR shall send written notice to LEA specifying the reason it believes payment should not be withheld. LEA shall respond to CONTRACTOR's notice within thirty (30) business days by indicating that a warrant for the amount of payment will be made or stating the reason LEA believes payment should not be made. If LEA fails to respond within thirty (30) business days or a dispute regarding the withholding of payment continues after the LEA's response to CONTRACTOR's notice, CONTRACTOR may invoke the following escalation policy.

After forty-five (45) business days: The CONTRACTOR may notify the Authorized LEA's Representative of the dispute in writing. The LEA Authorized Representative shall respond to the CONTRACTOR in writing within fifteen (15) business days.

After sixty (60) business days: The LEA or CONTRACTOR may appeal to the County Superintendent of Schools so long as the County Superintendent of Schools is not participating in the Local Plan involved in the NPS/A contract, or a mutually agreed upon mediator. Both parties agree to pay for their own costs and expenses arising out of such mediation. Each party agrees to act in good faith in participating in any mediation process agreed to by the parties.

58. PAYMENT FROM OUTSIDE AGENCIES

CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA when Medi-Cal or any other agency is billed for the costs associated with the provision of special education and/or related services to students. Upon request, CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA any and all documentation regarding reports, billing, and/or payment by Medi-Cal or any other agency for the costs associated with the provision of special education and/or related services to students. CONTRACTOR shall provide prior written notice of the rights and protections required by Title 34 of the Code of Federal Regulations section 300.154(d) whenever it seeks to use the LEA students' public benefits to pay for special education and related services. Such notice shall be provided before seeking payment from Medi-Cal for the first time and annually.

59. PAYMENT FOR ABSENCES

NONPUBLIC SCHOOL STAFF ABSENCE

Whenever a classroom teacher employed by CONTRACTOR is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide an appropriately credentialed substitute teacher in the absent teacher's classroom in accordance with California

Education Code section 56061. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA documentation of substitute coverage pursuant to the LEA Procedures. Substitute teachers shall remain with their assigned class during all instructional time. LEA will not pay for instruction and/or services unless said instruction or service is provided by an appropriately credentialed substitute teacher.

Whenever a related service provider is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide a qualified (as defined in Section 7 of this agreement and as determined by LEA) substitute. LEA will not pay for services unless a qualified substitute is provided and/or CONTRACTOR provides documentation evidencing the provision of "make-up" services by a qualified service provider within thirty (30) calendar days from the date on which the services should have been provided unless otherwise agreed in student's IEP.

NONPUBLIC SCHOOL STUDENT ABSENCE

If CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, no later than the tenth (10^{th}) cumulative day of a student's unexcused absence, CONTRACTOR shall notify the LEA of such absence.

Criteria for a billable day for payment purposes is one (1) day of attendance as defined in California Education Code, sections 46010, 46010.3 and 46307. LEA shall not pay for services provided on days that a student's attendance does not qualify for Average Daily Attendance (ADA) reimbursement under state law. *Per Diem* rates for students whose IEPs authorize less than a full instructional day may be adjusted on a pro rata basis in accordance with the actual proportion of the school day the student was served. LEA shall not be responsible for payment of related services for days on which a student's attendance does not qualify for Average Daily Attendance ("ADA") reimbursement under state law, nor shall student be eligible for make-up services.

NONPUBLIC AGENCY STAFF ABSENCE

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency and CONTRACTOR's service provider is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide a qualified (as defined in Section 7 of this agreement and as determined by LEA) substitute, unless LEA provides appropriate coverage in lieu of CONTRACTOR's service providers. LEA shall not pay for services unless a qualified substitute is provided and/or CONTRACTOR provides documentation evidencing the provision of "make-up" services by a qualified service provider within thirty (30) calendar days from the date on which the services should have been provided. CONTRACTOR shall not "bank" or "carry over" make up service hours under any circumstances, unless otherwise agreed to in writing by CONTRACTOR and LEA. In the event services were not provided, reasons for why the services were not provided shall be included.

NONPUBLIC AGENCY STUDENT ABSENCE

If CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency, it shall notify LEA of the absence of a student no later than the fifth (5^{th}) consecutive service day of the student's absence. LEA shall not be responsible for the payment of services when a student is absent.

60. LEA and/or NONPUBLIC SCHOOL CLOSURE DUE TO EMERGENCY

The following shall apply in the event of a LEA or NPS school closure due to an emergency consistent with guidelines followed by LEAs in accordance with Education Code sections 41422 and 46392:

a. If CONTRACTOR remains open, if allowed, during an emergency and serves students appropriately as delineated in the ISA, CONTRACTOR shall receive payment, regardless of whether a sending LEA is open or closed.

b. NPS School Closure- In the event of a NPS School Closure for the reasons set forth in Education Code section 41422, if the LEA is able to obtain alternative placement for the student, CONTRACTOR shall not receive payment for days the student is not in attendance due to CONTRACTOR'S school closure. If the LEA is unable to obtain an alternative placement, CONTRACTOR shall receive payment consistent with the student's approved ISA, as though the student were continuing his/her regular attendance, until an alternative placement can be found and implement LEA student IEP in accordance with Education Code section 56345(a)(9) pertaining to emergency conditions.

c. LEA and NPS School Closure- In the event of the LEA and NPS School Closures, on days the LEA is funded, CONTRACTOR shall receive payment consistent with the student's approved ISA, until an alternative placement can be found and implement LEA student IEP in accordance with Education Code section 56345(a)(9) pertaining to emergency conditions. If the LEA is able to obtain alternative placement for the student, CONTRACTOR shall not receive payment for days the student is not in attendance with CONTRACTOR due to CONTRACTOR'S school closure.

When the emergency school closure is lifted, CONTRACTOR shall notify the LEAs it serves of any lost instructional minutes. CONTRACTOR and LEAs shall work collaboratively to determine the need for make-up days or service changes, and shall work together to amend IEP and ISA paperwork as appropriate.

61. INSPECTION AND AUDIT

The CONTRACTOR shall maintain and the LEA shall have the right to examine and audit all of the books, records, documents, accounting procedures and practices and other evidence that reflect all costs claimed to have been incurred or fees claimed to have been earned under this Agreement.

CONTRACTOR shall provide access to LEA to all records including, but not limited to: student pupils as defined by California Education Code section 49061(b); registers and roll books of teachers; daily service logs and notes or other documents used to record the provision of related services; Medi-Cal/daily service logs and notes used to record provision of services provided by instructional assistants, behavior intervention aides, bus aides, and supervisors; absence verification records (parent/doctor notes, telephone logs, and related documents); bus rosters; staff lists specifying credentials held, business licenses held, documents evidencing other qualifications, , dates of hire, and dates of termination; staff time sheets; non-paid staff and volunteer sign-in sheets; transportation and other related service subcontracts; school calendars; bell/class schedules when applicable; liability and worker's compensation insurance policies; state NPS/A certifications; by-laws; lists of current board of directors/trustees, if incorporated; other documents evidencing financial expenditures; federal/state payroll quarterly reports Form 941/DE3DP; and bank statements and canceled checks or facsimile thereof. Such access shall include unannounced inspections by LEA. CONTRACTOR shall make available to LEA all budgetary information including operating budgets submitted by CONTRACTOR to LEA for the relevant contract period being audited.

CONTRACTOR shall make all records available at the office of LEA or CONTRACTOR's offices (to be specified by LEA) at all reasonable times and without charge. All records shall be provided to LEA within five (5) working days of a written request from LEA. CONTRACTOR shall, at no cost to LEA, provide assistance for such examination or audit. LEA's rights under this section shall also include access to CONTRACTOR's offices for purposes of interviewing CONTRACTOR's employees. If any document or evidence is stored in an electronic form, a hard copy shall be made available to the LEA, unless the LEA agrees to the use of the electronic format.

CONTRACTOR shall obtain from its subcontractors and suppliers written agreements to the requirements of this section and shall provide a copy of such agreements to LEA upon request by LEA.

If an inspection, review, or audit by LEA, a state agency, a federal agency, and/or an independent agency/firm determines that CONTRACTOR owes LEA monies as a result of CONTRACTOR's over billing or failure to perform, in whole or in part, any of its obligations under this Master Contract, LEA shall provide to CONTRACTOR written notice demanding payment from CONTRACTOR and specifying the basis or bases for such demand. Unless CONTRACTOR and LEA otherwise agree in writing, CONTRACTOR shall pay to LEA the full amount owed as a result of CONTRACTOR's over billing and/or failure to perform, in whole or in part, any of its obligations under this Master Contract, as determined by an inspection, review, or audit by LEA, a state agency, a federal agency, and/or an independent agency/firm. CONTRACTOR shall make such payment to LEA within thirty (30) days of receipt of LEA's written notice demanding payment.

62. RATE SCHEDULE

The attached rate schedule (Exhibit A) limits the number of students that may be enrolled and maximum dollar amount of the contract. It may also limit the maximum number of students that can be provided specific services. Per Diem rates for students whose IEPs authorize less than a full instructional day may be adjusted proportionally. In such cases only, the adjustments in basic education rate shall be based on the required minimum number of minutes per grade level as set forth in paragraph 23, above, and in California Education Code Section 46200-46208.

Special education and/or related services offered by CONTRACTOR shall be provided by qualified personnel as per State and Federal law, and the codes and charges for such educational and/or related services during the term of this contract, shall be as stated in Exhibit A.

63. DEBARMENT CERTIFICATION

By signing this agreement, the CONTRACTOR certifies that:

(a) The CONTRACTOR and any of its shareholders, partners, or executive officers are <u>not</u> presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, or declared ineligible for the award of contracts by any Federal agency, and

(b) Have not, within a three-year period preceding this contract, been convicted of or had a civil judgment rendered against them for: commission of fraud or a criminal offense in connection with obtaining, attempting to obtain, or performing a Federal, state or local government contract or subcontract; violation of Federal or state antitrust statutes relating to the submission of offers; or commission of embezzlement, theft, forgery, bribery, falsification or destruction of records, making false statements, tax evasion, or receiving stolen property; and are not presently indicted for, or otherwise criminally or civilly charged by a Government entity with, commission of any of these offenses.

The parties hereto have executed this Contract by and through their duly authorized agents or representatives. This contract is effective on the 1st day of July, 2025 and terminates at 5:00 P.M. on June 30, 2026, unless sooner terminated as provided herein.

CONTRACTOR	**LEA**
Ascend Rehab Services Inc **Nonpublic School/Agency**	**AIMS K12 College Prep Charter District** **LEA Name**
By: _____ **Signature** **Date**	**By:** _____ **Signature** **Date**
Swati Shah, Founder **Name and Title of Authorized Representative**	**Marco Menendez, Interim Executive Director** **Name and Title of Authorized Representative**

Notices to CONTRACTOR shall be addressed to:	**Notices to LEA shall be addressed to:**
Payal Hauptman, Director of Operations **Name and Title**	**Deborah Woods, Special Education Director** **Name and Title**
Ascend Rehab Services Inc **Nonpublic School/Agency/Related Service Provider**	**AIMS K12 College Prep Charter District** **LEA**
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Additional LEA Notification
(Required if completed)

Name and Title
Address
City **State** **Zip**
Phone **Fax**
Email

EXHIBIT A: 2025-2026 RATES

Ascend

Ascend is committed to delivering the highest quality Speech and Occupational services to all our California educational partners. Our extensive experience, expertise, tailored services, competitive reimbursement rates, and timely support have given us a competitive advantage over other Non-Public Agencies (NPAs) and companies.

Our Goal

We collaborate closely with the IEP team to help children fully access and engage in a curriculum tailored to their individual abilities and needs. Our services include comprehensive initial evaluations, tri-annual assessments, AAC assessments, and individual or group therapy sessions. Additionally, we strive to support aides, teachers, and school staff by offering regular staff training on various topics, all grounded in an educational framework.

Why Choose Ascend Over Other Agencies?

1. **Complimentary Seminars and Workshops**: Ascend provides free seminars, workshops, and Continuing Education Units (CEUs) for district staff, ensuring that your team is always at the forefront of best practices.

2. **Innovative Therapy Solutions**: We offer a distinctive approach with our classroom-based therapy, collaborative team teaching methods, and tailored Response to Intervention programs designed to meet diverse student needs.

3. **Comprehensive Resources**: Ascend equips our therapists with essential tools for success—assessment kits, therapy materials, laptops, and supplies—all at no cost, allowing them to focus on what truly matters: the students.

4. **Expert Guidance**: Our therapists benefit from the mentorship of highly experienced licensed supervisors and Clinical Directors, ensuring a high standard of care and support.

5. **Tailored Flexibility**: We understand that every district is unique. Our therapists and staff possess the flexibility and adaptability to meet specific service requirements, aiming for optimal educational outcomes for all students.

6. **Licensed and Approved Professionals**: Each team member is licensed and approved by the California Board, guaranteeing that your district receives the highest quality of professional therapy services.

Contract Options

- Full-time position or Part-time position
- Maternity leave coverage or long-term
- Bilingual Assessments
- AAC Assessment and consults
- ESY needs
- IEE Assessments

Choose Ascend as your partner in education! Together, we can create successful and fulfilling experiences for your students through our dedication and professionalism.

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School Rate (based on an 8-hour school day):

	Rate per hour	Partnership discounted rate
Speech Language Pathologist (In-person)	$106	BAC Approved rate - $115 Discounted by 8%
Virtual SLP	$99	BAC Approved rate - $115 Discounted by 14%
Occupational Therapist	$99	BAC Approved rate - $115 Discounted by 14%
Instructional Aide/Paraprofessional	$55 (NO change)	Continued at last year's discounted rate

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California Department of Education
Nonpublic Agency (NPA) Certification

Date: December 27, 2024

NPA: Ascend Rehab Services, Inc.
NPA Identification Code: 9900860
Site Administrator: Swati Shah
Mailing Address: 29516 Kohoutek Way
City: Union City State: California Zip Code: 94587

NPA Authorized to Provide Services at NPA Site: ☐ Yes
Site Address:
City: State: California Zip Code:

Grades: Prekindergarten to 12
Ages: 3 to 18 Student Gender: All

2025 Certification Status: Approved
Maximum Student Capacity: 76+
Effective Dates: January 01, 2025 through December 31, 2025

Certified related services must be provided according to Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations, Section 3051 et. seq.

☐ Amended

Certification is not an endorsement of the services offered by the nonpublic agency (NPA), but states only that the NPA meets minimum legal standards. "Approved" or "Conditional" certifications authorize the NPA to accept students placed by local educational agencies (LEAs) under California Education Code, Section 56366.

Authorized to Provide the Following Related Services:

☐ APE	☐ BII	☑ LSDR	☐ PCT	☐ SDTI	☐ VECD
☐ AS	☐ CG	☐ MT	☐ PS*	☐ SW	☐ LI:
☐ ATS	☐ EE	☐ OM	☐ PT	☐ TS	☐ Other:
☐ BID	☐ HNS	☑ OT	☐ RS	☐ VS	*Other than Assessment and IEP Development

Per California Education Code 56366.4(a)(5)(A), the superintendent may revoke or suspend the certification of a nonpublic, nonsectarian school or agency for any of the following reasons: Failure to notify the department in writing of any of the following within 45 days of the occurence: changes in credentialed, licensed, or registered staff who render special education and related services; ownership; management; or control of the nonpublic, nonsectarian school or agency.

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DATE (MM/DD/YYYY): 3/14/2025

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PRODUCER Heffernan Barbary Insurance Services LLC 436 14th St., Ste. 1511 Oakland CA 94612 License#: 6010360 ASCEREH-01	**CONTACT NAME:** Steven Haas **PHONE (A/C, No, Ext):** 415-788-4700 **FAX (A/C, No):** 415-788-4701 **E-MAIL ADDRESS:** steven@barbaryinsurance.com
INSURED Ascend Rehab Services 29516 Kohoutek Way Union City CA 94587-1221	**INSURER(S) AFFORDING COVERAGE** / **NAIC #** **INSURER A :** Philadelphia Indemnity Insurance Company / 18058 **INSURER B :** **INSURER C :** **INSURER D :** **INSURER E :** **INSURER F :**

COVERAGES **CERTIFICATE NUMBER:** 505227036 **REVISION NUMBER:**

THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT THE POLICIES OF INSURANCE LISTED BELOW HAVE BEEN ISSUED TO THE INSURED NAMED ABOVE FOR THE POLICY PERIOD INDICATED. NOTWITHSTANDING ANY REQUIREMENT, TERM OR CONDITION OF ANY CONTRACT OR OTHER DOCUMENT WITH RESPECT TO WHICH THIS CERTIFICATE MAY BE ISSUED OR MAY PERTAIN, THE INSURANCE AFFORDED BY THE POLICIES DESCRIBED HEREIN IS SUBJECT TO ALL THE TERMS, EXCLUSIONS AND CONDITIONS OF SUCH POLICIES. LIMITS SHOWN MAY HAVE BEEN REDUCED BY PAID CLAIMS.

INSR LTR	TYPE OF INSURANCE	ADDL INSD	SUBR WVD	POLICY NUMBER	POLICY EFF (MM/DD/YYYY)	POLICY EXP (MM/DD/YYYY)	LIMITS	
A	X **COMMERCIAL GENERAL LIABILITY** CLAIMS-MADE [X] OCCUR GEN'L AGGREGATE LIMIT APPLIES PER: POLICY [ ] PRO-JECT [X] LOC OTHER:	Y		PHPK2662014-008	3/4/2025	3/4/2026	EACH OCCURRENCE DAMAGE TO RENTED PREMISES (Ea occurrence) MED EXP (Any one person) PERSONAL & ADV INJURY GENERAL AGGREGATE PRODUCTS - COMP/OP AGG Sexual/PhysicalAbuse	$ 1,000,000 $ 100,000 $ 5,000 $ 1,000,000 $ 3,000,000 $ 3,000,000 $ 1,000,000
A	**AUTOMOBILE LIABILITY** ANY AUTO OWNED AUTOS ONLY [ ] SCHEDULED AUTOS [X] HIRED AUTOS ONLY [X] NON-OWNED AUTOS ONLY	Y		PHPK2662014-008	3/4/2025	3/4/2026	COMBINED SINGLE LIMIT (Ea accident) BODILY INJURY (Per person) BODILY INJURY (Per accident) PROPERTY DAMAGE (Per accident)	$ 1,000,000 $ $ $
A	X **UMBRELLA LIAB** [X] OCCUR **EXCESS LIAB** [ ] CLAIMS-MADE DED [X] RETENTION $ 10,000	Y		PHUB902849	3/4/2025	3/4/2026	EACH OCCURRENCE AGGREGATE	$ 1,000,000 $
	WORKERS COMPENSATION AND EMPLOYERS' LIABILITY Y / N ANYPROPRIETOR/PARTNER/EXECUTIVE OFFICER/MEMBER EXCLUDED? [ ] **(Mandatory in NH)** If yes, describe under DESCRIPTION OF OPERATIONS below	N / A					PER STATUTE [ ] OTH-ER E.L. EACH ACCIDENT E.L. DISEASE - EA EMPLOYEE E.L. DISEASE - POLICY LIMIT	$ $ $
A	Professional Liability	Y		PHPK2662014-008	3/4/2025	3/4/2026	Limit per Occurrence Aggregate Limit	1,000,000 3,000,000

DESCRIPTION OF OPERATIONS / LOCATIONS / VEHICLES (ACORD 101, Additional Remarks Schedule, may be attached if more space is required)

Locations: Loc 1 29516 Kohoutek Way, Union City, CA 94587-1221; Loc 2 1631 Industrial Pkwy W, Hayward, CA 94544-7046;
Loc 3 1249 Quarry Ln Ste 120, Pleasanton, CA 94566-8444; Loc 4 2516 Verne Roberts Cir, Antioch, CA 94509-7914;
Loc 5 1633 Industrial Pkwy W, Hayward, CA 94544-7046; Loc 6 1475 Moffat Blvd Ste 17, Manteca, CA 95336-8955:
Loc 7 3252 Constitution Dr, Livermore, CA 94551-7567
AIMS Charter School is listed as an additional insured per the attached endorsement.

CERTIFICATE HOLDER

AIMS Charter School
171 12th Street
Oakland CA 94604
US

CANCELLATION

SHOULD ANY OF THE ABOVE DESCRIBED POLICIES BE CANCELLED BEFORE THE EXPIRATION DATE THEREOF, NOTICE WILL BE DELIVERED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE POLICY PROVISIONS.

AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE

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PRIMARY AND NONCONTRIBUTORY – OTHER INSURANCE CONDITION

This endorsement modifies insurance provided under the following:

COMMERCIAL GENERAL LIABILITY COVERAGE PART
PRODUCTS/COMPLETED OPERATIONS LIABILITY COVERAGE PART

The following is added to the **Other Insurance** Condition and supersedes any provision to the contrary:

Primary And Noncontributory Insurance

This insurance is primary to and will not seek contribution from any other insurance available to an additional insured under your policy provided that:

(1) The additional insured is a Named Insured under such other insurance; and

(2) You have agreed in writing in a contract or agreement that this insurance would be primary and would not seek contribution from any other insurance available to the additional insured.

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ADDITIONAL INSURED – DESIGNATED PERSON OR ORGANIZATION

This endorsement modifies insurance provided under the following:

COMMERCIAL GENERAL LIABILITY COVERAGE PART

SCHEDULE

Name Of Additional Insured Person(s) Or Organization(s):
AIMS - Charter School
Information required to complete this Schedule, if not shown above, will be shown in the Declarations.

A. **Section II – Who Is An Insured** is amended to include as an additional insured the person(s) or organization(s) shown in the Schedule, but only with respect to liability for "bodily injury", "property damage" or "personal and advertising injury" caused, in whole or in part, by your acts or omissions or the acts or omissions of those acting on your behalf:

1. In the performance of your ongoing operations; or
2. In connection with your premises owned by or rented to you.

However:

1. The insurance afforded to such additional insured only applies to the extent permitted by law; and
2. If coverage provided to the additional insured is required by a contract or agreement, the insurance afforded to such additional insured will not be broader than that which you are required by the contract or agreement to provide for such additional insured.

B. With respect to the insurance afforded to these additional insureds, the following is added to **Section III – Limits Of Insurance:**

If coverage provided to the additional insured is required by a contract or agreement, the most we will pay on behalf of the additional insured is the amount of insurance:

1. Required by the contract or agreement; or
2. Available under the applicable Limits of Insurance shown in the Declarations;

whichever is less.

This endorsement shall not increase the applicable Limits of Insurance shown in the Declarations.

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Coversheet

Empowered Psychological Services

Section: V. Action Items
Item: P. Empowered Psychological Services
Purpose: Vote
Submitted by:
Related Material: Empowered Psychological Services 2025-26 Contract Board Packet.pdf

AIMS K-12 College Prep Charter District
Board Submission Cover Letter

Submitter Information

Full Name: Deborah Woods
Position/Title: Director
Department: Special Education
Date of Submission (MM/DD/YYYY): 08/26/2025

Item Details

Title of Item: Empowered Psyhcological Services
Is this item a: ☐ New Submission
☑ Renewal
If Renewal: Please summarize any changes from the previous submission:
Rate increase. +$200 each evaluation

Approvals

Has this item been reviewed by:

- ☐ Superintendent
- ☑ Chief Business Officer (CBO) (If budget changes)
- ☐ Director of Compliance (If plan changes)
- ☐ Neither

Committee Review

Has this item been through the appropriate committee review process?

☑ Yes ☐ No

If yes: Please specify which committee(s) and provide minutes or approval documentation:

If no: Explain why:

Deadline Information

Is there a submission deadline for this item?

☑ Yes ☐ No

If yes: Please indicate the deadline date (MM/DD/YYYY): August 26, 2025

Financial Information (if applicable):

Total Cost: $ 140,000

Is this expenditure included in the annual budget?

☑ Yes ☐ No

Please specify in which plan this expense is indicated:

☐ SPSA ☑ LCAP ☐ Other:

2025-2026 **CONTRACT NUMBER:**

LOCAL EDUCATION AGENCY: AIMS K12 College Prep Charter District

NONPUBLIC SCHOOL/AGENCY/RELATED SERVICES PROVIDER:

NONPUBLIC, NONSECTARIAN SCHOOL/AGENCY SERVICES MASTER CONTRACT

GENERAL PROVISIONS

1. MASTER CONTRACT

This Master Contract (or "Contract") is entered into on July 1, 2025, between **AIMS K12 College Prep Charter District**, hereinafter referred to as the local educational agency ("LEA"), a member of the **El Dorado Charter SELPA** and **Empowered Psychological Services** (nonpublic, nonsectarian school or agency), hereinafter referred to as NPS/A or "CONTRACTOR" for the purpose of providing special education and/or related services to students with exceptional needs under the authorization of California Education Code sections 56157, 56361 and 56365 *et seq*. and Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3000 *et seq*., AB 490 (Chapter 862, Statutes of 2003) and AB 1858 (Chapter 914, Statutes of 2004). It is understood that this agreement does not commit the LEA to pay for special education and/or related services provided to any student, or CONTRACTOR to provide such special education and/or related services, unless and until an authorized LEA representative approves the provision of special education and/or related services by CONTRACTOR.

Upon acceptance of a student, LEA shall submit to CONTRACTOR an Individual Service Agreement (hereinafter referred to as "ISA"). Unless otherwise agreed in writing, these forms shall acknowledge CONTRACTOR's obligation to provide all relevant services specified in the student's Individualized Education Program (hereinafter referred to as "IEP"). The ISA shall be executed within ninety (90) days of a student's enrollment. LEA and CONTRACTOR shall enter into an ISA for each student served by CONTRACTOR. As available and appropriate, the LEA shall make available access to any electronic IEP system and/or electronic database for the development of the ISA and invoices.

Unless placement and/or services is made pursuant to an Office of Administrative Hearings (hereinafter referred to as "OAH") order, a lawfully executed settlement agreement between LEA and parent or authorized by LEA for a transfer student pursuant to California Education Code section 56325, LEA is not responsible for the costs associated with NPS placement or NPS/A services until the date on which an IEP team meeting is convened, the IEP team determines that a NPS placement is appropriate, and the IEP is signed by the student's parent.

2. CERTIFICATION AND LICENSES

CONTRACTOR shall be certified by the California Department of Education (hereinafter referred to as "CDE") as a NPS/A. All NPS/A services shall be provided consistent with the area of certification and licensure specified by CDE Certification and as defined in California Education Code, section 56366 et seq and within the professional scope of practice of each provider's license, certification, and/or credential. A current copy of CONTRACTOR's NPS/A certification or a waiver of such certification issued by the CDE pursuant to Education Code section 56366.2 must be provided to LEA on or before the date this Agreement is executed by CONTRACTOR. This Master Contract shall be null and void if such certification or waiver is expired, revoked, rescinded, or otherwise nullified during the effective period of this Master Contract.

Total student enrollment shall be limited to capacity as stated on CDE certification and in Section 24 of the Master Contract.

In addition to meeting the certification requirements of the State of California, a CONTRACTOR that operates a program outside of this State shall be certified and all staff persons providing services to pupils shall be certified and/or licensed by that state to provide, respectively, special education and related services and designated instruction and related services to pupils under the federal Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. Sec. 1400 et seq.).

If CONTRACTOR is a licensed children's institution (hereinafter referred to as "LCI"), CONTRACTOR shall be licensed by the state, or other public agency having delegated authority by contract with the state to license, to provide nonmedical care room and board to children, including, but not limited to, individuals with exceptional needs. The LCI must also comply with all licensing requirements relevant to the protection of the child, and have a special permit, if necessary, to meet the needs of each child so placed. If the CONTRACTOR operates a program outside of this State, CONTRACTOR must obtain all required licenses from the appropriate licensing agency in both California and in the state where the LCI is located.

With respect to CONTRACTOR's certification, failure to notify the LEA and CDE in writing of any changes in: (1) credentialed/licensed staff; (2) ownership; (3) management and/or control of the agency; (4) major modification or relocation of facilities; or (5) significant modification of the program may result in the suspension or revocation of CDE certification and/or suspension or termination of this Master Contract by the LEA.

3. COMPLIANCE WITH LAWS, STATUTES, REGULATIONS

During the term of this Master Contract, unless otherwise agreed, CONTRACTOR shall comply with all applicable federal, state, and local statutes, laws, ordinances, rules, policies and regulations. CONTRACTOR shall also comply with all applicable LEA policies and procedures unless, taking into consideration all of the surrounding facts and circumstances, a policy or policies or a portion of a policy does not reasonably apply to CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR hereby acknowledges and agrees that it accepts all risks and responsibilities for its failure to comply with LEA policies and shall indemnify LEA under the provisions of Section 16 of this Agreement for all liability, loss, damage and expense (including reasonable attorneys' fees) resulting from or arising out of CONTRACTOR's failure to comply with applicable LEA policies (e.g., those policies relating to; the provision of special education and/or related services, facilities for individuals with exceptional needs, student enrollment and transfer, student inactive status, corporal punishment, student discipline, and positive behavior interventions).

CONTRACTOR acknowledges and understands that LEA may report to the CDE any violations of the provisions of this Master Contract; and that this may result in the suspension and/or revocation of CDE nonpublic school/agency certification pursuant to California Education Code section 56366.4(a).

4. TERM OF MASTER CONTRACT

The term of this Master Contract shall be from July 1, 2025 to June 30, 2026 (Title 5 California Code of Regulations section 3062(a)) unless otherwise stated. Neither the CONTRACTOR nor the LEA is required to renew this Master Contract in subsequent contract years. The parties acknowledge that any subsequent Master Contract is to be re-negotiated prior to June 30, 2025 (Title 5 California Code of Regulations section 3062(d)). In the event the contract negotiations are not agreed to by June 30th, the most recently executed Master Contract will remain in effect for 90 days (Education Code 56366(c)(1)). If, after 60 days the master contract or individual services agreement has not been finalized, as prescribed in paragraph (1) of subdivision (a), either party may appeal to the county superintendent of schools, if the county superintendent of schools is not participating in the local plan involved in the nonpublic, nonsectarian school or agency contract; or the Superintendent, if the county superintendent of schools is participating in the local plan involved in the contract, to negotiate the contract. Within 30 days of receipt of this appeal, the county superintendent of schools or the Superintendent, or the individual designee, shall mediate the formulation of a contract, which shall be binding upon both parties (Education Code 56366 (c) (2)). No Master Contract will be offered unless and until all of the contracting requirements have been satisfied. The offer of a Master Contract to a CONTRACTOR is at the sole discretion of the LEA.

The provisions of this Master Contract apply to CONTRACTOR and any of its employees or independent contractors. Notice of any change in CONTRACTOR's ownership or authorized representative shall be provided in writing to LEA within thirty (30) calendar days of change of ownership or change of authorized representative.

5. INTEGRATION/CONTINUANCE OF CONTRACT FOLLOWING EXPIRATION OR TERMINATION

This Master Contract includes each ISA and they are incorporated herein by this reference. This Master Contract supersedes any prior or contemporaneous written or oral understanding or agreement. This Master Contract may be amended only by written amendment executed by both parties.

CONTRACTOR shall provide the LEA with information as requested in writing to secure a Master Contract or a renewal.

At a minimum, such information shall include copies of current teacher credentials and clearance, insurance documentation and CDE certification. The LEA may require additional information as applicable. If the application packet is not completed and returned to District, no Master Contract will be issued. If CONTRACTOR does not return the Master Contract to LEA duly signed by an authorized representative within ninety (90) calendar days of issuance by LEA, the new contract rates will not take effect until the newly executed Master Contract is received by LEA and will not be retroactive to the first day of the new Master Contract's effective date. If CONTRACTOR fails to execute the new Master Contract within such ninety-day period, all payments shall cease until such time as the new Master Contract for the current school year is signed and returned to LEA by CONTRACTOR. (California Education Code section 56366(c)(1) and (2)). In the event that this Master Contract expires or terminates, CONTRACTOR shall continue to be bound to all of the terms and conditions of the most recent executed Master Contract between CONTRACTOR and LEA for so long as CONTRACTOR is servicing authorized students at the discretion of the LEA

6. INDIVIDUAL SERVICE AGREEMENT ("ISA")

This Agreement shall include an ISA developed for each student to whom CONTRACTOR is to provide special education and/or related services. An ISA shall only be issued for students enrolled with the approval of the LEA pursuant to Education Code section 56366 (a)(2)(A). An ISA may be effective for more than one contract year provided that there is a concurrent Master Contract in effect. In the event that this Master Contract expires or terminates, CONTRACTOR, shall continue to be bound to all of the terms and conditions of the most recent executed ISAs between CONTRACTOR and LEA for so long as CONTRACTOR is servicing authorized students.

Any and all changes to a student's educational placement/program provided under this Master Contract and/or an ISA shall be made solely on the basis of a revision to the student's IEP or by written agreement between the parent and LEA. At any time during the term of this Master Contract, a student's parent, CONTRACTOR, or LEA may request a review of a student's IEP subject to all procedural safeguards required by law.

Unless otherwise provided in this Master Contract, the CONTRACTOR shall provide all services specified in the IEP unless the CONTRACTOR and the LEA agree otherwise in the ISA. (California Education Code sections 56366(a) (5) and 3062(e)). In the event the CONTRACTOR is unable to provide a specific service at any time during the life of the ISA, the CONTRACTOR shall notify the LEA in writing within five (5) business days of the last date a service was provided. CONTRACTOR shall provide any and all subsequent compensatory service hours awarded to student as a result of lack of provision of services while student was served by the NPS/A.

If a parent or LEA contests the termination of an ISA by initiating a due process proceeding with the OAH, CONTRACTOR shall abide by the "stay-put" requirement of state and federal law unless the parent agrees otherwise or an Interim Alternative Educational Setting is deemed lawful and appropriate by LEA or OAH

consistent with Section 1415 (k)(1)(7) of Title 20 of the United States Code. CONTRACTOR shall adhere to all LEA requirements concerning changes in placement.

Disagreements between LEA and CONTRACTOR concerning the formulation of an ISA or the Master Contract may be appealed to the County Superintendent of Schools of the County where the LEA is located, or the State Superintendent of Public Instruction pursuant to the provisions of California Education Code section 56366(c) (2).

7. DEFINITIONS

The following definitions shall apply for purposes of this contract:

a. The term "CONTRACTOR" means a nonpublic, nonsectarian school/agency certified by the California Department of Education and its officers, agents, and employees.

b. The term "authorized LEA representative" means a LEA administrator designated to be responsible for NPS/A. It is understood, a representative of the Special Education Local Plan Area (SELPA) of which the LEA is a member is an authorized LEA representative in collaboration with the LEA. The LEA maintains sole responsibility for this Contract, unless otherwise specified in this Contract.

c. The term "credential" means a valid credential, life diploma, permit, or document in special education or pupil personnel services issued by, or under the jurisdiction of, the State Board of Education if issued prior to 1970 or the California Commission on Teacher Credentialing, which entitles the holder thereof to perform services for which certification qualifications are required as defined in Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3001(g).

d. The term "qualified" means that a person holds a certificate, permit or other document equivalent to that which staff in a public school are required to hold to provide special education and related services and has met federal and state certification, licensing, registration, or other comparable requirements which apply to the area in which the individual is providing special education or related services, including those requirements set forth in Title 34 of the Code of Federal Regulations sections 200.56 and 200.58, and those requirements set forth in Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations Sections 3064 and 3065, and adheres to the standards of professional practice established in federal and state law or regulation, including the standards contained in the California Business and Professions Code.

Nothing in this definition shall be construed as restricting the activities in services of a graduate needing direct hours leading to licensure, or of a student teacher or intern leading to a graduate degree at an accredited or approved college or university, as authorized by state laws or regulations. (Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations Section 3001 (r)).

e The term "license" means a valid non-expired document issued by a licensing agency within the Department of Consumer Affairs or other state licensing office authorized to grant licenses and authorizing the bearer of the document to provide certain professional services or refer to themselves using a specified professional title including but not limited to mental health and board and care services at a residential placement. If a license is not available through an appropriate state licensing agency, a certificate of registration with the appropriate professional organization at the national or state level which has standards established for the certificate that are equivalent to a license shall be deemed to be a license as defined in Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3001(l).

f. "Parent" means:

i. a biological or adoptive parent; unless the biological or adoptive parent does not have legal authority to make educational decisions for the child,

ii. a guardian generally authorized to act as the child's parent or authorized to make educational decisions for the child,

iii. an individual acting in the place of a biological or adoptive parent, including a grandparent, stepparent, or other relative with whom the child lives, or an individual who is legally responsible for the child's welfare,

iv. a surrogate parent,

v. a foster parent if the authority of the biological or adoptive parent to make educational decisions on the child's behalf has been specifically limited by court order in accordance with Code of Federal Regulations 300.30(b)(1) or (2).

vi. Parent does not include the state or any political subdivision of government or the NPS/A under contract with the LEA for the provision of special education or designated instruction and services for a child. (California Education Code section 56028).

g. The term "days" means calendar days unless otherwise specified.

h. The phrase "billable day" means a school day in which instructional minutes meet or exceed those in comparable LEA programs.

i. The phrase "billable day of attendance" means a school day as defined in California Education Code Section 46307, in which a student is in attendance and in which instructional minutes meet or exceed those in comparable LEA programs unless otherwise stipulated in an IEP or ISA.

j. It is understood that the term "Master Contract" also means "Contract" and is referred to as such in this document.

ADMINISTRATION OF CONTRACT

8. NOTICES

All notices provided for by this Contract shall be in writing. Notices shall be mailed, emailed, or delivered by hand and shall be effective as of the date of receipt by addressee.

All notices mailed or emailed to LEA shall be addressed to the person and address as indicated on the signature page of this Master Contract. Notices to CONTRACTOR shall be addressed as indicated on signature page of this Master Contract.

9. MAINTENANCE OF RECORDS

All records shall be maintained by CONTRACTOR as required by state and federal laws and regulations. Notwithstanding the foregoing sentence, CONTRACTOR shall maintain all records for at least five (5) years after the termination of this Master Contract. For purposes of this Master Contract, "records" shall include, but not be limited to student records as defined by California Education Code section 49061(b) including electronically stored information; registers and roll books of teachers and/or daily service providers; daily service logs and notes and other documents used to record the provision of related services including supervision; daily service logs and notes used to record the provision of services provided through additional instructional assistants, NPA behavior intervention aides, and bus aides; behavior emergency reports (BER); incident reports; notification of injuries; absence verification records (parent/doctor notes, telephone logs, and related documents) if the CONTRACTOR is funded for excused absences, however, such records are not required if positive attendance is required; bus rosters; staff lists specifying credentials

held and documents evidencing other staff qualifications, social security numbers, dates of hire, and dates of termination; records of employee training and certification, , including verification of behavior training consistent with 56366.1; staff time sheets; non-paid staff and volunteer sign-in sheets; transportation and other related services subcontracts; school calendars; bell/class schedules when applicable; liability and worker's compensation insurance policies; state NPS/A certifications; by-laws, if applicable; lists of current board of directors/trustees, if incorporated; statement of income and expenses; general journals; cash receipts and disbursement books; general ledgers and supporting documents; documents evidencing financial expenditures; federal/state payroll quarterly reports; evidence of electronic payments; and bank statements and canceled checks or facsimile thereof.

CONTRACTOR shall maintain student records in a secure location to ensure confidentiality and prevent unauthorized access. CONTRACTOR shall maintain a current list of the names and positions of CONTRACTOR's employees who have access to confidential records. CONTRACTOR shall maintain an access log for each student's record which lists all persons, agencies, or organizations requesting or receiving information from the record. Such log shall be maintained as required by California Education Code section 49064 and include the name, title, agency/organization affiliation, date/time of access for each individual requesting or receiving information from the student's record, and a description of the record(s) provided. Such log needs to record access to the student's records by: (a) the student's parent; (b) an individual to whom written consent has been executed by the student's parent; or (c) employees of LEA or CONTRACTOR having a legitimate educational interest in requesting or receiving information from the record. CONTRACTOR/LEA shall maintain copies of any written parental concerns granting access to student records. For purposes of this paragraph, "employees of LEA or CONTRACTOR" do not include subcontractors.

CONTRACTOR shall grant the following access to student records, (a) the student's parent; (b) employees of LEA or CONTRACTOR having a legitimate educational interest in requesting or receiving information from the record, and comply with parents' requests for copies of student records, as required by state and federal laws and regulations. CONTRACTOR agrees, in the event of school or agency closure, to forward student records within ten (10) business days to LEA. These shall include, but not limited to, current transcripts, IEP/IFSPs, BER's, incident reports, notification of injuries and all other relevant reports. LEA and/or SELPA shall have access to and receive copies of any and all records upon request within five (5) business days.

10. SEVERABILITY CLAUSE

If any provision of this agreement is held, in whole or in part, to be unenforceable for any reason, the remainder of that provision and of the entire agreement shall be severable and remain in effect.

11. SUCCESSORS IN INTEREST

This contract binds CONTRACTOR's successors and assignees. CONTRACTOR shall notify the LEA of any change of ownership or corporate control.

12. VENUE AND GOVERNING LAW

The laws of the State of California shall govern the terms and conditions of this contract with venue in the County where the LEA is located.

13. MODIFICATIONS AND AMENDMENTS REQUIRED TO CONFORM TO LEGAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE GUIDELINES

This Master Contract may be modified or amended by the LEA to conform to administrative and statutory guidelines issued by any state, federal or local governmental agency. The party seeking such modification shall provide the LEA and/or CONTRACTOR thirty (30) days' notice of any such changes or modifications made to conform to administrative or statutory guidelines and a copy of the statute or regulation upon which the modification or changes are based.

14. TERMINATION

This Master Contract or ISA may be terminated for cause. The cause shall not be the availability of a public class initiated during the period of the contract unless the parent agrees to the transfer of the student to the public school program at an IEP team meeting.

To terminate the contract either party shall give no less than twenty (20) days prior written notice (California Education Code section 56366(a)(4)). At the time of termination, CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA any and all documents CONTRACTOR is required to maintain under this Master Contract. ISAs are void upon termination of this Master Contract, as provided in Section 5 or 6. CONTRACTOR or LEA may terminate an ISA for cause. To terminate the ISA, either party shall give twenty (20) days prior written notice.

15. INSURANCE

CONTRACTOR shall, at CONTRACTOR'S sole cost and expense, maintain in full force and effect, during the term of this Contract, the following insurance coverage from a California licensed and/or admitted insurer with an A minus (A-), VII, or better rating from A.M. Best, sufficient to cover any claims, damages, liabilities, costs and expenses (including counsel fees) arising out of or in connection with CONTRACTOR's fulfillment of any of its obligations under this Agreement or either party's use of the work or any component or part thereof:

PART I - INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS FOR NONPUBLIC SCHOOLS AND AGENCIES

A. **Commercial General Liability Insurance**, including both bodily injury and property damage, with limits as follows:

$2,000,000 per occurrence
$ 500,000 fire damage
$ 5,000 medical expenses
$1,000,000 personal & adv. injury
$3,000,000 general aggregate
$2,000,000 products/completed operations aggregate

The policy may not contain an exclusion for coverage of claims arising from claims for sexual molestation or abuse. In the event that CONTRACTOR's policy should have an exclusion for sexual molestation or abuse claims, then CONTRACTOR shall be required to procure a supplemental policy providing such coverage.

B. **Workers' Compensation Insurance** in accordance with provisions of the California Labor Code adequate to protect the CONTRACTOR from claims that may arise from its operations pursuant to the Workers' Compensation Act (Statutory Coverage). The Workers' Compensation Insurance coverage must also include Employers Liability coverage with limits of $1,000,000/$1,000,000/$1,000,000.

C. **Commercial Auto Liability Insurance** for all owned, non-owned or hired automobiles with a $1 million combined single limit.

If no owned automobiles, then only hired and non-owned is required.

If CONTRACTOR uses a vehicle to travel to/from school sites, between schools and/or to/from students' homes or other locations as approved service locations by the LEA, CONTRACTOR must comply with State of California auto insurance requirements.

D. **Errors & Omissions (E & O)/Malpractice (Professional Liability) coverage**, including Sexual Molestation and Abuse coverage, unless that coverage is afforded elsewhere in the Commercial General Liability policy by

endorsement or separate policy**,** with the following limits:

$1,000,000 per occurrence
$2,000,000 general aggregate

E. CONTRACTOR, upon execution of this Contract and periodically thereafter upon request, shall furnish the LEA with certificates of insurance evidencing such coverage. The certificate of insurance shall include a ten (10) day non-renewal notice provision. The Commercial General Liability and Automobile Liability policy shall name the LEA and the Board of Education additional insured's premiums on all insurance policies and shall be paid by CONTRACTOR and shall be deemed included in CONTRACTOR's obligations under this contract at no additional charge.

F. Any deductibles or self-insured retentions above $100,000 must be declared to and approved by the LEA. At its option, LEA may require the CONTRACTOR, at the CONTRACTOR's sole cost, to: (a) cause its insurer to reduce to levels specified by the LEA or eliminate such deductibles or self-insured retentions with respect to the LEA, its officials and employees, or (b) procure a bond guaranteeing payment of losses and related investigation.

G. For any claims related to the services performed in connection with this Master Contract, the CONTRACTOR's insurance coverage shall be the primary insurance with respect to the LEA, its subsidiaries, officials and employees. Any insurance or self-insurance maintained by the LEA, its subsidiaries, officials and employees shall be excess of the CONTRACTOR's insurance and shall not contribute with it.

H. All Certificates of Insurance must reference the contract number, name of the school or agency submitting the certificate, and the location of the school or agency submitting the certificate on the certificate.

PART II - INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS FOR NONPUBLIC SCHOOLS AFFILIATED WITH A RESIDENTIAL TREATMENT FACILITY ("RTC")

When CONTRACTOR is an NPS affiliated with a **residential treatment center (NPS/RTC**), the following insurance policies are required:

A. **Commercial General Liability** including both bodily injury and property damage, with limits as follows:

$3,000,000 per occurrence
$6,000,000 in General Aggregate**.**

The policy shall be endorsed to name the LEA and the Board of Education as *named* additional insured and shall provide specifically that any insurance carried by the LEA which may be applicable to any claims or loss shall be deemed excess and the RTC's insurance primary despite any conflicting provisions in the RTC's policy. Coverage shall be maintained with no Self-Insured Retention above $100,000 without the prior written approval of the LEA.

B. **Workers' Compensation Insurance** in accordance with provisions of the California Labor Code adequate to protect the RTC from claims that may arise from its operations pursuant to the Workers' Compensation Act (Statutory Coverage). The Workers' Compensation Insurance coverage must also include Employers Liability coverage with limits of $1,000,000/$1,000,000/$1,000,000.

C. **Commercial Auto Liability** coverage with limits of $1,000,000 Combined Single Limit per Occurrence if the RTC does not operate a student bus service. If the RTC provides student bus services, the required coverage limit is $5,000,000 Combined Single Limit per Occurrence.

D. **Fidelity Bond** or **Crime Coverage** shall be maintained by the RTC to cover all employees who process or otherwise have responsibility for RTC funds, supplies, equipment or other assets. Minimum amount of coverage shall be $250,000 per occurrence, with no self-insured retention.

E. **Professional Liability/Errors & Omissions/Malpractice** coverage with minimum limits of $3,000,000 per occurrence and $6,000,000 general aggregate.

F. **Sexual Molestation and Abuse Coverage**, unless that coverage is afforded elsewhere in the Commercial General Liability or Professional liability policy by endorsement, with minimum limits of $3,000,000 per occurrence and $6,000,000 general aggregate.

If LEA or CONTRACTOR determines that a change in insurance coverage obligations under this section is necessary, either party may reopen negotiations to modify the insurance obligations.

16. INDEMNIFICATION AND HOLD HARMLESS

To the fullest extent allowed by law, CONTRACTOR shall indemnify and hold LEA and its Board Members, administrators, employees, agents, attorneys, volunteers, and subcontractors ("LEA Indemnities") harmless against all liability, loss, damage and expense (including reasonable attorneys' fees) resulting from or arising out of this Master Contract or its performance, to the extent that such loss, expense, damage or liability was proximately caused by negligence, intentional act, or willful act or omission of CONTRACTOR, including, without limitation, its agents, employees, subcontractors or anyone employed directly or indirectly by it (excluding LEA and LEA Indemnities). The duty and obligation to defend shall arise immediately upon tender of a claim or lawsuit to the CONTRACTOR. The LEA and the Member District(s) shall have the right in their sole discretion to select counsel of its choice to provide the defense at the sole cost of the CONTRACTOR or the applicable insurance carrier.

To the fullest extent allowed by law, LEA shall indemnify and hold CONTRACTOR and its Board Members, administrators, employees, agents, attorneys, and subcontractors ("CONTRACTOR Indemnities") harmless against all liability, loss, damage and expense (including reasonable attorneys' fees) resulting from or arising out of this Master Contract or its performance thereof, to the extent that such loss, expense, damage or liability was proximately caused by the negligent, intentional act or willful act or omission of LEA, including, without limitation, its agents, employees, subcontractors or anyone employed directly or indirectly by it (excluding CONTRACTOR and/or any CONTRACTOR Indemnities).

LEA represents that it is self-insured in compliance with the laws of the State of California, that the self-insurance covers LEA employees acting within the course and scope of their respective duties and that its self-insurance covers the LEA's indemnification obligations under this Master Contract.

17. INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR

Nothing herein contained will be construed to imply a joint venture, partnership or principal-agent relationship between the LEA and CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR shall provide all services under this Contract as an independent contractor, and neither party shall have the authority to bind or make any commitment on behalf of the other. Nothing contained in this Contract shall be deemed to create any association, partnership, joint venture or relationship of principal and agent, master and servant, or employer and employee between the parties or any affiliates of the parties, or between the LEA and any individual assigned by CONTRACTOR to perform any services for the LEA.

If the LEA is determined to be a partner, joint venture, co-principal, employer or co-employer of CONTRACTOR, CONTRACTOR shall indemnify and hold harmless the LEA from and against any and all claims for loss, liability, or damages arising from that determination, as well as any expenses, costs, taxes, penalties and interest charges incurred by the LEA as a result of that holding.

18. SUBCONTRACTING

CONTRACTOR shall provide written notification to LEA before subcontracting for special education and/or related services pursuant to this Master Contract. In the event LEA determines that it can provide the subcontracted service(s) at a lower rate, LEA may elect to provide such service(s). If LEA elects to provide such service(s), LEA shall provide written notification to CONTRACTOR within five (5) days of receipt of CONTRACTOR's original notice and CONTRACTOR shall not subcontract for said service(s).

CONTRACTOR shall incorporate all of the provisions of this Master Contract in all subcontracts, to the fullest extent reasonably possible. Furthermore, when CONTRACTOR enters into subcontracts for the provision of special education and/or related services (including, but not limited to, transportation) for any student, CONTRACTOR shall cause each subcontractor to procure and maintain insurance during the term of each subcontract. Such subcontractor's insurance shall comply with the provisions of Section 15. Each subcontractor shall furnish the LEA with original endorsements and certificates of insurance effecting coverage required by Section 15. The endorsements are to be signed by a person authorized by that insurer to bind coverage on its behalf. The endorsements are to be on forms as required by the LEA. All endorsements are to be received and approved by the LEA before the subcontractor's work commences. The Commercial General Liability and Automobile Liability policies shall name the LEA/SELPA and the LEA Board of Education as additional insured.

As an alternative to the LEA's forms, a subcontractor's insurer may provide complete, certified copies of all required insurance policies, including endorsements affecting the coverage required by this Master Contract. All Certificates of Insurance must reference the LEA contract number, name of the school or agency submitting the certificate, indication if NPS or NPA, and the location of the school or agency submitting the certificate. In addition, all subcontractors must meet the requirements as contained in Section 44 Clearance Requirements and Section 45 Staff Qualifications of this Master Contract.

19. CONFLICTS OF INTEREST

CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA upon request a copy of its current bylaws and a current list of its Board of Directors (or Trustees), if it is incorporated. CONTRACTOR and any member of its Board of Directors (or Trustees) shall disclose any relationship with LEA that constitutes or may constitute a conflict of interest pursuant to California Education Code section 56042 and Government Code Section 1090 including, but not limited to, employment with LEA, provision of private party assessments and/or reports, and attendance at IEP team meetings acting as a student's advocate. Pursuant to California Education code section 56042, an attorney or advocate for a parent of an individual with exceptional needs shall not recommend placement at CONTRACTOR's facility if the attorney or advocate is employed or contracted by the CONTRACTOR, or will receive a benefit from the CONTRACTOR, or otherwise has a conflict of interest.

The LEA shall neither execute an ISA with CONTRACTOR nor amend an existing ISA for a student when a recommendation for special education and/or related services is based in whole or in part on assessment(s) or reports provided by CONTRACTOR to the student without prior written authorization by LEA. This paragraph shall apply to CONTRACTOR regardless of when an assessment is performed or a report is prepared (i.e., before or after the student is enrolled in CONTRACTOR's school/agency) or whether an assessment of the student is performed or a report is prepared in the normal course of the services provided to the student by CONTRACTOR. To avoid conflict of interest, and in order to ensure the appropriateness of an Independent Educational Evaluation (hereinafter referred to as "IEE") and its recommendations, the LEA may not fund an IEE by an evaluator who provides ongoing service(s) or is sought to provide service(s) to the student for whom the IEE is requested. Likewise, the LEA may not fund services through the evaluator whose IEE the LEA agrees to fund. When no other appropriate assessor is available, LEA may request and if CONTRACTOR agrees, the CONTRACTOR may provide an IEE.

CONTRACTOR shall not admit a student living within the jurisdictional boundaries of the LEA on a private pay or tuition free "scholarship" basis and concurrently or subsequently advise/request parent(s) to pursue funding for the admitted school year from the LEA through due process proceedings.

20. NON-DISCRIMINATION

CONTRACTOR shall not, in employment or operation of its programs, unlawfully discriminate on the basis of gender, nationality, national origin, ancestry, race, color, ethnicity, ethnic group affiliation, religion, age, marital status, pregnancy or parental status, sex, sexual orientation, gender, gender identity or expression, physical or mental disability, genetic information or any other classification protected by federal or state law or the perception of one or more of such characteristics or association with a person or group with one or more of these actual or perceived characteristics.

EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM

21. FREE AND APPROPRIATE PUBLIC EDUCATION (FAPE)

The LEA shall provide CONTRACTOR with a copy of the IEP including the Individualized Transition Plan (hereinafter referred to as "ITP") of each student served by CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR shall provide special education and/or related services (including transition services) to each student within the NPS/A consistent with the student's IEP and as specified in the ISA. If CONTRACTOR is a NPS, CONTRACTOR shall not accept a student if it cannot provide or ensure the provision of the services outlined in the student's IEP. If student services are provided by a third party (i.e. Related Services Provider), CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA if provision of services cease.

Unless otherwise agreed to between CONTRACTOR and LEA, CONTRACTOR shall be responsible for the provision of all appropriate supplies, equipment, and/or facilities, as specified in the student's IEP and ISA. CONTRACTOR shall make no charge of any kind to parents for special education and/or related services as specified in the student's IEP and ISA (including, but not limited to, screenings, assessments, or interviews that occur prior to or as a condition of the student's enrollment under the terms of this Master Contract). LEA shall provide low incidence equipment for eligible students with low incidence disabilities when specified in the student's IEP and ISA. Such equipment remains the property of the SELPA/LEA and shall be returned to the SELPA/LEA when the IEP team determines the equipment is no longer needed or when the student is no longer enrolled in the NPS. CONTRACTOR shall ensure that facilities are adequate to provide LEA students with an environment which meets all pertinent health and safety regulations. CONTRACTOR may charge a student's parent(s) for services and/or activities not necessary for the student to receive a free appropriate public education after: (a) written notification to the student's parent(s) of the cost and voluntary nature of the services and/or activities; and (b) receipt by the LEA of the written notification and a written acknowledgment signed by the student's parent(s) of the cost and voluntary nature of the services and/or activities. CONTRACTOR shall adhere to all LEA requirements concerning parent acknowledgment of financial responsibility.

Voluntary services and/or activities not necessary for the student to receive a free appropriate public education shall not interfere with the student's receipt of special education and/or related services as specified in the student's IEP and ISA unless the LEA, CONTRACTOR, and PARENT agree otherwise in writing.

22. GENERAL PROGRAM OF INSTRUCTION

All NPS/A services shall be provided consistent with the area of certification specified by CDE Certification and as defined in California Education Code section 56366 et seq...

When CONTRACTOR is a NPS, CONTRACTOR's general program of instruction shall: (a) utilize evidence-based practices and be consistent with LEA's standards regarding the particular course of study and curriculum; (b) include curriculum that addresses mathematics, literacy and the use of educational, assistive technology and transition services; (c) be consistent with CDE's standards regarding the particular course of study and curriculum; (d) provide the services as specified in the student's IEP and ISA. Students shall have access to: (a) State Board of Education (SBE) - adopted Common Core State Standards ("CCSS") for curriculum and the same instructional materials for kindergarten and grades 1 to 8, inclusive; and provide standards – aligned core curriculum and instructional materials for grades 9 to 12, inclusive, used by an LEA, that contracts with the NPS: (b) college preparation courses; (c) extracurricular activities, such as art, sports, music and academic clubs; (d) career preparation and vocational training, consistent with transition plans pursuant to state and federal law and; (e) supplemental assistance, including individual academic tutoring, psychological counseling, and career and college counseling.

When CONTRACTOR serves students in grades 9 through 12 inclusive, LEA shall provide to CONTRACTOR a specific list of the course requirements to be satisfied by the CONTRACTOR leading toward graduation or completion of LEA's diploma requirements. CONTRACTOR shall not award a high school diploma to students who have not successfully completed all of the LEA's graduation requirements.

When CONTRACTOR is a NPA and/or related services provider, CONTRACTOR's general program of instruction and/or services shall utilize evidence-based practices and be consistent with LEA and CDE guidelines and certification, and provided as specified in the student's IEP and ISA. The NPA providing Behavior Intervention services shall develop a written plan that specifies the nature of their NPA service for each student within thirty (30) days of enrollment and shall be provided in writing to the LEA. School-based services may not be unilaterally converted by CONTRACTOR to a substitute program or provided at a location not specifically authorized by the IEP team. Except for services provided by a CONTRACTOR that is a Licensed Children's Institution (LCI), all services not provided in the school setting require the presence of a parent, guardian or adult caregiver during the delivery of services, provided such guardian or caregiver have a signed authorization by the parent or legal guardian to authorize emergency services as requested. LCI CONTRACTORS shall ensure that appropriate and qualified residential or clinical staff is present during the provision of services under this Master Contract. CONTRACTOR shall immediately notify LEA in writing if no parent, guardian or adult caregiver is present. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA a written description of the services and location provided prior to the effective date of this Master Contract. CONTRACTORS providing Behavior Intervention services must have a trained behaviorist or trained equivalent on staff. It is understood that Behavior Intervention services are limited per CDE Certification and do not constitute as an instructional program.

When CONTRACTOR is a NPA, CONTRACTOR shall not provide transportation nor subcontract for transportation services for students unless the LEA and CONTRACTOR agree otherwise in writing.

23. INSTRUCTIONAL MINUTES

When CONTRACTOR is a NPS, the total number of instructional minutes per school day provided by CONTRACTOR shall be at least equivalent to the number of instructional minutes per school day provided to students at like grade level attending LEA schools and shall be specified in the student's ISA developed in accordance with the student's IEP.

For students in grades kindergarten through 12 inclusive, unless otherwise specified in the student's IEP and ISA, the number of instructional minutes, excluding breakfast, recess, lunch and passing time shall be at the same level that Ed. Code prescribes for the LEA.

The total number of annual instructional minutes shall be at least equivalent to the total number of annual instructional minutes provided to students attending LEA schools in like grade level unless otherwise specified in the student's IEP.

When CONTRACTOR is a NPA and/or related services provider, the total number of minutes per school day provided by CONTRACTOR shall be specified in the student's ISA developed in accordance with the student's IEP.

24. CLASS SIZE

When CONTRACTOR is a NPS, CONTRACTOR shall ensure that class size shall not exceed a ratio of one teacher per twelve (12) students, unless CONTRACTOR and LEA agree otherwise in writing. Upon prior written approval by an authorized LEA representative, class size may be temporarily increased by a ratio of 1 teacher to fourteen (14) students when necessary, during the regular or extended school year to provide services to students with disabilities.

In the event a NPS is unable to fill a vacant teaching position responsible for direct instruction to students, and the vacancy has direct impact on the CDE Certification of that school, the NPS shall develop a plan to ensure appropriate coverage of students by first utilizing existing certificated staff. The NPS and the LEA may agree to one 30 school day period per contract year where class size may be increased to ensure

coverage by an appropriately credentialed teacher. Such an agreement shall be in writing and signed by both parties. This provision does not apply to a NPA.

CONTRACTOR providing special education instruction for individuals with exceptional needs between the ages of three and five years, inclusive, shall also comply with the appropriate instructional adult to child ratios pursuant to California Education Code sections 56440 et seq.

25. CALENDARS

When CONTRACTOR is an NPS, CONTRACTOR shall submit to the LEA/SELPA a school calendar with the total number of billable days not to exceed 180 days, plus extended school year billable days equivalent to the number of days determined by the LEA's extended school year calendar. Billable days shall include only those days that are included on the submitted and approved school calendar, and/or required by the IEP (developed by the LEA) for each student. CONTRACTOR shall not be allowed to change its school calendar and/or amend the number of billable days without the prior written approval of the LEA. Nothing in this Master Contract shall be interpreted to require the LEA to accept any requests for calendar changes.

Unless otherwise specified by the student's IEP, educational services shall occur at the school site. A student shall only be eligible for extended school year services as determined by the IEP team and the provision of such is specifically included in the ISA. Extended school year shall consist of twenty (20) instructional days, unless otherwise agreed upon by the IEP team convened by the LEA. Any days of extended school year in excess of twenty (20) billable days must be mutually agreed to, in writing, prior to the start of the extended school year.

Student must have actually been in attendance during the regular school year and/or during extended school year and received services on a billable day of attendance in order for CONTRACTOR to be eligible for payment. It is specifically understood that services may not be provided on weekends/holidays and other times when school is not in session, unless agreed to by the LEA, in writing, in advance of the delivery of any NPS service. Any instructional days provided without this written agreement shall be at the sole financial responsibility of the CONTRACTOR.

CONTRACTOR shall observe the same legal holidays as LEA. Those holidays are Labor Day, Veteran's Day, Thanksgiving Day, Christmas Day, New Year's Day, Martin Luther King Jr. Day, President's Day, Memorial Day, Juneteenth, and Independence Day. With the approval of LEA, CONTRACTOR may revise the date upon which CONTRACTOR closes in observance of any of the holidays observed by the LEA.

When CONTRACTOR is a NPA, CONTRACTOR shall be provided with a LEA-developed/approved calendar prior to the initiation of services. CONTRACTOR herein agrees to observe holidays as specified in the LEA-developed/approved calendar. CONTRACTOR shall provide services pursuant to the LEA-developed/approved calendar; or as specified in the LEA student's IEP and ISA. Unless otherwise specified in the LEA student's ISA, CONTRACTOR shall provide related services to LEA students on only those days that the LEA student's school of attendance is in session and the LEA student attends school. CONTRACTOR shall bill only for services provided on billable days of attendance as indicated on the LEA calendar unless CONTRACTOR and the LEA agree otherwise, in writing. Student must have actually been in attendance and/or received services on a billable day of attendance in order for CONTRACTOR to be eligible for payment. It is specifically understood that services may not be provided on weekends/holidays and other times when school is not in session, unless agreed to by the LEA, in writing, in advance of the delivery of any NPA service provided by CONTRACTOR. Any instructional days provided without this written agreement shall be at the sole financial responsibility of the CONTRACTOR.

26. DATA REPORTING

CONTRACTOR shall agree to provide to the LEA all data related to student information and billing information with LEA. CONTRACTOR shall agree to provide data related to all sections of this contract, including student discipline as noted below, and requested by and in the format required by the LEA. It is understood that all NPS/A shall utilize the LEA approved electronic IEP system for all IEP development, service tracking documentation, and progress reporting, unless otherwise agreed to by the LEA. Additional

progress reporting may be required by the LEA. The LEA shall provide the CONTRACTOR with appropriate software, user training and proper internet permissions to allow adequate access.

Using forms developed by the CDE or as otherwise mutually agreed upon by CONTRACTOR and LEA, CONTRACTOR shall provide LEA, on a monthly basis, a written report of all incidents in which a statutory offense is committed by any LEA student, regardless if it results in a disciplinary action of suspension or expulsion. This includes all statutory offenses as described in Education Code sections 48900 and 48915. CONTRACTOR shall also include incidents resulting in the use of a behavioral restraint and/or seclusion even if they were not a result of a violation of Education Code sections 48900 and 48915.

The LEA shall provide the CONTRACTOR with approved forms and/or format for such data including, but not limited to, invoicing, attendance reports and progress reports. The LEA may approve use of CONTRACTOR'S provided forms at their discretion.

27. LEAST RESTRICTIVE ENVIRONMENT/DUAL ENROLLMENT

CONTRACTOR and LEA shall follow all LEA policies and procedures that support Least Restrictive Environment ("LRE") options and/or dual enrollment options if available and appropriate, for students to have access to the general curriculum and to be educated with their nondisabled peers to the maximum extent appropriate.

CONTRACTOR and LEA shall ensure that LRE placement options are addressed at all IEP team meetings regarding students for whom ISAs have been or may be executed. This shall include IEP team consideration of supplementary aids and services, goals and objectives necessary for placement in the LRE and necessary to enable students to transition to less restrictive settings.

When an IEP team has determined that a student should be transitioned into the public school setting, CONTRACTOR shall assist the LEA in implementing the IEP team's recommended activities to support the transition.

28. STATEWIDE ACHIEVEMENT TESTING

When CONTRACTOR is a NPS, per implementation of Senate Bill 484, CONTRACTOR shall administer all statewide assessments within the California Assessment of Student Performance and Progress ("CAASPP"), Desired Results Developmental Profile ("DRDP"), California Alternative Assessment ("CAA"), achievement and abilities tests (using LEA-authorized assessment instruments), the Fitness Gram, , the English Language Proficiency Assessments for California ("ELPAC"), the Alternative English Language Proficiency Assessments for California ("Alternative ELPAC"), and as appropriate to the student, and mandated by LEA pursuant to LEA and state and federal guidelines.

CONTRACTOR is subject to the alternative accountability system developed pursuant to Education Code section 52052, in the same manner as public schools. Each LEA student placed with CONTRACTOR by the LEA shall be tested by qualified staff of CONTRACTOR in accordance with that accountability program. LEA shall provide test administration training to CONTRACTOR'S qualified staff. CONTRACTOR shall attend LEA test training and comply with completion of all coding requirements as required by LEA.

29. MANDATED ATTENDANCE AT LEA MEETINGS

CONTRACTOR shall attend District mandated meetings when legal mandates, and/or LEA policy and procedures are reviewed, including but not limited to the areas of: curriculum, high school graduation, standards-based instruction, behavior intervention, cultural and linguistic needs of students with disabilities, dual enrollment responsibilities, LRE responsibilities, transition services, data collection, and standardized testing and IEPs. LEA shall provide CONTRACTOR with reasonable notice of mandated meetings. Attendance at such meetings does not constitute a billable service hour(s).

30. POSITIVE BEHAVIOR INTERVENTIONS AND SUPPORTS

CONTRACTOR shall comply with the requirements of Education Code section 49005, et seq., 56521.1 and 56521.2. LEA students who exhibit behaviors that interfere with their learning or the learning of others must receive timely and appropriate assessments and positive supports and interventions in accordance with the federal law and it's implementing regulations. If the IEP team determines that a student's behavior impedes the individual learning or the learning of others, the IEP team is required to consider the use of positive behavioral interventions and supports, and other strategies, to address that behavior, consistent with Section 1414(d)(3)(B)(i) and (d)(4) of Title 20 of the United States Code and associated federal regulations. This could mean that instead of developing a Behavior Intervention Plan ("BIP"), the IEP team may conclude it is sufficient to address the student's behavioral problems through the development of behavioral goals and behavioral interventions to support those goals.

CONTRACTOR shall maintain a written policy pursuant to California Education Code section 56521.1 regarding emergency interventions and behavioral emergency reports. CONTRACTOR shall ensure that all of its staff members are trained in crisis intervention, emergency procedures, and evidenced-based practices and interventions specific to the unique behavioral needs of the CONTRACTOR's pupil population. The training shall be provided within 30 days of employment to new staff who have any contact or interaction with pupils during the school day, and annually to all staff who have any contact or interaction with pupils during the school day. The CONTRACTOR shall select and conduct the training in accordance with California Education Code section 56366.1. CONTRACTOR shall maintain written records of the training and provide written verification of the training annually and upon request.

Pursuant to Education Code section 56521.1, emergency interventions shall not be used as a substitute for a BIP, and shall not be employed longer than necessary to contain the behavior. Emergency interventions may only be used to control unpredictable, spontaneous behavior that poses clear and present danger of serious physical harm to the individual with exceptional needs, or others, and that cannot be immediately prevented by a response less restrictive than the temporary application of a technique used to contain the behavior. If a situation requires prolonged use of emergency intervention, staff must seek assistance from the school site administrator or a law enforcement agency.

CONTRACTOR shall complete a behavior emergency report when an emergency occurs that is defined as a serious, dangerous behavior that staff has determined to present a clear and present danger to others. It requires a non-violent physical intervention to protect the safety of student, self, or others and a physical intervention has been used; or a physical intervention has not been used, but an injury or serious property damage has occurred. Personal Safety Techniques may or may not have been used. Emergencies require a behavior emergency report form be completed and submitted to the LEA within twenty-four (24) hours for administrative action. CONTRACTOR shall notify Parent within twenty-four (24) hours via telephone. If the student's IEP does not contain a BIP, an IEP team shall schedule a meeting to review the behavior emergency report, determine if there is a necessity for a functional behavioral assessment, and to determine an interim plan. If the student already has a BIP, the IEP team shall review and modify the BIP if a new serious behavior has been exhibited or existing behavioral interventions have proven to be ineffective. CONTRACTOR shall schedule with LEA an IEP meeting within two (2) days.

Pursuant to Education Code section 56521.2, CONTRACTOR shall not authorize, order, consent to, or pay for the following interventions, or any other interventions similar to or like the following:

1. any intervention that is designed to, or likely to, cause physical pain, including, but not limited to, electric-shock;
2. an intervention that involves the release of noxious, toxic, or otherwise unpleasant sprays, mists, or substances in proximity to the face of the individual;
3. an intervention that denies adequate sleep, food, water, shelter, bedding, physical comfort, or access to bathroom facilities;
4. an intervention that is designed to subject, used to subject, or likely to subject, the individual to verbal abuse, ridicule, or humiliation, or that can be expected to cause excessive emotional trauma; restrictive interventions that employ a device, material, or objects that simultaneously immobilize all four extremities,
5. Prone restraint;

6. locked seclusion, unless it is in a facility otherwise licensed or permitted by state law to use a locked room;
7. an intervention that precludes adequate supervision of the individual;
8. an intervention that deprives the individual of one or more of the individual's senses.

CONTRACTOR shall comply with Education Code sections 49005.8, 56521.1 and 56521.2. Specifically, Contractor shall not do any of the following:

1. Use seclusion or a behavioral restraint for the purpose of coercion, discipline, convenience, or retaliation.
2. Use locked seclusion, unless it is in a facility otherwise licensed or permitted by state law to use a locked room.
3. Use a physical restraint technique that obstructs a pupil's respiratory airway or impairs the pupil's breathing or respiratory capacity, including techniques in which a staff member places pressure on a pupil's back or places the individual's body weight against the pupil's torso or back.
4. Use a behavioral restraint technique that restricts breathing, including, but not limited to, using a pillow, blanket, carpet, mat, or other item to cover a pupil's face.
5. Place a pupil in a facedown position with the pupil's hands held or restrained behind the pupil's back
6. Use prone containment.
7. Use a behavioral restraint for longer than is necessary to contain the behavior that poses a clear and present danger of serious physical harm to the pupil or others.

CONTRACTOR shall keep constant, direct observation of a pupil who is in seclusion, which may be through observation of the pupil through a window, or another barrier, through which the educational provider is able to make direct eye contact with the pupil. This observation shall not be through indirect means, including through a security camera or a closed-circuit television.

CONTRACTOR shall afford pupils who are restrained the least restrictive alternative and the maximum freedom of movement, and shall use the least number of restraint points, while ensuring the physical safety of the pupil and others.

In the case of a child whose behavior impedes the child's learning or that of others, the IEP team shall consider the use of positive behavioral interventions and supports, and other strategies, to address that behavior, consistent with Section 1414(d)(3)(B)(i) and (d)(4) of Title 20 of the United States Code and associated federal regulations.

All restraint practices must be reviewed and revised when they have an adverse effect on a student and are used repeatedly for an individual child, either on multiple occasions within the same classroom or multiple uses by the same individual. CONTRACTOR shall notify the student's parent/guardian when any type of physical or mechanical restraint or seclusion has been used. Upon the use of any type of physical or mechanical restraint or seclusions of an LEA student, CONTRACTOR shall complete a BER per the reporting and notification requirements listed above.

31. STUDENT DISCIPLINE

CONTRACTOR shall maintain and abide by a written policy for student discipline that is consistent with state and federal law and regulations. Using forms developed by the California Department of Education or as otherwise mutually agreed upon by CONTRACTOR and LEA, CONTRACTOR shall provide LEA, on a monthly basis, a written report of all incidents in which a statutory offense is committed by any LEA student, regardless if it results in a disciplinary action of suspension or expulsion. This includes all statutory offenses as described in Education Codes 48900 and 48915.CONTRACTOR shall also include incidents resulting in the use of a behavioral restraint and/or seclusion even if they were not a result of a violation of Education Code Sections 48900 and 48915.

When CONTRACTOR seeks to remove a student from his/her current educational placement for disciplinary reasons, CONTRACTOR shall immediately submit a written discipline report to the LEA. Written discipline reports shall include, but not be limited to: the student's name; the time, date, and description of the misconduct; the disciplinary action taken by CONTRACTOR; and the rationale for such

disciplinary action. A copy of the student's behavior plan, if any, shall be submitted with the written discipline report. CONTRACTOR and LEA agree to participate in a manifestation determination at an IEP meeting no later than the tenth (10^{th}) day of suspension

32. IEP TEAM MEETINGS

An IEP team meeting shall be convened at least annually to evaluate: (1) the educational progress of each student placed with CONTRACTOR, including all state assessment results pursuant to the requirements of Education Code section 52052; (2) whether or not the needs of the student continue to be best met at the NPS; and (3) whether changes to the student's IEP are necessary, including whether the student may be transitioned to a public school setting. (California Education Code sections 56366 (a) (2) (B) (i) and (ii)) and pursuant to California Education Code section 56345 (b) (4).)

If the LEA student is to be transferred from a NPS setting into a regular class setting in a public school for any part of the school day, the IEP team shall document a description of activities provided to integrate the student into the regular education program, including the nature of each activity as well as the time spent on the activity each day or week and a description of the activities provided to support the transition of the student from the special education program into the regular education program. Each student shall be allowed to provide confidential input to any representative of the individual IEP team. Except as otherwise provided in the Master Contract, CONTRACTOR and LEA shall participate in all IEP team meetings regarding students for whom ISAs have been or may be executed. At any time during the term of this Master Contract, the parent, the CONTRACTOR or the LEA may request a review of the student's IEP, subject to all procedural safeguards required by law, including reasonable notice given to, and participation of, the CONTRACTOR in the meeting. Every effort shall be made to schedule IEP team meetings at a time and place that is mutually convenient to parent, CONTRACTOR and LEA. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA assessments and written assessment reports by service providers upon request and/or pursuant to LEA policy and procedures. It is understood that attendance at an IEP meeting is part of CONTRACTOR'S professional responsibility and is not a billable service under this Master Contract.

It is understood that the CONTRACTOR shall utilize the approved electronic IEP system of the LEA for all IEP planning and progress reporting at the LEA's discretion. The LEA or SELPA may provide training for any CONTRACTOR to ensure access to the approved system. The CONTRACTOR shall maintain confidentiality of all IEP data on the approved system and shall protect the password requirements of the system. When a student dis-enrolls from the NPS/NPA, the NPS/NPA and LEA shall discontinue use of the approved system for that student.

Changes in any student's educational program, including instruction, services, or instructional setting provided under this Master Contract, may only be made on the basis of revisions to the student's IEP. In the event that the CONTRACTOR believes the student requires a change of placement, the CONTRACTOR may request a review of the student's IEP for the purposes of consideration of a change in the student's placement. Student is entitled to remain in the last agreed upon and implemented placement unless parent agrees otherwise or an Interim Alternative Educational Setting is deemed lawful and appropriate by LEA or OAH consistent with Section 1415 (k)(1)(7) of Title 20 of the United States Code.

33. SURROGATE PARENTS AND FOSTER YOUTH

CONTRACTOR shall recognize an LEA appointed surrogate parent assignments for students without parental representation, including unaccompanied homeless youths, in special education procedures pursuant to California Government Code Section 7579.5. Surrogate parents shall serve as the child's parent and have all the rights relative to the student's education that a parent has under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act pursuant to *20 USC 1414-1482 and 34 CFR 300.1-300.756.* A pupil in foster care shall be defined pursuant to California Education Code section 42238.01(b). The LEA shall annually notify the CONTRACTOR who the LEA has designated as the educational liaison for foster children. When a pupil in foster care is enrolled in a NPS by the LEA any time after the completion of the pupil's second year of high school, the CONTRACTOR shall schedule the pupil in courses leading towards graduation based on the diploma requirements of the LEA unless provided notice otherwise in writing pursuant to Section 51225.1.

34. DUE PROCESS PROCEEDINGS

CONTRACTOR shall fully participate in special education due process proceedings including mediations and hearings, as requested by LEA. Participation further includes the willingness to make CONTRACTOR's staff available for witness preparation and testimony as is necessary to facilitate a due process hearing. CONTRACTOR shall also fully participate in the investigation and provision of documentation related to any complaint filed with the State of California, the Office of Civil Rights, or any other state and/or federal governmental body or agency. Full participation shall include, but in no way be limited to, cooperating with LEA representatives to provide complete answers raised by any investigator and/or the immediate provision of any and all documentation that pertains to the operation of CONTRACTOR's program and/or the implementation of a particular student's IEP/Individual and Family Service Plan ("IFSP").

35. COMPLAINT PROCEDURES

CONTRACTOR shall maintain and adhere to its own written procedures for responding to parent complaints. These procedures shall include annually notifying and providing parents of students with appropriate information (including complaint forms) for the following: (1) Uniform Complaint Procedures pursuant to Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 4600 *et seq*.; (2) Nondiscrimination policy pursuant to Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 4960 (a); (3) Sexual Harassment Policy, California Education Code 231.5 (a) (b) (c); (4) Title IX Student Grievance Procedure, Title IX 106.8 (a) (d) and 106.9 (a); and (5) Notice of Privacy Practices in compliance with Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act ("HIPAA"). CONTRACTOR shall include verification of these procedures to the LEA. CONTRACTOR shall immediately notify LEA of any complaints filed against it related to LEA students and provide LEA with all documentation related to the complaints and/or its investigation of complaints, including any and all reports generated as a result of an investigation.

36. STUDENT PROGRESS REPORTS/REPORT CARDS AND ASSESSMENTS

Unless LEA requests in writing that progress reports be provided on a monthly basis, CONTRACTOR shall provide to parents at least four (4) written progress reports/report cards. At a minimum, progress reports shall include progress over time towards IEP goals and objectives. A copy of the progress reports/report cards shall be maintained at the CONTRACTOR's place of business and shall be submitted to the LEA and LEA student's parent(s) quarterly.

The CONTRACTOR shall also provide an LEA representative access to supporting documentation used to determine progress on any goal or objective, including but not limited to log sheets, observation notes, data sheets, pre/post tests, rubrics and other similar data collection used to determine progress or lack of progress on approved goals, objectives, transition plans or behavior intervention plans. The LEA may request such data at any time within five (5) years of the date of service. The CONTRACTOR shall provide this data supporting progress within five (5) business days of request. Additional time may be granted as needed by the LEA.

CONTRACTOR shall complete academic or other evaluations of the student ten (10) days prior to the student's annual or triennial review IEP team meeting for the purpose of reporting the student's present levels of performance at the IEP team meeting as required by state and federal laws and regulations and pursuant to LEA policies, procedures, and/or practices. CONTRACTOR shall provide sufficient copies of its reports, documents, and projected goals to share with members of the IEP team five (5) business days prior to the IEP meeting. CONTRACTOR shall maintain supporting documentation such as test protocols and data collection, which shall be made available to LEA within five (5) business days of request.

The CONTRACTOR is responsible for all evaluation costs regarding the updating of goals and objectives, progress reporting and development of present levels of performance. All assessments resulting from an assessment plan shall be provided by the LEA unless the LEA specifies in writing a request that CONTRACTOR perform such additional assessment. Any assessment and/or evaluation costs may be added to the ISA and/or approved separately by the LEA at the LEA's sole discretion.

It is understood that all billable hours must be in direct services to pupils as specified in the ISA. For NPA services, supervision provided by a qualified individual as specified in Title 5 Regulation, subsection 3065, shall be determined as appropriate and included in the ISA. Supervision means the direct observation of services, data review, case conferencing and program design consistent with professional standards for each professional's license, certification, or credential.

CONTRACTOR shall not charge the student's parent(s) or LEA for the provision of progress reports, report cards, evaluations conducted in order to obtain present levels of performance, interviews, and/or meetings. It is understood that all billable hours have limits to those specified on the ISA consistent with the IEP. It is understood that copies of data collection notes, forms, charts and other such data are part of the pupil's record and shall be made available to the LEA upon written request.

37. GRADES, HIGH SCHOOL COURSE CREDITS, & TRANSCRIPTS

When CONTRACTOR is a NPS, CONTRACTOR is responsible for assigning grades for any course of instruction taught at the NPS. The grades determined by the pupil's teacher, in the absence of clerical or mechanical mistake, fraud, bad faith, or incompetency, shall be final and consistent with the provisions specified in EC Section 49066. The grades each pupil receives in all courses of instruction taught by the NPS shall be reported to the parents and the LEA on a quarterly basis. Consistent with the LEA, should it become evident to the NPS the pupil is in danger of failing a course, the CONTRACTOR must initiate a parent conference, and the LEA representative must be in attendance.

When CONTRACTOR serves students in grades nine (9) through twelve (12) inclusive, LEA shall provide to CONTRACTOR a specific list of the course requirements to be satisfied by the CONTRACTOR leading toward graduation or completion of LEA's diploma requirements. CONTRACTOR shall not recommend awarding a high school diploma to students who have not successfully completed all of the LEA's graduation requirements.

Pupils enrolled in high school during the 2020-2021 academic year may request a Pass or No Pass grade as permitted in EC Section 49066.5, which may be reflected on the student's transcript and shall not negatively affect the pupil's grade point average.

CONTRACTOR shall prepare transcripts at the close of each semester, or upon student transfer, for students in grades nine (9) through twelve (12) inclusive, and submit them on LEA approved forms to the student's school of residence for evaluation of progress toward completion of diploma requirements as specified in LEA Procedures. CONTRACTOR shall submit to the LEA names of students and their schools of residence for whom transcripts have been submitted as specified by the LEA.

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Effective July 1, 2025, if determined appropriate by the pupil's IEP team, beginning when the pupil starts their high school experience and not later than when the pupil is 16 years of age or younger, as appropriate, and annually thereafter, a statement of needed transition services shall be included in the pupil's individualized education program. If the individualized education program team determines that the pupil would benefit from the postponement of the inclusion of appropriate measurable postsecondary goals and transition services until 16 years of age, rather than when the pupil begins their high school experience, the individualized education program team shall appropriately justify the basis for that postponement. (EC section 56043(h).)

38. STUDENT CHANGE OF RESIDENCE

Within five (5) school days from the date CONTRACTOR becomes aware of a student's change of residence, CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA, in writing, of the student's change of residence. Upon enrollment, CONTRACTOR shall notify parents in writing of their obligation to notify CONTRACTOR of the student's change of residence. CONTRACTOR shall maintain, and provide upon request by LEA, documentation of such notice to parents.

If CONTRACTOR had knowledge or should reasonably have had knowledge of the student's change of residence boundaries and CONTRACTOR fails to follow the procedures specified in this provision, LEA shall not be responsible for the costs of services delivered following the student's change of residence.

39. WITHDRAWAL OF STUDENT FROM PROGRAM

CONTRACTOR shall immediately report electronically and in writing to the LEA within five (5) business days when an LEA student is withdrawn without prior notice from school and/or services, including student's change of residence to a residence outside of LEA service boundaries, and parent/guardian withdrawal of student against professional advice from a NPS/RTC.

40. PARENT ACCESS

CONTRACTOR shall provide for reasonable parental access to students and all facilities including, but not limited to, the instructional setting, recreational activity areas, meeting rooms and student living quarters, when applicable. CONTRACTOR shall comply with any known court orders regarding parental visits and access to LEA students.

CONTRACTOR operating programs associated with a NPS/RTC shall cooperate with a parent's reasonable request for LEA student therapeutic visits in their home or at the NPS/RTC. CONTRACTOR shall require that parents obtain prior written authorization for therapeutic visits from the CONTRACTOR and the LEA at least thirty (30) days in advance. When requested, CONTRACTOR shall facilitate all parent travel and accommodations and for providing travel information to the parent as appropriate. Payment by LEA for approved travel-related expenses shall be made directly through the LEA consistent with LEA Procedures.

CONTRACTOR providing services in the student's home as specified in the IEP shall ensure that at least one parent of the child, or an adult caregiver with written and signed authorization to make decisions in an emergency, is present. The names of any adult caregiver other than the parent shall be provided to the LEA prior to the start of any home based services, including written and signed authorization in emergency situations. The parent shall inform the LEA of any changes of caregivers and provide written authorization for emergencies. The adult caregiver cannot also be an employee or volunteer associated with the NPS/NPA service provider.

All problems and/or concerns, both verbal and written, reported to pupil's parents shall also be provided, in writing, to the LEA.

41. LICENSED CHILDREN'S INSTITUTION ("LCI") CONTRACTORS AND RESIDENTIAL TREATMENT CENTER ("RTC") CONTRACTORS

If CONTRACTOR is a LCI, CONTRACTOR shall adhere to all legal requirements regarding educational placements for LCI students as stated in Education Code 56366 (a) (2) (C), 56366.9 (c) (1), Health and Safety Code section 1501.1and any other applicable laws and/or regulations, including LEA guidelines or procedures. An LCI shall not require that a pupil be placed in its NPS as a condition of being placed in its residential facility.

If CONTRACTOR is a NPS/RTC, CONTRACTOR shall adhere to all legal requirements under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA), 20 U.S.C. section 1400 et seq. including the federal regulations 34 C.F.R section 300 et seq. and Education Code section 56000 et seq. including Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3000 et seq.. CONTRACTOR shall comply with all monitoring requirements set forth in Section 43 below.

If CONTRACTOR is a NPS that is owned, operated by, or associated with a LCI, CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA, on a quarterly basis, a list of all students, including those identified as eligible for special education. For those identified as special education students, the list shall include: 1) special education eligibility at the time of enrollment and; 2) the educational placement and services specified in each student's IEP at the time of enrollment. A copy of the current IEP shall be provided to the LEA.

Unless placement is made pursuant to an Office of Administrative Hearings order or a lawfully executed agreement between LEA and parent, LEA is not responsible for the costs associated with NPS placement until the date on which an IEP team meeting is convened, the IEP team determines that a NPS placement is appropriate, and the IEP is signed by the student's parent or another adult with educational decision-making rights.

In addition to meeting the certification requirements of the State of California, a CONTRACTOR that operates a program outside of this State shall be certified or licensed by that state to provide, respectively, special education and related services and designated instruction and related services to pupils under the federal IDEA (20 U.S.C. Sec. 1400 et seq.) and shall be certified or licensed by the state to provide nonmedical care, clinical services, or short-term residential therapeutic programs, as applicable to the facility type.

42. STATE MEAL MANDATE

When CONTRACTOR is a NPS, CONTRACTOR and LEA shall satisfy the State Meal Mandate under California Education Code sections 49005 et seq.; ; 49501.5, the universal meal mandate enacted by AB 130 (2021-2022); 49530 et seq; and 49550 et seq.

LEA, at its sole discretion, may elect to directly provide meals to CONTRACTOR for distribution to LEA students at the nonpublic school on its own or by another local school district.

CONTRACTOR acknowledges that the LEA does not receive any state or federal reimbursement for any meals CONTRACTOR provides to LEA students and that CONTRACTOR is only eligible to receive direct reimbursement if it is an approved site under the National School Lunch Program.

In the event the LEA requests CONTRACTOR to provide meals to LEA students, CONTRACTOR will provide breakfast and lunch to LEA students in compliance with the meal pattern requirements under the School Breakfast Program and National School Lunch Program nutritional standards. LEA shall reimburse CONTRACTOR for each meal made available at a mutually agreed upon rate. In the event CONTRACTOR is unable to provide meals, the LEA and CONTRACTOR will work collaboratively to find a solution. In the event CDE determines that meals do not need to be provided, this paragraph shall not apply.

CONTRACTOR shall maintain all documentation of meals provided to LEA students. CONTRACTOR shall comply with record keeping requirements under the School Breakfast Program and National School Lunch Program or LEA template. Upon request, CONTRACTOR shall provide copies of any such records to LEA. CONTRACTOR shall also allow LEA to conduct site monitoring visits as deemed necessary by the LEA.

If CONTRACTOR uses a third-party vendor to provide meals, CONTRACTOR will assure that the third-party vendor agrees to comply with all meal pattern requirements of the School Breakfast Program and National School Lunch Program nutritional standards. Upon request, CONTRACTOR shall provide LEA with any contracts it has with third-party vendors providing meals for students.

43. MONITORING

The State Superintendent of Public Instruction ("Superintendent"), through the delegated monitoring activities to the California Department of Education (CDE), shall monitor CONTRACTOR'S facilities, the educational environment, and the quality of the educational program, including the teaching staff, the credentials authorizing service, the standards-based core curriculum being employed, and the standard focused instructional materials used on a three-year cycle, as follows: (1) CONTRACTOR shall complete a self-review in year one; (2) the Superintendent shall conduct an onsite review in year two; and (3) the Superintendent shall conduct a follow-up visit in year three.

CONTRACTOR shall participate in any LEA or CDE compliance review, if applicable, to be conducted as aligned with the CDE Onsite Review and monitoring cycle in accordance with California Education Code

section 56366.1(j). This review will address programmatic aspects of the NPS, compliance with relevant state and federal regulations, and Master Contract compliance. CONTRACTOR shall conduct any follow-up or corrective action procedures related to review findings.

If CONTRACTOR is also an LCI and/or NPS/RTC, the CDE shall annually evaluate whether CONTRACTOR is in compliance with Education Code section 56366.9 and Health and Safety Code section 1501.1(b).

The LEA or SELPA shall conduct an onsite visit to the NPS before placement of a pupil if the LEA does not have any pupils enrolled at the school at the time of placement.

The LEA or SELPA shall conduct at least one onsite monitoring visit during each school year to the CONTRACTOR site certified as an NPS where the LEA has placed a pupil and entered into a master contract. The monitoring visit shall include, but is not limited to, a review of services specified on the ISA and provided to the pupil, a review of progress the pupil is making toward the goals set forth in the pupil's IEP, a review of progress the pupil is making toward the goals set forth in the pupil's behavioral intervention plan, if applicable, an observation of the pupil during instruction, and a walkthrough of the facility. The LEA or SELPA shall report the findings resulting from the monitoring visit to the CDE within 60 calendar days of the onsite visit.

CONTRACTOR shall allow LEA representatives access to its facilities for additional periodic monitoring of each student's instructional program. LEA shall have access to observe each student at work, observe the instructional setting, interview CONTRACTOR employees, and review each student's records and progress. Such access shall include unannounced monitoring visits. When making site visits, LEA shall initially report to CONTRACTOR's site administrative office. CONTRACTOR shall be invited to participate in the review of each student's progress.

CONTRACTOR understands that LEA reserves the right to institute a program audit with or without cause. The program audit may include, but is not limited to, a review of core compliance areas of health and safety; curriculum/instruction; related services; and contractual, legal, and procedural compliance.

When CONTRACTOR is a NPS, CONTRACTOR shall collect all applicable data and prepare the applicable portion of a School Accountability Report Card as appropriate in accordance with California Education Code Section 33126.

PERSONNEL

44. CLEARANCE REQUIREMENTS

CONTRACTOR shall comply with the requirements of California Education Code sections 44237, 35021.1, 35021.2, and 56366.1 including, but not limited to: obtaining clearance from both the California Department of Justice (hereinafter referred to as "CDOJ") and clearance from the Federal Bureau of Investigation (hereinafter referred to as "FBI") for CONTRACTOR's employees and volunteers who will have or likely may have any direct contact with LEA students. CONTRACTOR hereby agrees that CONTRACTOR's employees and volunteers shall not come in contact with students, in-person or virtually, until CDOJ and FBI clearance are ascertained. CONTRACTOR shall certify in writing to LEA that none of its employees, and volunteers, unless CONTRACTOR determines that the volunteers will have no direct contact with students, or subcontractors who may come into contact with students have been convicted of a violent or serious felony as those terms are defined in California Education Code section 44237(h), unless despite the employee's conviction of a violent or serious felony, he or she has met the criteria to be eligible for employment pursuant to California Education Code section 44237 (i) or (j). Upon request, clearance certification shall be submitted to the LEA. In addition, CONTRACTOR shall make a request for subsequent arrest service from CDOJ as required by California Penal Code section 11105.2. Contractor shall certify to LEA that they have successful background checks and enrolled in subsequent arrest notification service for all employees who may come into contact with students.

Notwithstanding the restrictions on sharing and destroying criminal background check information, CONTRACTOR, upon demand, shall make available to the LEA evidence of a successful criminal

background check clearance and enrollment in subsequent arrest notification service, as provided, for each owner, operator, and employee of the NPS/A. CONTRACTOR is required to retain the evidence on-site, as specified, for all staff, including those licensed or credentialed by another state agency. Background clearances and proof of subsequent arrest notification service, as required by California Penal Code section 11105.2, for all staff shall be provided to the LEA upon request.

45. STAFF QUALIFICATIONS

CONTRACTOR shall ensure that all individuals employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired by CONTRACTOR to provide classroom and/or individualized instruction or related services hold a license, certificate, permit, or other document equivalent to that which staff in a public school are required to hold in the service rendered consistent with Education Code section 56366.1(n)(1) and are qualified pursuant to Title 34 of the Code of Federal Regulations sections 200.56 and 200.58, and Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations sections 3001(r), 3064 and 3065. Such qualified staff may only provide related services within the scope of their professional license, certification or credential and ethical standards set by each profession, and not assume responsibility or authority for another related services provider or special education teacher's scope of practice.

CONTRACTOR shall ensure that all staff are appropriately credentialed to provide instruction and services to students with the disabling conditions placed in their program/school through documentation provided to the CDE (5 CCR 3064 (a)).
In accordance with California Education Code section 56366.1(a)(5), when CONTRACTOR is a NPS, an appropriately qualified person shall serve as curricular and instructional leader, and be able to provide leadership, oversight and professional development. The administrator of the NPS holds or is in the process of obtaining one of the following: (A) An administrative credential granted by an accredited postsecondary educational institution and two years of experience with pupils with disabilities. (B) A pupil personnel services credential that authorizes school counseling or psychology. (C) A license as a clinical social worker issued by the Board of Behavioral Sciences. (D) A license in psychology regulated by the Board of Psychology. (E) A master's degree issued by an accredited postsecondary institution in education, special education, psychology, counseling, behavioral analysis, social work, behavioral science, or rehabilitation. (F) A credential authorizing special education instruction and at least two years of experience teaching in special education before becoming an administrator. (G) A license as a marriage and family therapist certified by the Board of Behavioral Sciences. (H) A license as an educational psychologist issued by the Board of Behavioral Sciences. (I) A license as a professional clinical counselor issued by the Board of Behavioral Sciences. (California Education Code Section 56366.1 (a)(5)). CONTRACTOR shall maintain, and provide to the LEA upon request, documentation of its administrator's qualifications in accordance with the above.

CONTRACTOR shall comply with personnel standards and qualifications regarding instructional aides and teacher assistants respectively pursuant to federal requirements and California Education Code sections 45340 *et seq.* and 45350 *et seq.* Specifically, all paraprofessionals, including but not limited to, instructional aides and teacher assistants, employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired or subcontracted by CONTRACTOR to provide classroom and/or individualized instruction or related services, shall possess a high school diploma (or its recognized equivalent) and at least one of the following qualifications: (a) completed at least two (2) years of study at an institution of higher education; or (b) obtained an associate's (or higher) degree; or (c) met a rigorous standard of quality and can demonstrate, through a formal state or local assessment (i) knowledge of, and the ability to assist in instructing, reading, writing, and mathematics; or (ii) knowledge of, and the ability to assist in instructing, reading readiness, writing readiness, and mathematics readiness, as appropriate. CONTRACTOR shall comply with all laws and regulations governing the licensed professions, including but not limited to, the provisions with respect to supervision.

In addition to meeting the certification requirements of the State of California, a CONTRACTOR that operates a program outside of this state and serving a student by this LEA shall be certified or licensed by that state to provide special education and related services to pupils under the federal Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. Sec. 1400 et seq.).

46. VERIFICATION OF LICENSES, CREDENTIALS AND OTHER DOCUMENTS

CONTRACTOR shall submit to LEA a staff list, and copies of all current licenses, credentials, certifications, permits and/or other documents which entitle the holder to provide special education and/or related services by individuals employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired or sub-contracted by CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR shall ensure that all licenses, credentials, permits or other documents are on file at the office of the County Superintendent of Schools. CONTRACTOR shall provide the LEA with the verified dates of fingerprint clearance, Department of Justice clearance and Tuberculosis Test clearance for all employees, approved subcontractors and/or volunteers prior to such individuals starting to work with any student.

CONTRACTOR shall monitor the status of licenses, credentials, certifications, permits and/or other documents for all individuals employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired by CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA and CDE in writing within forty-five (45) days when personnel changes occur which may affect the provision of special education and/or related services to LEA students. CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA within forty-five (45) days if any such licenses, certifications or waivers are expired, suspended, revoked, rescinded, challenged pursuant to an administrative or legal complaint or lawsuit, or otherwise nullified during the effective period of this Master Contract. The LEA shall not be obligated to pay for any services provided by a person whose such licenses, certifications or waivers are expired, suspended, revoked, rescinded, or otherwise nullified during the period which such person is providing services under this Master Contract. Failure to notify the LEA and CDE of any changes in credentialing/licensed staff may result in suspension or revocation of CDE certification and/or suspension or termination of this Master Contract by the LEA.

47. STAFF ABSENCE

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school and CONTRACTOR's classroom teacher is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide an appropriately credentialed substitute teacher in the absent teacher's classroom in accordance with California Education Code section 56061. CONTRACTOR shall provide to the LEA documentation of substitute coverage. Substitute teachers shall remain with their assigned class during all instructional time.

The LEA shall not be responsible for any payment for instruction and/or services when an appropriately credentialed substitute teacher is not provided in accordance with California Education Code section 56061.

When CONTRACTOR is a NPA and/or related services provider, and CONTRACTOR's service provider is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide a qualified (as defined in Section 7 of this agreement and as determined by LEA) substitute, unless LEA provides appropriate coverage in lieu of CONTRACTOR's service providers. It is understood that the parent of a student shall not be deemed to be a qualified substitute for their student. LEA will not pay for services unless a qualified substitute is provided and/or CONTRACTOR provides documentation evidencing the provision of "make-up" services by a qualified service provider within thirty (30) calendar days from the date on which the services should have been provided. CONTRACTOR shall not "bank" or "carry over" make up service hours under any circumstances, unless otherwise agreed to in writing by CONTRACTOR and authorized LEA representative.

48. STAFF PROFESSIONAL BEHAVIOR WHEN PROVIDING SERVICES AT SCHOOL OR SCHOOL RELATED EVENTS OR AT SCHOOL FACILITY AND/OR IN THE HOME

It is understood that all employees, subcontractors, and volunteers of any certified NPS/A shall adhere to the customary professional and ethical standards when providing services. All practices shall only be within the scope of professional responsibility as defined in the professional code of conduct for each profession as well as any LEA professional standards as specified in Board policies and/or regulations when made available to the CONTRACTOR.

For services provided on a public-school campus, sign in/out procedures shall be followed by NPS/A providers working in a public-school classroom along with all other procedures for being on campus consistent with school and district policy. Such policies and procedures shall be made available to the CONTRACTOR upon request. It is understood that the public-school credentialed classroom teacher is responsible for the instructional program.

CONTRACTOR providing services outside of the student's school as specified in the IEP shall ensure that at least one parent of the child or an adult caregiver with written and signed authority to make decisions in an emergency is present during provision of services. The names of any adult caregiver other than the parent shall be provided to the LEA prior to the start of any home-based services, including written and signed authorization in emergency situations. The adult caregiver cannot also be an employee or volunteer associated with the NPS/NPA service provider. All problems and/or concerns reported by CONTRACTOR to parents or guardians, in either verbal or written form, shall be reported to the LEA.

HEALTH AND SAFETY MANDATES

49. HEALTH AND SAFETY

CONTRACTOR shall comply with all applicable federal, state, local, and LEA laws, regulations, ordinances, policies, and procedures regarding student and employee health and safety. CONTRACTOR shall comply with the requirements of California Education Code sections 35021 *et. seq*. and 49406, regarding the examination of CONTRACTOR's employees and volunteers for tuberculosis. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA documentation for each individual volunteering, employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired by CONTRACTOR of such compliance before an individual comes in contact with a student.

CONTRACTOR shall comply with OSHA Blood-Borne Pathogens Standards, 29 Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) section 1910.1030, when providing medical treatment or assistance to a student. CONTRACTOR further agrees to provide annual training regarding universal health care precautions and to post required notices in areas designated in the California Health and Safety Code.

50. FACILITIES AND FACILITIES MODIFICATIONS

CONTRACTOR shall provide special education and/or related services to students in facilities that comply with all applicable federal, state, and local laws, regulations, and ordinances related, but not limited to: disability access; fire, health, sanitation, and building standards and safety; fire warning systems; zoning permits; and occupancy capacity. When CONTRACTOR is a NPS, CONTRACTOR shall conduct fire drills as required by Title 5 California Code of Regulations section 550. CONTRACTOR shall be responsible for any structural changes and/or modifications to CONTRACTOR's facilities as required complying with applicable federal, state, and local laws, regulations, and ordinances. Failure to notify the LEA and CDE of any changes in, major modification or relocation of facilities may result in the suspension or revocation of CDE certification and/or suspension or termination of this Master Contract by the LEA.

51. ADMINISTRATION OF MEDICATION

CONTRACTOR shall comply with the requirements of California Education Code section 49422 et seq. when CONTRACTOR serves a student that is required to take prescription and/or over-the-counter medication during the school day. CONTRACTOR may designate personnel to assist the student with the administration of such medication after the student's parent(s) provide to CONTRACTOR: (a) a written statement from a physician detailing the type, administration method, amount, and time schedules by which such medication shall be taken; and (b) a written statement from the student's parent(s) granting CONTRACTOR permission to administer medication(s) as specified in the physician's statement. CONTRACTOR shall maintain, and provide to LEA upon request, copies of such written statements. CONTRACTOR shall maintain a written log for each student to whom medication is administered. Such written log shall specify the student's name; the type of medication; the date, time, and amount of each administration; and the name of CONTRACTOR's employee who administered the medication. CONTRACTOR maintains full responsibility for storing medications in a secure location and ensuring appropriate staff training in the administration of such medication consistent with physician's written orders. Any change in medication type, administration method, amount or schedule must be authorized by both a licensed physician and parent.

52. INCIDENT/ACCIDENT REPORTING

CONTRACTOR shall submit within 24 hours, electronically, any accident or incident report to the LEA. CONTRACTOR shall properly submit required accident or incident reports pursuant to the procedures specified in LEA Procedures.

53. CHILD ABUSE REPORTING

CONTRACTOR hereby agrees to annually train all staff members, including volunteers, so that they are familiar with and agree to adhere to its own child and dependent adult abuse reporting obligations and procedures as specified in California Penal Code section 11164 et seq. and Education Code 44691. To protect the privacy rights of all parties involved (i.e., reporter, child and alleged abuser), reports will remain confidential as required by law and professional ethical mandates. A written statement acknowledging the legal requirements of such reporting and verification of staff adherence to such reporting shall be submitted to the LEA.

54. SEXUAL HARASSMENT

CONTRACTOR shall have a Sexual and Gender Identity harassment policy that clearly describes the kinds of conduct that constitutes sexual harassment and that is prohibited by the CONTRACTOR's policy, as well as federal and state law. The policy should include procedures to make complaints without fear of retaliation, and for prompt and objective investigations of all sexual harassment complaints. CONTRACTOR further agrees to provide annual training to all employees regarding the laws concerning sexual harassment and related procedures pursuant to Government Code 12950.1.

55. REPORTING OF MISSING CHILDREN

CONTRACTOR assures LEA that all staff members, including volunteers, are familiar with and agree to adhere to requirements for reporting missing children as specified in California Education Code section 49370. A written statement acknowledging the legal requirements of such reporting and verification of staff adherence to such reporting shall be properly submitted to the LEA. The written statement shall be submitted as specified by the LEA.

FINANCIAL

56. ENROLLMENT, CONTRACTING, SERVICE TRACKING, ATTENDANCE REPORTING, AND BILLING PROCEDURES

CONTRACTOR shall assure that the nonpublic school or nonpublic agency has the necessary financial resources to provide an appropriate education for the students enrolled and will distribute those resources in such a manner to implement the IEP and ISA for each and every student.

CONTRACTOR shall comply with all LEA procedures concerning enrollment, contracting, attendance reporting, service tracking and billing including requirements of electronic billing as specified by the LEA Procedures, as well as provide all such records requested by LEA concerning the same. CONTRACTOR shall be paid for the provision of special education and/or related services specified in the student's IEP and ISA. All payments by LEA shall be made in accordance with the terms and conditions of this Master Contract and governed by all applicable federal and state laws.

CONTRACTOR shall maintain separate registers for the basic education program, each related service, and services provided by instructional assistants, behavior intervention aides and bus aides. Original attendance forms (i.e., roll books for the basic education program, service tracking documents and notes for instructional assistants, behavioral intervention aides, bus aides, and each related service) shall be completed by the actual service provider whose signature shall appear on such forms and shall be available for review, inspection, or audit by LEA during the effective period of this contract and for a period of five (5) years thereafter. CONTRACTOR shall verify the accuracy of minutes of reported attendance that is the basis of services being billed for payment.

CONTRACTOR shall submit invoices and related documents to LEA for payment, for each calendar month when education or related services were provided. Invoices and related documents shall be

properly submitted electronically and in addition, on an LEA form with signatures in the manner prescribed by LEA. At a minimum, each invoice must contain the following information: month of service; specific days and times of services coordinated by the LEA approved calendar unless otherwise specified in the IEP or agreed to by the LEA; name of staff who provided the service; approved cost of each invoice; total for each service and total for the monthly invoice; date invoice was mailed; signature of NPS/NPA administrator authorizing that the information is accurate and consistent with the ISA, CDE certificates and staff notification; verification that attendance report is attached as appropriate; indication of any made-up session consistent with this contract; verification that progress reports have been provided consistent with the ISA (monthly or quarterly unless specified otherwise on the ISA); and name or initials of each student for when the service was provided.

In the event services were not provided, rationale for why the services were not provided shall be included.

Such an invoice is subject to all conditions of this contract. At the discretion of the LEA, an electronic invoice may be required provided such notice has been made in writing and training provided to the CONTRACTOR at no additional charge for such training.

Invoices shall be submitted no later than thirty (30) days after the end of the attendance accounting period in which the services were rendered. LEA shall make payment to CONTRACTOR based on the number of billable days of attendance and hours of service at rates specified in this contract within forty-five (45) days of LEA's receipt of properly submitted hard copy of invoices prepared and submitted as specified in California Education Code Section 56366.5 and the LEA. CONTRACTOR shall correct deficiencies and submit rebilling invoices no later than thirty (30) calendar days after the invoice is returned by LEA. LEA shall pay properly submitted re-billing invoices no later than forty-five (45) days after the date a completely corrected re-billing invoice is received by LEA.

In no case shall initial payment claim submission for any Master Contract fiscal year (July through June) extend beyond December 31st after the close of the fiscal year. In no case shall any rebilling for the Master Contract fiscal year (July through June) extend beyond six (6) months after the close of the fiscal year unless approved by the LEA to resolve billing issues including re-billing issues directly related to a delay in obtaining information from the Commission on Teacher Credentialing regarding teacher qualification, but no later than twelve (12) months from the close of the fiscal year. If the billing or re-billing error is the responsibility of the LEA, then no limit is set provided that the LEA and CONTRACTOR have communicated such concerns in writing during the 12-month period following the close of the fiscal year. LEA will not pay mileage for NPA employee.

57. RIGHT TO WITHHOLD PAYMENT

LEA may withhold payment to CONTRACTOR when: (a) CONTRACTOR has failed to perform, in whole or in part, under the terms of this contract; (b) CONTRACTOR has billed for services rendered on days other than billable days of attendance or for days when student was not in attendance and/or did not receive services; (c) CONTRACTOR was overpaid by LEA as determined by inspection, review, and/or audit of its program, work, and/or records; (d) CONTRACTOR has failed to provide supporting documentation with an invoice, as required by EC 56366(c)(2); (e) education and/or related services are provided to students by personnel who are not appropriately credentialed, licensed, or otherwise qualified; (f) LEA has not received prior to school closure or contract termination, all documents concerning one or more students enrolled in CONTRACTOR's educational program; (g) CONTRACTOR fails to confirm a student's change of residence to another district or confirms the change of residence to another district, but fails to notify LEA within five (5) days of such confirmation; or (h) CONTRACTOR receives payment from Medi-Cal or from any other agency or funding source for a service provided to a student. It is understood that no payments shall be made for any invoices that are not received by six (6) months following the close of the prior fiscal year, for services provided in that year.

Final payment to CONTRACTOR in connection with the cessation of operations and/or termination of a Master Contract will be subject to the same documentation standards described for all payment claims for regular ongoing operations. In addition, final payment may be withheld by the LEA until completion of a review or audit, if deemed necessary by the LEA. Such review or audit will be completed within ninety

(90) days. The final payment may be adjusted to offset any previous payments to the CONTRACTOR determined to have been paid in error or in anticipation of correction of documentation deficiencies by the CONTRACTOR that remain uncorrected.

The amount which may be withheld by LEA with respect to each of the subparagraphs of the preceding paragraph are as follows: (a) the value of the service CONTRACTOR failed to perform; (b) the amount of overpayment; (c) the portion of the invoice for which satisfactory documentation has not been provided by CONTRACTOR; (d) the amount invoiced for services provided by the individual not appropriately credentialed, licensed, or otherwise qualified; (e) the proportionate amount of the invoice related to the applicable pupil for the time period from the date the violation occurred and until the violation is cured; or (f) the amount paid to CONTRACTOR by Medi-Cal or another agency or funding source for the service provided to the student.

If LEA determines that cause exists to withhold payment to CONTRACTOR, LEA shall, within ten (10) business days of this determination, provide to CONTRACTOR written notice that LEA is withholding payment. Such notice shall specify the basis or bases for LEA's withholding payment and the amount to be withheld. Within thirty (30) days from the date of receipt of such notice, CONTRACTOR shall take all necessary and appropriate action to correct the deficiencies that form the basis for LEA's withholding payment or submit a written request for extension of time to correct the deficiencies or submit to LEA written documentation demonstrating that the basis or bases cited by the LEA for withholding payment is unfounded. Upon receipt of CONTRACTOR's written request showing good cause, LEA shall extend CONTRACTOR's time to correct deficiencies (usually an additional thirty (30) days), otherwise payment will be denied.

If after subsequent request for payment has been denied and CONTRACTOR believes that payment should not be withheld, CONTRACTOR shall send written notice to LEA specifying the reason it believes payment should not be withheld. LEA shall respond to CONTRACTOR's notice within thirty (30) business days by indicating that a warrant for the amount of payment will be made or stating the reason LEA believes payment should not be made. If LEA fails to respond within thirty (30) business days or a dispute regarding the withholding of payment continues after the LEA's response to CONTRACTOR's notice, CONTRACTOR may invoke the following escalation policy.

After forty-five (45) business days: The CONTRACTOR may notify the Authorized LEA's Representative of the dispute in writing. The LEA Authorized Representative shall respond to the CONTRACTOR in writing within fifteen (15) business days.

After sixty (60) business days: The LEA or CONTRACTOR may appeal to the County Superintendent of Schools so long as the County Superintendent of Schools is not participating in the Local Plan involved in the NPS/A contract, or a mutually agreed upon mediator. Both parties agree to pay for their own costs and expenses arising out of such mediation. Each party agrees to act in good faith in participating in any mediation process agreed to by the parties.

58. PAYMENT FROM OUTSIDE AGENCIES

CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA when Medi-Cal or any other agency is billed for the costs associated with the provision of special education and/or related services to students. Upon request, CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA any and all documentation regarding reports, billing, and/or payment by Medi-Cal or any other agency for the costs associated with the provision of special education and/or related services to students. CONTRACTOR shall provide prior written notice of the rights and protections required by Title 34 of the Code of Federal Regulations section 300.154(d) whenever it seeks to use the LEA students' public benefits to pay for special education and related services. Such notice shall be provided before seeking payment from Medi-Cal for the first time and annually.

59. PAYMENT FOR ABSENCES

NONPUBLIC SCHOOL STAFF ABSENCE

Whenever a classroom teacher employed by CONTRACTOR is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide an appropriately credentialed substitute teacher in the absent teacher's classroom in accordance with California

Education Code section 56061. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA documentation of substitute coverage pursuant to the LEA Procedures. Substitute teachers shall remain with their assigned class during all instructional time. LEA will not pay for instruction and/or services unless said instruction or service is provided by an appropriately credentialed substitute teacher.

Whenever a related service provider is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide a qualified (as defined in Section 7 of this agreement and as determined by LEA) substitute. LEA will not pay for services unless a qualified substitute is provided and/or CONTRACTOR provides documentation evidencing the provision of "make-up" services by a qualified service provider within thirty (30) calendar days from the date on which the services should have been provided unless otherwise agreed in student's IEP.

NONPUBLIC SCHOOL STUDENT ABSENCE

If CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, no later than the tenth (10^{th}) cumulative day of a student's unexcused absence, CONTRACTOR shall notify the LEA of such absence.

Criteria for a billable day for payment purposes is one (1) day of attendance as defined in California Education Code, sections 46010, 46010.3 and 46307. LEA shall not pay for services provided on days that a student's attendance does not qualify for Average Daily Attendance (ADA) reimbursement under state law. *Per Diem* rates for students whose IEPs authorize less than a full instructional day may be adjusted on a pro rata basis in accordance with the actual proportion of the school day the student was served. LEA shall not be responsible for payment of related services for days on which a student's attendance does not qualify for Average Daily Attendance ("ADA") reimbursement under state law, nor shall student be eligible for make-up services.

NONPUBLIC AGENCY STAFF ABSENCE

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency and CONTRACTOR's service provider is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide a qualified (as defined in Section 7 of this agreement and as determined by LEA) substitute, unless LEA provides appropriate coverage in lieu of CONTRACTOR's service providers. LEA shall not pay for services unless a qualified substitute is provided and/or CONTRACTOR provides documentation evidencing the provision of "make-up" services by a qualified service provider within thirty (30) calendar days from the date on which the services should have been provided. CONTRACTOR shall not "bank" or "carry over" make up service hours under any circumstances, unless otherwise agreed to in writing by CONTRACTOR and LEA. In the event services were not provided, reasons for why the services were not provided shall be included.

NONPUBLIC AGENCY STUDENT ABSENCE

If CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency, it shall notify LEA of the absence of a student no later than the fifth (5^{th}) consecutive service day of the student's absence. LEA shall not be responsible for the payment of services when a student is absent.

60. LEA and/or NONPUBLIC SCHOOL CLOSURE DUE TO EMERGENCY

The following shall apply in the event of a LEA or NPS school closure due to an emergency consistent with guidelines followed by LEAs in accordance with Education Code sections 41422 and 46392:

a. If CONTRACTOR remains open, if allowed, during an emergency and serves students appropriately as delineated in the ISA, CONTRACTOR shall receive payment, regardless of whether a sending LEA is open or closed.

b. NPS School Closure- In the event of a NPS School Closure for the reasons set forth in Education Code section 41422, if the LEA is able to obtain alternative placement for the student, CONTRACTOR shall not receive payment for days the student is not in attendance due to CONTRACTOR'S school closure. If the LEA is unable to obtain an alternative placement, CONTRACTOR shall receive payment consistent with the student's approved ISA, as though the student were continuing his/her regular attendance, until an alternative placement can be found and implement LEA student IEP in accordance with Education Code section 56345(a)(9) pertaining to emergency conditions.

c. LEA and NPS School Closure- In the event of the LEA and NPS School Closures, on days the LEA is funded, CONTRACTOR shall receive payment consistent with the student's approved ISA, until an alternative placement can be found and implement LEA student IEP in accordance with Education Code section 56345(a)(9) pertaining to emergency conditions. If the LEA is able to obtain alternative placement for the student, CONTRACTOR shall not receive payment for days the student is not in attendance with CONTRACTOR due to CONTRACTOR'S school closure.

When the emergency school closure is lifted, CONTRACTOR shall notify the LEAs it serves of any lost instructional minutes. CONTRACTOR and LEAs shall work collaboratively to determine the need for make-up days or service changes, and shall work together to amend IEP and ISA paperwork as appropriate.

61. INSPECTION AND AUDIT

The CONTRACTOR shall maintain and the LEA shall have the right to examine and audit all of the books, records, documents, accounting procedures and practices and other evidence that reflect all costs claimed to have been incurred or fees claimed to have been earned under this Agreement.

CONTRACTOR shall provide access to LEA to all records including, but not limited to: student pupils as defined by California Education Code section 49061(b); registers and roll books of teachers; daily service logs and notes or other documents used to record the provision of related services; Medi-Cal/daily service logs and notes used to record provision of services provided by instructional assistants, behavior intervention aides, bus aides, and supervisors; absence verification records (parent/doctor notes, telephone logs, and related documents); bus rosters; staff lists specifying credentials held, business licenses held, documents evidencing other qualifications, , dates of hire, and dates of termination; staff time sheets; non-paid staff and volunteer sign-in sheets; transportation and other related service subcontracts; school calendars; bell/class schedules when applicable; liability and worker's compensation insurance policies; state NPS/A certifications; by-laws; lists of current board of directors/trustees, if incorporated; other documents evidencing financial expenditures; federal/state payroll quarterly reports Form 941/DE3DP; and bank statements and canceled checks or facsimile thereof. Such access shall include unannounced inspections by LEA. CONTRACTOR shall make available to LEA all budgetary information including operating budgets submitted by CONTRACTOR to LEA for the relevant contract period being audited.

CONTRACTOR shall make all records available at the office of LEA or CONTRACTOR's offices (to be specified by LEA) at all reasonable times and without charge. All records shall be provided to LEA within five (5) working days of a written request from LEA. CONTRACTOR shall, at no cost to LEA, provide assistance for such examination or audit. LEA's rights under this section shall also include access to CONTRACTOR's offices for purposes of interviewing CONTRACTOR's employees. If any document or evidence is stored in an electronic form, a hard copy shall be made available to the LEA, unless the LEA agrees to the use of the electronic format.

CONTRACTOR shall obtain from its subcontractors and suppliers written agreements to the requirements of this section and shall provide a copy of such agreements to LEA upon request by LEA.

If an inspection, review, or audit by LEA, a state agency, a federal agency, and/or an independent agency/firm determines that CONTRACTOR owes LEA monies as a result of CONTRACTOR's over billing or failure to perform, in whole or in part, any of its obligations under this Master Contract, LEA shall provide to CONTRACTOR written notice demanding payment from CONTRACTOR and specifying the basis or bases for such demand. Unless CONTRACTOR and LEA otherwise agree in writing, CONTRACTOR shall pay to LEA the full amount owed as a result of CONTRACTOR's over billing and/or failure to perform, in whole or in part, any of its obligations under this Master Contract, as determined by an inspection, review, or audit by LEA, a state agency, a federal agency, and/or an independent agency/firm. CONTRACTOR shall make such payment to LEA within thirty (30) days of receipt of LEA's written notice demanding payment.

62. RATE SCHEDULE

The attached rate schedule (Exhibit A) limits the number of students that may be enrolled and maximum dollar amount of the contract. It may also limit the maximum number of students that can be provided specific services. Per Diem rates for students whose IEPs authorize less than a full instructional day may be adjusted proportionally. In such cases only, the adjustments in basic education rate shall be based on the required minimum number of minutes per grade level as set forth in paragraph 23, above, and in California Education Code Section 46200-46208.

Special education and/or related services offered by CONTRACTOR shall be provided by qualified personnel as per State and Federal law, and the codes and charges for such educational and/or related services during the term of this contract, shall be as stated in Exhibit A.

63. DEBARMENT CERTIFICATION

By signing this agreement, the CONTRACTOR certifies that:

(a) The CONTRACTOR and any of its shareholders, partners, or executive officers are <u>not</u> presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, or declared ineligible for the award of contracts by any Federal agency, and

(b) Have not, within a three-year period preceding this contract, been convicted of or had a civil judgment rendered against them for: commission of fraud or a criminal offense in connection with obtaining, attempting to obtain, or performing a Federal, state or local government contract or subcontract; violation of Federal or state antitrust statutes relating to the submission of offers; or commission of embezzlement, theft, forgery, bribery, falsification or destruction of records, making false statements, tax evasion, or receiving stolen property; and are not presently indicted for, or otherwise criminally or civilly charged by a Government entity with, commission of any of these offenses.

The parties hereto have executed this Contract by and through their duly authorized agents or representatives. This contract is effective on the 1st day of July, 2025 and terminates at 5:00 P.M. on June 30, 2026, unless sooner terminated as provided herein.

CONTRACTOR	**LEA**
Empowered Psychological Services **Nonpublic School/Agency**	AIMS K12 College Prep Charter **LEA Name**
By: _____ **Signature** **Date**	**By:** _____ **Signature** **Date**
Erin Crawford, CEO **Name and Title of Authorized Representative**	**Marco Menendez, Interim Executive Director** **Name and Title of Authorized Representative**

Notices to CONTRACTOR shall be addressed to:	**Notices to LEA shall be addressed to:**
Erin Crawford, CEO **Name and Title**	Deborah Woods, Special Education Director **Name and Title**
Empowered Psychological Services **Nonpublic School/Agency/Related Service Provider**	AIMS K12 College Prep Charter **LEA**
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Additional LEA Notification
(Required if completed)

Name and Title
Address
City **State** **Zip**
Phone **Fax**
Email

EXHIBIT A: 2025-2026 RATES

EmpowerEd Psychological Services

EMPOWERING STUDENTS, SUPPORTING FAMILIES

Erin Crawford LEP #4341
2025-2026 Fee Schedule

Full Psychoeducational Evaluation **$7,000**
Assessment includes Cognitive, Academic, Processing, Social/Emotional/Behavioral, and Adaptive (if appropriate) testing, classroom observation, record review, interviews, report, recommendations, and participation at one IEP meeting lasting up to 60 minutes.

Psychological Evaluation (*No academic assessment) **$6,200**
Assessment includes Cognitive, Processing, Social/Emotional/Behavioral, and Adaptive (if appropriate) testing, classroom observation, record review, interviews, report, recommendations, and participation at one IEP meeting lasting up to 60 minutes.

Evaluation Report Writing (*No Testing) **$2,500**
Assessment includes report writing, eligibility considerations, recommendations, and participation at one IEP meeting lasting up to 60 minutes.

Gifted and Talented Assessment **$2,500**
Report includes full cognitive IQ assessment and participation on feedback session with family or IEP meeting lasting up to 60 minutes.

Psychological and/or Intervention Services **$250/hour**
Services include counseling, skill building, academic interventions, social-emotional interventions, etc.

Consultation/Document Review **$250/hour**
Services include document review, private assessment review, or IEE review. May include attendance at SST, 504, and/or IEP meetings.

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Coversheet

AB LMFT Supervisor Contract 2025-26

Section: V. Action Items
Item: Q. AB LMFT Supervisor Contract 2025-26
Purpose: Vote
Submitted by:
Related Material: AB LMFT Supervisor Contract 2025-26 Board Packet.pdf

AIMS K-12 College Prep Charter District
Board Submission Cover Letter

Submitter Information

Full Name: Deborah Woods
Position/Title: Director
Department: Special Education
Date of Submission (MM/DD/YYYY): 8/26/25

Item Details

Title of Item: AB LMFT Supervisor
Is this item a: ☐ New Submission
☑ Renewal
If Renewal: Please summarize any changes from the previous submission:
none

Approvals

Has this item been reviewed by:

☐ Superintendent
☑ Chief Business Officer (CBO) (If budget changes)
☐ Director of Compliance (If plan changes)
☐ Neither

Committee Review

Has this item been through the appropriate committee review process?

☑ Yes ☐ No

If yes: Please specify which committee(s) and provide minutes or approval documentation:

If no: Explain why:

Deadline Information

Is there a submission deadline for this item?

☑ Yes ☐ No

If yes: Please indicate the deadline date (MM/DD/YYYY): 8/26/25

Financial Information (if applicable):

Total Cost: $ 90,000

Is this expenditure included in the annual budget?

☑ Yes ☐ No

Please specify in which plan this expense is indicated:

☐ SPSA ☑ LCAP ☐ Other:

MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

This Memorandum of Understanding ("MOU") is entered between **Alexis D. Becerra**, Licensed Marriage and Family Therapist & Certified Clinical Supervisor ("Service Provider"), and **AIMS K-12 College Prep Charter District** ("Charter").

Service Provider and Charter may be collectively referred to as the "Parties" or individually as a "Party." This MOU shall be effective as of the date of the last-executed signature below. This MOU is regarding the provision of individual counseling and consultation services by Service Provider to Charter.

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1. Purpose of MOU

Whereas, Education Code Section 56195.1, subdivision (e) provides that membership in a special education local plan area ("SELPA") does not limit a local educational agency's ("LEA"), including a charter school's, authority to contract for special education consultation, services, or assessments.

Whereas, Service Provider is willing to contract with Charter to provide individual counseling and consultation services;

Whereas, Charter is a charter school deemed an LEA for the purposes of special education under Education Code Section 47640 and is a member LEA of the **[El Dorado Charter SELPA]**;

Whereas, Charter seeks to contract with Service Provider in order for Service Provider to provide counseling and consultation services to students.

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2. Terms of Agreement

This MOU shall be in effect for the period beginning **July 1, 2025 to June 30, 2026**. This MOU may be renewed at the end of that period by following the "Submission Procedures" set forth in Section 4 of this MOU.

This MOU constitutes the entire agreement between the parties and may only be amended by written agreement, signed by both parties.

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3. Work Schedule and Time Off

The service provider shall provide services for up to a maximum of **15 hours per week** for the duration of this agreement. Services will be rendered during mutually agreed-upon days and times that align with the school's instructional calendar.

The service provider will not be expected to provide services on official school holidays or during school closures, including but not limited to **Winter Break, Spring Break, Thanksgiving Break**, and any other designated non-instructional days as outlined in the school's academic calendar.

The service provider may take days of personal or vacation leave throughout the term of the contract, with at least two (2) weeks' advance notice. Any missed days outside of official school closures will be coordinated in advance and, if/when possible, rescheduled to ensure continuity of services.

Services during the summer months (June–August) may be offered at the discretion of the service provider and shall occur if mutually agreed upon by both parties.

The service provider shall not be penalized for time off taken during official school breaks or for agreed upon vacation/personal time, provided appropriate notice is given.

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4. Submission Procedures

Unless there is a documented change in writing and agreed to by both parties, all services contracted for under this MOU will run for a period of one 12 months. **On or before April 30, 2026**, Charter shall submit a written request for renewal of the contract to the Service Provider.

On or before May 15, 2026, Service Provider shall provide Charter with a written response. The Service Provider's response shall specify whether the Service Provider is willing to provide all, some, or none of the services requested. If the Service Provider is willing to provide less than all the requested services, the response will list each type of service and the number of service hours offered. Service Provider's written response shall include a rate schedule for all requested services.

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5. Scope of Services

The Parties agree that Service Provider shall provide individual counseling, consultation, clinical supervision and professional and program development services for students and staff of Charter. All services will be provided **Virtually**, unless otherwise agreed to by both Parties.

A. **Scope of Counseling Services:**

The counseling services provided by the Service Provider will be tailored to address the specific needs and goals of the students. These services may include, but are not limited to, individual therapy and/or other appropriate therapeutic interventions as required.

- **Counseling Services:** Provide individual telehealth therapy for students.
- **Consultation Services:** Provide consultation to school staff and parents as needed regarding student well-being.
- **Assessment and Recommendations:** Service provider will maintain necessary documentation and when appropriate and provide written recommendations for treatment or intervention.

B. Scope of Clinical Supervision:

Support in training and mentoring future mental health professionals through structured supervision and education in accordance with California Board of Behavioral Sciences (BBS) regulations.

- **Clinical Supervision:** for associate mental health therapist

C. Scope of Professional and Program Development:

Professional and Program Development as related to mental health and trauma-informed practices for staff and necessary Special Education mental health program development.

The Parties will mutually identify a schedule specifying the time, day, and format for these services.

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6. Rate Schedule

The Service Provider shall provide up to a maximum of **15 hours per week** of counseling, consultation, clinical supervision, professional and program development services.

The Parties agree that the **counseling and consultation services** set forth in Section 5 shall be billed at **$100/hour**.

The Parties agree that the **clinical supervision, professional and program development** set forth in Section 5 shall be billed at **$150/hour**.

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7. Payment for Services

Services shall be billed on a monthly basis. At the end of each monthly billing period, Service Provider will provide Charter with an invoice for the services provided. The invoice will show the specific services provided during the billing period and the fees for those services. Charter shall process and pay each invoice within thirty (30) days from its receipt.

If payment is not postmarked within forty-five (45) days, Charter agrees to pay an additional fee of 5% interest per month on unpaid amounts. Interest shall be calculated beginning day forty-six (46) from receipt of the invoice. Failure by Charter to pay within 90 days may be considered a breach of contract and grounds for termination of this MOU.

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8. Confidentiality and HIPAA Compliance

The Service Provider agrees to maintain confidentiality in accordance with the ethical and legal requirements of the state of California and the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA). The Contractor will:

- Ensure all client information is protected, stored securely, and only disclosed with appropriate consent or as required by law.
- Comply with all applicable California state laws regarding mental health services and student privacy (including FERPA as it relates to educational institutions).

Exceptions to confidentiality may include cases where there is a risk of harm to the student or others, cases of suspected abuse of minors or vulnerable adults, or as required by law.

Liability and Insurance

The Contractor shall maintain professional liability insurance (malpractice insurance) with minimum coverage of $1,000,000 and shall provide proof of such insurance upon request.

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9. Counselor's Qualifications

Service Provider represents that they possess the necessary qualifications, credentials, and licenses required to provide counseling, clinical supervision, and professional/program development services in accordance with applicable laws and regulations.

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10. Records and Data Protection

The service provider will maintain appropriate records of the counseling sessions, which will be stored securely and in accordance with relevant data protection laws and guidelines.

In addition to the service provider maintaining appropriate records of counseling sessions, which will be stored securely and in accordance with relevant data protection laws and guidelines.

The service provider will maintain appropriate records of all services provided as related to supervision and professional development activities, which will be securely stored in compliance with all relevant data protection laws and guidelines.

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11. Staff Absences

Charter acknowledges that the services provided under this MOU will be provided for the entire school year. In the event of cancellation of services on the same day and no other items can replace the canceled session, the Service Provider shall be compensated for the offered services.

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12. Termination

Either Charter or Service Provider may terminate this MOU by providing the other party with thirty (30) days' written notice, except that Service Provider may terminate this MOU by providing Charter with written notice pursuant to Section 4.

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13. Service Provider and Charter Are Independent Contractors

Charter and Service Provider are independent parties to this MOU. This MOU does not create the relationship of agent, servant, employee, partnership, or joint venture between the Parties.

The Service Provider is an independent contractor and shall not be considered an employee, agent, or representative of the School. The Contractor is responsible for determining the methods and means by which the services will be provided and retains control over the performance of the services.

- The Contractor shall not be entitled to any benefits typically provided to employees of the School, such as health insurance, retirement benefits, or paid leave.
- The Contractor is responsible for payment of any taxes, including self-employment taxes, and agrees to comply with all applicable state and federal tax laws.
- The Contractor will maintain appropriate licensure, certification, and insurance coverage required by California law for the duration of the contract.

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14. Non-Exclusive Agreement

This MOU shall not restrict Charter from contracting for services with other providers nor shall it restrict Service Provider from providing services to other schools.

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15. Indemnification and Hold Harmless

Charter and Service Provider shall each defend, hold harmless, and indemnify the other party from any and all liabilities, claims, demands, costs, losses, or expenses, including reasonable attorneys' fees, arising from negligent or wrongful acts connected with the provision of services hereunder.

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16. Responsibility for Litigation Costs

In the event of any compliance complaint, due process hearing, or litigation based on the services under this MOU, the Parties shall negotiate an agreement specifying how legal costs are shared.

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17. Meet and Confer

If a dispute arises regarding this MOU, the Parties agree to meet and confer in good faith to resolve the matter before initiating litigation.

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18. Severability/Waiver

If any provision of this MOU is determined to be illegal or unenforceable, it shall not affect the validity of other provisions. No waiver of any provision shall constitute a continuing or subsequent waiver unless executed in writing.

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19. Execution of MOU Electronically and in Counterparts

This MOU may be executed in counterparts, and a facsimile or scanned signature shall be deemed an original signature.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Parties have executed this MOU as of the date set next to their signatures below.

Dated: _____
By: _____
Marco Menendez, Interim Executive Director
AIMS K-12 College Prep Charter District

Dated: _____
By: _____
Alexis D. Becerra, M.S., LMFT #99868
Service Provider

Coversheet

Every Special Child MOU

Section: V. Action Items
Item: R. Every Special Child MOU
Purpose: Vote
Submitted by:
Related Material: Every Special Child MOU 2025-26 Board Packet.pdf

AIMS K-12 College Prep Charter District
Board Submission Cover Letter

Submitter Information

Full Name: Deborah Woods
Position/Title: Director
Department: Special Education
Date of Submission (MM/DD/YYYY): 8/26/25

Item Details

Title of Item: Every Special Child : Staffing Agency
Is this item a: ☑ New Submission
☐ Renewal
If Renewal: Please summarize any changes from the previous submission:

Approvals

Has this item been reviewed by:

- ☐ Superintendent
- ☑ Chief Business Officer (CBO) (If budget changes)
- ☐ Director of Compliance (If plan changes)
- ☐ Neither

Committee Review

Has this item been through the appropriate committee review process?

☑ Yes ☐ No

If yes: Please specify which committee(s) and provide minutes or approval documentation:

If no: Explain why:

Deadline Information

Is there a submission deadline for this item?

☑ Yes ☐ No

If yes: Please indicate the deadline date (MM/DD/YYYY): 8/26/25

Financial Information (if applicable):

Total Cost: $ 152,000

Is this expenditure included in the annual budget?

☑ Yes ☐ No

Please specify in which plan this expense is indicated:

☐ SPSA ☑ LCAP ☐ Other:

2025-2026 **CONTRACT NUMBER:**

LOCAL EDUCATION AGENCY: AIMS K12 College Prep Charter District

NONPUBLIC SCHOOL/AGENCY/RELATED SERVICES PROVIDER:

NONPUBLIC, NONSECTARIAN SCHOOL/AGENCY SERVICES MASTER CONTRACT

GENERAL PROVISIONS

1. MASTER CONTRACT

This Master Contract (or "Contract") is entered into on July 1, 2025, between **AIMS K12 College Prep Charter District**, hereinafter referred to as the local educational agency ("LEA"), a member of the .EDC Charter SELPA and **Every Special Child, LLC** (nonpublic, nonsectarian school or agency), hereinafter referred to as NPS/A or "CONTRACTOR" for the purpose of providing special education and/or related services to students with exceptional needs under the authorization of California Education Code sections 56157, 56361 and 56365 *et seq*. and Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3000 *et seq*., AB 490 (Chapter 862, Statutes of 2003) and AB 1858 (Chapter 914, Statutes of 2004). It is understood that this agreement does not commit the LEA to pay for special education and/or related services provided to any student, or CONTRACTOR to provide such special education and/or related services, unless and until an authorized LEA representative approves the provision of special education and/or related services by CONTRACTOR.

Upon acceptance of a student, LEA shall submit to CONTRACTOR an Individual Service Agreement (hereinafter referred to as "ISA"). Unless otherwise agreed in writing, these forms shall acknowledge CONTRACTOR's obligation to provide all relevant services specified in the student's Individualized Education Program (hereinafter referred to as "IEP"). The ISA shall be executed within ninety (90) days of a student's enrollment. LEA and CONTRACTOR shall enter into an ISA for each student served by CONTRACTOR. As available and appropriate, the LEA shall make available access to any electronic IEP system and/or electronic database for the development of the ISA and invoices.

Unless placement and/or services is made pursuant to an Office of Administrative Hearings (hereinafter referred to as "OAH") order, a lawfully executed settlement agreement between LEA and parent or authorized by LEA for a transfer student pursuant to California Education Code section 56325, LEA is not responsible for the costs associated with NPS placement or NPS/A services until the date on which an IEP team meeting is convened, the IEP team determines that a NPS placement is appropriate, and the IEP is signed by the student's parent.

2. CERTIFICATION AND LICENSES

CONTRACTOR shall be certified by the California Department of Education (hereinafter referred to as "CDE") as a NPS/A. All NPS/A services shall be provided consistent with the area of certification and licensure specified by CDE Certification and as defined in California Education Code, section 56366 et seq and within the professional scope of practice of each provider's license, certification, and/or credential. A current copy of CONTRACTOR's NPS/A certification or a waiver of such certification issued by the CDE pursuant to Education Code section 56366.2 must be provided to LEA on or before the date this Agreement is executed by CONTRACTOR. This Master Contract shall be null and void if such certification or waiver is expired, revoked, rescinded, or otherwise nullified during the effective period of this Master Contract.

Total student enrollment shall be limited to capacity as stated on CDE certification and in Section 24 of the Master Contract.

In addition to meeting the certification requirements of the State of California, a CONTRACTOR that operates a program outside of this State shall be certified and all staff persons providing services to pupils shall be certified and/or licensed by that state to provide, respectively, special education and related services and designated instruction and related services to pupils under the federal Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. Sec. 1400 et seq.).

If CONTRACTOR is a licensed children's institution (hereinafter referred to as "LCI"), CONTRACTOR shall be licensed by the state, or other public agency having delegated authority by contract with the state to license, to provide nonmedical care room and board to children, including, but not limited to, individuals with exceptional needs. The LCI must also comply with all licensing requirements relevant to the protection of the child, and have a special permit, if necessary, to meet the needs of each child so placed. If the CONTRACTOR operates a program outside of this State, CONTRACTOR must obtain all required licenses from the appropriate licensing agency in both California and in the state where the LCI is located.

With respect to CONTRACTOR's certification, failure to notify the LEA and CDE in writing of any changes in: (1) credentialed/licensed staff; (2) ownership; (3) management and/or control of the agency; (4) major modification or relocation of facilities; or (5) significant modification of the program may result in the suspension or revocation of CDE certification and/or suspension or termination of this Master Contract by the LEA.

3. COMPLIANCE WITH LAWS, STATUTES, REGULATIONS

During the term of this Master Contract, unless otherwise agreed, CONTRACTOR shall comply with all applicable federal, state, and local statutes, laws, ordinances, rules, policies and regulations. CONTRACTOR shall also comply with all applicable LEA policies and procedures unless, taking into consideration all of the surrounding facts and circumstances, a policy or policies or a portion of a policy does not reasonably apply to CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR hereby acknowledges and agrees that it accepts all risks and responsibilities for its failure to comply with LEA policies and shall indemnify LEA under the provisions of Section 16 of this Agreement for all liability, loss, damage and expense (including reasonable attorneys' fees) resulting from or arising out of CONTRACTOR's failure to comply with applicable LEA policies (e.g., those policies relating to; the provision of special education and/or related services, facilities for individuals with exceptional needs, student enrollment and transfer, student inactive status, corporal punishment, student discipline, and positive behavior interventions).

CONTRACTOR acknowledges and understands that LEA may report to the CDE any violations of the provisions of this Master Contract; and that this may result in the suspension and/or revocation of CDE nonpublic school/agency certification pursuant to California Education Code section 56366.4(a).

4. TERM OF MASTER CONTRACT

The term of this Master Contract shall be from July 1, 2025, to June 30, 2026 (Title 5 California Code of Regulations section 3062(a)) unless otherwise stated. Neither the CONTRACTOR nor the LEA is required to renew this Master Contract in subsequent contract years. The parties acknowledge that any subsequent Master Contract is to be re-negotiated prior to June 30, 2026 (Title 5 California Code of Regulations section 3062(d)). In the event the contract negotiations are not agreed to by June 30th, the most recently executed Master Contract will remain in effect for 90 days (Education Code 56366(c)(1)). If, after 60 days the master contract or individual services agreement has not been finalized, as prescribed in paragraph (1) of subdivision (a), either party may appeal to the county superintendent of schools, if the county superintendent of schools is not participating in the local plan involved in the nonpublic, nonsectarian school or agency contract; or the Superintendent, if the county superintendent of schools is participating in the local plan involved in the contract, to negotiate the contract. Within 30 days of receipt of this appeal, the county superintendent of schools or the Superintendent, or the individual designee, shall mediate the formulation of a contract, which shall be binding upon both parties (Education Code 56366 (c) (2)). No Master Contract will be offered unless and until all of the contracting requirements have been satisfied. The offer of a Master Contract to a CONTRACTOR is at the sole discretion of the LEA.

The provisions of this Master Contract apply to CONTRACTOR and any of its employees or independent contractors. Notice of any change in CONTRACTOR's ownership or authorized representative shall be provided in writing to LEA within thirty (30) calendar days of change of ownership or change of authorized representative.

5. INTEGRATION/CONTINUANCE OF CONTRACT FOLLOWING EXPIRATION OR TERMINATION

This Master Contract includes each ISA and they are incorporated herein by this reference. This Master Contract supersedes any prior or contemporaneous written or oral understanding or agreement. This Master Contract may be amended only by written amendment executed by both parties.

CONTRACTOR shall provide the LEA with information as requested in writing to secure a Master Contract or a renewal.

At a minimum, such information shall include copies of current teacher credentials and clearance, insurance documentation and CDE certification. The LEA may require additional information as applicable. If the application packet is not completed and returned to District, no Master Contract will be issued. If CONTRACTOR does not return the Master Contract to LEA duly signed by an authorized representative within ninety (90) calendar days of issuance by LEA, the new contract rates will not take effect until the newly executed Master Contract is received by LEA and will not be retroactive to the first day of the new Master Contract's effective date. If CONTRACTOR fails to execute the new Master Contract within such ninety-day period, all payments shall cease until such time as the new Master Contract for the current school year is signed and returned to LEA by CONTRACTOR. (California Education Code section 56366(c)(1) and (2)). In the event that this Master Contract expires or terminates, CONTRACTOR shall continue to be bound to all of the terms and conditions of the most recent executed Master Contract between CONTRACTOR and LEA for so long as CONTRACTOR is servicing authorized students at the discretion of the LEA

6. INDIVIDUAL SERVICE AGREEMENT ("ISA")

This Agreement shall include an ISA developed for each student to whom CONTRACTOR is to provide special education and/or related services. An ISA shall only be issued for students enrolled with the approval of the LEA pursuant to Education Code section 56366 (a)(2)(A). An ISA may be effective for more than one contract year provided that there is a concurrent Master Contract in effect. In the event that this Master Contract expires or terminates, CONTRACTOR, shall continue to be bound to all of the terms and conditions of the most recent executed ISAs between CONTRACTOR and LEA for so long as CONTRACTOR is servicing authorized students.

Any and all changes to a student's educational placement/program provided under this Master Contract and/or an ISA shall be made solely on the basis of a revision to the student's IEP or by written agreement between the parent and LEA. At any time during the term of this Master Contract, a student's parent, CONTRACTOR, or LEA may request a review of a student's IEP subject to all procedural safeguards required by law.

Unless otherwise provided in this Master Contract, the CONTRACTOR shall provide all services specified in the IEP unless the CONTRACTOR and the LEA agree otherwise in the ISA. (California Education Code sections 56366(a) (5) and 3062(e)). In the event the CONTRACTOR is unable to provide a specific service at any time during the life of the ISA, the CONTRACTOR shall notify the LEA in writing within five (5) business days of the last date a service was provided. CONTRACTOR shall provide any and all subsequent compensatory service hours awarded to student as a result of lack of provision of services while student was served by the NPS/A.

If a parent or LEA contests the termination of an ISA by initiating a due process proceeding with the OAH, CONTRACTOR shall abide by the "stay-put" requirement of state and federal law unless the parent agrees otherwise or an Interim Alternative Educational Setting is deemed lawful and appropriate by LEA or OAH

consistent with Section 1415 (k)(1)(7) of Title 20 of the United States Code. CONTRACTOR shall adhere to all LEA requirements concerning changes in placement.

Disagreements between LEA and CONTRACTOR concerning the formulation of an ISA or the Master Contract may be appealed to the County Superintendent of Schools of the County where the LEA is located, or the State Superintendent of Public Instruction pursuant to the provisions of California Education Code section 56366(c) (2).

7. DEFINITIONS

The following definitions shall apply for purposes of this contract:

a. The term "CONTRACTOR" means a nonpublic, nonsectarian school/agency certified by the California Department of Education and its officers, agents, and employees.

b. The term "authorized LEA representative" means a LEA administrator designated to be responsible for NPS/A. It is understood, a representative of the Special Education Local Plan Area (SELPA) of which the LEA is a member is an authorized LEA representative in collaboration with the LEA. The LEA maintains sole responsibility for this Contract, unless otherwise specified in this Contract.

c. The term "credential" means a valid credential, life diploma, permit, or document in special education or pupil personnel services issued by, or under the jurisdiction of, the State Board of Education if issued prior to 1970 or the California Commission on Teacher Credentialing, which entitles the holder thereof to perform services for which certification qualifications are required as defined in Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3001(g).

d. The term "qualified" means that a person holds a certificate, permit or other document equivalent to that which staff in a public school are required to hold to provide special education and related services and has met federal and state certification, licensing, registration, or other comparable requirements which apply to the area in which the individual is providing special education or related services, including those requirements set forth in Title 34 of the Code of Federal Regulations sections 200.56 and 200.58, and those requirements set forth in Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations Sections 3064 and 3065, and adheres to the standards of professional practice established in federal and state law or regulation, including the standards contained in the California Business and Professions Code.

Nothing in this definition shall be construed as restricting the activities in services of a graduate needing direct hours leading to licensure, or of a student teacher or intern leading to a graduate degree at an accredited or approved college or university, as authorized by state laws or regulations. (Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations Section 3001 (r)).

e The term "license" means a valid non-expired document issued by a licensing agency within the Department of Consumer Affairs or other state licensing office authorized to grant licenses and authorizing the bearer of the document to provide certain professional services or refer to themselves using a specified professional title including but not limited to mental health and board and care services at a residential placement. If a license is not available through an appropriate state licensing agency, a certificate of registration with the appropriate professional organization at the national or state level which has standards established for the certificate that are equivalent to a license shall be deemed to be a license as defined in Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3001(l).

f. "Parent" means:

i. a biological or adoptive parent; unless the biological or adoptive parent does not have legal authority to make educational decisions for the child,

ii. a guardian generally authorized to act as the child's parent or authorized to make educational decisions for the child,

iii. an individual acting in the place of a biological or adoptive parent, including a grandparent, stepparent, or other relative with whom the child lives, or an individual who is legally responsible for the child's welfare,

iv. a surrogate parent,

v. a foster parent if the authority of the biological or adoptive parent to make educational decisions on the child's behalf has been specifically limited by court order in accordance with Code of Federal Regulations 300.30(b)(1) or (2).

vi. Parent does not include the state or any political subdivision of government or the NPS/A under contract with the LEA for the provision of special education or designated instruction and services for a child. (California Education Code section 56028).

g. The term "days" means calendar days unless otherwise specified.

h. The phrase "billable day" means a school day in which instructional minutes meet or exceed those in comparable LEA programs.

i. The phrase "billable day of attendance" means a school day as defined in California Education Code Section 46307, in which a student is in attendance and in which instructional minutes meet or exceed those in comparable LEA programs unless otherwise stipulated in an IEP or ISA.

j. It is understood that the term "Master Contract" also means "Contract" and is referred to as such in this document.

ADMINISTRATION OF CONTRACT

8. NOTICES

All notices provided for by this Contract shall be in writing. Notices shall be mailed, emailed, or delivered by hand and shall be effective as of the date of receipt by addressee.

All notices mailed or emailed to LEA shall be addressed to the person and address as indicated on the signature page of this Master Contract. Notices to CONTRACTOR shall be addressed as indicated on signature page of this Master Contract.

9. MAINTENANCE OF RECORDS

All records shall be maintained by CONTRACTOR as required by state and federal laws and regulations. Notwithstanding the foregoing sentence, CONTRACTOR shall maintain all records for at least five (5) years after the termination of this Master Contract. For purposes of this Master Contract, "records" shall include, but not be limited to student records as defined by California Education Code section 49061(b) including electronically stored information; registers and roll books of teachers and/or daily service providers; daily service logs and notes and other documents used to record the provision of related services including supervision; daily service logs and notes used to record the provision of services provided through additional instructional assistants, NPA behavior intervention aides, and bus aides; behavior emergency reports (BER); incident reports; notification of injuries; absence verification records (parent/doctor notes, telephone logs, and related documents) if the CONTRACTOR is funded for excused absences, however, such records are not required if positive attendance is required; bus rosters; staff lists specifying credentials

held and documents evidencing other staff qualifications, social security numbers, dates of hire, and dates of termination; records of employee training and certification, , including verification of behavior training consistent with 56366.1; staff time sheets; non-paid staff and volunteer sign-in sheets; transportation and other related services subcontracts; school calendars; bell/class schedules when applicable; liability and worker's compensation insurance policies; state NPS/A certifications; by-laws, if applicable; lists of current board of directors/trustees, if incorporated; statement of income and expenses; general journals; cash receipts and disbursement books; general ledgers and supporting documents; documents evidencing financial expenditures; federal/state payroll quarterly reports; evidence of electronic payments; and bank statements and canceled checks or facsimile thereof.

CONTRACTOR shall maintain student records in a secure location to ensure confidentiality and prevent unauthorized access. CONTRACTOR shall maintain a current list of the names and positions of CONTRACTOR's employees who have access to confidential records. CONTRACTOR shall maintain an access log for each student's record which lists all persons, agencies, or organizations requesting or receiving information from the record. Such log shall be maintained as required by California Education Code section 49064 and include the name, title, agency/organization affiliation, date/time of access for each individual requesting or receiving information from the student's record, and a description of the record(s) provided. Such log needs to record access to the student's records by: (a) the student's parent; (b) an individual to whom written consent has been executed by the student's parent; or (c) employees of LEA or CONTRACTOR having a legitimate educational interest in requesting or receiving information from the record. CONTRACTOR/LEA shall maintain copies of any written parental concerns granting access to student records. For purposes of this paragraph, "employees of LEA or CONTRACTOR" do not include subcontractors.

CONTRACTOR shall grant the following access to student records, (a) the student's parent; (b) employees of LEA or CONTRACTOR having a legitimate educational interest in requesting or receiving information from the record, and comply with parents' requests for copies of student records, as required by state and federal laws and regulations. CONTRACTOR agrees, in the event of school or agency closure, to forward student records within ten (10) business days to LEA. These shall include, but not limited to, current transcripts, IEP/IFSPs, BER's, incident reports, notification of injuries and all other relevant reports. LEA and/or SELPA shall have access to and receive copies of any and all records upon request within five (5) business days.

10. SEVERABILITY CLAUSE

If any provision of this agreement is held, in whole or in part, to be unenforceable for any reason, the remainder of that provision and of the entire agreement shall be severable and remain in effect.

11. SUCCESSORS IN INTEREST

This contract binds CONTRACTOR's successors and assignees. CONTRACTOR shall notify the LEA of any change of ownership or corporate control.

12. VENUE AND GOVERNING LAW

The laws of the State of California shall govern the terms and conditions of this contract with venue in the County where the LEA is located.

13. MODIFICATIONS AND AMENDMENTS REQUIRED TO CONFORM TO LEGAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE GUIDELINES

This Master Contract may be modified or amended by the LEA to conform to administrative and statutory guidelines issued by any state, federal or local governmental agency. The party seeking such modification shall provide the LEA and/or CONTRACTOR thirty (30) days' notice of any such changes or modifications made to conform to administrative or statutory guidelines and a copy of the statute or regulation upon which the modification or changes are based.

14. TERMINATION

This Master Contract or ISA may be terminated for cause. The cause shall not be the availability of a public class initiated during the period of the contract unless the parent agrees to the transfer of the student to the public school program at an IEP team meeting.

To terminate the contract either party shall give no less than twenty (20) days prior written notice (California Education Code section 56366(a)(4)). At the time of termination, CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA any and all documents CONTRACTOR is required to maintain under this Master Contract. ISAs are void upon termination of this Master Contract, as provided in Section 5 or 6. CONTRACTOR or LEA may terminate an ISA for cause. To terminate the ISA, either party shall give twenty (20) days prior written notice.

15. INSURANCE

CONTRACTOR shall, at CONTRACTOR'S sole cost and expense, maintain in full force and effect, during the term of this Contract, the following insurance coverage from a California licensed and/or admitted insurer with an A minus (A-), VII, or better rating from A.M. Best, sufficient to cover any claims, damages, liabilities, costs and expenses (including counsel fees) arising out of or in connection with CONTRACTOR's fulfillment of any of its obligations under this Agreement or either party's use of the work or any component or part thereof:

PART I - INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS FOR NONPUBLIC SCHOOLS AND AGENCIES

A. **Commercial General Liability Insurance**, including both bodily injury and property damage, with limits as follows:

$2,000,000 per occurrence
$ 500,000 fire damage
$ 5,000 medical expenses
$1,000,000 personal & adv. injury
$3,000,000 general aggregate
$2,000,000 products/completed operations aggregate

The policy may not contain an exclusion for coverage of claims arising from claims for sexual molestation or abuse. In the event that CONTRACTOR's policy should have an exclusion for sexual molestation or abuse claims, then CONTRACTOR shall be required to procure a supplemental policy providing such coverage.

B. **Workers' Compensation Insurance** in accordance with provisions of the California Labor Code adequate to protect the CONTRACTOR from claims that may arise from its operations pursuant to the Workers' Compensation Act (Statutory Coverage). The Workers' Compensation Insurance coverage must also include Employers Liability coverage with limits of $1,000,000/$1,000,000/$1,000,000.

C. **Commercial Auto Liability Insurance** for all owned, non-owned or hired automobiles with a $1 million combined single limit.

If no owned automobiles, then only hired and non-owned is required.

If CONTRACTOR uses a vehicle to travel to/from school sites, between schools and/or to/from students' homes or other locations as approved service locations by the LEA, CONTRACTOR must comply with State of California auto insurance requirements.

D. **Errors & Omissions (E & O)/Malpractice (Professional Liability) coverage**, including Sexual Molestation and Abuse coverage, unless that coverage is afforded elsewhere in the Commercial General Liability policy by

endorsement or separate policy**,** with the following limits:

$1,000,000 per occurrence
$2,000,000 general aggregate

E. CONTRACTOR, upon execution of this Contract and periodically thereafter upon request, shall furnish the LEA with certificates of insurance evidencing such coverage. The certificate of insurance shall include a ten (10) day non-renewal notice provision. The Commercial General Liability and Automobile Liability policy shall name the LEA and the Board of Education additional insured's premiums on all insurance policies and shall be paid by CONTRACTOR and shall be deemed included in CONTRACTOR's obligations under this contract at no additional charge.

F. Any deductibles or self-insured retentions above $100,000 must be declared to and approved by the LEA. At its option, LEA may require the CONTRACTOR, at the CONTRACTOR's sole cost, to: (a) cause its insurer to reduce to levels specified by the LEA or eliminate such deductibles or self-insured retentions with respect to the LEA, its officials and employees, or (b) procure a bond guaranteeing payment of losses and related investigation.

G. For any claims related to the services performed in connection with this Master Contract, the CONTRACTOR's insurance coverage shall be the primary insurance with respect to the LEA, its subsidiaries, officials and employees. Any insurance or self-insurance maintained by the LEA, its subsidiaries, officials and employees shall be excess of the CONTRACTOR's insurance and shall not contribute with it.

H. All Certificates of Insurance must reference the contract number, name of the school or agency submitting the certificate, and the location of the school or agency submitting the certificate on the certificate.

PART II - INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS FOR NONPUBLIC SCHOOLS AFFILIATED WITH A RESIDENTIAL TREATMENT FACILITY ("RTC")

When CONTRACTOR is an NPS affiliated with a **residential treatment center (NPS/RTC**), the following insurance policies are required:

A. **Commercial General Liability** including both bodily injury and property damage, with limits as follows:

$3,000,000 per occurrence
$6,000,000 in General Aggregate**.**

The policy shall be endorsed to name the LEA and the Board of Education as *named* additional insured and shall provide specifically that any insurance carried by the LEA which may be applicable to any claims or loss shall be deemed excess and the RTC's insurance primary despite any conflicting provisions in the RTC's policy. Coverage shall be maintained with no Self-Insured Retention above $100,000 without the prior written approval of the LEA.

B. **Workers' Compensation Insurance** in accordance with provisions of the California Labor Code adequate to protect the RTC from claims that may arise from its operations pursuant to the Workers' Compensation Act (Statutory Coverage). The Workers' Compensation Insurance coverage must also include Employers Liability coverage with limits of $1,000,000/$1,000,000/$1,000,000.

C. **Commercial Auto Liability** coverage with limits of $1,000,000 Combined Single Limit per Occurrence if the RTC does not operate a student bus service. If the RTC provides student bus services, the required coverage limit is $5,000,000 Combined Single Limit per Occurrence.

D. **Fidelity Bond** or **Crime Coverage** shall be maintained by the RTC to cover all employees who process or otherwise have responsibility for RTC funds, supplies, equipment or other assets. Minimum amount of coverage shall be $250,000 per occurrence, with no self-insured retention.

E. **Professional Liability/Errors & Omissions/Malpractice** coverage with minimum limits of $3,000,000 per occurrence and $6,000,000 general aggregate.

F. **Sexual Molestation and Abuse Coverage**, unless that coverage is afforded elsewhere in the Commercial General Liability or Professional liability policy by endorsement, with minimum limits of $3,000,000 per occurrence and $6,000,000 general aggregate.

If LEA or CONTRACTOR determines that a change in insurance coverage obligations under this section is necessary, either party may reopen negotiations to modify the insurance obligations.

16. INDEMNIFICATION AND HOLD HARMLESS

To the fullest extent allowed by law, CONTRACTOR shall indemnify and hold LEA and its Board Members, administrators, employees, agents, attorneys, volunteers, and subcontractors ("LEA Indemnities") harmless against all liability, loss, damage and expense (including reasonable attorneys' fees) resulting from or arising out of this Master Contract or its performance, to the extent that such loss, expense, damage or liability was proximately caused by negligence, intentional act, or willful act or omission of CONTRACTOR, including, without limitation, its agents, employees, subcontractors or anyone employed directly or indirectly by it (excluding LEA and LEA Indemnities). The duty and obligation to defend shall arise immediately upon tender of a claim or lawsuit to the CONTRACTOR. The LEA and the Member District(s) shall have the right in their sole discretion to select counsel of its choice to provide the defense at the sole cost of the CONTRACTOR or the applicable insurance carrier.

To the fullest extent allowed by law, LEA shall indemnify and hold CONTRACTOR and its Board Members, administrators, employees, agents, attorneys, and subcontractors ("CONTRACTOR Indemnities") harmless against all liability, loss, damage and expense (including reasonable attorneys' fees) resulting from or arising out of this Master Contract or its performance thereof, to the extent that such loss, expense, damage or liability was proximately caused by the negligent, intentional act or willful act or omission of LEA, including, without limitation, its agents, employees, subcontractors or anyone employed directly or indirectly by it (excluding CONTRACTOR and/or any CONTRACTOR Indemnities).

LEA represents that it is self-insured in compliance with the laws of the State of California, that the self-insurance covers LEA employees acting within the course and scope of their respective duties and that its self-insurance covers the LEA's indemnification obligations under this Master Contract.

17. INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR

Nothing herein contained will be construed to imply a joint venture, partnership or principal-agent relationship between the LEA and CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR shall provide all services under this Contract as an independent contractor, and neither party shall have the authority to bind or make any commitment on behalf of the other. Nothing contained in this Contract shall be deemed to create any association, partnership, joint venture or relationship of principal and agent, master and servant, or employer and employee between the parties or any affiliates of the parties, or between the LEA and any individual assigned by CONTRACTOR to perform any services for the LEA.

If the LEA is determined to be a partner, joint venture, co-principal, employer or co-employer of CONTRACTOR, CONTRACTOR shall indemnify and hold harmless the LEA from and against any and all claims for loss, liability, or damages arising from that determination, as well as any expenses, costs, taxes, penalties and interest charges incurred by the LEA as a result of that holding.

18. SUBCONTRACTING

CONTRACTOR shall provide written notification to LEA before subcontracting for special education and/or related services pursuant to this Master Contract. In the event LEA determines that it can provide the subcontracted service(s) at a lower rate, LEA may elect to provide such service(s). If LEA elects to provide such service(s), LEA shall provide written notification to CONTRACTOR within five (5) days of receipt of CONTRACTOR's original notice and CONTRACTOR shall not subcontract for said service(s).

CONTRACTOR shall incorporate all of the provisions of this Master Contract in all subcontracts, to the fullest extent reasonably possible. Furthermore, when CONTRACTOR enters into subcontracts for the provision of special education and/or related services (including, but not limited to, transportation) for any student, CONTRACTOR shall cause each subcontractor to procure and maintain insurance during the term of each subcontract. Such subcontractor's insurance shall comply with the provisions of Section 15. Each subcontractor shall furnish the LEA with original endorsements and certificates of insurance effecting coverage required by Section 15. The endorsements are to be signed by a person authorized by that insurer to bind coverage on its behalf. The endorsements are to be on forms as required by the LEA. All endorsements are to be received and approved by the LEA before the subcontractor's work commences. The Commercial General Liability and Automobile Liability policies shall name the LEA/SELPA and the LEA Board of Education as additional insured.

As an alternative to the LEA's forms, a subcontractor's insurer may provide complete, certified copies of all required insurance policies, including endorsements affecting the coverage required by this Master Contract. All Certificates of Insurance must reference the LEA contract number, name of the school or agency submitting the certificate, indication if NPS or NPA, and the location of the school or agency submitting the certificate. In addition, all subcontractors must meet the requirements as contained in Section 44 Clearance Requirements and Section 45 Staff Qualifications of this Master Contract.

19. CONFLICTS OF INTEREST

CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA upon request a copy of its current bylaws and a current list of its Board of Directors (or Trustees), if it is incorporated. CONTRACTOR and any member of its Board of Directors (or Trustees) shall disclose any relationship with LEA that constitutes or may constitute a conflict of interest pursuant to California Education Code section 56042 and Government Code Section 1090 including, but not limited to, employment with LEA, provision of private party assessments and/or reports, and attendance at IEP team meetings acting as a student's advocate. Pursuant to California Education code section 56042, an attorney or advocate for a parent of an individual with exceptional needs shall not recommend placement at CONTRACTOR's facility if the attorney or advocate is employed or contracted by the CONTRACTOR, or will receive a benefit from the CONTRACTOR, or otherwise has a conflict of interest.

The LEA shall neither execute an ISA with CONTRACTOR nor amend an existing ISA for a student when a recommendation for special education and/or related services is based in whole or in part on assessment(s) or reports provided by CONTRACTOR to the student without prior written authorization by LEA. This paragraph shall apply to CONTRACTOR regardless of when an assessment is performed or a report is prepared (i.e., before or after the student is enrolled in CONTRACTOR's school/agency) or whether an assessment of the student is performed or a report is prepared in the normal course of the services provided to the student by CONTRACTOR. To avoid conflict of interest, and in order to ensure the appropriateness of an Independent Educational Evaluation (hereinafter referred to as "IEE") and its recommendations, the LEA may not fund an IEE by an evaluator who provides ongoing service(s) or is sought to provide service(s) to the student for whom the IEE is requested. Likewise, the LEA may not fund services through the evaluator whose IEE the LEA agrees to fund. When no other appropriate assessor is available, LEA may request and if CONTRACTOR agrees, the CONTRACTOR may provide an IEE.

CONTRACTOR shall not admit a student living within the jurisdictional boundaries of the LEA on a private pay or tuition free "scholarship" basis and concurrently or subsequently advise/request parent(s) to pursue funding for the admitted school year from the LEA through due process proceedings.

20. NON-DISCRIMINATION

CONTRACTOR shall not, in employment or operation of its programs, unlawfully discriminate on the basis of gender, nationality, national origin, ancestry, race, color, ethnicity, ethnic group affiliation, religion, age, marital status, pregnancy or parental status, sex, sexual orientation, gender, gender identity or expression, physical or mental disability, genetic information or any other classification protected by federal or state law or the perception of one or more of such characteristics or association with a person or group with one or more of these actual or perceived characteristics.

EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM

21. FREE AND APPROPRIATE PUBLIC EDUCATION (FAPE)

The LEA shall provide CONTRACTOR with a copy of the IEP including the Individualized Transition Plan (hereinafter referred to as "ITP") of each student served by CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR shall provide special education and/or related services (including transition services) to each student within the NPS/A consistent with the student's IEP and as specified in the ISA. If CONTRACTOR is a NPS, CONTRACTOR shall not accept a student if it cannot provide or ensure the provision of the services outlined in the student's IEP. If student services are provided by a third party (i.e. Related Services Provider), CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA if provision of services cease.

Unless otherwise agreed to between CONTRACTOR and LEA, CONTRACTOR shall be responsible for the provision of all appropriate supplies, equipment, and/or facilities, as specified in the student's IEP and ISA. CONTRACTOR shall make no charge of any kind to parents for special education and/or related services as specified in the student's IEP and ISA (including, but not limited to, screenings, assessments, or interviews that occur prior to or as a condition of the student's enrollment under the terms of this Master Contract). LEA shall provide low incidence equipment for eligible students with low incidence disabilities when specified in the student's IEP and ISA. Such equipment remains the property of the SELPA/LEA and shall be returned to the SELPA/LEA when the IEP team determines the equipment is no longer needed or when the student is no longer enrolled in the NPS. CONTRACTOR shall ensure that facilities are adequate to provide LEA students with an environment which meets all pertinent health and safety regulations. CONTRACTOR may charge a student's parent(s) for services and/or activities not necessary for the student to receive a free appropriate public education after: (a) written notification to the student's parent(s) of the cost and voluntary nature of the services and/or activities; and (b) receipt by the LEA of the written notification and a written acknowledgment signed by the student's parent(s) of the cost and voluntary nature of the services and/or activities. CONTRACTOR shall adhere to all LEA requirements concerning parent acknowledgment of financial responsibility.

Voluntary services and/or activities not necessary for the student to receive a free appropriate public education shall not interfere with the student's receipt of special education and/or related services as specified in the student's IEP and ISA unless the LEA, CONTRACTOR, and PARENT agree otherwise in writing.

22. GENERAL PROGRAM OF INSTRUCTION

All NPS/A services shall be provided consistent with the area of certification specified by CDE Certification and as defined in California Education Code section 56366 et seq...

When CONTRACTOR is a NPS, CONTRACTOR's general program of instruction shall: (a) utilize evidence-based practices and be consistent with LEA's standards regarding the particular course of study and curriculum; (b) include curriculum that addresses mathematics, literacy and the use of educational, assistive technology and transition services; (c) be consistent with CDE's standards regarding the particular course of study and curriculum; (d) provide the services as specified in the student's IEP and ISA. Students shall have access to: (a) State Board of Education (SBE) - adopted Common Core State Standards ("CCSS") for curriculum and the same instructional materials for kindergarten and grades 1 to 8, inclusive; and provide standards – aligned core curriculum and instructional materials for grades 9 to 12, inclusive, used by an LEA, that contracts with the NPS: (b) college preparation courses; (c) extracurricular activities, such as art, sports, music and academic clubs; (d) career preparation and vocational training, consistent with transition plans pursuant to state and federal law and; (e) supplemental assistance, including individual academic tutoring, psychological counseling, and career and college counseling.

When CONTRACTOR serves students in grades 9 through 12 inclusive, LEA shall provide to CONTRACTOR a specific list of the course requirements to be satisfied by the CONTRACTOR leading toward graduation or completion of LEA's diploma requirements. CONTRACTOR shall not award a high school diploma to students who have not successfully completed all of the LEA's graduation requirements.

When CONTRACTOR is a NPA and/or related services provider, CONTRACTOR's general program of instruction and/or services shall utilize evidence-based practices and be consistent with LEA and CDE guidelines and certification, and provided as specified in the student's IEP and ISA. The NPA providing Behavior Intervention services shall develop a written plan that specifies the nature of their NPA service for each student within thirty (30) days of enrollment and shall be provided in writing to the LEA. School-based services may not be unilaterally converted by CONTRACTOR to a substitute program or provided at a location not specifically authorized by the IEP team. Except for services provided by a CONTRACTOR that is a Licensed Children's Institution (LCI), all services not provided in the school setting require the presence of a parent, guardian or adult caregiver during the delivery of services, provided such guardian or caregiver have a signed authorization by the parent or legal guardian to authorize emergency services as requested. LCI CONTRACTORS shall ensure that appropriate and qualified residential or clinical staff is present during the provision of services under this Master Contract. CONTRACTOR shall immediately notify LEA in writing if no parent, guardian or adult caregiver is present. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA a written description of the services and location provided prior to the effective date of this Master Contract. CONTRACTORS providing Behavior Intervention services must have a trained behaviorist or trained equivalent on staff. It is understood that Behavior Intervention services are limited per CDE Certification and do not constitute as an instructional program.

When CONTRACTOR is a NPA, CONTRACTOR shall not provide transportation nor subcontract for transportation services for students unless the LEA and CONTRACTOR agree otherwise in writing.

23. INSTRUCTIONAL MINUTES

When CONTRACTOR is a NPS, the total number of instructional minutes per school day provided by CONTRACTOR shall be at least equivalent to the number of instructional minutes per school day provided to students at like grade level attending LEA schools and shall be specified in the student's ISA developed in accordance with the student's IEP.

For students in grades kindergarten through 12 inclusive, unless otherwise specified in the student's IEP and ISA, the number of instructional minutes, excluding breakfast, recess, lunch and passing time shall be at the same level that Ed. Code prescribes for the LEA.

The total number of annual instructional minutes shall be at least equivalent to the total number of annual instructional minutes provided to students attending LEA schools in like grade level unless otherwise specified in the student's IEP.

When CONTRACTOR is a NPA and/or related services provider, the total number of minutes per school day provided by CONTRACTOR shall be specified in the student's ISA developed in accordance with the student's IEP.

24. CLASS SIZE

When CONTRACTOR is a NPS, CONTRACTOR shall ensure that class size shall not exceed a ratio of one teacher per twelve (12) students, unless CONTRACTOR and LEA agree otherwise in writing. Upon prior written approval by an authorized LEA representative, class size may be temporarily increased by a ratio of 1 teacher to fourteen (14) students when necessary, during the regular or extended school year to provide services to students with disabilities.

In the event a NPS is unable to fill a vacant teaching position responsible for direct instruction to students, and the vacancy has direct impact on the CDE Certification of that school, the NPS shall develop a plan to ensure appropriate coverage of students by first utilizing existing certificated staff. The NPS and the LEA may agree to one 30 school day period per contract year where class size may be increased to ensure

coverage by an appropriately credentialed teacher. Such an agreement shall be in writing and signed by both parties. This provision does not apply to a NPA.

CONTRACTOR providing special education instruction for individuals with exceptional needs between the ages of three and five years, inclusive, shall also comply with the appropriate instructional adult to child ratios pursuant to California Education Code sections 56440 et seq.

25. CALENDARS

When CONTRACTOR is an NPS, CONTRACTOR shall submit to the LEA/SELPA a school calendar with the total number of billable days not to exceed 180 days, plus extended school year billable days equivalent to the number of days determined by the LEA's extended school year calendar. Billable days shall include only those days that are included on the submitted and approved school calendar, and/or required by the IEP (developed by the LEA) for each student. CONTRACTOR shall not be allowed to change its school calendar and/or amend the number of billable days without the prior written approval of the LEA. Nothing in this Master Contract shall be interpreted to require the LEA to accept any requests for calendar changes.

Unless otherwise specified by the student's IEP, educational services shall occur at the school site. A student shall only be eligible for extended school year services as determined by the IEP team and the provision of such is specifically included in the ISA. Extended school year shall consist of twenty (20) instructional days, unless otherwise agreed upon by the IEP team convened by the LEA. Any days of extended school year in excess of twenty (20) billable days must be mutually agreed to, in writing, prior to the start of the extended school year.

Student must have actually been in attendance during the regular school year and/or during extended school year and received services on a billable day of attendance in order for CONTRACTOR to be eligible for payment. It is specifically understood that services may not be provided on weekends/holidays and other times when school is not in session, unless agreed to by the LEA, in writing, in advance of the delivery of any NPS service. Any instructional days provided without this written agreement shall be at the sole financial responsibility of the CONTRACTOR.

CONTRACTOR shall observe the same legal holidays as LEA. Those holidays are Labor Day, Veteran's Day, Thanksgiving Day, Christmas Day, New Year's Day, Martin Luther King Jr. Day, President's Day, Memorial Day, Juneteenth, and Independence Day. With the approval of LEA, CONTRACTOR may revise the date upon which CONTRACTOR closes in observance of any of the holidays observed by the LEA.

When CONTRACTOR is a NPA, CONTRACTOR shall be provided with a LEA-developed/approved calendar prior to the initiation of services. CONTRACTOR herein agrees to observe holidays as specified in the LEA-developed/approved calendar. CONTRACTOR shall provide services pursuant to the LEA-developed/approved calendar; or as specified in the LEA student's IEP and ISA. Unless otherwise specified in the LEA student's ISA, CONTRACTOR shall provide related services to LEA students on only those days that the LEA student's school of attendance is in session and the LEA student attends school. CONTRACTOR shall bill only for services provided on billable days of attendance as indicated on the LEA calendar unless CONTRACTOR and the LEA agree otherwise, in writing. Student must have actually been in attendance and/or received services on a billable day of attendance in order for CONTRACTOR to be eligible for payment. It is specifically understood that services may not be provided on weekends/holidays and other times when school is not in session, unless agreed to by the LEA, in writing, in advance of the delivery of any NPA service provided by CONTRACTOR. Any instructional days provided without this written agreement shall be at the sole financial responsibility of the CONTRACTOR.

26. DATA REPORTING

CONTRACTOR shall agree to provide to the LEA all data related to student information and billing information with LEA. CONTRACTOR shall agree to provide data related to all sections of this contract, including student discipline as noted below, and requested by and in the format required by the LEA. It is understood that all NPS/A shall utilize the LEA approved electronic IEP system for all IEP development, service tracking documentation, and progress reporting, unless otherwise agreed to by the LEA. Additional

progress reporting may be required by the LEA. The LEA shall provide the CONTRACTOR with appropriate software, user training and proper internet permissions to allow adequate access.

Using forms developed by the CDE or as otherwise mutually agreed upon by CONTRACTOR and LEA, CONTRACTOR shall provide LEA, on a monthly basis, a written report of all incidents in which a statutory offense is committed by any LEA student, regardless if it results in a disciplinary action of suspension or expulsion. This includes all statutory offenses as described in Education Code sections 48900 and 48915. CONTRACTOR shall also include incidents resulting in the use of a behavioral restraint and/or seclusion even if they were not a result of a violation of Education Code sections 48900 and 48915.

The LEA shall provide the CONTRACTOR with approved forms and/or format for such data including, but not limited to, invoicing, attendance reports and progress reports. The LEA may approve use of CONTRACTOR'S provided forms at their discretion.

27. LEAST RESTRICTIVE ENVIRONMENT/DUAL ENROLLMENT

CONTRACTOR and LEA shall follow all LEA policies and procedures that support Least Restrictive Environment ("LRE") options and/or dual enrollment options if available and appropriate, for students to have access to the general curriculum and to be educated with their nondisabled peers to the maximum extent appropriate.

CONTRACTOR and LEA shall ensure that LRE placement options are addressed at all IEP team meetings regarding students for whom ISAs have been or may be executed. This shall include IEP team consideration of supplementary aids and services, goals and objectives necessary for placement in the LRE and necessary to enable students to transition to less restrictive settings.

When an IEP team has determined that a student should be transitioned into the public school setting, CONTRACTOR shall assist the LEA in implementing the IEP team's recommended activities to support the transition.

28. STATEWIDE ACHIEVEMENT TESTING

When CONTRACTOR is a NPS, per implementation of Senate Bill 484, CONTRACTOR shall administer all statewide assessments within the California Assessment of Student Performance and Progress ("CAASPP"), Desired Results Developmental Profile ("DRDP"), California Alternative Assessment ("CAA"), achievement and abilities tests (using LEA-authorized assessment instruments), the Fitness Gram, , the English Language Proficiency Assessments for California ("ELPAC"), the Alternative English Language Proficiency Assessments for California ("Alternative ELPAC"), and as appropriate to the student, and mandated by LEA pursuant to LEA and state and federal guidelines.

CONTRACTOR is subject to the alternative accountability system developed pursuant to Education Code section 52052, in the same manner as public schools. Each LEA student placed with CONTRACTOR by the LEA shall be tested by qualified staff of CONTRACTOR in accordance with that accountability program. LEA shall provide test administration training to CONTRACTOR'S qualified staff. CONTRACTOR shall attend LEA test training and comply with completion of all coding requirements as required by LEA.

29. MANDATED ATTENDANCE AT LEA MEETINGS

CONTRACTOR shall attend District mandated meetings when legal mandates, and/or LEA policy and procedures are reviewed, including but not limited to the areas of: curriculum, high school graduation, standards-based instruction, behavior intervention, cultural and linguistic needs of students with disabilities, dual enrollment responsibilities, LRE responsibilities, transition services, data collection, and standardized testing and IEPs. LEA shall provide CONTRACTOR with reasonable notice of mandated meetings. Attendance at such meetings does not constitute a billable service hour(s).

30. POSITIVE BEHAVIOR INTERVENTIONS AND SUPPORTS

CONTRACTOR shall comply with the requirements of Education Code section 49005, et seq., 56521.1 and 56521.2. LEA students who exhibit behaviors that interfere with their learning or the learning of others must receive timely and appropriate assessments and positive supports and interventions in accordance with the federal law and it's implementing regulations. If the IEP team determines that a student's behavior impedes the individual learning or the learning of others, the IEP team is required to consider the use of positive behavioral interventions and supports, and other strategies, to address that behavior, consistent with Section 1414(d)(3)(B)(i) and (d)(4) of Title 20 of the United States Code and associated federal regulations. This could mean that instead of developing a Behavior Intervention Plan ("BIP"), the IEP team may conclude it is sufficient to address the student's behavioral problems through the development of behavioral goals and behavioral interventions to support those goals.

CONTRACTOR shall maintain a written policy pursuant to California Education Code section 56521.1 regarding emergency interventions and behavioral emergency reports. CONTRACTOR shall ensure that all of its staff members are trained in crisis intervention, emergency procedures, and evidenced-based practices and interventions specific to the unique behavioral needs of the CONTRACTOR's pupil population. The training shall be provided within 30 days of employment to new staff who have any contact or interaction with pupils during the school day, and annually to all staff who have any contact or interaction with pupils during the school day. The CONTRACTOR shall select and conduct the training in accordance with California Education Code section 56366.1. CONTRACTOR shall maintain written records of the training and provide written verification of the training annually and upon request.

Pursuant to Education Code section 56521.1, emergency interventions shall not be used as a substitute for a BIP, and shall not be employed longer than necessary to contain the behavior. Emergency interventions may only be used to control unpredictable, spontaneous behavior that poses clear and present danger of serious physical harm to the individual with exceptional needs, or others, and that cannot be immediately prevented by a response less restrictive than the temporary application of a technique used to contain the behavior. If a situation requires prolonged use of emergency intervention, staff must seek assistance from the school site administrator or a law enforcement agency.

CONTRACTOR shall complete a behavior emergency report when an emergency occurs that is defined as a serious, dangerous behavior that staff has determined to present a clear and present danger to others. It requires a non-violent physical intervention to protect the safety of student, self, or others and a physical intervention has been used; or a physical intervention has not been used, but an injury or serious property damage has occurred. Personal Safety Techniques may or may not have been used. Emergencies require a behavior emergency report form be completed and submitted to the LEA within twenty-four (24) hours for administrative action. CONTRACTOR shall notify Parent within twenty-four (24) hours via telephone. If the student's IEP does not contain a BIP, an IEP team shall schedule a meeting to review the behavior emergency report, determine if there is a necessity for a functional behavioral assessment, and to determine an interim plan. If the student already has a BIP, the IEP team shall review and modify the BIP if a new serious behavior has been exhibited or existing behavioral interventions have proven to be ineffective. CONTRACTOR shall schedule with LEA an IEP meeting within two (2) days.

Pursuant to Education Code section 56521.2, CONTRACTOR shall not authorize, order, consent to, or pay for the following interventions, or any other interventions similar to or like the following:

1. any intervention that is designed to, or likely to, cause physical pain, including, but not limited to, electric-shock;
2. an intervention that involves the release of noxious, toxic, or otherwise unpleasant sprays, mists, or substances in proximity to the face of the individual;
3. an intervention that denies adequate sleep, food, water, shelter, bedding, physical comfort, or access to bathroom facilities;
4. an intervention that is designed to subject, used to subject, or likely to subject, the individual to verbal abuse, ridicule, or humiliation, or that can be expected to cause excessive emotional trauma; restrictive interventions that employ a device, material, or objects that simultaneously immobilize all four extremities,
5. Prone restraint;

6. locked seclusion, unless it is in a facility otherwise licensed or permitted by state law to use a locked room;
7. an intervention that precludes adequate supervision of the individual;
8. an intervention that deprives the individual of one or more of the individual's senses.

CONTRACTOR shall comply with Education Code sections 49005.8, 56521.1 and 56521.2. Specifically, Contractor shall not do any of the following:

1. Use seclusion or a behavioral restraint for the purpose of coercion, discipline, convenience, or retaliation.
2. Use locked seclusion, unless it is in a facility otherwise licensed or permitted by state law to use a locked room.
3. Use a physical restraint technique that obstructs a pupil's respiratory airway or impairs the pupil's breathing or respiratory capacity, including techniques in which a staff member places pressure on a pupil's back or places the individual's body weight against the pupil's torso or back.
4. Use a behavioral restraint technique that restricts breathing, including, but not limited to, using a pillow, blanket, carpet, mat, or other item to cover a pupil's face.
5. Place a pupil in a facedown position with the pupil's hands held or restrained behind the pupil's back
6. Use prone containment.
7. Use a behavioral restraint for longer than is necessary to contain the behavior that poses a clear and present danger of serious physical harm to the pupil or others.

CONTRACTOR shall keep constant, direct observation of a pupil who is in seclusion, which may be through observation of the pupil through a window, or another barrier, through which the educational provider is able to make direct eye contact with the pupil. This observation shall not be through indirect means, including through a security camera or a closed-circuit television.

CONTRACTOR shall afford pupils who are restrained the least restrictive alternative and the maximum freedom of movement, and shall use the least number of restraint points, while ensuring the physical safety of the pupil and others.

In the case of a child whose behavior impedes the child's learning or that of others, the IEP team shall consider the use of positive behavioral interventions and supports, and other strategies, to address that behavior, consistent with Section 1414(d)(3)(B)(i) and (d)(4) of Title 20 of the United States Code and associated federal regulations.

All restraint practices must be reviewed and revised when they have an adverse effect on a student and are used repeatedly for an individual child, either on multiple occasions within the same classroom or multiple uses by the same individual. CONTRACTOR shall notify the student's parent/guardian when any type of physical or mechanical restraint or seclusion has been used. Upon the use of any type of physical or mechanical restraint or seclusions of an LEA student, CONTRACTOR shall complete a BER per the reporting and notification requirements listed above.

31. STUDENT DISCIPLINE

CONTRACTOR shall maintain and abide by a written policy for student discipline that is consistent with state and federal law and regulations. Using forms developed by the California Department of Education or as otherwise mutually agreed upon by CONTRACTOR and LEA, CONTRACTOR shall provide LEA, on a monthly basis, a written report of all incidents in which a statutory offense is committed by any LEA student, regardless if it results in a disciplinary action of suspension or expulsion. This includes all statutory offenses as described in Education Codes 48900 and 48915.CONTRACTOR shall also include incidents resulting in the use of a behavioral restraint and/or seclusion even if they were not a result of a violation of Education Code Sections 48900 and 48915.

When CONTRACTOR seeks to remove a student from his/her current educational placement for disciplinary reasons, CONTRACTOR shall immediately submit a written discipline report to the LEA. Written discipline reports shall include, but not be limited to: the student's name; the time, date, and description of the misconduct; the disciplinary action taken by CONTRACTOR; and the rationale for such

disciplinary action. A copy of the student's behavior plan, if any, shall be submitted with the written discipline report. CONTRACTOR and LEA agree to participate in a manifestation determination at an IEP meeting no later than the tenth (10^{th}) day of suspension

32. IEP TEAM MEETINGS

An IEP team meeting shall be convened at least annually to evaluate: (1) the educational progress of each student placed with CONTRACTOR, including all state assessment results pursuant to the requirements of Education Code section 52052; (2) whether or not the needs of the student continue to be best met at the NPS; and (3) whether changes to the student's IEP are necessary, including whether the student may be transitioned to a public school setting. (California Education Code sections 56366 (a) (2) (B) (i) and (ii)) and pursuant to California Education Code section 56345 (b) (4).)

If the LEA student is to be transferred from a NPS setting into a regular class setting in a public school for any part of the school day, the IEP team shall document a description of activities provided to integrate the student into the regular education program, including the nature of each activity as well as the time spent on the activity each day or week and a description of the activities provided to support the transition of the student from the special education program into the regular education program. Each student shall be allowed to provide confidential input to any representative of the individual IEP team. Except as otherwise provided in the Master Contract, CONTRACTOR and LEA shall participate in all IEP team meetings regarding students for whom ISAs have been or may be executed. At any time during the term of this Master Contract, the parent, the CONTRACTOR or the LEA may request a review of the student's IEP, subject to all procedural safeguards required by law, including reasonable notice given to, and participation of, the CONTRACTOR in the meeting. Every effort shall be made to schedule IEP team meetings at a time and place that is mutually convenient to parent, CONTRACTOR and LEA. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA assessments and written assessment reports by service providers upon request and/or pursuant to LEA policy and procedures. It is understood that attendance at an IEP meeting is part of CONTRACTOR'S professional responsibility and is not a billable service under this Master Contract.

It is understood that the CONTRACTOR shall utilize the approved electronic IEP system of the LEA for all IEP planning and progress reporting at the LEA's discretion. The LEA or SELPA may provide training for any CONTRACTOR to ensure access to the approved system. The CONTRACTOR shall maintain confidentiality of all IEP data on the approved system and shall protect the password requirements of the system. When a student dis-enrolls from the NPS/NPA, the NPS/NPA and LEA shall discontinue use of the approved system for that student.

Changes in any student's educational program, including instruction, services, or instructional setting provided under this Master Contract, may only be made on the basis of revisions to the student's IEP. In the event that the CONTRACTOR believes the student requires a change of placement, the CONTRACTOR may request a review of the student's IEP for the purposes of consideration of a change in the student's placement. Student is entitled to remain in the last agreed upon and implemented placement unless parent agrees otherwise or an Interim Alternative Educational Setting is deemed lawful and appropriate by LEA or OAH consistent with Section 1415 (k)(1)(7) of Title 20 of the United States Code.

33. SURROGATE PARENTS AND FOSTER YOUTH

CONTRACTOR shall recognize an LEA appointed surrogate parent assignments for students without parental representation, including unaccompanied homeless youths, in special education procedures pursuant to California Government Code Section 7579.5. Surrogate parents shall serve as the child's parent and have all the rights relative to the student's education that a parent has under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act pursuant to *20 USC 1414-1482 and 34 CFR 300.1-300.756.* A pupil in foster care shall be defined pursuant to California Education Code section 42238.01(b). The LEA shall annually notify the CONTRACTOR who the LEA has designated as the educational liaison for foster children. When a pupil in foster care is enrolled in a NPS by the LEA any time after the completion of the pupil's second year of high school, the CONTRACTOR shall schedule the pupil in courses leading towards graduation based on the diploma requirements of the LEA unless provided notice otherwise in writing pursuant to Section 51225.1.

34. DUE PROCESS PROCEEDINGS

CONTRACTOR shall fully participate in special education due process proceedings including mediations and hearings, as requested by LEA. Participation further includes the willingness to make CONTRACTOR's staff available for witness preparation and testimony as is necessary to facilitate a due process hearing. CONTRACTOR shall also fully participate in the investigation and provision of documentation related to any complaint filed with the State of California, the Office of Civil Rights, or any other state and/or federal governmental body or agency. Full participation shall include, but in no way be limited to, cooperating with LEA representatives to provide complete answers raised by any investigator and/or the immediate provision of any and all documentation that pertains to the operation of CONTRACTOR's program and/or the implementation of a particular student's IEP/Individual and Family Service Plan ("IFSP").

35. COMPLAINT PROCEDURES

CONTRACTOR shall maintain and adhere to its own written procedures for responding to parent complaints. These procedures shall include annually notifying and providing parents of students with appropriate information (including complaint forms) for the following: (1) Uniform Complaint Procedures pursuant to Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 4600 *et seq*.; (2) Nondiscrimination policy pursuant to Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 4960 (a); (3) Sexual Harassment Policy, California Education Code 231.5 (a) (b) (c); (4) Title IX Student Grievance Procedure, Title IX 106.8 (a) (d) and 106.9 (a); and (5) Notice of Privacy Practices in compliance with Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act ("HIPAA"). CONTRACTOR shall include verification of these procedures to the LEA. CONTRACTOR shall immediately notify LEA of any complaints filed against it related to LEA students and provide LEA with all documentation related to the complaints and/or its investigation of complaints, including any and all reports generated as a result of an investigation.

36. STUDENT PROGRESS REPORTS/REPORT CARDS AND ASSESSMENTS

Unless LEA requests in writing that progress reports be provided on a monthly basis, CONTRACTOR shall provide to parents at least four (4) written progress reports/report cards. At a minimum, progress reports shall include progress over time towards IEP goals and objectives. A copy of the progress reports/report cards shall be maintained at the CONTRACTOR's place of business and shall be submitted to the LEA and LEA student's parent(s) quarterly.

The CONTRACTOR shall also provide an LEA representative access to supporting documentation used to determine progress on any goal or objective, including but not limited to log sheets, observation notes, data sheets, pre/post tests, rubrics and other similar data collection used to determine progress or lack of progress on approved goals, objectives, transition plans or behavior intervention plans. The LEA may request such data at any time within five (5) years of the date of service. The CONTRACTOR shall provide this data supporting progress within five (5) business days of request. Additional time may be granted as needed by the LEA.

CONTRACTOR shall complete academic or other evaluations of the student ten (10) days prior to the student's annual or triennial review IEP team meeting for the purpose of reporting the student's present levels of performance at the IEP team meeting as required by state and federal laws and regulations and pursuant to LEA policies, procedures, and/or practices. CONTRACTOR shall provide sufficient copies of its reports, documents, and projected goals to share with members of the IEP team five (5) business days prior to the IEP meeting. CONTRACTOR shall maintain supporting documentation such as test protocols and data collection, which shall be made available to LEA within five (5) business days of request.

The CONTRACTOR is responsible for all evaluation costs regarding the updating of goals and objectives, progress reporting and development of present levels of performance. All assessments resulting from an assessment plan shall be provided by the LEA unless the LEA specifies in writing a request that CONTRACTOR perform such additional assessment. Any assessment and/or evaluation costs may be added to the ISA and/or approved separately by the LEA at the LEA's sole discretion.

It is understood that all billable hours must be in direct services to pupils as specified in the ISA. For NPA services, supervision provided by a qualified individual as specified in Title 5 Regulation, subsection 3065, shall be determined as appropriate and included in the ISA. Supervision means the direct observation of services, data review, case conferencing and program design consistent with professional standards for each professional's license, certification, or credential.

CONTRACTOR shall not charge the student's parent(s) or LEA for the provision of progress reports, report cards, evaluations conducted in order to obtain present levels of performance, interviews, and/or meetings. It is understood that all billable hours have limits to those specified on the ISA consistent with the IEP. It is understood that copies of data collection notes, forms, charts and other such data are part of the pupil's record and shall be made available to the LEA upon written request.

37. GRADES, HIGH SCHOOL COURSE CREDITS, & TRANSCRIPTS

When CONTRACTOR is a NPS, CONTRACTOR is responsible for assigning grades for any course of instruction taught at the NPS. The grades determined by the pupil's teacher, in the absence of clerical or mechanical mistake, fraud, bad faith, or incompetency, shall be final and consistent with the provisions specified in EC Section 49066. The grades each pupil receives in all courses of instruction taught by the NPS shall be reported to the parents and the LEA on a quarterly basis. Consistent with the LEA, should it become evident to the NPS the pupil is in danger of failing a course, the CONTRACTOR must initiate a parent conference, and the LEA representative must be in attendance.

When CONTRACTOR serves students in grades nine (9) through twelve (12) inclusive, LEA shall provide to CONTRACTOR a specific list of the course requirements to be satisfied by the CONTRACTOR leading toward graduation or completion of LEA's diploma requirements. CONTRACTOR shall not recommend awarding a high school diploma to students who have not successfully completed all of the LEA's graduation requirements.

Pupils enrolled in high school during the 2020-2021 academic year may request a Pass or No Pass grade as permitted in EC Section 49066.5, which may be reflected on the student's transcript and shall not negatively affect the pupil's grade point average.

CONTRACTOR shall prepare transcripts at the close of each semester, or upon student transfer, for students in grades nine (9) through twelve (12) inclusive, and submit them on LEA approved forms to the student's school of residence for evaluation of progress toward completion of diploma requirements as specified in LEA Procedures. CONTRACTOR shall submit to the LEA names of students and their schools of residence for whom transcripts have been submitted as specified by the LEA.

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Effective July 1, 2025, if determined appropriate by the pupil's IEP team, beginning when the pupil starts their high school experience and not later than when the pupil is 16 years of age or younger, as appropriate, and annually thereafter, a statement of needed transition services shall be included in the pupil's individualized education program. If the individualized education program team determines that the pupil would benefit from the postponement of the inclusion of appropriate measurable postsecondary goals and transition services until 16 years of age, rather than when the pupil begins their high school experience, the individualized education program team shall appropriately justify the basis for that postponement. (EC section 56043(h).)

38. STUDENT CHANGE OF RESIDENCE

Within five (5) school days from the date CONTRACTOR becomes aware of a student's change of residence, CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA, in writing, of the student's change of residence. Upon enrollment, CONTRACTOR shall notify parents in writing of their obligation to notify CONTRACTOR of the student's change of residence. CONTRACTOR shall maintain, and provide upon request by LEA, documentation of such notice to parents.

If CONTRACTOR had knowledge or should reasonably have had knowledge of the student's change of residence boundaries and CONTRACTOR fails to follow the procedures specified in this provision, LEA shall not be responsible for the costs of services delivered following the student's change of residence.

39. WITHDRAWAL OF STUDENT FROM PROGRAM

CONTRACTOR shall immediately report electronically and in writing to the LEA within five (5) business days when an LEA student is withdrawn without prior notice from school and/or services, including student's change of residence to a residence outside of LEA service boundaries, and parent/guardian withdrawal of student against professional advice from a NPS/RTC.

40. PARENT ACCESS

CONTRACTOR shall provide for reasonable parental access to students and all facilities including, but not limited to, the instructional setting, recreational activity areas, meeting rooms and student living quarters, when applicable. CONTRACTOR shall comply with any known court orders regarding parental visits and access to LEA students.

CONTRACTOR operating programs associated with a NPS/RTC shall cooperate with a parent's reasonable request for LEA student therapeutic visits in their home or at the NPS/RTC. CONTRACTOR shall require that parents obtain prior written authorization for therapeutic visits from the CONTRACTOR and the LEA at least thirty (30) days in advance. When requested, CONTRACTOR shall facilitate all parent travel and accommodations and for providing travel information to the parent as appropriate. Payment by LEA for approved travel-related expenses shall be made directly through the LEA consistent with LEA Procedures.

CONTRACTOR providing services in the student's home as specified in the IEP shall ensure that at least one parent of the child, or an adult caregiver with written and signed authorization to make decisions in an emergency, is present. The names of any adult caregiver other than the parent shall be provided to the LEA prior to the start of any home based services, including written and signed authorization in emergency situations. The parent shall inform the LEA of any changes of caregivers and provide written authorization for emergencies. The adult caregiver cannot also be an employee or volunteer associated with the NPS/NPA service provider.

All problems and/or concerns, both verbal and written, reported to pupil's parents shall also be provided, in writing, to the LEA.

41. LICENSED CHILDREN'S INSTITUTION ("LCI") CONTRACTORS AND RESIDENTIAL TREATMENT CENTER ("RTC") CONTRACTORS

If CONTRACTOR is a LCI, CONTRACTOR shall adhere to all legal requirements regarding educational placements for LCI students as stated in Education Code 56366 (a) (2) (C), 56366.9 (c) (1), Health and Safety Code section 1501.1and any other applicable laws and/or regulations, including LEA guidelines or procedures. An LCI shall not require that a pupil be placed in its NPS as a condition of being placed in its residential facility.

If CONTRACTOR is a NPS/RTC, CONTRACTOR shall adhere to all legal requirements under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA), 20 U.S.C. section 1400 et seq. including the federal regulations 34 C.F.R section 300 et seq. and Education Code section 56000 et seq. including Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3000 et seq.. CONTRACTOR shall comply with all monitoring requirements set forth in Section 43 below.

If CONTRACTOR is a NPS that is owned, operated by, or associated with a LCI, CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA, on a quarterly basis, a list of all students, including those identified as eligible for special education. For those identified as special education students, the list shall include: 1) special education eligibility at the time of enrollment and; 2) the educational placement and services specified in each student's IEP at the time of enrollment. A copy of the current IEP shall be provided to the LEA.

Unless placement is made pursuant to an Office of Administrative Hearings order or a lawfully executed agreement between LEA and parent, LEA is not responsible for the costs associated with NPS placement until the date on which an IEP team meeting is convened, the IEP team determines that a NPS placement is appropriate, and the IEP is signed by the student's parent or another adult with educational decision-making rights.

In addition to meeting the certification requirements of the State of California, a CONTRACTOR that operates a program outside of this State shall be certified or licensed by that state to provide, respectively, special education and related services and designated instruction and related services to pupils under the federal IDEA (20 U.S.C. Sec. 1400 et seq.) and shall be certified or licensed by the state to provide nonmedical care, clinical services, or short-term residential therapeutic programs, as applicable to the facility type.

42. STATE MEAL MANDATE

When CONTRACTOR is a NPS, CONTRACTOR and LEA shall satisfy the State Meal Mandate under California Education Code sections 49005 et seq.; ; 49501.5, the universal meal mandate enacted by AB 130 (2021-2022); 49530 et seq; and 49550 et seq.

LEA, at its sole discretion, may elect to directly provide meals to CONTRACTOR for distribution to LEA students at the nonpublic school on its own or by another local school district.

CONTRACTOR acknowledges that the LEA does not receive any state or federal reimbursement for any meals CONTRACTOR provides to LEA students and that CONTRACTOR is only eligible to receive direct reimbursement if it is an approved site under the National School Lunch Program.

In the event the LEA requests CONTRACTOR to provide meals to LEA students, CONTRACTOR will provide breakfast and lunch to LEA students in compliance with the meal pattern requirements under the School Breakfast Program and National School Lunch Program nutritional standards. LEA shall reimburse CONTRACTOR for each meal made available at a mutually agreed upon rate. In the event CONTRACTOR is unable to provide meals, the LEA and CONTRACTOR will work collaboratively to find a solution. In the event CDE determines that meals do not need to be provided, this paragraph shall not apply.

CONTRACTOR shall maintain all documentation of meals provided to LEA students. CONTRACTOR shall comply with record keeping requirements under the School Breakfast Program and National School Lunch Program or LEA template. Upon request, CONTRACTOR shall provide copies of any such records to LEA. CONTRACTOR shall also allow LEA to conduct site monitoring visits as deemed necessary by the LEA.

If CONTRACTOR uses a third-party vendor to provide meals, CONTRACTOR will assure that the third-party vendor agrees to comply with all meal pattern requirements of the School Breakfast Program and National School Lunch Program nutritional standards. Upon request, CONTRACTOR shall provide LEA with any contracts it has with third-party vendors providing meals for students.

43. MONITORING

The State Superintendent of Public Instruction ("Superintendent"), through the delegated monitoring activities to the California Department of Education (CDE), shall monitor CONTRACTOR'S facilities, the educational environment, and the quality of the educational program, including the teaching staff, the credentials authorizing service, the standards-based core curriculum being employed, and the standard focused instructional materials used on a three-year cycle, as follows: (1) CONTRACTOR shall complete a self-review in year one; (2) the Superintendent shall conduct an onsite review in year two; and (3) the Superintendent shall conduct a follow-up visit in year three.

CONTRACTOR shall participate in any LEA or CDE compliance review, if applicable, to be conducted as aligned with the CDE Onsite Review and monitoring cycle in accordance with California Education Code

section 56366.1(j). This review will address programmatic aspects of the NPS, compliance with relevant state and federal regulations, and Master Contract compliance. CONTRACTOR shall conduct any follow-up or corrective action procedures related to review findings.

If CONTRACTOR is also an LCI and/or NPS/RTC, the CDE shall annually evaluate whether CONTRACTOR is in compliance with Education Code section 56366.9 and Health and Safety Code section 1501.1(b).

The LEA or SELPA shall conduct an onsite visit to the NPS before placement of a pupil if the LEA does not have any pupils enrolled at the school at the time of placement.

The LEA or SELPA shall conduct at least one onsite monitoring visit during each school year to the CONTRACTOR site certified as an NPS where the LEA has placed a pupil and entered into a master contract. The monitoring visit shall include, but is not limited to, a review of services specified on the ISA and provided to the pupil, a review of progress the pupil is making toward the goals set forth in the pupil's IEP, a review of progress the pupil is making toward the goals set forth in the pupil's behavioral intervention plan, if applicable, an observation of the pupil during instruction, and a walkthrough of the facility. The LEA or SELPA shall report the findings resulting from the monitoring visit to the CDE within 60 calendar days of the onsite visit.

CONTRACTOR shall allow LEA representatives access to its facilities for additional periodic monitoring of each student's instructional program. LEA shall have access to observe each student at work, observe the instructional setting, interview CONTRACTOR employees, and review each student's records and progress. Such access shall include unannounced monitoring visits. When making site visits, LEA shall initially report to CONTRACTOR's site administrative office. CONTRACTOR shall be invited to participate in the review of each student's progress.

CONTRACTOR understands that LEA reserves the right to institute a program audit with or without cause. The program audit may include, but is not limited to, a review of core compliance areas of health and safety; curriculum/instruction; related services; and contractual, legal, and procedural compliance.

When CONTRACTOR is a NPS, CONTRACTOR shall collect all applicable data and prepare the applicable portion of a School Accountability Report Card as appropriate in accordance with California Education Code Section 33126.

PERSONNEL

44. CLEARANCE REQUIREMENTS

CONTRACTOR shall comply with the requirements of California Education Code sections 44237, 35021.1, 35021.2, and 56366.1 including, but not limited to: obtaining clearance from both the California Department of Justice (hereinafter referred to as "CDOJ") and clearance from the Federal Bureau of Investigation (hereinafter referred to as "FBI") for CONTRACTOR's employees and volunteers who will have or likely may have any direct contact with LEA students. CONTRACTOR hereby agrees that CONTRACTOR's employees and volunteers shall not come in contact with students, in-person or virtually, until CDOJ and FBI clearance are ascertained. CONTRACTOR shall certify in writing to LEA that none of its employees, and volunteers, unless CONTRACTOR determines that the volunteers will have no direct contact with students, or subcontractors who may come into contact with students have been convicted of a violent or serious felony as those terms are defined in California Education Code section 44237(h), unless despite the employee's conviction of a violent or serious felony, he or she has met the criteria to be eligible for employment pursuant to California Education Code section 44237 (i) or (j). Upon request, clearance certification shall be submitted to the LEA. In addition, CONTRACTOR shall make a request for subsequent arrest service from CDOJ as required by California Penal Code section 11105.2. Contractor shall certify to LEA that they have successful background checks and enrolled in subsequent arrest notification service for all employees who may come into contact with students.

Notwithstanding the restrictions on sharing and destroying criminal background check information, CONTRACTOR, upon demand, shall make available to the LEA evidence of a successful criminal

background check clearance and enrollment in subsequent arrest notification service, as provided, for each owner, operator, and employee of the NPS/A. CONTRACTOR is required to retain the evidence on-site, as specified, for all staff, including those licensed or credentialed by another state agency. Background clearances and proof of subsequent arrest notification service, as required by California Penal Code section 11105.2, for all staff shall be provided to the LEA upon request.

45. STAFF QUALIFICATIONS

CONTRACTOR shall ensure that all individuals employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired by CONTRACTOR to provide classroom and/or individualized instruction or related services hold a license, certificate, permit, or other document equivalent to that which staff in a public school are required to hold in the service rendered consistent with Education Code section 56366.1(n)(1) and are qualified pursuant to Title 34 of the Code of Federal Regulations sections 200.56 and 200.58, and Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations sections 3001(r), 3064 and 3065. Such qualified staff may only provide related services within the scope of their professional license, certification or credential and ethical standards set by each profession, and not assume responsibility or authority for another related services provider or special education teacher's scope of practice.

CONTRACTOR shall ensure that all staff are appropriately credentialed to provide instruction and services to students with the disabling conditions placed in their program/school through documentation provided to the CDE (5 CCR 3064 (a)).
In accordance with California Education Code section 56366.1(a)(5), when CONTRACTOR is a NPS, an appropriately qualified person shall serve as curricular and instructional leader, and be able to provide leadership, oversight and professional development. The administrator of the NPS holds or is in the process of obtaining one of the following: (A) An administrative credential granted by an accredited postsecondary educational institution and two years of experience with pupils with disabilities. (B) A pupil personnel services credential that authorizes school counseling or psychology. (C) A license as a clinical social worker issued by the Board of Behavioral Sciences. (D) A license in psychology regulated by the Board of Psychology. (E) A master's degree issued by an accredited postsecondary institution in education, special education, psychology, counseling, behavioral analysis, social work, behavioral science, or rehabilitation. (F) A credential authorizing special education instruction and at least two years of experience teaching in special education before becoming an administrator. (G) A license as a marriage and family therapist certified by the Board of Behavioral Sciences. (H) A license as an educational psychologist issued by the Board of Behavioral Sciences. (I) A license as a professional clinical counselor issued by the Board of Behavioral Sciences. (California Education Code Section 56366.1 (a)(5)). CONTRACTOR shall maintain, and provide to the LEA upon request, documentation of its administrator's qualifications in accordance with the above.

CONTRACTOR shall comply with personnel standards and qualifications regarding instructional aides and teacher assistants respectively pursuant to federal requirements and California Education Code sections 45340 *et seq.* and 45350 *et seq.* Specifically, all paraprofessionals, including but not limited to, instructional aides and teacher assistants, employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired or subcontracted by CONTRACTOR to provide classroom and/or individualized instruction or related services, shall possess a high school diploma (or its recognized equivalent) and at least one of the following qualifications: (a) completed at least two (2) years of study at an institution of higher education; or (b) obtained an associate's (or higher) degree; or (c) met a rigorous standard of quality and can demonstrate, through a formal state or local assessment (i) knowledge of, and the ability to assist in instructing, reading, writing, and mathematics; or (ii) knowledge of, and the ability to assist in instructing, reading readiness, writing readiness, and mathematics readiness, as appropriate. CONTRACTOR shall comply with all laws and regulations governing the licensed professions, including but not limited to, the provisions with respect to supervision.

In addition to meeting the certification requirements of the State of California, a CONTRACTOR that operates a program outside of this state and serving a student by this LEA shall be certified or licensed by that state to provide special education and related services to pupils under the federal Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. Sec. 1400 et seq.).

46. VERIFICATION OF LICENSES, CREDENTIALS AND OTHER DOCUMENTS

CONTRACTOR shall submit to LEA a staff list, and copies of all current licenses, credentials, certifications, permits and/or other documents which entitle the holder to provide special education and/or related services by individuals employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired or sub-contracted by CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR shall ensure that all licenses, credentials, permits or other documents are on file at the office of the County Superintendent of Schools. CONTRACTOR shall provide the LEA with the verified dates of fingerprint clearance, Department of Justice clearance and Tuberculosis Test clearance for all employees, approved subcontractors and/or volunteers prior to such individuals starting to work with any student.

CONTRACTOR shall monitor the status of licenses, credentials, certifications, permits and/or other documents for all individuals employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired by CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA and CDE in writing within forty-five (45) days when personnel changes occur which may affect the provision of special education and/or related services to LEA students. CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA within forty-five (45) days if any such licenses, certifications or waivers are expired, suspended, revoked, rescinded, challenged pursuant to an administrative or legal complaint or lawsuit, or otherwise nullified during the effective period of this Master Contract. The LEA shall not be obligated to pay for any services provided by a person whose such licenses, certifications or waivers are expired, suspended, revoked, rescinded, or otherwise nullified during the period which such person is providing services under this Master Contract. Failure to notify the LEA and CDE of any changes in credentialing/licensed staff may result in suspension or revocation of CDE certification and/or suspension or termination of this Master Contract by the LEA.

47. STAFF ABSENCE

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school and CONTRACTOR's classroom teacher is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide an appropriately credentialed substitute teacher in the absent teacher's classroom in accordance with California Education Code section 56061. CONTRACTOR shall provide to the LEA documentation of substitute coverage. Substitute teachers shall remain with their assigned class during all instructional time.

The LEA shall not be responsible for any payment for instruction and/or services when an appropriately credentialed substitute teacher is not provided in accordance with California Education Code section 56061.

When CONTRACTOR is a NPA and/or related services provider, and CONTRACTOR's service provider is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide a qualified (as defined in Section 7 of this agreement and as determined by LEA) substitute, unless LEA provides appropriate coverage in lieu of CONTRACTOR's service providers. It is understood that the parent of a student shall not be deemed to be a qualified substitute for their student. LEA will not pay for services unless a qualified substitute is provided and/or CONTRACTOR provides documentation evidencing the provision of "make-up" services by a qualified service provider within thirty (30) calendar days from the date on which the services should have been provided. CONTRACTOR shall not "bank" or "carry over" make up service hours under any circumstances, unless otherwise agreed to in writing by CONTRACTOR and authorized LEA representative.

48. STAFF PROFESSIONAL BEHAVIOR WHEN PROVIDING SERVICES AT SCHOOL OR SCHOOL RELATED EVENTS OR AT SCHOOL FACILITY AND/OR IN THE HOME

It is understood that all employees, subcontractors, and volunteers of any certified NPS/A shall adhere to the customary professional and ethical standards when providing services. All practices shall only be within the scope of professional responsibility as defined in the professional code of conduct for each profession as well as any LEA professional standards as specified in Board policies and/or regulations when made available to the CONTRACTOR.

For services provided on a public-school campus, sign in/out procedures shall be followed by NPS/A providers working in a public-school classroom along with all other procedures for being on campus consistent with school and district policy. Such policies and procedures shall be made available to the CONTRACTOR upon request. It is understood that the public-school credentialed classroom teacher is responsible for the instructional program.

CONTRACTOR providing services outside of the student's school as specified in the IEP shall ensure that at least one parent of the child or an adult caregiver with written and signed authority to make decisions in an emergency is present during provision of services. The names of any adult caregiver other than the parent shall be provided to the LEA prior to the start of any home-based services, including written and signed authorization in emergency situations. The adult caregiver cannot also be an employee or volunteer associated with the NPS/NPA service provider. All problems and/or concerns reported by CONTRACTOR to parents or guardians, in either verbal or written form, shall be reported to the LEA.

HEALTH AND SAFETY MANDATES

49. HEALTH AND SAFETY

CONTRACTOR shall comply with all applicable federal, state, local, and LEA laws, regulations, ordinances, policies, and procedures regarding student and employee health and safety. CONTRACTOR shall comply with the requirements of California Education Code sections 35021 *et. seq*. and 49406, regarding the examination of CONTRACTOR's employees and volunteers for tuberculosis. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA documentation for each individual volunteering, employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired by CONTRACTOR of such compliance before an individual comes in contact with a student.

CONTRACTOR shall comply with OSHA Blood-Borne Pathogens Standards, 29 Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) section 1910.1030, when providing medical treatment or assistance to a student. CONTRACTOR further agrees to provide annual training regarding universal health care precautions and to post required notices in areas designated in the California Health and Safety Code.

50. FACILITIES AND FACILITIES MODIFICATIONS

CONTRACTOR shall provide special education and/or related services to students in facilities that comply with all applicable federal, state, and local laws, regulations, and ordinances related, but not limited to: disability access; fire, health, sanitation, and building standards and safety; fire warning systems; zoning permits; and occupancy capacity. When CONTRACTOR is a NPS, CONTRACTOR shall conduct fire drills as required by Title 5 California Code of Regulations section 550. CONTRACTOR shall be responsible for any structural changes and/or modifications to CONTRACTOR's facilities as required complying with applicable federal, state, and local laws, regulations, and ordinances. Failure to notify the LEA and CDE of any changes in, major modification or relocation of facilities may result in the suspension or revocation of CDE certification and/or suspension or termination of this Master Contract by the LEA.

51. ADMINISTRATION OF MEDICATION

CONTRACTOR shall comply with the requirements of California Education Code section 49422 et seq. when CONTRACTOR serves a student that is required to take prescription and/or over-the-counter medication during the school day. CONTRACTOR may designate personnel to assist the student with the administration of such medication after the student's parent(s) provide to CONTRACTOR: (a) a written statement from a physician detailing the type, administration method, amount, and time schedules by which such medication shall be taken; and (b) a written statement from the student's parent(s) granting CONTRACTOR permission to administer medication(s) as specified in the physician's statement. CONTRACTOR shall maintain, and provide to LEA upon request, copies of such written statements. CONTRACTOR shall maintain a written log for each student to whom medication is administered. Such written log shall specify the student's name; the type of medication; the date, time, and amount of each administration; and the name of CONTRACTOR's employee who administered the medication. CONTRACTOR maintains full responsibility for storing medications in a secure location and ensuring appropriate staff training in the administration of such medication consistent with physician's written orders. Any change in medication type, administration method, amount or schedule must be authorized by both a licensed physician and parent.

52. INCIDENT/ACCIDENT REPORTING

CONTRACTOR shall submit within 24 hours, electronically, any accident or incident report to the LEA. CONTRACTOR shall properly submit required accident or incident reports pursuant to the procedures specified in LEA Procedures.

53. CHILD ABUSE REPORTING

CONTRACTOR hereby agrees to annually train all staff members, including volunteers, so that they are familiar with and agree to adhere to its own child and dependent adult abuse reporting obligations and procedures as specified in California Penal Code section 11164 et seq. and Education Code 44691. To protect the privacy rights of all parties involved (i.e., reporter, child and alleged abuser), reports will remain confidential as required by law and professional ethical mandates. A written statement acknowledging the legal requirements of such reporting and verification of staff adherence to such reporting shall be submitted to the LEA.

54. SEXUAL HARASSMENT

CONTRACTOR shall have a Sexual and Gender Identity harassment policy that clearly describes the kinds of conduct that constitutes sexual harassment and that is prohibited by the CONTRACTOR's policy, as well as federal and state law. The policy should include procedures to make complaints without fear of retaliation, and for prompt and objective investigations of all sexual harassment complaints. CONTRACTOR further agrees to provide annual training to all employees regarding the laws concerning sexual harassment and related procedures pursuant to Government Code 12950.1.

55. REPORTING OF MISSING CHILDREN

CONTRACTOR assures LEA that all staff members, including volunteers, are familiar with and agree to adhere to requirements for reporting missing children as specified in California Education Code section 49370. A written statement acknowledging the legal requirements of such reporting and verification of staff adherence to such reporting shall be properly submitted to the LEA. The written statement shall be submitted as specified by the LEA.

FINANCIAL

56. ENROLLMENT, CONTRACTING, SERVICE TRACKING, ATTENDANCE REPORTING, AND BILLING PROCEDURES

CONTRACTOR shall assure that the nonpublic school or nonpublic agency has the necessary financial resources to provide an appropriate education for the students enrolled and will distribute those resources in such a manner to implement the IEP and ISA for each and every student.

CONTRACTOR shall comply with all LEA procedures concerning enrollment, contracting, attendance reporting, service tracking and billing including requirements of electronic billing as specified by the LEA Procedures, as well as provide all such records requested by LEA concerning the same. CONTRACTOR shall be paid for the provision of special education and/or related services specified in the student's IEP and ISA. All payments by LEA shall be made in accordance with the terms and conditions of this Master Contract and governed by all applicable federal and state laws.

CONTRACTOR shall maintain separate registers for the basic education program, each related service, and services provided by instructional assistants, behavior intervention aides and bus aides. Original attendance forms (i.e., roll books for the basic education program, service tracking documents and notes for instructional assistants, behavioral intervention aides, bus aides, and each related service) shall be completed by the actual service provider whose signature shall appear on such forms and shall be available for review, inspection, or audit by LEA during the effective period of this contract and for a period of five (5) years thereafter. CONTRACTOR shall verify the accuracy of minutes of reported attendance that is the basis of services being billed for payment.

CONTRACTOR shall submit invoices and related documents to LEA for payment, for each calendar month when education or related services were provided. Invoices and related documents shall be

properly submitted electronically and in addition, on an LEA form with signatures in the manner prescribed by LEA. At a minimum, each invoice must contain the following information: month of service; specific days and times of services coordinated by the LEA approved calendar unless otherwise specified in the IEP or agreed to by the LEA; name of staff who provided the service; approved cost of each invoice; total for each service and total for the monthly invoice; date invoice was mailed; signature of NPS/NPA administrator authorizing that the information is accurate and consistent with the ISA, CDE certificates and staff notification; verification that attendance report is attached as appropriate; indication of any made-up session consistent with this contract; verification that progress reports have been provided consistent with the ISA (monthly or quarterly unless specified otherwise on the ISA); and name or initials of each student for when the service was provided.

In the event services were not provided, rationale for why the services were not provided shall be included.

Such an invoice is subject to all conditions of this contract. At the discretion of the LEA, an electronic invoice may be required provided such notice has been made in writing and training provided to the CONTRACTOR at no additional charge for such training.

Invoices shall be submitted no later than thirty (30) days after the end of the attendance accounting period in which the services were rendered. LEA shall make payment to CONTRACTOR based on the number of billable days of attendance and hours of service at rates specified in this contract within forty-five (45) days of LEA's receipt of properly submitted hard copy of invoices prepared and submitted as specified in California Education Code Section 56366.5 and the LEA. CONTRACTOR shall correct deficiencies and submit rebilling invoices no later than thirty (30) calendar days after the invoice is returned by LEA. LEA shall pay properly submitted re-billing invoices no later than forty-five (45) days after the date a completely corrected re-billing invoice is received by LEA.

In no case shall initial payment claim submission for any Master Contract fiscal year (July through June) extend beyond December 31st after the close of the fiscal year. In no case shall any rebilling for the Master Contract fiscal year (July through June) extend beyond six (6) months after the close of the fiscal year unless approved by the LEA to resolve billing issues including re-billing issues directly related to a delay in obtaining information from the Commission on Teacher Credentialing regarding teacher qualification, but no later than twelve (12) months from the close of the fiscal year. If the billing or re-billing error is the responsibility of the LEA, then no limit is set provided that the LEA and CONTRACTOR have communicated such concerns in writing during the 12-month period following the close of the fiscal year. LEA will not pay mileage for NPA employee.

57. RIGHT TO WITHHOLD PAYMENT

LEA may withhold payment to CONTRACTOR when: (a) CONTRACTOR has failed to perform, in whole or in part, under the terms of this contract; (b) CONTRACTOR has billed for services rendered on days other than billable days of attendance or for days when student was not in attendance and/or did not receive services; (c) CONTRACTOR was overpaid by LEA as determined by inspection, review, and/or audit of its program, work, and/or records; (d) CONTRACTOR has failed to provide supporting documentation with an invoice, as required by EC 56366(c)(2); (e) education and/or related services are provided to students by personnel who are not appropriately credentialed, licensed, or otherwise qualified; (f) LEA has not received prior to school closure or contract termination, all documents concerning one or more students enrolled in CONTRACTOR's educational program; (g) CONTRACTOR fails to confirm a student's change of residence to another district or confirms the change of residence to another district, but fails to notify LEA within five (5) days of such confirmation; or (h) CONTRACTOR receives payment from Medi-Cal or from any other agency or funding source for a service provided to a student. It is understood that no payments shall be made for any invoices that are not received by six (6) months following the close of the prior fiscal year, for services provided in that year.

Final payment to CONTRACTOR in connection with the cessation of operations and/or termination of a Master Contract will be subject to the same documentation standards described for all payment claims for regular ongoing operations. In addition, final payment may be withheld by the LEA until completion of a review or audit, if deemed necessary by the LEA. Such review or audit will be completed within ninety

(90) days. The final payment may be adjusted to offset any previous payments to the CONTRACTOR determined to have been paid in error or in anticipation of correction of documentation deficiencies by the CONTRACTOR that remain uncorrected.

The amount which may be withheld by LEA with respect to each of the subparagraphs of the preceding paragraph are as follows: (a) the value of the service CONTRACTOR failed to perform; (b) the amount of overpayment; (c) the portion of the invoice for which satisfactory documentation has not been provided by CONTRACTOR; (d) the amount invoiced for services provided by the individual not appropriately credentialed, licensed, or otherwise qualified; (e) the proportionate amount of the invoice related to the applicable pupil for the time period from the date the violation occurred and until the violation is cured; or (f) the amount paid to CONTRACTOR by Medi-Cal or another agency or funding source for the service provided to the student.

If LEA determines that cause exists to withhold payment to CONTRACTOR, LEA shall, within ten (10) business days of this determination, provide to CONTRACTOR written notice that LEA is withholding payment. Such notice shall specify the basis or bases for LEA's withholding payment and the amount to be withheld. Within thirty (30) days from the date of receipt of such notice, CONTRACTOR shall take all necessary and appropriate action to correct the deficiencies that form the basis for LEA's withholding payment or submit a written request for extension of time to correct the deficiencies or submit to LEA written documentation demonstrating that the basis or bases cited by the LEA for withholding payment is unfounded. Upon receipt of CONTRACTOR's written request showing good cause, LEA shall extend CONTRACTOR's time to correct deficiencies (usually an additional thirty (30) days), otherwise payment will be denied.

If after subsequent request for payment has been denied and CONTRACTOR believes that payment should not be withheld, CONTRACTOR shall send written notice to LEA specifying the reason it believes payment should not be withheld. LEA shall respond to CONTRACTOR's notice within thirty (30) business days by indicating that a warrant for the amount of payment will be made or stating the reason LEA believes payment should not be made. If LEA fails to respond within thirty (30) business days or a dispute regarding the withholding of payment continues after the LEA's response to CONTRACTOR's notice, CONTRACTOR may invoke the following escalation policy.

After forty-five (45) business days: The CONTRACTOR may notify the Authorized LEA's Representative of the dispute in writing. The LEA Authorized Representative shall respond to the CONTRACTOR in writing within fifteen (15) business days.

After sixty (60) business days: The LEA or CONTRACTOR may appeal to the County Superintendent of Schools so long as the County Superintendent of Schools is not participating in the Local Plan involved in the NPS/A contract, or a mutually agreed upon mediator. Both parties agree to pay for their own costs and expenses arising out of such mediation. Each party agrees to act in good faith in participating in any mediation process agreed to by the parties.

58. PAYMENT FROM OUTSIDE AGENCIES

CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA when Medi-Cal or any other agency is billed for the costs associated with the provision of special education and/or related services to students. Upon request, CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA any and all documentation regarding reports, billing, and/or payment by Medi-Cal or any other agency for the costs associated with the provision of special education and/or related services to students. CONTRACTOR shall provide prior written notice of the rights and protections required by Title 34 of the Code of Federal Regulations section 300.154(d) whenever it seeks to use the LEA students' public benefits to pay for special education and related services. Such notice shall be provided before seeking payment from Medi-Cal for the first time and annually.

59. PAYMENT FOR ABSENCES

NONPUBLIC SCHOOL STAFF ABSENCE

Whenever a classroom teacher employed by CONTRACTOR is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide an appropriately credentialed substitute teacher in the absent teacher's classroom in accordance with California

Education Code section 56061. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA documentation of substitute coverage pursuant to the LEA Procedures. Substitute teachers shall remain with their assigned class during all instructional time. LEA will not pay for instruction and/or services unless said instruction or service is provided by an appropriately credentialed substitute teacher.

Whenever a related service provider is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide a qualified (as defined in Section 7 of this agreement and as determined by LEA) substitute. LEA will not pay for services unless a qualified substitute is provided and/or CONTRACTOR provides documentation evidencing the provision of "make-up" services by a qualified service provider within thirty (30) calendar days from the date on which the services should have been provided unless otherwise agreed in student's IEP.

NONPUBLIC SCHOOL STUDENT ABSENCE

If CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, no later than the tenth (10^{th}) cumulative day of a student's unexcused absence, CONTRACTOR shall notify the LEA of such absence.

Criteria for a billable day for payment purposes is one (1) day of attendance as defined in California Education Code, sections 46010, 46010.3 and 46307. LEA shall not pay for services provided on days that a student's attendance does not qualify for Average Daily Attendance (ADA) reimbursement under state law. *Per Diem* rates for students whose IEPs authorize less than a full instructional day may be adjusted on a pro rata basis in accordance with the actual proportion of the school day the student was served. LEA shall not be responsible for payment of related services for days on which a student's attendance does not qualify for Average Daily Attendance ("ADA") reimbursement under state law, nor shall student be eligible for make-up services.

NONPUBLIC AGENCY STAFF ABSENCE

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency and CONTRACTOR's service provider is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide a qualified (as defined in Section 7 of this agreement and as determined by LEA) substitute, unless LEA provides appropriate coverage in lieu of CONTRACTOR's service providers. LEA shall not pay for services unless a qualified substitute is provided and/or CONTRACTOR provides documentation evidencing the provision of "make-up" services by a qualified service provider within thirty (30) calendar days from the date on which the services should have been provided. CONTRACTOR shall not "bank" or "carry over" make up service hours under any circumstances, unless otherwise agreed to in writing by CONTRACTOR and LEA. In the event services were not provided, reasons for why the services were not provided shall be included.

NONPUBLIC AGENCY STUDENT ABSENCE

If CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency, it shall notify LEA of the absence of a student no later than the fifth (5^{th}) consecutive service day of the student's absence. LEA shall not be responsible for the payment of services when a student is absent.

60. LEA and/or NONPUBLIC SCHOOL CLOSURE DUE TO EMERGENCY

The following shall apply in the event of a LEA or NPS school closure due to an emergency consistent with guidelines followed by LEAs in accordance with Education Code sections 41422 and 46392:

a. If CONTRACTOR remains open, if allowed, during an emergency and serves students appropriately as delineated in the ISA, CONTRACTOR shall receive payment, regardless of whether a sending LEA is open or closed.

b. NPS School Closure- In the event of a NPS School Closure for the reasons set forth in Education Code section 41422, if the LEA is able to obtain alternative placement for the student, CONTRACTOR shall not receive payment for days the student is not in attendance due to CONTRACTOR'S school closure. If the LEA is unable to obtain an alternative placement, CONTRACTOR shall receive payment consistent with the student's approved ISA, as though the student were continuing his/her regular attendance, until an alternative placement can be found and implement LEA student IEP in accordance with Education Code section 56345(a)(9) pertaining to emergency conditions.

c. LEA and NPS School Closure- In the event of the LEA and NPS School Closures, on days the LEA is funded, CONTRACTOR shall receive payment consistent with the student's approved ISA, until an alternative placement can be found and implement LEA student IEP in accordance with Education Code section 56345(a)(9) pertaining to emergency conditions. If the LEA is able to obtain alternative placement for the student, CONTRACTOR shall not receive payment for days the student is not in attendance with CONTRACTOR due to CONTRACTOR'S school closure.

When the emergency school closure is lifted, CONTRACTOR shall notify the LEAs it serves of any lost instructional minutes. CONTRACTOR and LEAs shall work collaboratively to determine the need for make-up days or service changes, and shall work together to amend IEP and ISA paperwork as appropriate.

61. INSPECTION AND AUDIT

The CONTRACTOR shall maintain and the LEA shall have the right to examine and audit all of the books, records, documents, accounting procedures and practices and other evidence that reflect all costs claimed to have been incurred or fees claimed to have been earned under this Agreement.

CONTRACTOR shall provide access to LEA to all records including, but not limited to: student pupils as defined by California Education Code section 49061(b); registers and roll books of teachers; daily service logs and notes or other documents used to record the provision of related services; Medi-Cal/daily service logs and notes used to record provision of services provided by instructional assistants, behavior intervention aides, bus aides, and supervisors; absence verification records (parent/doctor notes, telephone logs, and related documents); bus rosters; staff lists specifying credentials held, business licenses held, documents evidencing other qualifications, , dates of hire, and dates of termination; staff time sheets; non-paid staff and volunteer sign-in sheets; transportation and other related service subcontracts; school calendars; bell/class schedules when applicable; liability and worker's compensation insurance policies; state NPS/A certifications; by-laws; lists of current board of directors/trustees, if incorporated; other documents evidencing financial expenditures; federal/state payroll quarterly reports Form 941/DE3DP; and bank statements and canceled checks or facsimile thereof. Such access shall include unannounced inspections by LEA. CONTRACTOR shall make available to LEA all budgetary information including operating budgets submitted by CONTRACTOR to LEA for the relevant contract period being audited.

CONTRACTOR shall make all records available at the office of LEA or CONTRACTOR's offices (to be specified by LEA) at all reasonable times and without charge. All records shall be provided to LEA within five (5) working days of a written request from LEA. CONTRACTOR shall, at no cost to LEA, provide assistance for such examination or audit. LEA's rights under this section shall also include access to CONTRACTOR's offices for purposes of interviewing CONTRACTOR's employees. If any document or evidence is stored in an electronic form, a hard copy shall be made available to the LEA, unless the LEA agrees to the use of the electronic format.

CONTRACTOR shall obtain from its subcontractors and suppliers written agreements to the requirements of this section and shall provide a copy of such agreements to LEA upon request by LEA.

If an inspection, review, or audit by LEA, a state agency, a federal agency, and/or an independent agency/firm determines that CONTRACTOR owes LEA monies as a result of CONTRACTOR's over billing or failure to perform, in whole or in part, any of its obligations under this Master Contract, LEA shall provide to CONTRACTOR written notice demanding payment from CONTRACTOR and specifying the basis or bases for such demand. Unless CONTRACTOR and LEA otherwise agree in writing, CONTRACTOR shall pay to LEA the full amount owed as a result of CONTRACTOR's over billing and/or failure to perform, in whole or in part, any of its obligations under this Master Contract, as determined by an inspection, review, or audit by LEA, a state agency, a federal agency, and/or an independent agency/firm. CONTRACTOR shall make such payment to LEA within thirty (30) days of receipt of LEA's written notice demanding payment.

62. RATE SCHEDULE

The attached rate schedule (Exhibit A) limits the number of students that may be enrolled and maximum dollar amount of the contract. It may also limit the maximum number of students that can be provided specific services. Per Diem rates for students whose IEPs authorize less than a full instructional day may be adjusted proportionally. In such cases only, the adjustments in basic education rate shall be based on the required minimum number of minutes per grade level as set forth in paragraph 23, above, and in California Education Code Section 46200-46208.

Special education and/or related services offered by CONTRACTOR shall be provided by qualified personnel as per State and Federal law, and the codes and charges for such educational and/or related services during the term of this contract, shall be as stated in Exhibit A.

63. DEBARMENT CERTIFICATION

By signing this agreement, the CONTRACTOR certifies that:

(a) The CONTRACTOR and any of its shareholders, partners, or executive officers are <u>not</u> presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, or declared ineligible for the award of contracts by any Federal agency, and

(b) Have not, within a three-year period preceding this contract, been convicted of or had a civil judgment rendered against them for: commission of fraud or a criminal offense in connection with obtaining, attempting to obtain, or performing a Federal, state or local government contract or subcontract; violation of Federal or state antitrust statutes relating to the submission of offers; or commission of embezzlement, theft, forgery, bribery, falsification or destruction of records, making false statements, tax evasion, or receiving stolen property; and are not presently indicted for, or otherwise criminally or civilly charged by a Government entity with, commission of any of these offenses.

The parties hereto have executed this Contract by and through their duly authorized agents or representatives. This contract is effective on the 1st day of July, 2025 and terminates at 5:00 P.M. on June 30, 2026, unless sooner terminated as provided herein.

CONTRACTOR	**LEA**
Every Special Child: Staffing Agency **Nonpublic School/Agency**	**AIMS K12 College Prep Charter District** **LEA Name**
By: _____ **Signature** **Date**	**By:** _____ **Signature** **Date**
_____ **Name and Title of Authorized Representative**	Marco Menendez, Interim Executive Director **Name and Title of Authorized Representative**

Notices to CONTRACTOR shall be addressed to:	**Notices to LEA shall be addressed to:**
Hayden Pachauri **Name and Title**	Deborah Woods, Director of Special Education **Name and Title**
Every Special Child, LLC **Nonpublic School/Agency/Related Service Provider**	AIMS K12 College Prep Charter District **LEA**
288 Durham Avenue **Address**	171 12th St **Address**
Metuchen, NJ 08840 **City** **State** **Zip**	Oakland, Ca 94607 **City** **State** **Zip**
510.340.5134 **Phone** **Fax**	510.926.9927 **Phone** **Fax**
hayden@everyspecialchild.com **Email**	deborah.woods@aimsk12.org **Email**

Additional LEA Notification
(Required if completed)

Name and Title
Address
City **State** **Zip**
Phone **Fax**
Email

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Rate Sheet School Year 2025-26

Sr. No.	Certified Services	Rate	Period
1	Special Education Teachers	$85-$95	Hourly
2	Teaching Assistants/Paraprofessionals	$40-$50	Hourly
3	Child Care Instructors	$40-$50	Hourly
4	Specialized Deaf and Hard of Hearing	$90-$95	Hourly
5	Visually Impaired Teachers	$90-$95	Hourly
6	Speech/Language Pathologists	$105-$115	Hourly
7	Speech/Language Pathologist Assistants	$75-$80	Hourly
8	BSN/RN/School Nurses	$85-$95	Hourly
9	Licensed Vocational Nurses (LVN)	$70-$75	Hourly
10	School Psychologists	$100-$125	Hourly
11	Occupational Therapists	$95-$105	Hourly
12	Social Worker (LSW)	$85-$95	Hourly
13	Registered Behavior Technicians	$55-$60	Hourly
14	Board Certified Behavior Analysts (BCBA)	$85-$95	Hourly
15	General Education Teachers	$55-$80	Hourly
16	Physical Education Teachers	$85-$95	Hourly
	Classified Services	**Pay rate**	**Period**
1	Teaching Assistants/Paraprofessionals	$40-$50	Hourly
2	Parent Educator	$40-$45	Hourly
3	Health Technician	$40-$45	Hourly
4	HR Coordinators	$40-$45	Hourly
5	Administrative Assistants	$40-$45	Hourly
6	Payroll Technicians	$40-$45	Hourly
7	Executive Assistants	$45-$55	Hourly
8	Custodian/Grounds Technicians	$35-$40	Hourly
9	Food Service Workers	$35-40	Hourly

Note: If you have any other staffing needs which is not in the list please feel free to reach out to discuss.

Note: The above-mentioned rates are all inclusive, which means you do not pay any additional fees to the State, Federal Taxes, worker compensation, Social Security, etc. Any other payment is pre-approved by the school/district authorities in writing.

EVERY SPECIAL CHILD LLC
288 Durham Avenue Metuchen, NJ 08840

Phone: (800) 671-2654 Fax: (323) 302-4413 www.everyspecialchild.com

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SERVICES AGREEMENT

This SERVICES AGREEMENT is made as of **July 14, 2025,** by and between **AIMS K12 College Prep Charter District**, **("EXY"),** whose address is **___171_12th St _Oakland, Ca 94607_____** and, **Every Special Child, LLC. (the "ESC")** whose address is **288 Durham Avenue Metuchen, NJ 08840** (collectively referred to herein as the **"EXY"**, and **"ESC").**

THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual covenants, rights, and obligations set forth in this Agreement, the Parties agree as follows:

1. **CONTRACT PERIOD:** The **"ESC"** work as specified in this agreement shall commence on Date as specified in Appendix-A:

2. **COMPENSATION:** For the full performance of this agreement, the **"EXY"** shall pay the **"ESC"** as follows: Consultant's Fee:

   a) **For ESC rates:** Rate as Specified in Appendix A
   b) **ESC** will work for **40** billable hours per week
   c) School shall not be liable to pay for school holidays

3. **SERVICES TO BE PROVIDED:** "EXY" shall assist with the provision of special education and/or related special needs services including but not limited to, provide Students with special education needs or require an Individualized Education Program ("IEP"); provide direct service, perform any needed evaluation, and recommend equipment to carry out special education program in consultation with director, principals, teacher/school staff, and parents.

4. **DISTRICT'S RESPONSIBILITIES:** In consideration of the provision of the "ESC" Services under the terms of this Agreement "EXY" agrees to pay the "ESC" for the invoiced costs associated with providing education and related services, within **15 days** of receipt of an invoice for the services.

5. **NON-SOLICITATION:** Each Party agrees that during the Term of this Agreement and for a period ending twelve (12) months after the expiration or termination of this Agreement for any reason, unless mutually agreed by the Parties in writing, one Party will not directly solicit, recruit for employment, offer employment to, offer subcontracting opportunities to, or otherwise employ or use the services of any employees of the other Party or their related companies if that employee or former employee had been assigned to or worked under this Agreement.

6. **LIMITATION ON LIABILITY; INDEMNIFICATION:** The "ESC" shall have no liability with respect to, and shall not be obligated to indemnify or hold harmless, or its affiliates, officers, directors, managers, employees, agents or other representatives from or against any cost, loss, expense, damage or liability arising in respect of the "ESC".

7. **CONFIDENTIALITY OF RECORDS:** "ESC" will maintain the confidentiality of Program personnel, student and other records in accordance with the requirements of Applicable Law. The Parties agree that, while "ESC" will be authorized to use student education records to the full extent permitted by Applicable Law, "ESC" does not possess an ownership interest in such records.

8. **EMPLOYEES DEEMED TO BE CONSULTANTS:** Employees or Independent Contractors of "ESC" engaged in performing the Services shall be considered to be providing such Services to "EXY" as its consultants. Under no

circumstances (including federal, state and local law) shall such employees or Independent Contractors be considered to be employees or Independent Contractors of "EXY" or any of its subsidiaries.

9. **INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR:** In performing the Services, each Party shall be an independent contractor and neither Party shall be deemed to be an agent, partner or co-venturer of the other due to the terms and provisions of this Agreement. For the avoidance of doubt, neither Party nor any of its employees, partners, officers or agents shall have any right, power or authority to bind the other Party in any manner whatsoever, except at the express instruction of such other Party.

10. **COOPERATION AND DISPUTE RESOLUTION:** "ESC" and "EXY" shall appoint a point of contact, respectively, to coordinate the provision of Services (such person, a "Service Coordinator"). Service Coordinator shall have the authority and responsibility to represent in relation to this Agreement and make appropriate decisions on day-today issues subject to the terms of this Agreement; coordinate the technical aspects of the Services and consult on the operation and management of the Services; monitor and compliance with its obligations under this Agreement and review the performance of the Services; and resolve any dispute between the Parties. Each of the Parties shall have the right to change its Service Coordinators at any time by providing written notice to the other Party.

11. **BOOKS AND RECORDS:** During the Term and for two (2) years following the termination of this Agreement (or such shorter period of time agreed to in writing by the Parties), each Party shall in the ordinary course of business and consistent with past practice keep books and records of the Services provided and reasonable supporting documentation of all charges incurred in connection with providing such Services, and shall make such books and records available to the other Party and its representatives, upon reasonable notice, during normal business hours, and as necessary to comply with any compelled disclosure or other circumstances in which information regarding the Services is required by deposition, interrogatory, request for documents, order, subpoena, civil investigative demand or similar process issued by a court of competent jurisdiction or by a governmental body.

12. **AGREEMENTS WITH THIRD PARTIES:** ESC represents and warrants that at the time of the making of this agreement it has no legal or contractual obligations to a third party that contravenes or interferes with this agreement.

13. **TERMINATION:** Either Party may terminate this Agreement at any time with twenty (20) calendar day written notice prior to the other Party for cause. Termination for cause shall mean the breach of any material term or failure to fulfil any material condition, term, provision, representation, or obligation contained in this Agreement.

14. **GOVERNING LAW:** This Agreement shall be governed by, construed and enforced in accordance with the laws of the State of California, without regard to the conflict of laws principles thereof.

15. **MODIFICATION:** This Agreement may be modified or amended only by a duly authorized written instrument executed by the parties hereto.

16. **SEVERABILITY:** If any of the provisions of this Agreement shall be invalid or unenforceable, such invalidity or unenforceability shall not invalidate or render unenforceable the entire Agreement, but rather the entire Agreement shall be construed as if not containing the particular invalid or unenforceable provision or provisions, and the rights and obligations of the party shall be construed and enforced accordingly, to effectuate the essential intent and purposes of this Agreement.

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17. **INSTRUCTIONAL TOOLS AND MATERIALS:** Any instructional tools, supplies and equipment, including without limitation textbooks and multi-media teaching tools determines in its discretion to be necessary to deliver the Educational Program for the job shall be provided by "EXY".

18. **TIMESHEET:** Payment has to be made on the basis of counter-signed timesheet. Any discrepancy in timesheet should be communicated within 15days. After 15days ESC has all the rights to raise invoices in full as per the countersigned timesheet.

IN WITNESS WHERE of this Agreement contains the entire understanding between the parties and all prior negotiations and agreements are merged herein the Parties have executed this Agreement. The signatures below signify both an understanding and acceptance of the contract provisions.

Every Special Child LLC:

Name & Title _____ Signature:_____

Phone:_____ Email:_____

AIMS K12 College Prep Charter District:

Name & Title _Marco Menendez, Interim Executive Director_____

Signature:_____

Phone:_____

Email:___marco.menendez@aimsk12.org_____

APPENDIX – A

Candidate Name	**ABC**
Services	**Special Education Teacher**
Hourly Pay Rate for Services	**$95 Per Hour**
Contract Term	**School Year 2025-26**
Start Date	**TBD**
End Date	**May 30, 2026**
Services Weekly Hours	**up to 40 hours/week**

Coversheet

Seneca Master Contract

Section: V. Action Items
Item: S. Seneca Master Contract
Purpose: Vote
Submitted by:
Related Material: Seneca Family of Agencies Master Contract 2025-26 Board Packet.pdf

AIMS K-12 College Prep Charter District
Board Submission Cover Letter

Submitter Information

Full Name: Deborah Woods
Position/Title: Director
Department: Special Education
Date of Submission (MM/DD/YYYY): 8/26/25

Item Details

Title of Item: NPS: Seneca Family of Agencies (HS student)
Is this item a: ☐ New Submission
☑ Renewal
If Renewal: Please summarize any changes from the previous submission:
none

Approvals

Has this item been reviewed by:

☐ Superintendent
☑ Chief Business Officer (CBO) (If budget changes)
☐ Director of Compliance (If plan changes)
☐ Neither

Committee Review

Has this item been through the appropriate committee review process?

☑ Yes ☐ No

If yes: Please specify which committee(s) and provide minutes or approval documentation:

If no: Explain why:

Deadline Information

Is there a submission deadline for this item?

☑ Yes ☐ No

If yes: Please indicate the deadline date (MM/DD/YYYY): 8/26/25

Financial Information (if applicable):

Total Cost: $ 148, 262

Is this expenditure included in the annual budget?

☑ Yes ☐ No

Please specify in which plan this expense is indicated:

☐ SPSA ☑ LCAP ☐ Other:

NONPUBLIC, NONSECTARIAN SCHOOL/AGENCY SERVICES

MASTER CONTRACT

2025-2026

Master Contract

GENERAL AGREEMENT FOR NONSECTARIAN, NONPUBLIC SCHOOL AND AGENCY SERVICES

LEA AIMS K-12 COLLEGE PREP CHARTER DISTRICT

Contract Year 2025-2026

x Nonpublic School

_____ Nonpublic Agency

Type of Contract:

x Master Contract for fiscal year with Individual Service Agreements (ISA) to be approved throughout the term of this contract.

_____ Individual Master Contract for a specific student incorporating the Individual Service Agreement (ISA) into the terms of this Individual Master Contract specific to a single student.

_____ Interim Contract: an extension of the previous fiscal years approved contracts and rates. The sole purpose of this Interim Contract is to provide for ongoing funding at the prior year's rates for 90 days at the sole discretion of the LEA. Expiration Date:_____

When this section is included as part of any Master Contract, the changes specified above shall amend Section 4 – Term of Master Contract.

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LOCAL EDUCATION AGENCY: AIMS K-12 College Prep Charter District

NONPUBLIC SCHOOL/AGENCY/RELATED SERVICES PROVIDER: Seneca Family of Agencies

NONPUBLIC, NONSECTARIAN SCHOOL/AGENCY SERVICES MASTER CONTRACT

GENERAL PROVISIONS

1. MASTER CONTRACT

This Master Contract (or "Contract") is entered into on July 1, 2025, between AIMS K-12 College Prep Charter District, hereinafter referred to as the local educational agency ("LEA"), a member of the El Dorado County Charter SELPA and Seneca Family of Agencies (nonpublic, nonsectarian school or agency), hereinafter referred to as NPS/A or "CONTRACTOR" for the purpose of providing special education and/or related services to students with exceptional needs under the authorization of California Education Code sections 56157, 56361 and 56365 *et seq*. and Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3000 *et seq*., AB 490 (Chapter 862, Statutes of 2003) and AB 1858 (Chapter 914, Statutes of 2004). It is understood that this agreement does not commit the LEA to pay for special education and/or related services provided to any student, or CONTRACTOR to provide such special education and/or related services, unless and until an authorized LEA representative approves the provision of special education and/or related services by CONTRACTOR.

Upon acceptance of a student, LEA shall submit to CONTRACTOR an Individual Service Agreement (hereinafter referred to as "ISA"). Unless otherwise agreed in writing, these forms shall acknowledge CONTRACTOR's obligation to provide all relevant services specified in the student's Individualized Education Program (hereinafter referred to as "IEP"). The ISA shall be executed within ninety (90) days of a student's enrollment. LEA and CONTRACTOR shall enter into an ISA for each student served by CONTRACTOR. As available and appropriate, the LEA shall make available access to any electronic IEP system and/or electronic database for the development of the ISA and invoices.

Unless placement and/or services is made pursuant to an Office of Administrative Hearings (hereinafter referred to as "OAH") order, a lawfully executed settlement agreement between LEA and parent or authorized by LEA for a transfer student pursuant to California Education Code section 56325, LEA is not responsible for the costs associated with NPS placement or NPS/A services until the date on which an IEP team meeting is convened, the IEP team determines that a NPS placement is appropriate, and the IEP is signed by the student's parent.

2. CERTIFICATION AND LICENSES

CONTRACTOR shall be certified by the California Department of Education (hereinafter referred to as "CDE") as a NPS/A. All NPS/A services shall be provided consistent with the area of certification and licensure specified by CDE Certification and as defined in California Education Code, section 56366 et seq and within the professional scope of practice of each provider's license, certification, and/or credential. A current copy of CONTRACTOR's NPS/A certification or a waiver of such certification issued by the CDE pursuant to Education Code section 56366.2 must be provided to LEA on or before the date this Agreement is executed by CONTRACTOR. This Master Contract shall be null and void if such certification or waiver is expired, revoked, rescinded, or otherwise nullified during the effective period of this Master Contract.

Total student enrollment shall be limited to capacity as stated on CDE certification and in Section 24 of the Master Contract.

In addition to meeting the certification requirements of the State of California, a CONTRACTOR that operates a program outside of this State shall be certified and all staff persons providing services to pupils shall be certified and/or licensed by that state to provide, respectively, special education and related services and designated instruction and related services to pupils under the federal Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. Sec. 1400 et seq.).

If CONTRACTOR is a licensed children's institution (hereinafter referred to as "LCI"), CONTRACTOR shall be licensed by the state, or other public agency having delegated authority by contract with the state to license, to provide nonmedical care room and board to children, including, but not limited to, individuals with exceptional needs. The LCI must also comply with all licensing requirements relevant to the protection of the child, and have a special permit, if necessary, to meet the needs of each child so placed. If the CONTRACTOR operates a program outside of this State, CONTRACTOR must obtain all required licenses from the appropriate licensing agency in both California and in the state where the LCI is located.

With respect to CONTRACTOR's certification, failure to notify the LEA and CDE in writing of any changes in: (1) credentialed/licensed staff; (2) ownership; (3) management and/or control of the agency; (4) major modification or relocation of facilities; or (5) significant modification of the program may result in the suspension or revocation of CDE certification and/or suspension or termination of this Master Contract by the LEA.

3. COMPLIANCE WITH LAWS, STATUTES, REGULATIONS

During the term of this Master Contract, unless otherwise agreed, CONTRACTOR shall comply with all applicable federal, state, and local statutes, laws, ordinances, rules, policies and regulations. CONTRACTOR shall also comply with all applicable LEA policies and procedures unless, taking into consideration all of the surrounding facts and circumstances, a policy or policies or a portion of a policy does not reasonably apply to CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR hereby acknowledges and agrees that it accepts all risks and responsibilities for its failure to comply with LEA policies and shall indemnify LEA under the provisions of Section 16 of this Agreement for all liability, loss, damage and expense (including reasonable attorneys' fees) resulting from or arising out of CONTRACTOR's failure to comply with applicable LEA policies (e.g., those policies relating to; the provision of special education and/or related services, facilities for individuals with exceptional needs, student enrollment and transfer, student inactive status, corporal punishment, student discipline, and positive behavior interventions).

CONTRACTOR acknowledges and understands that LEA may report to the CDE any violations of the provisions of this Master Contract; and that this may result in the suspension and/or revocation of CDE nonpublic school/agency certification pursuant to California Education Code section 56366.4(a).

4. TERM OF MASTER CONTRACT

The term of this Master Contract shall be from July 1, 2025 to June 30, 2026 (Title 5 California Code of Regulations section 3062(a)) unless otherwise stated. Neither the CONTRACTOR nor the LEA is required to renew this Master Contract in subsequent contract years. The parties acknowledge that any subsequent Master Contract is to be re-negotiated prior to June 30, 2025 (Title 5 California Code of Regulations section 3062(d)). In the event the contract negotiations are not agreed to by June 30th, the most recently executed Master Contract will remain in effect for 90 days (Education Code 56366(c)(1)). If, after 60 days the master contract or individual services agreement has not been finalized, as prescribed in paragraph (1) of subdivision (a), either party may appeal to the county superintendent of schools, if the county superintendent of schools is not participating in the local plan involved in the nonpublic, nonsectarian school or agency contract; or the Superintendent, if the county superintendent of schools is participating in

the local plan involved in the contract, to negotiate the contract. Within 30 days of receipt of this appeal, the county superintendent of schools or the Superintendent, or the individual designee, shall mediate the formulation of a contract, which shall be binding upon both parties (Education Code 56366 (c) (2)). No Master Contract will be offered unless and until all of the contracting requirements have been satisfied. The offer of a Master Contract to a CONTRACTOR is at the sole discretion of the LEA.

The provisions of this Master Contract apply to CONTRACTOR and any of its employees or independent contractors. Notice of any change in CONTRACTOR's ownership or authorized representative shall be provided in writing to LEA within thirty (30) calendar days of change of ownership or change of authorized representative.

5. INTEGRATION/CONTINUANCE OF CONTRACT FOLLOWING EXPIRATION OR TERMINATION

This Master Contract includes each ISA and they are incorporated herein by this reference. This Master Contract supersedes any prior or contemporaneous written or oral understanding or agreement. This Master Contract may be amended only by written amendment executed by both parties.

CONTRACTOR shall provide the LEA with information as requested in writing to secure a Master Contract or a renewal.

At a minimum, such information shall include copies of current teacher credentials and clearance, insurance documentation and CDE certification. The LEA may require additional information as applicable. If the application packet is not completed and returned to District, no Master Contract will be issued. If CONTRACTOR does not return the Master Contract to LEA duly signed by an authorized representative within ninety (90) calendar days of issuance by LEA, the new contract rates will not take effect until the newly executed Master Contract is received by LEA and will not be retroactive to the first day of the new Master Contract's effective date. If CONTRACTOR fails to execute the new Master Contract within such ninety-day period, all payments shall cease until such time as the new Master Contract for the current school year is signed and returned to LEA by CONTRACTOR. (California Education Code section 56366(c)(1) and (2)). In the event that this Master Contract expires or terminates, CONTRACTOR shall continue to be bound to all of the terms and conditions of the most recent executed Master Contract between CONTRACTOR and LEA for so long as CONTRACTOR is servicing authorized students at the discretion of the LEA

6. INDIVIDUAL SERVICE AGREEMENT ("ISA")

This Agreement shall include an ISA developed for each student to whom CONTRACTOR is to provide special education and/or related services. An ISA shall only be issued for students enrolled with the approval of the LEA pursuant to Education Code section 56366 (a)(2)(A). An ISA may be effective for more than one contract year provided that there is a concurrent Master Contract in effect. In the event that this Master Contract expires or terminates, CONTRACTOR, shall continue to be bound to all of the terms and conditions of the most recent executed ISAs between CONTRACTOR and LEA for so long as CONTRACTOR is servicing authorized students.

Any and all changes to a student's educational placement/program provided under this Master Contract and/or an ISA shall be made solely on the basis of a revision to the student's IEP or by written agreement between the parent and LEA. At any time during the term of this Master Contract, a student's parent, CONTRACTOR, or LEA may request a review of a student's IEP subject to all procedural safeguards required by law.

Unless otherwise provided in this Master Contract, the CONTRACTOR shall provide all services specified in the IEP unless the CONTRACTOR and the LEA agree otherwise in the ISA. (California Education Code sections 56366(a) (5) and 3062(e)). In the event the CONTRACTOR is unable to provide a specific service at any time during the life of the ISA, the CONTRACTOR shall notify the LEA in writing within five (5) business days of the last date a service was provided. CONTRACTOR shall provide any and all subsequent

compensatory service hours awarded to student as a result of lack of provision of services while student was served by the NPS/A.

If a parent or LEA contests the termination of an ISA by initiating a due process proceeding with the OAH, CONTRACTOR shall abide by the "stay-put" requirement of state and federal law unless the parent agrees otherwise or an Interim Alternative Educational Setting is deemed lawful and appropriate by LEA or OAH consistent with Section 1415 (k)(1)(7) of Title 20 of the United States Code. CONTRACTOR shall adhere to all LEA requirements concerning changes in placement.

Disagreements between LEA and CONTRACTOR concerning the formulation of an ISA or the Master Contract may be appealed to the County Superintendent of Schools of the County where the LEA is located, or the State Superintendent of Public Instruction pursuant to the provisions of California Education Code section 56366(c) (2).

7. DEFINITIONS

The following definitions shall apply for purposes of this contract:

a. The term "CONTRACTOR" means a nonpublic, nonsectarian school/agency certified by the California Department of Education and its officers, agents, and employees.

b. The term "authorized LEA representative" means a LEA administrator designated to be responsible for NPS/A. It is understood, a representative of the Special Education Local Plan Area (SELPA) of which the LEA is a member is an authorized LEA representative in collaboration with the LEA. The LEA maintains sole responsibility for this Contract, unless otherwise specified in this Contract.

c. The term "credential" means a valid credential, life diploma, permit, or document in special education or pupil personnel services issued by, or under the jurisdiction of, the State Board of Education if issued prior to 1970 or the California Commission on Teacher Credentialing, which entitles the holder thereof to perform services for which certification qualifications are required as defined in Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3001(g).

d. The term "qualified" means that a person holds a certificate, permit or other document equivalent to that which staff in a public school are required to hold to provide special education and related services and has met federal and state certification, licensing, registration, or other comparable requirements which apply to the area in which the individual is providing special education or related services, including those requirements set forth in Title 34 of the Code of Federal Regulations sections 200.56 and 200.58, and those requirements set forth in Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations Sections 3064 and 3065, and adheres to the standards of professional practice established in federal and state law or regulation, including the standards contained in the California Business and Professions Code.

Nothing in this definition shall be construed as restricting the activities in services of a graduate needing direct hours leading to licensure, or of a student teacher or intern leading to a graduate degree at an accredited or approved college or university, as authorized by state laws or regulations. (Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations Section 3001 (r)).

e The term "license" means a valid non-expired document issued by a licensing agency within the Department of Consumer Affairs or other state licensing office authorized to grant licenses and authorizing the bearer of the document to provide certain professional services or refer to

themselves using a specified professional title including but not limited to mental health and board and care services at a residential placement. If a license is not available through an appropriate state licensing agency, a certificate of registration with the appropriate professional organization at the national or state level which has standards established for the certificate that are equivalent to a license shall be deemed to be a license as defined in Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3001(l).

f. "Parent" means:

i. a biological or adoptive parent; unless the biological or adoptive parent does not have legal authority to make educational decisions for the child,

ii. a guardian generally authorized to act as the child's parent or authorized to make educational decisions for the child,

iii. an individual acting in the place of a biological or adoptive parent, including a grandparent, stepparent, or other relative with whom the child lives, or an individual who is legally responsible for the child's welfare,

iv. a surrogate parent,

v. a foster parent if the authority of the biological or adoptive parent to make educational decisions on the child's behalf has been specifically limited by court order in accordance with Code of Federal Regulations 300.30(b)(1) or (2).

vi. Parent does not include the state or any political subdivision of government or the NPS/A under contract with the LEA for the provision of special education or designated instruction and services for a child. (California Education Code section 56028).

g. The term "days" means calendar days unless otherwise specified.

h. The phrase "billable day" means a school day in which instructional minutes meet or exceed those in comparable LEA programs.

i. The phrase "billable day of attendance" means a school day as defined in California Education Code Section 46307, in which a student is in attendance and in which instructional minutes meet or exceed those in comparable LEA programs unless otherwise stipulated in an IEP or ISA.

j. It is understood that the term "Master Contract" also means "Contract" and is referred to as such in this document.

ADMINISTRATION OF CONTRACT

8. NOTICES

All notices provided for by this Contract shall be in writing. Notices shall be mailed, emailed, or delivered by hand and shall be effective as of the date of receipt by addressee.

All notices mailed or emailed to LEA shall be addressed to the person and address as indicated on the signature page of this Master Contract. Notices to CONTRACTOR shall be addressed as indicated on signature page of this Master Contract.

9. MAINTENANCE OF RECORDS

All records shall be maintained by CONTRACTOR as required by state and federal laws and regulations. Notwithstanding the foregoing sentence, CONTRACTOR shall maintain all records for at least five (5) years after the termination of this Master Contract. For purposes of this Master Contract, "records" shall include, but not be limited to student records as defined by California Education Code section 49061(b) including electronically stored information; registers and roll books of teachers and/or daily service providers; daily service logs and notes and other documents used to record the provision of related services including supervision; daily service logs and notes used to record the provision of services provided through additional instructional assistants, NPA behavior intervention aides, and bus aides; behavior emergency reports (BER); incident reports; notification of injuries; absence verification records (parent/doctor notes, telephone logs, and related documents) if the CONTRACTOR is funded for excused absences, however, such records are not required if positive attendance is required; bus rosters; staff lists specifying credentials held and documents evidencing other staff qualifications, social security numbers, dates of hire, and dates of termination; records of employee training and certification, , including verification of behavior training consistent with 56366.1; staff time sheets; non-paid staff and volunteer sign-in sheets; transportation and other related services subcontracts; school calendars; bell/class schedules when applicable; liability and worker's compensation insurance policies; state NPS/A certifications; by-laws, if applicable; lists of current board of directors/trustees, if incorporated; statement of income and expenses; general journals; cash receipts and disbursement books; general ledgers and supporting documents; documents evidencing financial expenditures; federal/state payroll quarterly reports; evidence of electronic payments; and bank statements and canceled checks or facsimile thereof.

CONTRACTOR shall maintain student records in a secure location to ensure confidentiality and prevent unauthorized access. CONTRACTOR shall maintain a current list of the names and positions of CONTRACTOR's employees who have access to confidential records. CONTRACTOR shall maintain an access log for each student's record which lists all persons, agencies, or organizations requesting or receiving information from the record. Such log shall be maintained as required by California Education Code section 49064 and include the name, title, agency/organization affiliation, date/time of access for each individual requesting or receiving information from the student's record, and a description of the record(s) provided. Such log needs to record access to the student's records by: (a) the student's parent; (b) an individual to whom written consent has been executed by the student's parent; or (c) employees of LEA or CONTRACTOR having a legitimate educational interest in requesting or receiving information from the record. CONTRACTOR/LEA shall maintain copies of any written parental concerns granting access to student records. For purposes of this paragraph, "employees of LEA or CONTRACTOR" do not include subcontractors.

CONTRACTOR shall grant the following access to student records, (a) the student's parent; (b) employees of LEA or CONTRACTOR having a legitimate educational interest in requesting or receiving information from the record, and comply with parents' requests for copies of student records, as required by state and federal laws and regulations. CONTRACTOR agrees, in the event of school or agency closure, to forward student records within ten (10) business days to LEA. These shall include, but not limited to, current transcripts, IEP/IFSPs, BER's, incident reports, notification of injuries and all other relevant reports. LEA and/or SELPA shall have access to and receive copies of any and all records upon request within five (5) business days.

10. SEVERABILITY CLAUSE

If any provision of this agreement is held, in whole or in part, to be unenforceable for any reason, the remainder of that provision and of the entire agreement shall be severable and remain in effect.

11. SUCCESSORS IN INTEREST

This contract binds CONTRACTOR's successors and assignees. CONTRACTOR shall notify the LEA of any change of ownership or corporate control.

12. VENUE AND GOVERNING LAW

The laws of the State of California shall govern the terms and conditions of this contract with venue in the County where the LEA is located.

13. MODIFICATIONS AND AMENDMENTS REQUIRED TO CONFORM TO LEGAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE GUIDELINES

This Master Contract may be modified or amended by the LEA to conform to administrative and statutory guidelines issued by any state, federal or local governmental agency. The party seeking such modification shall provide the LEA and/or CONTRACTOR thirty (30) days' notice of any such changes or modifications made to conform to administrative or statutory guidelines and a copy of the statute or regulation upon which the modification or changes are based.

14. TERMINATION

This Master Contract or ISA may be terminated for cause. The cause shall not be the availability of a public class initiated during the period of the contract unless the parent agrees to the transfer of the student to the public school program at an IEP team meeting.

To terminate the contract either party shall give no less than twenty (20) days prior written notice (California Education Code section 56366(a)(4)). At the time of termination, CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA any and all documents CONTRACTOR is required to maintain under this Master Contract. ISAs are void upon termination of this Master Contract, as provided in Section 5 or 6. CONTRACTOR or LEA may terminate an ISA for cause. To terminate the ISA, either party shall give twenty (20) days prior written notice.

15. INSURANCE

CONTRACTOR shall, at CONTRACTOR'S sole cost and expense, maintain in full force and effect, during the term of this Contract, the following insurance coverage from a California licensed and/or admitted insurer with an A minus (A-), VII, or better rating from A.M. Best, sufficient to cover any claims, damages, liabilities, costs and expenses (including counsel fees) arising out of or in connection with CONTRACTOR's fulfillment of any of its obligations under this Agreement or either party's use of the work or any component or part thereof:

PART I - INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS FOR NONPUBLIC SCHOOLS AND AGENCIES

A. **Commercial General Liability Insurance**, including both bodily injury and property damage, with limits as follows:

$2,000,000 per occurrence
$ 500,000 fire damage
$ 5,000 medical expenses
$1,000,000 personal & adv. injury
$3,000,000 general aggregate
$2,000,000 products/completed operations aggregate

The policy may not contain an exclusion for coverage of claims arising from claims for sexual molestation or abuse. In the event that CONTRACTOR's policy should have an exclusion for sexual molestation or abuse claims, then CONTRACTOR shall be required to procure a supplemental policy providing such coverage.

B. **Workers' Compensation Insurance** in accordance with provisions of the California Labor Code adequate to protect the CONTRACTOR from claims that may arise from its operations pursuant to the Workers' Compensation Act (Statutory Coverage). The Workers'

Compensation Insurance coverage must also include Employers Liability coverage with limits of $1,000,000/$1,000,000/$1,000,000.

C. **Commercial Auto Liability Insurance** for all owned, non-owned or hired automobiles with a $1 million combined single limit.

If no owned automobiles, then only hired and non-owned is required.

If CONTRACTOR uses a vehicle to travel to/from school sites, between schools and/or to/from students' homes or other locations as approved service locations by the LEA, CONTRACTOR must comply with State of California auto insurance requirements.

D. **Errors & Omissions (E & O)/Malpractice (Professional Liability) coverage**, including Sexual Molestation and Abuse coverage, unless that coverage is afforded elsewhere in the Commercial General Liability policy by endorsement or separate policy**,** with the following limits:

$1,000,000 per occurrence
$2,000,000 general aggregate

E. CONTRACTOR, upon execution of this Contract and periodically thereafter upon request, shall furnish the LEA with certificates of insurance evidencing such coverage. The certificate of insurance shall include a ten (10) day non-renewal notice provision. The Commercial General Liability and Automobile Liability policy shall name the LEA and the Board of Education additional insured's premiums on all insurance policies and shall be paid by CONTRACTOR and shall be deemed included in CONTRACTOR's obligations under this contract at no additional charge.

F. Any deductibles or self-insured retentions above $100,000 must be declared to and approved by the LEA. At its option, LEA may require the CONTRACTOR, at the CONTRACTOR's sole cost, to: (a) cause its insurer to reduce to levels specified by the LEA or eliminate such deductibles or self-insured retentions with respect to the LEA, its officials and employees, or (b) procure a bond guaranteeing payment of losses and related investigation.

G. For any claims related to the services performed in connection with this Master Contract, the CONTRACTOR's insurance coverage shall be the primary insurance with respect to the LEA, its subsidiaries, officials and employees. Any insurance or self-insurance maintained by the LEA, its subsidiaries, officials and employees shall be excess of the CONTRACTOR's insurance and shall not contribute with it.

H. All Certificates of Insurance must reference the contract number, name of the school or agency submitting the certificate, and the location of the school or agency submitting the certificate on the certificate.

PART II - INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS FOR NONPUBLIC SCHOOLS AFFILIATED WITH A RESIDENTIAL TREATMENT FACILITY ("RTC")

When CONTRACTOR is an NPS affiliated with a **residential treatment center (NPS/RTC**), the following insurance policies are required:

A. **Commercial General Liability** including both bodily injury and property damage, with limits as follows:

$3,000,000 per occurrence
$6,000,000 in General Aggregate**.**

The policy shall be endorsed to name the LEA and the Board of Education as *named* additional insured and shall provide specifically that any insurance carried by the LEA which may be applicable to any claims or loss shall be deemed excess and the RTC's insurance primary despite any conflicting provisions in the RTC's policy. Coverage shall be maintained with no Self-Insured Retention above $100,000 without the prior written approval of the LEA.

B. **Workers' Compensation Insurance** in accordance with provisions of the California Labor Code adequate to protect the RTC from claims that may arise from its operations pursuant to the Workers' Compensation Act (Statutory Coverage). The Workers' Compensation Insurance coverage must also include Employers Liability coverage with limits of $1,000,000/$1,000,000/$1,000,000.

C. **Commercial Auto Liability** coverage with limits of $1,000,000 Combined Single Limit per Occurrence if the RTC does not operate a student bus service. If the RTC provides student bus services, the required coverage limit is $5,000,000 Combined Single Limit per Occurrence.

D. **Fidelity Bond** or **Crime Coverage** shall be maintained by the RTC to cover all employees who process or otherwise have responsibility for RTC funds, supplies, equipment or other assets. Minimum amount of coverage shall be $250,000 per occurrence, with no self-insured retention.

E. **Professional Liability/Errors & Omissions/Malpractice** coverage with minimum limits of $3,000,000 per occurrence and $6,000,000 general aggregate.

F. **Sexual Molestation and Abuse Coverage**, unless that coverage is afforded elsewhere in the Commercial General Liability or Professional liability policy by endorsement, with minimum limits of $3,000,000 per occurrence and $6,000,000 general aggregate.

If LEA or CONTRACTOR determines that a change in insurance coverage obligations under this section is necessary, either party may reopen negotiations to modify the insurance obligations.

16. INDEMNIFICATION AND HOLD HARMLESS

To the fullest extent allowed by law, CONTRACTOR shall indemnify and hold LEA and its Board Members, administrators, employees, agents, attorneys, volunteers, and subcontractors ("LEA Indemnities") harmless against all liability, loss, damage and expense (including reasonable attorneys' fees) resulting from or arising out of this Master Contract or its performance, to the extent that such loss, expense, damage or liability was proximately caused by negligence, intentional act, or willful act or omission of CONTRACTOR, including, without limitation, its agents, employees, subcontractors or anyone employed directly or indirectly by it (excluding LEA and LEA Indemnities). The duty and obligation to defend shall arise immediately upon tender of a claim or lawsuit to the CONTRACTOR. The LEA and the Member District(s) shall have the right in their sole discretion to select counsel of its choice to provide the defense at the sole cost of the CONTRACTOR or the applicable insurance carrier.

To the fullest extent allowed by law, LEA shall indemnify and hold CONTRACTOR and its Board Members, administrators, employees, agents, attorneys, and subcontractors ("CONTRACTOR Indemnities") harmless against all liability, loss, damage and expense (including reasonable attorneys' fees) resulting from or arising out of this Master Contract or its performance thereof, to the extent that such loss, expense, damage or liability was proximately caused by the negligent, intentional act or willful act or omission of LEA, including, without limitation, its agents, employees, subcontractors or anyone employed directly or indirectly by it (excluding CONTRACTOR and/or any CONTRACTOR Indemnities).

LEA represents that it is self-insured in compliance with the laws of the State of California, that the self-insurance covers LEA employees acting within the course and scope of their respective duties and that its self-insurance covers the LEA's indemnification obligations under this Master Contract.

17. INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR

Nothing herein contained will be construed to imply a joint venture, partnership or principal-agent relationship between the LEA and CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR shall provide all services under this Contract as an independent contractor, and neither party shall have the authority to bind or make any commitment on behalf of the other. Nothing contained in this Contract shall be deemed to create any association, partnership, joint venture or relationship of principal and agent, master and servant, or employer and employee between the parties or any affiliates of the parties, or between the LEA and any individual assigned by CONTRACTOR to perform any services for the LEA.

If the LEA is determined to be a partner, joint venture, co-principal, employer or co-employer of CONTRACTOR, CONTRACTOR shall indemnify and hold harmless the LEA from and against any and all claims for loss, liability, or damages arising from that determination, as well as any expenses, costs, taxes, penalties and interest charges incurred by the LEA as a result of that holding.

18. SUBCONTRACTING

CONTRACTOR shall provide written notification to LEA before subcontracting for special education and/or related services pursuant to this Master Contract. In the event LEA determines that it can provide the subcontracted service(s) at a lower rate, LEA may elect to provide such service(s). If LEA elects to provide such service(s), LEA shall provide written notification to CONTRACTOR within five (5) days of receipt of CONTRACTOR's original notice and CONTRACTOR shall not subcontract for said service(s).

CONTRACTOR shall incorporate all of the provisions of this Master Contract in all subcontracts, to the fullest extent reasonably possible. Furthermore, when CONTRACTOR enters into subcontracts for the provision of special education and/or related services (including, but not limited to, transportation) for any student, CONTRACTOR shall cause each subcontractor to procure and maintain insurance during the term of each subcontract. Such subcontractor's insurance shall comply with the provisions of Section 15. Each subcontractor shall furnish the LEA with original endorsements and certificates of insurance effecting coverage required by Section 15. The endorsements are to be signed by a person authorized by that insurer to bind coverage on its behalf. The endorsements are to be on forms as required by the LEA. All endorsements are to be received and approved by the LEA before the subcontractor's work commences. The Commercial General Liability and Automobile Liability policies shall name the LEA/SELPA and the LEA Board of Education as additional insured.

As an alternative to the LEA's forms, a subcontractor's insurer may provide complete, certified copies of all required insurance policies, including endorsements affecting the coverage required by this Master Contract. All Certificates of Insurance must reference the LEA contract number, name of the school or agency submitting the certificate, indication if NPS or NPA, and the location of the school or agency submitting the certificate. In addition, all subcontractors must meet the requirements as contained in Section 44 Clearance Requirements and Section 45 Staff Qualifications of this Master Contract.

19. CONFLICTS OF INTEREST

CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA upon request a copy of its current bylaws and a current list of its Board of Directors (or Trustees), if it is incorporated. CONTRACTOR and any member of its Board of Directors (or Trustees) shall disclose any relationship with LEA that constitutes or may constitute a conflict of interest pursuant to California Education Code section 56042 and Government Code Section 1090 including, but not limited to, employment with LEA, provision of private party assessments and/or reports, and attendance at IEP team meetings acting as a student's advocate. Pursuant to California Education code section 56042, an attorney or advocate for a parent of an individual with exceptional needs shall not recommend placement at CONTRACTOR's facility if the attorney or advocate is employed or contracted by the CONTRACTOR, or will receive a benefit from the CONTRACTOR, or otherwise has a conflict of interest.

The LEA shall neither execute an ISA with CONTRACTOR nor amend an existing ISA for a student when a recommendation for special education and/or related services is based in whole or in part on assessment(s) or reports provided by CONTRACTOR to the student without prior written authorization by LEA. This paragraph shall apply to CONTRACTOR regardless of when an assessment is performed or a report is prepared (i.e., before or after the student is enrolled in CONTRACTOR's school/agency) or whether an assessment of the student is performed or a report is prepared in the normal course of the services provided to the student by CONTRACTOR. To avoid conflict of interest, and in order to ensure the appropriateness of an Independent Educational Evaluation (hereinafter referred to as "IEE") and its recommendations, the LEA may not fund an IEE by an evaluator who provides ongoing service(s) or is sought to provide service(s) to the student for whom the IEE is requested. Likewise, the LEA may not fund services through the evaluator whose IEE the LEA agrees to fund. When no other appropriate assessor is available, LEA may request and if CONTRACTOR agrees, the CONTRACTOR may provide an IEE.

CONTRACTOR shall not admit a student living within the jurisdictional boundaries of the LEA on a private pay or tuition free "scholarship" basis and concurrently or subsequently advise/request parent(s) to pursue funding for the admitted school year from the LEA through due process proceedings.

20. NON-DISCRIMINATION

CONTRACTOR shall not, in employment or operation of its programs, unlawfully discriminate on the basis of gender, nationality, national origin, ancestry, race, color, ethnicity, ethnic group affiliation, religion, age, marital status, pregnancy or parental status, sex, sexual orientation, gender, gender identity or expression, physical or mental disability, genetic information or any other classification protected by federal or state law or the perception of one or more of such characteristics or association with a person or group with one or more of these actual or perceived characteristics.

EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM

21. FREE AND APPROPRIATE PUBLIC EDUCATION (FAPE)

The LEA shall provide CONTRACTOR with a copy of the IEP including the Individualized Transition Plan (hereinafter referred to as "ITP") of each student served by CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR shall provide special education and/or related services (including transition services) to each student within the NPS/A consistent with the student's IEP and as specified in the ISA. If CONTRACTOR is a NPS, CONTRACTOR shall not accept a student if it cannot provide or ensure the provision of the services outlined in the student's IEP. If student services are provided by a third party (i.e. Related Services Provider), CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA if provision of services cease.

Unless otherwise agreed to between CONTRACTOR and LEA, CONTRACTOR shall be responsible for the provision of all appropriate supplies, equipment, and/or facilities, as specified in the student's IEP and ISA. CONTRACTOR shall make no charge of any kind to parents for special education and/or related services as specified in the student's IEP and ISA (including, but not limited to, screenings, assessments, or interviews that occur prior to or as a condition of the student's enrollment under the terms of this Master Contract). LEA shall provide low incidence equipment for eligible students with low incidence disabilities when specified in the student's IEP and ISA. Such equipment remains the property of the SELPA/LEA and shall be returned to the SELPA/LEA when the IEP team determines the equipment is no longer needed or when the student is no longer enrolled in the NPS. CONTRACTOR shall ensure that facilities are adequate to provide LEA students with an environment which meets all pertinent health and safety regulations. CONTRACTOR may charge a student's parent(s) for services and/or activities not necessary for the student to receive a free appropriate public education after: (a) written notification to the student's parent(s) of the cost and voluntary nature of the services and/or activities; and (b) receipt by the LEA of the written notification and a written acknowledgment signed by the student's parent(s) of the

cost and voluntary nature of the services and/or activities. CONTRACTOR shall adhere to all LEA requirements concerning parent acknowledgment of financial responsibility.

Voluntary services and/or activities not necessary for the student to receive a free appropriate public education shall not interfere with the student's receipt of special education and/or related services as specified in the student's IEP and ISA unless the LEA, CONTRACTOR, and PARENT agree otherwise in writing.

22. GENERAL PROGRAM OF INSTRUCTION

All NPS/A services shall be provided consistent with the area of certification specified by CDE Certification and as defined in California Education Code section 56366 et seq...

When CONTRACTOR is a NPS, CONTRACTOR's general program of instruction shall: (a) utilize evidence-based practices and be consistent with LEA's standards regarding the particular course of study and curriculum; (b) include curriculum that addresses mathematics, literacy and the use of educational, assistive technology and transition services; (c) be consistent with CDE's standards regarding the particular course of study and curriculum; (d) provide the services as specified in the student's IEP and ISA. Students shall have access to: (a) State Board of Education (SBE) - adopted Common Core State Standards ("CCSS") for curriculum and the same instructional materials for kindergarten and grades 1 to 8, inclusive; and provide standards – aligned core curriculum and instructional materials for grades 9 to 12, inclusive, used by an LEA, that contracts with the NPS: (b) college preparation courses; (c) extracurricular activities, such as art, sports, music and academic clubs; (d) career preparation and vocational training, consistent with transition plans pursuant to state and federal law and; (e) supplemental assistance, including individual academic tutoring, psychological counseling, and career and college counseling.

When CONTRACTOR serves students in grades 9 through 12 inclusive, LEA shall provide to CONTRACTOR a specific list of the course requirements to be satisfied by the CONTRACTOR leading toward graduation or completion of LEA's diploma requirements. CONTRACTOR shall not award a high school diploma to students who have not successfully completed all of the LEA's graduation requirements.

When CONTRACTOR is a NPA and/or related services provider, CONTRACTOR's general program of instruction and/or services shall utilize evidence-based practices and be consistent with LEA and CDE guidelines and certification, and provided as specified in the student's IEP and ISA. The NPA providing Behavior Intervention services shall develop a written plan that specifies the nature of their NPA service for each student within thirty (30) days of enrollment and shall be provided in writing to the LEA. School-based services may not be unilaterally converted by CONTRACTOR to a substitute program or provided at a location not specifically authorized by the IEP team. Except for services provided by a CONTRACTOR that is a Licensed Children's Institution (LCI), all services not provided in the school setting require the presence of a parent, guardian or adult caregiver during the delivery of services, provided such guardian or caregiver have a signed authorization by the parent or legal guardian to authorize emergency services as requested. LCI CONTRACTORS shall ensure that appropriate and qualified residential or clinical staff is present during the provision of services under this Master Contract. CONTRACTOR shall immediately notify LEA in writing if no parent, guardian or adult caregiver is present. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA a written description of the services and location provided prior to the effective date of this Master Contract. CONTRACTORS providing Behavior Intervention services must have a trained behaviorist or trained equivalent on staff. It is understood that Behavior Intervention services are limited per CDE Certification and do not constitute as an instructional program.

When CONTRACTOR is a NPA, CONTRACTOR shall not provide transportation nor subcontract for transportation services for students unless the LEA and CONTRACTOR agree otherwise in writing.

23. INSTRUCTIONAL MINUTES

When CONTRACTOR is a NPS, the total number of instructional minutes per school day provided by CONTRACTOR shall be at least equivalent to the number of instructional minutes per school day provided

to students at like grade level attending LEA schools and shall be specified in the student's ISA developed in accordance with the student's IEP.

For students in grades kindergarten through 12 inclusive, unless otherwise specified in the student's IEP and ISA, the number of instructional minutes, excluding breakfast, recess, lunch and passing time shall be at the same level that Ed. Code prescribes for the LEA.

The total number of annual instructional minutes shall be at least equivalent to the total number of annual instructional minutes provided to students attending LEA schools in like grade level unless otherwise specified in the student's IEP.

When CONTRACTOR is a NPA and/or related services provider, the total number of minutes per school day provided by CONTRACTOR shall be specified in the student's ISA developed in accordance with the student's IEP.

24. CLASS SIZE

When CONTRACTOR is a NPS, CONTRACTOR shall ensure that class size shall not exceed a ratio of one teacher per twelve (12) students, unless CONTRACTOR and LEA agree otherwise in writing. Upon prior written approval by an authorized LEA representative, class size may be temporarily increased by a ratio of 1 teacher to fourteen (14) students when necessary, during the regular or extended school year to provide services to students with disabilities.

In the event a NPS is unable to fill a vacant teaching position responsible for direct instruction to students, and the vacancy has direct impact on the CDE Certification of that school, the NPS shall develop a plan to ensure appropriate coverage of students by first utilizing existing certificated staff. The NPS and the LEA may agree to one 30 school day period per contract year where class size may be increased to ensure coverage by an appropriately credentialed teacher. Such an agreement shall be in writing and signed by both parties. This provision does not apply to a NPA.

CONTRACTOR providing special education instruction for individuals with exceptional needs between the ages of three and five years, inclusive, shall also comply with the appropriate instructional adult to child ratios pursuant to California Education Code sections 56440 et seq.

25. CALENDARS

When CONTRACTOR is an NPS, CONTRACTOR shall submit to the LEA/SELPA a school calendar with the total number of billable days not to exceed 180 days, plus extended school year billable days equivalent to the number of days determined by the LEA's extended school year calendar. Billable days shall include only those days that are included on the submitted and approved school calendar, and/or required by the IEP (developed by the LEA) for each student. CONTRACTOR shall not be allowed to change its school calendar and/or amend the number of billable days without the prior written approval of the LEA. Nothing in this Master Contract shall be interpreted to require the LEA to accept any requests for calendar changes.

Unless otherwise specified by the student's IEP, educational services shall occur at the school site. A student shall only be eligible for extended school year services as determined by the IEP team and the provision of such is specifically included in the ISA. Extended school year shall consist of twenty (20) instructional days, unless otherwise agreed upon by the IEP team convened by the LEA. Any days of extended school year in excess of twenty (20) billable days must be mutually agreed to, in writing, prior to the start of the extended school year.

Student must have actually been in attendance during the regular school year and/or during extended school year and received services on a billable day of attendance in order for CONTRACTOR to be eligible for payment. It is specifically understood that services may not be provided on weekends/holidays and other times when school is not in session, unless agreed to by the LEA, in writing, in advance of the delivery of

any NPS service. Any instructional days provided without this written agreement shall be at the sole financial responsibility of the CONTRACTOR.

CONTRACTOR shall observe the same legal holidays as LEA. Those holidays are Labor Day, Veteran's Day, Thanksgiving Day, Christmas Day, New Year's Day, Martin Luther King Jr. Day, President's Day, Memorial Day, Juneteenth, and Independence Day. With the approval of LEA, CONTRACTOR may revise the date upon which CONTRACTOR closes in observance of any of the holidays observed by the LEA.

When CONTRACTOR is a NPA, CONTRACTOR shall be provided with a LEA-developed/approved calendar prior to the initiation of services. CONTRACTOR herein agrees to observe holidays as specified in the LEA-developed/approved calendar. CONTRACTOR shall provide services pursuant to the LEA-developed/approved calendar; or as specified in the LEA student's IEP and ISA. Unless otherwise specified in the LEA student's ISA, CONTRACTOR shall provide related services to LEA students on only those days that the LEA student's school of attendance is in session and the LEA student attends school. CONTRACTOR shall bill only for services provided on billable days of attendance as indicated on the LEA calendar unless CONTRACTOR and the LEA agree otherwise, in writing. Student must have actually been in attendance and/or received services on a billable day of attendance in order for CONTRACTOR to be eligible for payment. It is specifically understood that services may not be provided on weekends/holidays and other times when school is not in session, unless agreed to by the LEA, in writing, in advance of the delivery of any NPA service provided by CONTRACTOR. Any instructional days provided without this written agreement shall be at the sole financial responsibility of the CONTRACTOR.

26. DATA REPORTING

CONTRACTOR shall agree to provide to the LEA all data related to student information and billing information with LEA. CONTRACTOR shall agree to provide data related to all sections of this contract, including student discipline as noted below, and requested by and in the format required by the LEA. It is understood that all NPS/A shall utilize the LEA approved electronic IEP system for all IEP development, service tracking documentation, and progress reporting, unless otherwise agreed to by the LEA. Additional progress reporting may be required by the LEA. The LEA shall provide the CONTRACTOR with appropriate software, user training and proper internet permissions to allow adequate access.

Using forms developed by the CDE or as otherwise mutually agreed upon by CONTRACTOR and LEA, CONTRACTOR shall provide LEA, on a monthly basis, a written report of all incidents in which a statutory offense is committed by any LEA student, regardless if it results in a disciplinary action of suspension or expulsion. This includes all statutory offenses as described in Education Code sections 48900 and 48915. CONTRACTOR shall also include incidents resulting in the use of a behavioral restraint and/or seclusion even if they were not a result of a violation of Education Code sections 48900 and 48915.

The LEA shall provide the CONTRACTOR with approved forms and/or format for such data including, but not limited to, invoicing, attendance reports and progress reports. The LEA may approve use of CONTRACTOR'S provided forms at their discretion.

27. LEAST RESTRICTIVE ENVIRONMENT/DUAL ENROLLMENT

CONTRACTOR and LEA shall follow all LEA policies and procedures that support Least Restrictive Environment ("LRE") options and/or dual enrollment options if available and appropriate, for students to have access to the general curriculum and to be educated with their nondisabled peers to the maximum extent appropriate.

CONTRACTOR and LEA shall ensure that LRE placement options are addressed at all IEP team meetings regarding students for whom ISAs have been or may be executed. This shall include IEP team consideration of supplementary aids and services, goals and objectives necessary for placement in the LRE and necessary to enable students to transition to less restrictive settings.

When an IEP team has determined that a student should be transitioned into the public school setting, CONTRACTOR shall assist the LEA in implementing the IEP team's recommended activities to support the transition.

28. STATEWIDE ACHIEVEMENT TESTING

When CONTRACTOR is a NPS, per implementation of Senate Bill 484, CONTRACTOR shall administer all statewide assessments within the California Assessment of Student Performance and Progress ("CAASPP"), Desired Results Developmental Profile ("DRDP"), California Alternative Assessment ("CAA"), achievement and abilities tests (using LEA-authorized assessment instruments), the Fitness Gram, , the English Language Proficiency Assessments for California ("ELPAC"), the Alternative English Language Proficiency Assessments for California ("Alternative ELPAC"), and as appropriate to the student, and mandated by LEA pursuant to LEA and state and federal guidelines.

CONTRACTOR is subject to the alternative accountability system developed pursuant to Education Code section 52052, in the same manner as public schools. Each LEA student placed with CONTRACTOR by the LEA shall be tested by qualified staff of CONTRACTOR in accordance with that accountability program. LEA shall provide test administration training to CONTRACTOR'S qualified staff. CONTRACTOR shall attend LEA test training and comply with completion of all coding requirements as required by LEA.

29. MANDATED ATTENDANCE AT LEA MEETINGS

CONTRACTOR shall attend District mandated meetings when legal mandates, and/or LEA policy and procedures are reviewed, including but not limited to the areas of: curriculum, high school graduation, standards-based instruction, behavior intervention, cultural and linguistic needs of students with disabilities, dual enrollment responsibilities, LRE responsibilities, transition services, data collection, and standardized testing and IEPs. LEA shall provide CONTRACTOR with reasonable notice of mandated meetings. Attendance at such meetings does not constitute a billable service hour(s).

30. POSITIVE BEHAVIOR INTERVENTIONS AND SUPPORTS

CONTRACTOR shall comply with the requirements of Education Code section 49005, et seq., 56521.1 and 56521.2. LEA students who exhibit behaviors that interfere with their learning or the learning of others must receive timely and appropriate assessments and positive supports and interventions in accordance with the federal law and it's implementing regulations. If the IEP team determines that a student's behavior impedes the individual learning or the learning of others, the IEP team is required to consider the use of positive behavioral interventions and supports, and other strategies, to address that behavior, consistent with Section 1414(d)(3)(B)(i) and (d)(4) of Title 20 of the United States Code and associated federal regulations. This could mean that instead of developing a Behavior Intervention Plan ("BIP"), the IEP team may conclude it is sufficient to address the student's behavioral problems through the development of behavioral goals and behavioral interventions to support those goals.

CONTRACTOR shall maintain a written policy pursuant to California Education Code section 56521.1 regarding emergency interventions and behavioral emergency reports. CONTRACTOR shall ensure that all of its staff members are trained in crisis intervention, emergency procedures, and evidenced-based practices and interventions specific to the unique behavioral needs of the CONTRACTOR's pupil population. The training shall be provided within 30 days of employment to new staff who have any contact or interaction with pupils during the school day, and annually to all staff who have any contact or interaction with pupils during the school day. The CONTRACTOR shall select and conduct the training in accordance with California Education Code section 56366.1. CONTRACTOR shall maintain written records of the training and provide written verification of the training annually and upon request.

Pursuant to Education Code section 56521.1, emergency interventions shall not be used as a substitute for a BIP, and shall not be employed longer than necessary to contain the behavior. Emergency interventions

may only be used to control unpredictable, spontaneous behavior that poses clear and present danger of serious physical harm to the individual with exceptional needs, or others, and that cannot be immediately prevented by a response less restrictive than the temporary application of a technique used to contain the behavior. If a situation requires prolonged use of emergency intervention, staff must seek assistance from the school site administrator or a law enforcement agency.

CONTRACTOR shall complete a behavior emergency report when an emergency occurs that is defined as a serious, dangerous behavior that staff has determined to present a clear and present danger to others. It requires a non-violent physical intervention to protect the safety of student, self, or others and a physical intervention has been used; or a physical intervention has not been used, but an injury or serious property damage has occurred. Personal Safety Techniques may or may not have been used. Emergencies require a behavior emergency report form be completed and submitted to the LEA within twenty-four (24) hours for administrative action. CONTRACTOR shall notify Parent within twenty-four (24) hours via telephone. If the student's IEP does not contain a BIP, an IEP team shall schedule a meeting to review the behavior emergency report, determine if there is a necessity for a functional behavioral assessment, and to determine an interim plan. If the student already has a BIP, the IEP team shall review and modify the BIP if a new serious behavior has been exhibited or existing behavioral interventions have proven to be ineffective. CONTRACTOR shall schedule with LEA an IEP meeting within two (2) days.

Pursuant to Education Code section 56521.2, CONTRACTOR shall not authorize, order, consent to, or pay for the following interventions, or any other interventions similar to or like the following:

1. any intervention that is designed to, or likely to, cause physical pain, including, but not limited to, electric-shock;
2. an intervention that involves the release of noxious, toxic, or otherwise unpleasant sprays, mists, or substances in proximity to the face of the individual;
3. an intervention that denies adequate sleep, food, water, shelter, bedding, physical comfort, or access to bathroom facilities;
4. an intervention that is designed to subject, used to subject, or likely to subject, the individual to verbal abuse, ridicule, or humiliation, or that can be expected to cause excessive emotional trauma; restrictive interventions that employ a device, material, or objects that simultaneously immobilize all four extremities,
5. Prone restraint;
6. locked seclusion, unless it is in a facility otherwise licensed or permitted by state law to use a locked room;
7. an intervention that precludes adequate supervision of the individual;
8. an intervention that deprives the individual of one or more of the individual's senses.

CONTRACTOR shall comply with Education Code sections 49005.8, 56521.1 and 56521.2. Specifically, Contractor shall not do any of the following:

1. Use seclusion or a behavioral restraint for the purpose of coercion, discipline, convenience, or retaliation.
2. Use locked seclusion, unless it is in a facility otherwise licensed or permitted by state law to use a locked room.
3. Use a physical restraint technique that obstructs a pupil's respiratory airway or impairs the pupil's breathing or respiratory capacity, including techniques in which a staff member places pressure on a pupil's back or places the individual's body weight against the pupil's torso or back.
4. Use a behavioral restraint technique that restricts breathing, including, but not limited to, using a pillow, blanket, carpet, mat, or other item to cover a pupil's face.
5. Place a pupil in a facedown position with the pupil's hands held or restrained behind the pupil's back
6. Use prone containment.
7. Use a behavioral restraint for longer than is necessary to contain the behavior that poses a clear and present danger of serious physical harm to the pupil or others.

CONTRACTOR shall keep constant, direct observation of a pupil who is in seclusion, which may be through observation of the pupil through a window, or another barrier, through which the educational provider is able to make direct eye contact with the pupil. This observation shall not be through indirect means, including through a security camera or a closed-circuit television.

CONTRACTOR shall afford pupils who are restrained the least restrictive alternative and the maximum freedom of movement, and shall use the least number of restraint points, while ensuring the physical safety of the pupil and others.

In the case of a child whose behavior impedes the child's learning or that of others, the IEP team shall consider the use of positive behavioral interventions and supports, and other strategies, to address that behavior, consistent with Section 1414(d)(3)(B)(i) and (d)(4) of Title 20 of the United States Code and associated federal regulations.

All restraint practices must be reviewed and revised when they have an adverse effect on a student and are used repeatedly for an individual child, either on multiple occasions within the same classroom or multiple uses by the same individual. CONTRACTOR shall notify the student's parent/guardian when any type of physical or mechanical restraint or seclusion has been used. Upon the use of any type of physical or mechanical restraint or seclusions of an LEA student, CONTRACTOR shall complete a BER per the reporting and notification requirements listed above.

31. STUDENT DISCIPLINE

CONTRACTOR shall maintain and abide by a written policy for student discipline that is consistent with state and federal law and regulations. Using forms developed by the California Department of Education or as otherwise mutually agreed upon by CONTRACTOR and LEA, CONTRACTOR shall provide LEA, on a monthly basis, a written report of all incidents in which a statutory offense is committed by any LEA student, regardless if it results in a disciplinary action of suspension or expulsion. This includes all statutory offenses as described in Education Codes 48900 and 48915.CONTRACTOR shall also include incidents resulting in the use of a behavioral restraint and/or seclusion even if they were not a result of a violation of Education Code Sections 48900 and 48915.

When CONTRACTOR seeks to remove a student from his/her current educational placement for disciplinary reasons, CONTRACTOR shall immediately submit a written discipline report to the LEA. Written discipline reports shall include, but not be limited to: the student's name; the time, date, and description of the misconduct; the disciplinary action taken by CONTRACTOR; and the rationale for such disciplinary action. A copy of the student's behavior plan, if any, shall be submitted with the written discipline report. CONTRACTOR and LEA agree to participate in a manifestation determination at an IEP meeting no later than the tenth (10^{th}) day of suspension

32. IEP TEAM MEETINGS

An IEP team meeting shall be convened at least annually to evaluate: (1) the educational progress of each student placed with CONTRACTOR, including all state assessment results pursuant to the requirements of Education Code section 52052; (2) whether or not the needs of the student continue to be best met at the NPS; and (3) whether changes to the student's IEP are necessary, including whether the student may be transitioned to a public school setting. (California Education Code sections 56366 (a) (2) (B) (i) and (ii)) and pursuant to California Education Code section 56345 (b) (4).)

If the LEA student is to be transferred from a NPS setting into a regular class setting in a public school for any part of the school day, the IEP team shall document a description of activities provided to integrate the student into the regular education program, including the nature of each activity as well as the time spent on the activity each day or week and a description of the activities provided to support the transition of the student from the special education program into the regular education program. Each student shall be allowed to provide confidential input to any representative of the individual IEP team. Except as otherwise provided in the Master Contract, CONTRACTOR and LEA shall participate in all IEP team meetings

regarding students for whom ISAs have been or may be executed. At any time during the term of this Master Contract, the parent, the CONTRACTOR or the LEA may request a review of the student's IEP, subject to all procedural safeguards required by law, including reasonable notice given to, and participation of, the CONTRACTOR in the meeting. Every effort shall be made to schedule IEP team meetings at a time and place that is mutually convenient to parent, CONTRACTOR and LEA. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA assessments and written assessment reports by service providers upon request and/or pursuant to LEA policy and procedures. It is understood that attendance at an IEP meeting is part of CONTRACTOR'S professional responsibility and is not a billable service under this Master Contract.

It is understood that the CONTRACTOR shall utilize the approved electronic IEP system of the LEA for all IEP planning and progress reporting at the LEA's discretion. The LEA or SELPA may provide training for any CONTRACTOR to ensure access to the approved system. The CONTRACTOR shall maintain confidentiality of all IEP data on the approved system and shall protect the password requirements of the system. When a student dis-enrolls from the NPS/NPA, the NPS/NPA and LEA shall discontinue use of the approved system for that student.

Changes in any student's educational program, including instruction, services, or instructional setting provided under this Master Contract, may only be made on the basis of revisions to the student's IEP. In the event that the CONTRACTOR believes the student requires a change of placement, the CONTRACTOR may request a review of the student's IEP for the purposes of consideration of a change in the student's placement. Student is entitled to remain in the last agreed upon and implemented placement unless parent agrees otherwise or an Interim Alternative Educational Setting is deemed lawful and appropriate by LEA or OAH consistent with Section 1415 (k)(1)(7) of Title 20 of the United States Code.

33. SURROGATE PARENTS AND FOSTER YOUTH

CONTRACTOR shall recognize an LEA appointed surrogate parent assignments for students without parental representation, including unaccompanied homeless youths, in special education procedures pursuant to California Government Code Section 7579.5. Surrogate parents shall serve as the child's parent and have all the rights relative to the student's education that a parent has under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act pursuant to *20 USC 1414-1482 and 34 CFR 300.1-300.756.* A pupil in foster care shall be defined pursuant to California Education Code section 42238.01(b). The LEA shall annually notify the CONTRACTOR who the LEA has designated as the educational liaison for foster children. When a pupil in foster care is enrolled in a NPS by the LEA any time after the completion of the pupil's second year of high school, the CONTRACTOR shall schedule the pupil in courses leading towards graduation based on the diploma requirements of the LEA unless provided notice otherwise in writing pursuant to Section 51225.1.

34. DUE PROCESS PROCEEDINGS

CONTRACTOR shall fully participate in special education due process proceedings including mediations and hearings, as requested by LEA. Participation further includes the willingness to make CONTRACTOR's staff available for witness preparation and testimony as is necessary to facilitate a due process hearing. CONTRACTOR shall also fully participate in the investigation and provision of documentation related to any complaint filed with the State of California, the Office of Civil Rights, or any other state and/or federal governmental body or agency. Full participation shall include, but in no way be limited to, cooperating with LEA representatives to provide complete answers raised by any investigator and/or the immediate provision of any and all documentation that pertains to the operation of CONTRACTOR's program and/or the implementation of a particular student's IEP/Individual and Family Service Plan ("IFSP").

35. COMPLAINT PROCEDURES

CONTRACTOR shall maintain and adhere to its own written procedures for responding to parent complaints. These procedures shall include annually notifying and providing parents of students with

appropriate information (including complaint forms) for the following: (1) Uniform Complaint Procedures pursuant to Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 4600 *et seq*.; (2) Nondiscrimination policy pursuant to Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 4960 (a); (3) Sexual Harassment Policy, California Education Code 231.5 (a) (b) (c); (4) Title IX Student Grievance Procedure, Title IX 106.8 (a) (d) and 106.9 (a); and (5) Notice of Privacy Practices in compliance with Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act ("HIPAA"). CONTRACTOR shall include verification of these procedures to the LEA. CONTRACTOR shall immediately notify LEA of any complaints filed against it related to LEA students and provide LEA with all documentation related to the complaints and/or its investigation of complaints, including any and all reports generated as a result of an investigation.

36. STUDENT PROGRESS REPORTS/REPORT CARDS AND ASSESSMENTS

Unless LEA requests in writing that progress reports be provided on a monthly basis, CONTRACTOR shall provide to parents at least four (4) written progress reports/report cards. At a minimum, progress reports shall include progress over time towards IEP goals and objectives. A copy of the progress reports/report cards shall be maintained at the CONTRACTOR's place of business and shall be submitted to the LEA and LEA student's parent(s) quarterly.

The CONTRACTOR shall also provide an LEA representative access to supporting documentation used to determine progress on any goal or objective, including but not limited to log sheets, observation notes, data sheets, pre/post tests, rubrics and other similar data collection used to determine progress or lack of progress on approved goals, objectives, transition plans or behavior intervention plans. The LEA may request such data at any time within five (5) years of the date of service. The CONTRACTOR shall provide this data supporting progress within five (5) business days of request. Additional time may be granted as needed by the LEA.

CONTRACTOR shall complete academic or other evaluations of the student ten (10) days prior to the student's annual or triennial review IEP team meeting for the purpose of reporting the student's present levels of performance at the IEP team meeting as required by state and federal laws and regulations and pursuant to LEA policies, procedures, and/or practices. CONTRACTOR shall provide sufficient copies of its reports, documents, and projected goals to share with members of the IEP team five (5) business days prior to the IEP meeting. CONTRACTOR shall maintain supporting documentation such as test protocols and data collection, which shall be made available to LEA within five (5) business days of request.

The CONTRACTOR is responsible for all evaluation costs regarding the updating of goals and objectives, progress reporting and development of present levels of performance. All assessments resulting from an assessment plan shall be provided by the LEA unless the LEA specifies in writing a request that CONTRACTOR perform such additional assessment. Any assessment and/or evaluation costs may be added to the ISA and/or approved separately by the LEA at the LEA's sole discretion.

It is understood that all billable hours must be in direct services to pupils as specified in the ISA. For NPA services, supervision provided by a qualified individual as specified in Title 5 Regulation, subsection 3065, shall be determined as appropriate and included in the ISA. Supervision means the direct observation of services, data review, case conferencing and program design consistent with professional standards for each professional's license, certification, or credential.

CONTRACTOR shall not charge the student's parent(s) or LEA for the provision of progress reports, report cards, evaluations conducted in order to obtain present levels of performance, interviews, and/or meetings. It is understood that all billable hours have limits to those specified on the ISA consistent with the IEP. It is understood that copies of data collection notes, forms, charts and other such data are part of the pupil's record and shall be made available to the LEA upon written request.

37. GRADES, HIGH SCHOOL COURSE CREDITS, & TRANSCRIPTS

When CONTRACTOR is a NPS, CONTRACTOR is responsible for assigning grades for any course of instruction taught at the NPS. The grades determined by the pupil's teacher, in the absence of

clerical or mechanical mistake, fraud, bad faith, or incompetency, shall be final and consistent with the provisions specified in EC Section 49066. The grades each pupil receives in all courses of instruction taught by the NPS shall be reported to the parents and the LEA on a quarterly basis. Consistent with the LEA, should it become evident to the NPS the pupil is in danger of failing a course, the CONTRACTOR must initiate a parent conference, and the LEA representative must be in attendance.

When CONTRACTOR serves students in grades nine (9) through twelve (12) inclusive, LEA shall provide to CONTRACTOR a specific list of the course requirements to be satisfied by the CONTRACTOR leading toward graduation or completion of LEA's diploma requirements. CONTRACTOR shall not recommend awarding a high school diploma to students who have not successfully completed all of the LEA's graduation requirements.

Pupils enrolled in high school during the 2020-2021 academic year may request a Pass or No Pass grade as permitted in EC Section 49066.5, which may be reflected on the student's transcript and shall not negatively affect the pupil's grade point average.

CONTRACTOR shall prepare transcripts at the close of each semester, or upon student transfer, for students in grades nine (9) through twelve (12) inclusive, and submit them on LEA approved forms to the student's school of residence for evaluation of progress toward completion of diploma requirements as specified in LEA Procedures. CONTRACTOR shall submit to the LEA names of students and their schools of residence for whom transcripts have been submitted as specified by the LEA.

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Effective July 1, 2025, if determined appropriate by the pupil's IEP team, beginning when the pupil starts their high school experience and not later than when the pupil is 16 years of age or younger, as appropriate, and annually thereafter, a statement of needed transition services shall be included in the pupil's individualized education program. If the individualized education program team determines that the pupil would benefit from the postponement of the inclusion of appropriate measurable postsecondary goals and transition services until 16 years of age, rather than when the pupil begins their high school experience, the individualized education program team shall appropriately justify the basis for that postponement. (EC section 56043(h).)

38. STUDENT CHANGE OF RESIDENCE

Within five (5) school days from the date CONTRACTOR becomes aware of a student's change of residence, CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA, in writing, of the student's change of residence. Upon enrollment, CONTRACTOR shall notify parents in writing of their obligation to notify CONTRACTOR of the student's change of residence. CONTRACTOR shall maintain, and provide upon request by LEA, documentation of such notice to parents.

If CONTRACTOR had knowledge or should reasonably have had knowledge of the student's change of residence boundaries and CONTRACTOR fails to follow the procedures specified in this provision, LEA shall not be responsible for the costs of services delivered following the student's change of residence.

39. WITHDRAWAL OF STUDENT FROM PROGRAM

CONTRACTOR shall immediately report electronically and in writing to the LEA within five (5) business days when an LEA student is withdrawn without prior notice from school and/or services, including student's change of residence to a residence outside of LEA service boundaries, and parent/guardian withdrawal of student against professional advice from a NPS/RTC.

40. PARENT ACCESS

CONTRACTOR shall provide for reasonable parental access to students and all facilities including, but not limited to, the instructional setting, recreational activity areas, meeting rooms and student living quarters, when applicable. CONTRACTOR shall comply with any known court orders regarding parental visits and access to LEA students.

CONTRACTOR operating programs associated with a NPS/RTC shall cooperate with a parent's reasonable request for LEA student therapeutic visits in their home or at the NPS/RTC. CONTRACTOR shall require that parents obtain prior written authorization for therapeutic visits from the CONTRACTOR and the LEA at least thirty (30) days in advance. When requested, CONTRACTOR shall facilitate all parent travel and accommodations and for providing travel information to the parent as appropriate. Payment by LEA for approved travel-related expenses shall be made directly through the LEA consistent with LEA Procedures.

CONTRACTOR providing services in the student's home as specified in the IEP shall ensure that at least one parent of the child, or an adult caregiver with written and signed authorization to make decisions in an emergency, is present. The names of any adult caregiver other than the parent shall be provided to the LEA prior to the start of any home based services, including written and signed authorization in emergency situations. The parent shall inform the LEA of any changes of caregivers and provide written authorization for emergencies. The adult caregiver cannot also be an employee or volunteer associated with the NPS/NPA service provider.

All problems and/or concerns, both verbal and written, reported to pupil's parents shall also be provided, in writing, to the LEA.

41. LICENSED CHILDREN'S INSTITUTION ("LCI") CONTRACTORS AND RESIDENTIAL TREATMENT CENTER ("RTC") CONTRACTORS

If CONTRACTOR is a LCI, CONTRACTOR shall adhere to all legal requirements regarding educational placements for LCI students as stated in Education Code 56366 (a) (2) (C), 56366.9 (c) (1), Health and Safety Code section 1501.1and any other applicable laws and/or regulations, including LEA guidelines or procedures. An LCI shall not require that a pupil be placed in its NPS as a condition of being placed in its residential facility.

If CONTRACTOR is a NPS/RTC, CONTRACTOR shall adhere to all legal requirements under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA), 20 U.S.C. section 1400 et seq. including the federal regulations 34 C.F.R section 300 et seq. and Education Code section 56000 et seq. including Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3000 et seq.. CONTRACTOR shall comply with all monitoring requirements set forth in Section 43 below.

If CONTRACTOR is a NPS that is owned, operated by, or associated with a LCI, CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA, on a quarterly basis, a list of all students, including those identified as eligible for special education. For those identified as special education students, the list shall include: 1) special education eligibility at the time of enrollment and; 2) the educational placement and services specified in each student's IEP at the time of enrollment. A copy of the current IEP shall be provided to the LEA.

Unless placement is made pursuant to an Office of Administrative Hearings order or a lawfully executed agreement between LEA and parent, LEA is not responsible for the costs associated with NPS placement until the date on which an IEP team meeting is convened, the IEP team determines that a NPS placement is appropriate, and the IEP is signed by the student's parent or another adult with educational decision-making rights.

In addition to meeting the certification requirements of the State of California, a CONTRACTOR that operates a program outside of this State shall be certified or licensed by that state to provide, respectively, special education and related services and designated instruction and related services to pupils under the federal IDEA (20 U.S.C. Sec. 1400 et seq.) and shall be certified or licensed by the state to provide nonmedical care, clinical services, or short-term residential therapeutic programs, as applicable to the facility type.

42. STATE MEAL MANDATE

When CONTRACTOR is a NPS, CONTRACTOR and LEA shall satisfy the State Meal Mandate under California Education Code sections 49005 et seq.; ; 49501.5, the universal meal mandate enacted by AB 130 (2021-2022); 49530 et seq; and 49550 et seq.

LEA, at its sole discretion, may elect to directly provide meals to CONTRACTOR for distribution to LEA students at the nonpublic school on its own or by another local school district.

CONTRACTOR acknowledges that the LEA does not receive any state or federal reimbursement for any meals CONTRACTOR provides to LEA students and that CONTRACTOR is only eligible to receive direct reimbursement if it is an approved site under the National School Lunch Program.

In the event the LEA requests CONTRACTOR to provide meals to LEA students, CONTRACTOR will provide breakfast and lunch to LEA students in compliance with the meal pattern requirements under the School Breakfast Program and National School Lunch Program nutritional standards. LEA shall reimburse CONTRACTOR for each meal made available at a mutually agreed upon rate. In the event CONTRACTOR is unable to provide meals, the LEA and CONTRACTOR will work collaboratively to find a solution. In the event CDE determines that meals do not need to be provided, this paragraph shall not apply.

CONTRACTOR shall maintain all documentation of meals provided to LEA students. CONTRACTOR shall comply with record keeping requirements under the School Breakfast Program and National School Lunch Program or LEA template. Upon request, CONTRACTOR shall provide copies of any such records to LEA. CONTRACTOR shall also allow LEA to conduct site monitoring visits as deemed necessary by the LEA.

If CONTRACTOR uses a third-party vendor to provide meals, CONTRACTOR will assure that the third-party vendor agrees to comply with all meal pattern requirements of the School Breakfast Program and National School Lunch Program nutritional standards. Upon request, CONTRACTOR shall provide LEA with any contracts it has with third-party vendors providing meals for students.

43. MONITORING

The State Superintendent of Public Instruction ("Superintendent"), through the delegated monitoring activities to the California Department of Education (CDE), shall monitor CONTRACTOR'S facilities, the educational environment, and the quality of the educational program, including the teaching staff, the credentials authorizing service, the standards-based core curriculum being employed, and the standard focused instructional materials used on a three-year cycle, as follows: (1) CONTRACTOR shall complete a self-review in year one; (2) the Superintendent shall conduct an onsite review in year two; and (3) the Superintendent shall conduct a follow-up visit in year three.

CONTRACTOR shall participate in any LEA or CDE compliance review, if applicable, to be conducted as aligned with the CDE Onsite Review and monitoring cycle in accordance with California Education Code section 56366.1(j). This review will address programmatic aspects of the NPS, compliance with relevant state and federal regulations, and Master Contract compliance. CONTRACTOR shall conduct any follow-up or corrective action procedures related to review findings.

If CONTRACTOR is also an LCI and/or NPS/RTC, the CDE shall annually evaluate whether CONTRACTOR is in compliance with Education Code section 56366.9 and Health and Safety Code section 1501.1(b).

The LEA or SELPA shall conduct an onsite visit to the NPS before placement of a pupil if the LEA does not have any pupils enrolled at the school at the time of placement.

The LEA or SELPA shall conduct at least one onsite monitoring visit during each school year to the CONTRACTOR site certified as an NPS where the LEA has placed a pupil and entered into a master contract. The monitoring visit shall include, but is not limited to, a review of services specified on the ISA and provided to the pupil, a review of progress the pupil is making toward the goals set forth in the pupil's IEP, a review of progress the pupil is making toward the goals set forth in the pupil's behavioral intervention plan, if applicable, an observation of the pupil during instruction, and a walkthrough of the facility. The LEA or SELPA shall report the findings resulting from the monitoring visit to the CDE within 60 calendar days of the onsite visit.

CONTRACTOR shall allow LEA representatives access to its facilities for additional periodic monitoring of each student's instructional program. LEA shall have access to observe each student at work, observe the instructional setting, interview CONTRACTOR employees, and review each student's records and progress. Such access shall include unannounced monitoring visits. When making site visits, LEA shall initially report to CONTRACTOR's site administrative office. CONTRACTOR shall be invited to participate in the review of each student's progress.

CONTRACTOR understands that LEA reserves the right to institute a program audit with or without cause. The program audit may include, but is not limited to, a review of core compliance areas of health and safety; curriculum/instruction; related services; and contractual, legal, and procedural compliance.

When CONTRACTOR is a NPS, CONTRACTOR shall collect all applicable data and prepare the applicable portion of a School Accountability Report Card as appropriate in accordance with California Education Code Section 33126.

PERSONNEL

44. CLEARANCE REQUIREMENTS

CONTRACTOR shall comply with the requirements of California Education Code sections 44237, 35021.1, 35021.2, and 56366.1 including, but not limited to: obtaining clearance from both the California Department of Justice (hereinafter referred to as "CDOJ") and clearance from the Federal Bureau of Investigation (hereinafter referred to as "FBI") for CONTRACTOR's employees and volunteers who will have or likely may have any direct contact with LEA students. CONTRACTOR hereby agrees that CONTRACTOR's employees and volunteers shall not come in contact with students, in-person or virtually, until CDOJ and FBI clearance are ascertained. CONTRACTOR shall certify in writing to LEA that none of its employees, and volunteers, unless CONTRACTOR determines that the volunteers will have no direct contact with students, or subcontractors who may come into contact with students have been convicted of a violent or serious felony as those terms are defined in California Education Code section 44237(h), unless despite the employee's conviction of a violent or serious felony, he or she has met the criteria to be eligible for employment pursuant to California Education Code section 44237 (i) or (j). Upon request, clearance certification shall be submitted to the LEA. In addition, CONTRACTOR shall make a request for subsequent arrest service from CDOJ as required by California Penal Code section 11105.2. Contractor shall certify to LEA that they have successful background checks and enrolled in subsequent arrest notification service for all employees who may come into contact with students.

Notwithstanding the restrictions on sharing and destroying criminal background check information, CONTRACTOR, upon demand, shall make available to the LEA evidence of a successful criminal background check clearance and enrollment in subsequent arrest notification service, as provided, for each owner, operator, and employee of the NPS/A. CONTRACTOR is required to retain the evidence on-site, as specified, for all staff, including those licensed or credentialed by another state agency. Background clearances and proof of subsequent arrest notification service, as required by California Penal Code section 11105.2, for all staff shall be provided to the LEA upon request.

45. STAFF QUALIFICATIONS

CONTRACTOR shall ensure that all individuals employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired by CONTRACTOR to provide classroom and/or individualized instruction or related services hold a license, certificate, permit, or other document equivalent to that which staff in a public school are required to hold in the service rendered consistent with Education Code section 56366.1(n)(1) and are qualified pursuant to Title 34 of the Code of Federal Regulations sections 200.56 and 200.58, and Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations sections 3001(r), 3064 and 3065. Such qualified staff may only provide related services within the scope of their professional license, certification or credential and ethical standards set by each profession, and not assume responsibility or authority for another related services provider or special education teacher's scope of practice.

CONTRACTOR shall ensure that all staff are appropriately credentialed to provide instruction and services to students with the disabling conditions placed in their program/school through documentation provided to the CDE (5 CCR 3064 (a)).
In accordance with California Education Code section 56366.1(a)(5), when CONTRACTOR is a NPS, an appropriately qualified person shall serve as curricular and instructional leader, and be able to provide leadership, oversight and professional development. The administrator of the NPS holds or is in the process of obtaining one of the following: (A) An administrative credential granted by an accredited postsecondary educational institution and two years of experience with pupils with disabilities. (B) A pupil personnel services credential that authorizes school counseling or psychology. (C) A license as a clinical social worker issued by the Board of Behavioral Sciences. (D) A license in psychology regulated by the Board of Psychology. (E) A master's degree issued by an accredited postsecondary institution in education, special education, psychology, counseling, behavioral analysis, social work, behavioral science, or rehabilitation. (F) A credential authorizing special education instruction and at least two years of experience teaching in special education before becoming an administrator. (G) A license as a marriage and family therapist certified by the Board of Behavioral Sciences. (H) A license as an educational psychologist issued by the Board of Behavioral Sciences. (I) A license as a professional clinical counselor issued by the Board of Behavioral Sciences. (California Education Code Section 56366.1 (a)(5)). CONTRACTOR shall maintain, and provide to the LEA upon request, documentation of its administrator's qualifications in accordance with the above.

CONTRACTOR shall comply with personnel standards and qualifications regarding instructional aides and teacher assistants respectively pursuant to federal requirements and California Education Code sections 45340 *et seq*. and 45350 *et seq.* Specifically, all paraprofessionals, including but not limited to, instructional aides and teacher assistants, employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired or subcontracted by CONTRACTOR to provide classroom and/or individualized instruction or related services, shall possess a high school diploma (or its recognized equivalent) and at least one of the following qualifications: (a) completed at least two (2) years of study at an institution of higher education; or (b) obtained an associate's (or higher) degree; or (c) met a rigorous standard of quality and can demonstrate, through a formal state or local assessment (i) knowledge of, and the ability to assist in instructing, reading, writing, and mathematics; or (ii) knowledge of, and the ability to assist in instructing, reading readiness, writing readiness, and mathematics readiness, as appropriate. CONTRACTOR shall comply with all laws and regulations governing the licensed professions, including but not limited to, the provisions with respect to supervision.

In addition to meeting the certification requirements of the State of California, a CONTRACTOR that operates a program outside of this state and serving a student by this LEA shall be certified or licensed by that state to provide special education and related services to pupils under the federal Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. Sec. 1400 et seq.).

46. VERIFICATION OF LICENSES, CREDENTIALS AND OTHER DOCUMENTS

CONTRACTOR shall submit to LEA a staff list, and copies of all current licenses, credentials, certifications, permits and/or other documents which entitle the holder to provide special education and/or related services by individuals employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired or sub-contracted by CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR shall ensure that all licenses, credentials, permits or other documents are on file at the office of the County Superintendent of Schools. CONTRACTOR shall provide the LEA with the verified dates of fingerprint clearance, Department of Justice clearance and Tuberculosis Test

clearance for all employees, approved subcontractors and/or volunteers prior to such individuals starting to work with any student.

CONTRACTOR shall monitor the status of licenses, credentials, certifications, permits and/or other documents for all individuals employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired by CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA and CDE in writing within forty-five (45) days when personnel changes occur which may affect the provision of special education and/or related services to LEA students. CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA within forty-five (45) days if any such licenses, certifications or waivers are expired, suspended, revoked, rescinded, challenged pursuant to an administrative or legal complaint or lawsuit, or otherwise nullified during the effective period of this Master Contract. The LEA shall not be obligated to pay for any services provided by a person whose such licenses, certifications or waivers are expired, suspended, revoked, rescinded, or otherwise nullified during the period which such person is providing services under this Master Contract. Failure to notify the LEA and CDE of any changes in credentialing/licensed staff may result in suspension or revocation of CDE certification and/or suspension or termination of this Master Contract by the LEA.

47. STAFF ABSENCE

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school and CONTRACTOR's classroom teacher is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide an appropriately credentialed substitute teacher in the absent teacher's classroom in accordance with California Education Code section 56061. CONTRACTOR shall provide to the LEA documentation of substitute coverage. Substitute teachers shall remain with their assigned class during all instructional time.

The LEA shall not be responsible for any payment for instruction and/or services when an appropriately credentialed substitute teacher is not provided in accordance with California Education Code section 56061.

When CONTRACTOR is a NPA and/or related services provider, and CONTRACTOR's service provider is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide a qualified (as defined in Section 7 of this agreement and as determined by LEA) substitute, unless LEA provides appropriate coverage in lieu of CONTRACTOR's service providers. It is understood that the parent of a student shall not be deemed to be a qualified substitute for their student. LEA will not pay for services unless a qualified substitute is provided and/or CONTRACTOR provides documentation evidencing the provision of "make-up" services by a qualified service provider within thirty (30) calendar days from the date on which the services should have been provided. CONTRACTOR shall not "bank" or "carry over" make up service hours under any circumstances, unless otherwise agreed to in writing by CONTRACTOR and authorized LEA representative.

48. STAFF PROFESSIONAL BEHAVIOR WHEN PROVIDING SERVICES AT SCHOOL OR SCHOOL RELATED EVENTS OR AT SCHOOL FACILITY AND/OR IN THE HOME

It is understood that all employees, subcontractors, and volunteers of any certified NPS/A shall adhere to the customary professional and ethical standards when providing services. All practices shall only be within the scope of professional responsibility as defined in the professional code of conduct for each profession as well as any LEA professional standards as specified in Board policies and/or regulations when made available to the CONTRACTOR.

For services provided on a public-school campus, sign in/out procedures shall be followed by NPS/A providers working in a public-school classroom along with all other procedures for being on campus consistent with school and district policy. Such policies and procedures shall be made available to the CONTRACTOR upon request. It is understood that the public-school credentialed classroom teacher is responsible for the instructional program.

CONTRACTOR providing services outside of the student's school as specified in the IEP shall ensure that at least one parent of the child or an adult caregiver with written and signed authority to make decisions in an emergency is present during provision of services. The names of any adult caregiver other than the

parent shall be provided to the LEA prior to the start of any home-based services, including written and signed authorization in emergency situations. The adult caregiver cannot also be an employee or volunteer associated with the NPS/NPA service provider. All problems and/or concerns reported by CONTRACTOR to parents or guardians, in either verbal or written form, shall be reported to the LEA.

HEALTH AND SAFETY MANDATES

49. HEALTH AND SAFETY

CONTRACTOR shall comply with all applicable federal, state, local, and LEA laws, regulations, ordinances, policies, and procedures regarding student and employee health and safety. CONTRACTOR shall comply with the requirements of California Education Code sections 35021 *et. seq*. and 49406, regarding the examination of CONTRACTOR's employees and volunteers for tuberculosis. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA documentation for each individual volunteering, employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired by CONTRACTOR of such compliance before an individual comes in contact with a student.

CONTRACTOR shall comply with OSHA Blood-Borne Pathogens Standards, 29 Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) section 1910.1030, when providing medical treatment or assistance to a student. CONTRACTOR further agrees to provide annual training regarding universal health care precautions and to post required notices in areas designated in the California Health and Safety Code.

50. FACILITIES AND FACILITIES MODIFICATIONS

CONTRACTOR shall provide special education and/or related services to students in facilities that comply with all applicable federal, state, and local laws, regulations, and ordinances related, but not limited to: disability access; fire, health, sanitation, and building standards and safety; fire warning systems; zoning permits; and occupancy capacity. When CONTRACTOR is a NPS, CONTRACTOR shall conduct fire drills as required by Title 5 California Code of Regulations section 550. CONTRACTOR shall be responsible for any structural changes and/or modifications to CONTRACTOR's facilities as required complying with applicable federal, state, and local laws, regulations, and ordinances. Failure to notify the LEA and CDE of any changes in, major modification or relocation of facilities may result in the suspension or revocation of CDE certification and/or suspension or termination of this Master Contract by the LEA.

51. ADMINISTRATION OF MEDICATION

CONTRACTOR shall comply with the requirements of California Education Code section 49422 et seq. when CONTRACTOR serves a student that is required to take prescription and/or over-the-counter medication during the school day. CONTRACTOR may designate personnel to assist the student with the administration of such medication after the student's parent(s) provide to CONTRACTOR: (a) a written statement from a physician detailing the type, administration method, amount, and time schedules by which such medication shall be taken; and (b) a written statement from the student's parent(s) granting CONTRACTOR permission to administer medication(s) as specified in the physician's statement. CONTRACTOR shall maintain, and provide to LEA upon request, copies of such written statements. CONTRACTOR shall maintain a written log for each student to whom medication is administered. Such written log shall specify the student's name; the type of medication; the date, time, and amount of each administration; and the name of CONTRACTOR's employee who administered the medication. CONTRACTOR maintains full responsibility for storing medications in a secure location and ensuring appropriate staff training in the administration of such medication consistent with physician's written orders. Any change in medication type, administration method, amount or schedule must be authorized by both a licensed physician and parent.

52. INCIDENT/ACCIDENT REPORTING

CONTRACTOR shall submit within 24 hours, electronically, any accident or incident report to the LEA. CONTRACTOR shall properly submit required accident or incident reports pursuant to the procedures specified in LEA Procedures.

53. CHILD ABUSE REPORTING

CONTRACTOR hereby agrees to annually train all staff members, including volunteers, so that they are familiar with and agree to adhere to its own child and dependent adult abuse reporting obligations and procedures as specified in California Penal Code section 11164 et seq. and Education Code 44691. To protect the privacy rights of all parties involved (i.e., reporter, child and alleged abuser), reports will remain confidential as required by law and professional ethical mandates. A written statement acknowledging the legal requirements of such reporting and verification of staff adherence to such reporting shall be submitted to the LEA.

54. SEXUAL HARASSMENT

CONTRACTOR shall have a Sexual and Gender Identity harassment policy that clearly describes the kinds of conduct that constitutes sexual harassment and that is prohibited by the CONTRACTOR's policy, as well as federal and state law. The policy should include procedures to make complaints without fear of retaliation, and for prompt and objective investigations of all sexual harassment complaints. CONTRACTOR further agrees to provide annual training to all employees regarding the laws concerning sexual harassment and related procedures pursuant to Government Code 12950.1.

55. REPORTING OF MISSING CHILDREN

CONTRACTOR assures LEA that all staff members, including volunteers, are familiar with and agree to adhere to requirements for reporting missing children as specified in California Education Code section 49370. A written statement acknowledging the legal requirements of such reporting and verification of staff adherence to such reporting shall be properly submitted to the LEA. The written statement shall be submitted as specified by the LEA.

FINANCIAL

56. ENROLLMENT, CONTRACTING, SERVICE TRACKING, ATTENDANCE REPORTING, AND BILLING PROCEDURES

CONTRACTOR shall assure that the nonpublic school or nonpublic agency has the necessary financial resources to provide an appropriate education for the students enrolled and will distribute those resources in such a manner to implement the IEP and ISA for each and every student.

CONTRACTOR shall comply with all LEA procedures concerning enrollment, contracting, attendance reporting, service tracking and billing including requirements of electronic billing as specified by the LEA Procedures, as well as provide all such records requested by LEA concerning the same. CONTRACTOR shall be paid for the provision of special education and/or related services specified in the student's IEP and ISA. All payments by LEA shall be made in accordance with the terms and conditions of this Master Contract and governed by all applicable federal and state laws.

CONTRACTOR shall maintain separate registers for the basic education program, each related service, and services provided by instructional assistants, behavior intervention aides and bus aides. Original attendance forms (i.e., roll books for the basic education program, service tracking documents and notes for instructional assistants, behavioral intervention aides, bus aides, and each related service) shall be completed by the actual service provider whose signature shall appear on such forms and shall be available for review, inspection, or audit by LEA during the effective period of this contract and for a

period of five (5) years thereafter. CONTRACTOR shall verify the accuracy of minutes of reported attendance that is the basis of services being billed for payment.

CONTRACTOR shall submit invoices and related documents to LEA for payment, for each calendar month when education or related services were provided. Invoices and related documents shall be properly submitted electronically and in addition, on an LEA form with signatures in the manner prescribed by LEA. At a minimum, each invoice must contain the following information: month of service; specific days and times of services coordinated by the LEA approved calendar unless otherwise specified in the IEP or agreed to by the LEA; name of staff who provided the service; approved cost of each invoice; total for each service and total for the monthly invoice; date invoice was mailed; signature of NPS/NPA administrator authorizing that the information is accurate and consistent with the ISA, CDE certificates and staff notification; verification that attendance report is attached as appropriate; indication of any made-up session consistent with this contract; verification that progress reports have been provided consistent with the ISA (monthly or quarterly unless specified otherwise on the ISA); and name or initials of each student for when the service was provided.

In the event services were not provided, rationale for why the services were not provided shall be included.

Such an invoice is subject to all conditions of this contract. At the discretion of the LEA, an electronic invoice may be required provided such notice has been made in writing and training provided to the CONTRACTOR at no additional charge for such training.

Invoices shall be submitted no later than thirty (30) days after the end of the attendance accounting period in which the services were rendered. LEA shall make payment to CONTRACTOR based on the number of billable days of attendance and hours of service at rates specified in this contract within forty-five (45) days of LEA's receipt of properly submitted hard copy of invoices prepared and submitted as specified in California Education Code Section 56366.5 and the LEA. CONTRACTOR shall correct deficiencies and submit rebilling invoices no later than thirty (30) calendar days after the invoice is returned by LEA. LEA shall pay properly submitted re-billing invoices no later than forty-five (45) days after the date a completely corrected re-billing invoice is received by LEA.

In no case shall initial payment claim submission for any Master Contract fiscal year (July through June) extend beyond December 31st after the close of the fiscal year. In no case shall any rebilling for the Master Contract fiscal year (July through June) extend beyond six (6) months after the close of the fiscal year unless approved by the LEA to resolve billing issues including re-billing issues directly related to a delay in obtaining information from the Commission on Teacher Credentialing regarding teacher qualification, but no later than twelve (12) months from the close of the fiscal year. If the billing or re-billing error is the responsibility of the LEA, then no limit is set provided that the LEA and CONTRACTOR have communicated such concerns in writing during the 12-month period following the close of the fiscal year. LEA will not pay mileage for NPA employee.

57. RIGHT TO WITHHOLD PAYMENT

LEA may withhold payment to CONTRACTOR when: (a) CONTRACTOR has failed to perform, in whole or in part, under the terms of this contract; (b) CONTRACTOR has billed for services rendered on days other than billable days of attendance or for days when student was not in attendance and/or did not receive services; (c) CONTRACTOR was overpaid by LEA as determined by inspection, review, and/or audit of its program, work, and/or records; (d) CONTRACTOR has failed to provide supporting documentation with an invoice, as required by EC 56366(c)(2); (e) education and/or related services are provided to students by personnel who are not appropriately credentialed, licensed, or otherwise qualified; (f) LEA has not received prior to school closure or contract termination, all documents concerning one or more students enrolled in CONTRACTOR's educational program; (g) CONTRACTOR fails to confirm a student's change of residence to another district or confirms the change of residence to another district, but fails to notify LEA within five (5) days of such confirmation; or (h) CONTRACTOR receives payment from Medi-Cal or from any other agency or funding source for a service provided to a student. It is understood

that no payments shall be made for any invoices that are not received by six (6) months following the close of the prior fiscal year, for services provided in that year.

Final payment to CONTRACTOR in connection with the cessation of operations and/or termination of a Master Contract will be subject to the same documentation standards described for all payment claims for regular ongoing operations. In addition, final payment may be withheld by the LEA until completion of a review or audit, if deemed necessary by the LEA. Such review or audit will be completed within ninety (90) days. The final payment may be adjusted to offset any previous payments to the CONTRACTOR determined to have been paid in error or in anticipation of correction of documentation deficiencies by the CONTRACTOR that remain uncorrected.

The amount which may be withheld by LEA with respect to each of the subparagraphs of the preceding paragraph are as follows: (a) the value of the service CONTRACTOR failed to perform; (b) the amount of overpayment; (c) the portion of the invoice for which satisfactory documentation has not been provided by CONTRACTOR; (d) the amount invoiced for services provided by the individual not appropriately credentialed, licensed, or otherwise qualified; (e) the proportionate amount of the invoice related to the applicable pupil for the time period from the date the violation occurred and until the violation is cured; or (f) the amount paid to CONTRACTOR by Medi-Cal or another agency or funding source for the service provided to the student.

If LEA determines that cause exists to withhold payment to CONTRACTOR, LEA shall, within ten (10) business days of this determination, provide to CONTRACTOR written notice that LEA is withholding payment. Such notice shall specify the basis or bases for LEA's withholding payment and the amount to be withheld. Within thirty (30) days from the date of receipt of such notice, CONTRACTOR shall take all necessary and appropriate action to correct the deficiencies that form the basis for LEA's withholding payment or submit a written request for extension of time to correct the deficiencies or submit to LEA written documentation demonstrating that the basis or bases cited by the LEA for withholding payment is unfounded. Upon receipt of CONTRACTOR's written request showing good cause, LEA shall extend CONTRACTOR's time to correct deficiencies (usually an additional thirty (30) days), otherwise payment will be denied.

If after subsequent request for payment has been denied and CONTRACTOR believes that payment should not be withheld, CONTRACTOR shall send written notice to LEA specifying the reason it believes payment should not be withheld. LEA shall respond to CONTRACTOR's notice within thirty (30) business days by indicating that a warrant for the amount of payment will be made or stating the reason LEA believes payment should not be made. If LEA fails to respond within thirty (30) business days or a dispute regarding the withholding of payment continues after the LEA's response to CONTRACTOR's notice, CONTRACTOR may invoke the following escalation policy.

After forty-five (45) business days: The CONTRACTOR may notify the Authorized LEA's Representative of the dispute in writing. The LEA Authorized Representative shall respond to the CONTRACTOR in writing within fifteen (15) business days.

After sixty (60) business days: The LEA or CONTRACTOR may appeal to the County Superintendent of Schools so long as the County Superintendent of Schools is not participating in the Local Plan involved in the NPS/A contract, or a mutually agreed upon mediator. Both parties agree to pay for their own costs and expenses arising out of such mediation. Each party agrees to act in good faith in participating in any mediation process agreed to by the parties.

58. PAYMENT FROM OUTSIDE AGENCIES

CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA when Medi-Cal or any other agency is billed for the costs associated with the provision of special education and/or related services to students. Upon request, CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA any and all documentation regarding reports, billing, and/or payment by Medi-Cal or any other agency for the costs associated with the provision of special education and/or related services to students. CONTRACTOR shall provide prior written notice of the rights and protections required by Title

34 of the Code of Federal Regulations section 300.154(d) whenever it seeks to use the LEA students' public benefits to pay for special education and related services. Such notice shall be provided before seeking payment from Medi-Cal for the first time and annually.

59. PAYMENT FOR ABSENCES

NONPUBLIC SCHOOL STAFF ABSENCE

Whenever a classroom teacher employed by CONTRACTOR is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide an appropriately credentialed substitute teacher in the absent teacher's classroom in accordance with California Education Code section 56061. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA documentation of substitute coverage pursuant to the LEA Procedures. Substitute teachers shall remain with their assigned class during all instructional time. LEA will not pay for instruction and/or services unless said instruction or service is provided by an appropriately credentialed substitute teacher.

Whenever a related service provider is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide a qualified (as defined in Section 7 of this agreement and as determined by LEA) substitute. LEA will not pay for services unless a qualified substitute is provided and/or CONTRACTOR provides documentation evidencing the provision of "make-up" services by a qualified service provider within thirty (30) calendar days from the date on which the services should have been provided unless otherwise agreed in student's IEP.

NONPUBLIC SCHOOL STUDENT ABSENCE

If CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, no later than the tenth (10^{th}) cumulative day of a student's unexcused absence, CONTRACTOR shall notify the LEA of such absence.

Criteria for a billable day for payment purposes is one (1) day of attendance as defined in California Education Code, sections 46010, 46010.3 and 46307. LEA shall not pay for services provided on days that a student's attendance does not qualify for Average Daily Attendance (ADA) reimbursement under state law. *Per Diem* rates for students whose IEPs authorize less than a full instructional day may be adjusted on a pro rata basis in accordance with the actual proportion of the school day the student was served. LEA shall not be responsible for payment of related services for days on which a student's attendance does not qualify for Average Daily Attendance ("ADA") reimbursement under state law, nor shall student be eligible for make-up services.

NONPUBLIC AGENCY STAFF ABSENCE

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency and CONTRACTOR's service provider is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide a qualified (as defined in Section 7 of this agreement and as determined by LEA) substitute, unless LEA provides appropriate coverage in lieu of CONTRACTOR's service providers. LEA shall not pay for services unless a qualified substitute is provided and/or CONTRACTOR provides documentation evidencing the provision of "make-up" services by a qualified service provider within thirty (30) calendar days from the date on which the services should have been provided. CONTRACTOR shall not "bank" or "carry over" make up service hours under any circumstances, unless otherwise agreed to in writing by CONTRACTOR and LEA. In the event services were not provided, reasons for why the services were not provided shall be included.

NONPUBLIC AGENCY STUDENT ABSENCE

If CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency, it shall notify LEA of the absence of a student no later than the fifth (5^{th}) consecutive service day of the student's absence. LEA shall not be responsible for the payment of services when a student is absent.

60. LEA and/or NONPUBLIC SCHOOL CLOSURE DUE TO EMERGENCY

The following shall apply in the event of a LEA or NPS school closure due to an emergency consistent with guidelines followed by LEAs in accordance with Education Code sections 41422 and 46392:

a. If CONTRACTOR remains open, if allowed, during an emergency and serves students appropriately as delineated in the ISA, CONTRACTOR shall receive payment, regardless of whether a sending LEA is open or closed.

b. NPS School Closure- In the event of a NPS School Closure for the reasons set forth in Education Code section 41422, if the LEA is able to obtain alternative placement for the student, CONTRACTOR shall not receive payment for days the student is not in attendance due to CONTRACTOR'S school closure. If the LEA is unable to obtain an alternative placement, CONTRACTOR shall receive payment consistent with the student's approved ISA, as though the student were continuing his/her regular attendance, until an alternative placement can be found and implement LEA student IEP in accordance with Education Code section 56345(a)(9) pertaining to emergency conditions.

c. LEA and NPS School Closure- In the event of the LEA and NPS School Closures, on days the LEA is funded, CONTRACTOR shall receive payment consistent with the student's approved ISA, until an alternative placement can be found and implement LEA student IEP in accordance with Education Code section 56345(a)(9) pertaining to emergency conditions. If the LEA is able to obtain alternative placement for the student, CONTRACTOR shall not receive payment for days the student is not in attendance with CONTRACTOR due to CONTRACTOR'S school closure.

When the emergency school closure is lifted, CONTRACTOR shall notify the LEAs it serves of any lost instructional minutes. CONTRACTOR and LEAs shall work collaboratively to determine the need for make-up days or service changes, and shall work together to amend IEP and ISA paperwork as appropriate.

61. INSPECTION AND AUDIT

The CONTRACTOR shall maintain and the LEA shall have the right to examine and audit all of the books, records, documents, accounting procedures and practices and other evidence that reflect all costs claimed to have been incurred or fees claimed to have been earned under this Agreement.

CONTRACTOR shall provide access to LEA to all records including, but not limited to: student pupils as defined by California Education Code section 49061(b); registers and roll books of teachers; daily service logs and notes or other documents used to record the provision of related services; Medi-Cal/daily service logs and notes used to record provision of services provided by instructional assistants, behavior intervention aides, bus aides, and supervisors; absence verification records (parent/doctor notes, telephone logs, and related documents); bus rosters; staff lists specifying credentials held, business licenses held, documents evidencing other qualifications, , dates of hire, and dates of termination; staff time sheets; non-paid staff and volunteer sign-in sheets; transportation and other related service subcontracts; school calendars; bell/class schedules when applicable; liability and worker's compensation insurance policies; state NPS/A certifications; by-laws; lists of current board of directors/trustees, if incorporated; other documents evidencing financial expenditures; federal/state payroll quarterly reports Form 941/DE3DP; and bank statements and canceled checks or facsimile thereof. Such access shall include unannounced inspections by LEA. CONTRACTOR shall make available to LEA all budgetary information including operating budgets submitted by CONTRACTOR to LEA for the relevant contract period being audited.

CONTRACTOR shall make all records available at the office of LEA or CONTRACTOR's offices (to be specified by LEA) at all reasonable times and without charge. All records shall be provided to LEA within five (5) working days of a written request from LEA. CONTRACTOR shall, at no cost to LEA, provide assistance for such examination or audit. LEA's rights under this section shall also include access to CONTRACTOR's offices for purposes of interviewing CONTRACTOR's employees. If any document or evidence is stored in an electronic form, a hard copy shall be made available to the LEA, unless the LEA agrees to the use of the electronic format.

CONTRACTOR shall obtain from its subcontractors and suppliers written agreements to the requirements of this section and shall provide a copy of such agreements to LEA upon request by LEA.

If an inspection, review, or audit by LEA, a state agency, a federal agency, and/or an independent agency/firm determines that CONTRACTOR owes LEA monies as a result of CONTRACTOR's over billing or failure to perform, in whole or in part, any of its obligations under this Master Contract, LEA shall provide to CONTRACTOR written notice demanding payment from CONTRACTOR and specifying the basis or bases for such demand. Unless CONTRACTOR and LEA otherwise agree in writing, CONTRACTOR shall pay to LEA the full amount owed as a result of CONTRACTOR's over billing and/or failure to perform, in whole or in part, any of its obligations under this Master Contract, as determined by an inspection, review, or audit by LEA, a state agency, a federal agency, and/or an independent agency/firm. CONTRACTOR shall make such payment to LEA within thirty (30) days of receipt of LEA's written notice demanding payment.

62. RATE SCHEDULE

The attached rate schedule (Exhibit A) limits the number of students that may be enrolled and maximum dollar amount of the contract. It may also limit the maximum number of students that can be provided specific services. Per Diem rates for students whose IEPs authorize less than a full instructional day may be adjusted proportionally. In such cases only, the adjustments in basic education rate shall be based on the required minimum number of minutes per grade level as set forth in paragraph 23, above, and in California Education Code Section 46200-46208.

Special education and/or related services offered by CONTRACTOR shall be provided by qualified personnel as per State and Federal law, and the codes and charges for such educational and/or related services during the term of this contract, shall be as stated in Exhibit A.

63. DEBARMENT CERTIFICATION

By signing this agreement, the CONTRACTOR certifies that:

(a) The CONTRACTOR and any of its shareholders, partners, or executive officers are <u>not</u> presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, or declared ineligible for the award of contracts by any Federal agency, and

(b) Have not, within a three-year period preceding this contract, been convicted of or had a civil judgment rendered against them for: commission of fraud or a criminal offense in connection with obtaining, attempting to obtain, or performing a Federal, state or local government contract or subcontract; violation of Federal or state antitrust statutes relating to the submission of offers; or commission of embezzlement, theft, forgery, bribery, falsification or destruction of records, making false statements, tax evasion, or receiving stolen property; and are not presently indicted for, or otherwise criminally or civilly charged by a Government entity with, commission of any of these offenses.

The parties hereto have executed this Contract by and through their duly authorized agents or representatives. This contract is effective on the 1st day of July, 2025 and terminates at 5:00 P.M. on June 30, 2026, unless sooner terminated as provided herein.

CONTRACTOR	LEA
Seneca Family of Agencies	**AIMS K-12 College Prep Charter District**
Nonpublic School/Agency	**LEA Name**
By: Scott Osborn July 31, 2025 14:37 PT	**By:**
Signature **Date**	**Signature** **Date**
Scott Osborn Chief Operating Officer	
Name and Title of Authorized Representative	**Name and Title of Authorized Representative**

Notices to CONTRACTOR shall be addressed to:	Notices to LEA shall be addressed to:
Karissa Lockhart, Contract Analyst	
Name and Title Seneca Family of Agencies	**Name and Title** AIMS K-12 College Prep Charter District
Nonpublic School/Agency/Related Service Provider	**LEA**
8945 Golf Links Road	
Address Oakland, CA 94605	**Address**
City **State** **Zip** 510-248-9910 510-317-1443	**City** **State** **Zip**
Phone **Fax** Karissa_Lockhart@senecacenter.org	**Phone** **Fax**
Email	**Email**

Additional LEA Notification (Required if completed)

Name and Title
Address
City **State** **Zip**
Phone **Fax**
Email

EXHIBIT A: 2025-2026 RATES

4.1 RATE SCHEDULE FOR CONTRACT YEAR

The CONTRACTOR: Seneca Family of Agencies
The CONTRACTOR CDS NUMBER: _____

PER ED CODE 56366 – TEACHER-TO-PUPIL RATIO: _____

Maximum Contract Amount:

Education service(s) offered by the CONTRACTOR and the charges for such service(s) during the term of this contract shall be as follows:

1) Daily Basic Education Rate:

2) Inclusive Education Program
(Includes Educational Counseling (not ed related mental health) services, Speech & Language services, Behavior Intervention Planning, and Occupational Therapy as specified on the student's IEP.) DAILY RATE:

3) Related Services

SERVICE	RATE	PERIOD
Intensive Individual Services (340)		
Language and Speech (415)		
Adapted Physical Education (425)		
Health and Nursing: Specialized Physical Health Care (435)		
Health and Nursing: Other Services (436)		
Assistive Technology Services (445)		
Occupational Therapy (450)		
Physical Therapy (460)		
Individual Counseling (510)		
Counseling and Guidance (515)		
Parent Counseling (520)		
Social Work Services (525)		
Psychological Services (530)		
Behavior Intervention Services (535)		
Specialized Services for Low Incidence Disabilities (610)		
Specialized Deaf and Hard of Hearing (710)		

See attached Rate Sheet and Addendum

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Interpreter Services (715)		
Audiological Services (720)		
Specialized Vision Services (725)		
Orientation and Mobility (730)		
Specialized Orthopedic Services (740)		
Reader Services (745)		
Transcription Services (755)		
Recreation Services, Including Therapeutic (760)		
College Awareness (820)		
Work Experience Education (850)		
Job Coaching (855)		
Mentoring (860)		
Travel Training (870)		
Other Transition Services (890)		
Other (900)		
Other (900)		

See attached Rate Sheet and Addendum

Non-Public Schools and Intensive Therapeutic Programs Rate Sheet 2025-2026

NPS – Specialized Academic Instruction (Code 330)
214 days including Extended School Year (ESY)

- Rate: $233 per day enrolled

NPS - Educationally Related Mental Health Services (ERMHS)
214 days including Extended School Year (ESY)

- Rate: $373 per day enrolled for students not billable to full scope MediCal

NPS – Intensive Individual Services (Code 340) / Behavioral Intervention Implementation (Code 535)
214 days including Extended School Year (ESY)

- Rate: $120 per hour (capped at $600 per day) per day enrolled

NPS – Bridges
214 days including Extended School Year (ESY)

- Rate: $973 per day enrolled.
- Services include: SAI (330), ERMHS, Intensive Individualized Intervention (340), Individualized transportation (within program boundaries)

NPS – Language and Speech Therapy (Code 415)

- Rate: $210 per hour - Partial units will be rounded up to the nearest 15-minute increment
- Services will be billed based on direct service time, including identified consultation
- Assessment services will be billed at an hourly rate for individual assessment, report preparation, and presentation at one IEP

NPS – Occupational Therapy (Code 450)

- Rate: $210 per hour - Partial units will be rounded up to the nearest 15-minute increment
- Services will be billed based on direct service time, including identified consultation
- Assessment services will be billed at an hourly rate for individual assessment, report preparation, and presentation at one IEP

NPS – Psychoeducation triannual assessment

- Rate: $8,579 per assessment, includes individual assessment, report preparation and presentation at one IEP meeting.

NPA – Therapeutic Behavioral Coaching [TBC] (Code 535)

- Intensive Rate: $7,368/month
- Standard Rate: $4,606/month
- Maintenance Rate: $3,070/month
- All students will receive the “Standard” tier unless otherwise stated in the IEP

Non-Public, Non-Sectarian School/Agency Services
Addendum to NPS Master Contract

This document serves as an Addendum to the NPS Master Contract for the 2025 – 2026 school year, currently signed between AIMS K-12 College Prep Charter District and Seneca Family of Agencies. Both parties hereby agree to modify the existing contract agreement to include the following changes.

Section 24, paragraph 1 is hereby deleted and replaced in its entirety with:

24. CLASS SIZE

When CONTRACTOR is a NPS, CONTRACTOR shall ensure that class size shall not exceed a ratio of one teacher per twelve (12) students. Class size may be temporarily increased by a ratio of 1 teacher to fourteen (14) students when necessary during the regular or extended school year to provide services to students with disabilities.

Section 25, paragraph 1 is hereby deleted and replaced in its entirety with:

25. CALENDARS

When CONTRACTOR is an NPS, CONTRACTOR shall submit to the LEA/SELPA a school calendar with the total number of billable days at least equal to 180 days, plus extended school year billable days equivalent to the number of days determined by the LEA's extended school year calendar. Billable days shall include only those days that are included on the submitted and approved school calendar, and/or required by the IEP (developed by the LEA) for each student. CONTRACTOR shall not be allowed to change its school calendar and/or amend the number of billable days without the prior written approval of the LEA. Nothing in this Master Contract shall be interpreted to require the LEA to accept any requests for calendar changes.

Section 40, paragraph 4 is hereby deleted and replaced in its entirety with:

40. PARENT ACCESS

Seneca supports robust communication between families, districts, and our school team through regular notification around student progress and needs. We believe that students are best supported when all parties can work together. As such, Seneca will provide the LEA with updates related to the following concerns when they are reported to parents:

- Concerns about attendance
- Concerns about a student being in danger of failing a class
- Concerns about student incidents where a BER is required
- Concerns about transportation safety
- Concerns about the appropriateness of placement

Section 42 is hereby deleted and replaced in its entirety with:

42. STUDENT MEALS

Seneca Non-Public Schools provide access for all students to a balanced, nutritious breakfast and lunch.

Due to Seneca's Daily Non-Public School rate, which is invoiced based on days of enrollment in the program (as opposed to being based on the number of days of attendance in the program), Section 59, NONPUBLIC SCHOOL STUDENT ABSENCE is hereby deleted and replaced in its entirety with:

NONPUBLIC SCHOOL STUDENT ABSENCE

If CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, no later than the tenth (10th) cumulative day of a student's unexcused absence, CONTRACTOR shall notify the LEA of such absence.

The following language is hereby added and made part of Section 9 of this agreement:

PARTNERSHIP STAFFING

In recognition of the current staffing shortages across the state and the investment that each entity makes to identify, train, support and retain staff; both parties hereby agree as follows:

Seneca Family of Agencies and AIMS K-12 College Prep Charter District agree that during the Term and for a period of twelve months following the termination or expiration of this Agreement, they will not directly or indirectly solicit or recruit the other Party's employees. For the purposes of this clause, a general advertisement or notice of a job listing or opening or other similar general publication of a job search or availability to fill employment positions distributed by any legal means, including on the internet, shall not be construed as a solicitation or recruitment effort. Furthermore, the hiring of any person who freely responds to any such notice or advertisement shall not be a breach of this clause even if such person was an employee or contractor of the other party immediately preceding such hiring or at any time during the prior twelve months. The parties agree that none of their employees is barred from applying to the other party for a job at any time and this clause shall not be interpreted in a way that would prevent an employee of either party from engaging in their profession with the employer of their choice in violation of any applicable law.

The following language is hereby added and made part of Section 17 of this agreement:

DATA SHARING

Purpose - In our work with students and families, Seneca family of agencies uses a number of data platforms to track the provision of school-wide and student services, service-related goals, and goal progress. The overall goal of our data-informed practices is to determine the effectiveness of the academic, behavioral, and clinical services provided by Seneca and to receive ongoing data-based feedback throughout the year on the student's individual and group plans. The data tracked will be used to support service decisions aimed at improving students' academic achievement and engagement, decreasing problem behavior and discipline issues, and improving social-emotional wellness, school climate, and parent engagement.

Scope and Data Elements - Seneca will access and import following data sets for all enrolled students into the appropriate databases for service and progress tracking purposes: School Name, School ID, Student ID (SSID), State Student ID, Last Name, First Name, Middle Name, Date of Birth, Gender, Grade, Teacher, Race/Ethnicity, ELL status, Home Language, and Special Education Status.

Transfer of Data - The School/District and Seneca shall use a secure, mutually agreed upon means and schedule for transferring confidential information.

Contractor Responsibilities

1. Seneca acknowledges that these data are confidential data and proprietary to the school/district, and agree to protect such information from unauthorized disclosures and to comply with all applicable District, Local, State and Federal confidentiality laws and regulations including but not limited to the California Education Code and the Family Education Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA).
2. Seneca will use appropriate safeguards to prevent the use or disclosure of the information other than as provided by this data use agreement.
3. Seneca shall not re-disclose any individual-level data with or without identifying information to any other requesting individuals, agencies, or organizations without prior written authorization from the school/district.
4. Seneca shall keep all information furnished by the school/district in space physically and electronically secure from unauthorized access. Information and data shall be stored and processed in a way that unauthorized persons cannot retrieve nor alter the information by means of a computer, remote terminal, or other means.

All other conditions in the original contract dated 7/1/2025 will remain in effect as agreed unless Seneca Family of Agencies and/or the contracting LEA, AIMS K-12 College Prep Charter District both agree to make future changes, which would require future addendums.

The parties hereto have executed this contract by and through their duly authorized agents or representatives.

Seneca Family of Agencies	AIMS K-12 College Prep Charter District
By: Scott Osborn	By:
Print Name: Scott Osborn	Print Name:
Title: Chief Operating Officer	Title:
Date: July 31, 2025 14:37 PT	Date:

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FAMILY OF AGENCIES | UNCONDITIONAL CARE

Bridges - Services Calendar: 2025-2026

July 2025

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Independence Day: July 4
ESY: June 23 – July 25
Student/Staff Days: 18/18

August 2025

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Summer Break: July 28 – Aug 12
First Day School: Aug. 13
Student/Staff Days: 13/20

September 2025

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Labor Day: Sept 1
Student/Staff Days: 21/21

October 2025

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Indigenous People's Day Observed: Oct. 13
End of Quarter 1: Oct. 24
Student/Staff Days: 22/22

November 2025

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Veteran's Day Observed: Nov. 10
Thanksgiving Break: Nov. 26-28
Student/Staff Days: 16/16

December 2025

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Winter Break: Dec. 22 - Jan. 5
Christmas Day: Dec. 25
Student/Staff Days: 15/15

January 2026

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New Year's Day: Jan. 1
Martin Luther King Jr. Day: Jan. 19
End of Quarter 2: Jan 23
Student/Staff Days: 18/19

February 2026

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President's Day: Feb. 16
Student/Staff Days: 19/19

March 2026

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Staff Development Day: March 9
Student/Staff Days: 21/22

April 2026

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End of Quarter: April 3
Spring Break: April 6-10
Student/Staff Days: 17/17

May 2026

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Memorial Day: May 25
Student/Staff Days: 20/20

June 2026

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End of Quarter 4/Last Day of School: June 16
Juneteenth: June 19
Summer Break: June 17-26
ESY: June 29 – July 31
Student/Staff Days: 14/14

School Schedule
Monday - Wednesday, Friday 9:00am – 2:30pm
Thursday 9:00am – 1:30pm

ESY Schedule and/or Minimum Day
9:00am – 1:30pm

*School will be open **only** if there are unplanned shutdown days

Break / No School
Emergency Make Up Day*
Minimum Day

Total Student Days: 214 Staff Days: 223

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Catalyst Academy School Calendar: 2025-2026

July 2025

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Independence Day: July 4
ESY: June 23 – July 25

Student/Staff Days: 18/18

August 2025

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Labor Day: Sept 1

Student/Staff Days: 21/21

October 2025

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Indigenous People's Day Observed: Oct. 13
Caregiver Teacher Conferences: Oct 20-24
End of Quarter 1: Oct 23

Student/Staff Days: 22/22

November 2025

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Veteran's Day Observed: Nov 10
Thanksgiving Break: Nov 27-28

Student/Staff Days: 17/17

December 2025

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Winter Break: Dec. 22-Jan 5
Christmas Day: Dec 25

Student/Staff Days: 15/15

January 2026

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New Year's Day: Jan 1
Staff Development: Jan 5
Martin Luther King Jr. Day: Jan 19
End of Quarter 2: Jan 16

Student/Staff Days: 18/19

February 2026

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22	23	24	25	26	27	28

President's Day: Feb 16

Student/Staff Days: 19/19

March 2026

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	31				

Staff Development Day: Mar 9
End of Quarter 3: March 26
Caregiver Teacher Conferences: March 30-April 3

Student/Staff Days: 21/22

April 2026

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
			1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30		

Spring Break: April 6-10

Student/Staff Days: 17/17

May 2026

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
					1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
31						

No School: May 15
Memorial Day: May 25

Student/Staff Days: 19/19

June 2026

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7		9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30				

End of Quarter 4/Last Day of School: June 16
Juneteenth: June 19
Summer Break: June 17-26
ESY: June 29 – July 31

Student/Staff Days: 14/14

School Schedule
8:15am-2:15pm High School
8:30am-2:15pm Elementary and Middle School

ESY Schedule and/or Minimum Day
8:15am-1:30 pm High School
8:30am-1:30pm Elementary and Middle School

*School will be open **only** if there are unplanned shutdown days

Break / No School
Emergency Make Up Day*
Minimum Day

Total Student Days: 214 Staff Days: 223

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JBA School Calendar: 2025-2026

July 2025

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
		1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30	31		

Independence Day: Jul 4
ESY: Jun 23 – Jul 25

Student/Staff Days: 18/18

August 2025

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
					1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
31						

Summer Break: Jul 28 – Aug 12
First Day School: Aug 13

Student/Staff Days: 13/20

September 2025

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30				

Labor Day: Sep 1

Student/Staff Days: 21/21

October 2025

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
			1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30	31	

Indigenous People's Day Observed: Oct 13
Caregiver Teacher Conferences: Oct 20-24
End of Quarter 1: Oct 24

Student/Staff Days: 22/22

November 2025

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
						1
2	3	4	5	6	7	8
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
30						

Veteran's Day Observed: Nov 10
Thanksgiving Break: Nov 26-28

Student/Staff Days: 16/16

December 2025

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30	31			

Winter Break: Dec 22-Jan 5
Christmas Day: Dec 25

Student/Staff Days: 15/15

January 2026

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
				1	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	31

New Year's Day: Jan 1
Staff Development: Jan 5
Martin Luther King Jr. Day: 19
End of Quarter 2: Jan 23

Student/Staff Days: 18/19

February 2026

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28

President's Day: Feb 16

Student/Staff Days: 19/19

March 2026

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	31				

Staff Development Day: Mar 9
No School: Mar 16

Student/Staff Days: 20/21

April 2026

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
			1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30		

End of Quarter 3: Apr 3
Spring Break: Apr 6-10

Student/Staff Days: 17/17

May 2026

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
					1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
31						

No School: May 4
Memorial Day: May 25

Student/Staff Days: 19/19

June 2026

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30				

End of Quarter 4/Last Day of School: Jun 18
Juneteenth: Jun 19
Summer Break: Jun 22-26
ESY: Jun 29 – Jul 31

Student/Staff Days: 16/16

School Schedule
M/Tu/Th/F: 9:00-3:00
W: 9:00-1:30

ESY Schedule and/or Minimum Day
9:00-1:30
*School will be open **only** if there are unplanned shutdown days

Break / No School
Emergency Make Up Day*
Minimum Day

Total Student Days: 214 Staff Days: 223

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Maya Angelou Academy School Calendar: 2025-2026

July 2025

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
		1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30	31		

Independence Day: July 4
ESY: June 23 – July 25
Student/Staff Days: 18/18

August 2025

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
					1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
31						

Summer Break: July 28 – Aug 12
First Day School: Aug. 13
Student/Staff Days: 13/20

September 2025

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30				

Labor Day: Sept 1
Student/Staff Days: 21/21

October 2025

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
			1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30	31	

Indigenous People's Day Observed: Oct. 13
Caregiver Teacher Conferences: Oct. 20-24
End of Quarter 1: Oct. 24
Student/Staff Days: 22/22

November 2025

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
						1
2	3	4	5	6	7	8
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
30						

Veteran's Day Observed: Nov. 10
Thanksgiving Break: Nov. 26-28
Student/Staff Days: 16/16

December 2025

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30	31			

Winter Break: Dec. 22-Jan. 5
Christmas Day: Dec. 25
Student/Staff Days: 15/15

January 2026

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
				1	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	31

New Year's Day: Jan. 1
Martin Luther King Jr. Day: Jan. 19
End of Quarter 2: Jan. 23
Student/Staff Days: 18/19

February 2026

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28

President's Day: Feb. 16
Student/Staff Days: 19/19

March 2026

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	31				

No School: March 6
Staff Development Day: March 9
Student/Staff Days: 20/21

April 2026

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
			1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30		

End of Quarter: April 3
Spring Break: April 6-10
Student/Staff Days: 17/17

May 2026

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
					1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
31						

No School: May 8
Memorial Day: May 25
Student/Staff Days: 19/19

June 2026

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30				

End of Quarter 4/Last Day of School: June 18
Juneteenth: June 19
Summer Break: June 22-26
ESY: June 29 – July 31
Student/Staff Days: 16/16

School Schedule
Monday through Friday 9:00am – 2:30pm

ESY Schedule and/or Minimum Day
9:00am – 1:15pm

*School will be open **only** if there are unplanned shutdown days

Break / No School
Emergency Make Up Day*
Minimum Day

Total Student Days: 214 Staff Days: 223

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Pathfinder Academy School Calendar: 2025-2026

July 2025

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
		1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30	31		

Independence Day: July 4
ESY: June 23 – July 25

Student/Staff Days: 18/18

August 2025

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
					1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
31						

Summer Break: July 28 – Aug 12
First Day School: Aug 13

Student/Staff Days: 13/15

September 2025

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30				

Labor Day: Sept 1

Student/Staff Days: 21/21

October 2025

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
			1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30	31	

Indigenous People's Day Observed: Oct 13
Caregiver Teacher Conferences: Oct 20-24
End of Quarter 1: Oct 31

Student/Staff Days: 22/22

November 2025

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
						1
2	3	4	5	6	7	8
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
30						

Thanksgiving Break: Nov 24-28

Student/Staff Days: 15/15

December 2025

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30	31			

Winter Break: Dec 22 – Jan 5
Christmas Day: Dec 25

Student/Staff Days: 15/15

January 2026

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
				1	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	31

New Year's Day: Jan 1
Martin Luther King Jr. Day: 19
End of Quarter 2: Jan 23

Student/Staff Days: 18/19

February 2026

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28

President's Day: Feb 16

Student/Staff Days: 19/19

March 2026

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	31				

Staff Development Day: Mar 9
Caregiver Teacher Conferences: March 23-27

Student/Staff Days: 21/22

April 2026

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
			1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30		

End of Quarter 3: Apr 3
Spring Break: Apr 6-10

Student/Staff Days: 17/17

May 2026

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
					1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
31						

Cinco de Mayo Observed: May 4
Memorial Day: May 25

Student/Staff Days: 19/19

June 2026

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30				

End of Quarter 4/Last Day of School: June 18
Juneteenth: June 19
Summer Break: June 22-26
ESY: June 29 – July 31

Student/Staff Days: 16/16

School Schedule
9:00 am – 3:00 pm (M/T/TH/F)
9:00 am – 1:45 pm (W)

ESY Schedule and/or Minimum Day
9:00 am – 1:45 pm

*School will be open only if there are unplanned shutdown days

Break / No School
Emergency Make Up Day*
Minimum Day

Total Student Days: 214 Staff Days: 223

California Department of Education - Nonpublic School Certification

Date: June 12, 2025

NPS ID 07-61796-0128843
Nonpublic School: Seneca Family of Agencies - Catalyst Academy
Site Administrator: Kari Sundstrom
Site Address: 1060 Manor Road
City: El Sobrante State: California Zip Code: 94803

Grades: 1 to 12
Student Gender: Coed

2025 Certification Status: Approved

Effective Dates: January 01, 2025 *through* December 31, 2025

☑ *Amended*

Per California Education Code 56366.4(a)(5)(A), the superintendent may revoke or suspend the certification of a nonpublic school for any of the following reasons: Failure to notify the department in writing of any of the following within 45 days of the occurrence: changes in credentialed, licensed, or registered staff who render special education and related services; ownership; management; or control of the nonpublic, nonsectarian school or agency.

Authorized to Provide Special Education Instruction to Students Identified with the following Primary Disabling Conditions:

☑ Autism	☐ Hard of Hearing	☑ Other Health Impairment
☐ Deaf/Blind	☐ Hearing Impaired	☐ Speech and Language Impairment
☐ Deaf	☑ Intellectual Disability	☑ Specific Learning Disability
☑ Emotional Disturbance	☐ Multiple Disabilities	☐ Traumatic Brain Injury
☐ Established Medical Disability	☐ Orthopedic Impairment	☐ Visual Impairment

Authorized to Provide the Following Related Services:

☐ APE	☑ BII	☑ LSDR	☐ RS	☐ VECD	☐ VT
☐ AS	☑ CG	☐ MT	☑ PCT	☑ SW	☐ LI:
☐ ATS	☐ EE	☐ OM	☐ PS	☐ TS	☐ Other Services Authorized:
☑ BID	☑ HNS	☐ OT	☐ PT	☐ VS	

☐ Residential Component — If checked, this box acknowledges that the NPS has submitted documentation related to a residential component, and should not be construed as an evaluation, accreditation, approval, recognition, or endorsement.

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Nonpublic Schools Unit, Special Education Division 2340

California Department of Education - Nonpublic School Certification

Date: December 31, 2024

NPS ID 01-61309-7035512
Nonpublic School: Seneca Family of Agencies - James Baldwin Academy
Site Administrator: Monica Mile
Site Address: 2275 Arlington Drive
City: San Leandro State: CA Zip Code: 94578

Grades: 4 to 12
Student Gender: Coed

2025 Certification Status: Approved

Effective Dates: January 01, 2025 *through* December 31, 2025

☐ *Amended*

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☐ Deaf/Blind	☐ Hearing Impaired	☐ Speech and Language Impairment
☐ Deaf	☑ Intellectual Disability	☑ Specific Learning Disability
☑ Emotional Disturbance	☐ Multiple Disabilities	☐ Traumatic Brain Injury
☐ Established Medical Disability	☐ Orthopedic Impairment	☐ Visual Impairment

Authorized to Provide the Following Related Services:

☐ APE	☐ BII	☐ LSDR	☐ RS	☐ VECD	☐ VT
☐ AS	☐ CG	☐ MT	☐ PCT	☐ SW	☐ LI:
☐ ATS	☐ EE	☐ OM	☐ PS	☐ TS	☐ Other Services Authorized:
☐ BID	☐ HNS	☐ OT	☐ PT	☐ VS	

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Nonpublic Schools Unit, Special Education Division

California Department of Education - Nonpublic School Certification

Date: December 31, 2024

NPS ID 01-61259-6140131
Nonpublic School: Seneca Family of Agencies - Maya Angelou Academy
Site Administrator: Claudia Camacho
Site Address: 3965 High Street
City: Oakland State: CA Zip Code: 94618

Grades: Kindergarten to 5
Student Gender: Coed

2025 Certification Status: Approved

Effective Dates: January 01, 2025 *through* December 31, 2025

☐ *Amended*

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Authorized to Provide Special Education Instruction to Students Identified with the following Primary Disabling Conditions:

☑ Autism	☐ Hard of Hearing	☑ Other Health Impairment
☐ Deaf/Blind	☐ Hearing Impaired	☐ Speech and Language Impairment
☐ Deaf	☑ Intellectual Disability	☑ Specific Learning Disability
☑ Emotional Disturbance	☐ Multiple Disabilities	☐ Traumatic Brain Injury
☐ Established Medical Disability	☐ Orthopedic Impairment	☐ Visual Impairment

Authorized to Provide the Following Related Services:

☐ APE	☑ BII	☑ LSDR	☐ RS	☐ VECD	☐ VT
☐ AS	☑ CG	☐ MT	☑ PCT	☑ SW	☐ LI:
☐ ATS	☐ EE	☐ OM	☐ PS	☐ TS	☐ Other Services Authorized:
☑ BID	☑ HNS	☐ OT	☐ PT	☐ VS	

☐ Residential Component

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Nonpublic Schools Unit, Special Education Division

California Department of Education - Nonpublic School Certification

Date: December 31, 2024

NPS ID 01-61176-7077548
Nonpublic School: Seneca Family of Agencies - Pathfinder Academy
Site Administrator: Grace Alvarez
Site Address: 600 G Sreet
City: Union City State: CA Zip Code: 94587

Grades: 6 to 12
Student Gender: Coed

2025 Certification Status: Approved

Effective Dates: January 01, 2025 *through* December 31, 2025

☐ *Amended*

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Authorized to Provide Special Education Instruction to Students Identified with the following Primary Disabling Conditions:

☑ Autism	☐ Hard of Hearing	☑ Other Health Impairment
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☐ Deaf	☑ Intellectual Disability	☑ Specific Learning Disability
☑ Emotional Disturbance	☐ Multiple Disabilities	☐ Traumatic Brain Injury
☐ Established Medical Disability	☐ Orthopedic Impairment	☐ Visual Impairment

Authorized to Provide the Following Related Services:

☐ APE	☑ BII	☑ LSDR	☐ RS	☐ VECD	☐ VT
☐ AS	☑ CG	☐ MT	☑ PCT	☑ SW	☐ LI:
☐ ATS	☐ EE	☐ OM	☐ PS	☐ TS	☐ Other Services Authorized:
☑ BID	☑ HNS	☐ OT	☐ PT	☐ VS	

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Nonpublic Schools Unit, Special Education Division

INDIVIDUAL SERVICES AGREEMENT (ISA) FOR NONPUBLIC, NONSECTARIAN SCHOOL SERVICES

(Education Code Sections 56365 et seq.)

This agreement is effective on July 1, 2025 or the date student begins attending a nonpublic school or receiving services from a nonpublic agency, if after the date identified, and terminates at 5:00 P.M. on June 30, 2026, unless sooner terminated as provided in the Master Contract and by applicable law.

Local Education Agency: AIMS Nonpublic School: Seneca Family of Agencies - James Baldwin Academy

LEA Case Manager: Name _____ Phone Number _____

Pupil Name _____ (Last) _____ (First) _____ (M.I.) Sex: M ☐ F Grade: _____

Address: 1821 Irving Avenue City: Oakland State/Zip: CA / 94601

DOB: 4/22/2007 Residential Setting: ☒ Home ☐ Foster ☐ LCI # _____ ☐ OTHER _____

Parent/Guardian: Rilen Wen Phone (510) 457-6886 (Residence) ( ) _____ (Business)

Address: _____ (If different from student) City _____ State/Zip _____

AGREEMENT TERMS:

1. Nonpublic School: The average number of minutes in the instructional day will be: 240 during the regular school year
   240 during the extended school year
2. Nonpublic School: The number of school days in the calendar of the school year are: 194 during the regular school year
   20 during the extended school year
3. *Educational services as specified in the IEP shall be provided by the CONTRACTOR and paid at the rates specified below.*

   A. *INCLUSIVE AND/OR BASIC EDUCATION PROGRAM RATE:* (Applies to nonpublic schools only): Daily Rate: $233

   Estimated Number of Days: 214 x Daily Rate: $233 = PROJECTED BASIC EDUCATION COSTS: $49,862.00

   B. RELATED SERVICES:

SERVICE	Provider: LEA	NPS	OTHER Specify	# of Times per wk/mo/yr., Duration; or per IEP; or as needed	Cost per session	Maximum Number of Sessions	Estimated Maximum Total Cost for Contracted Period
Intensive Individual Services (340)		X		1,200 min/week	$120/hour	41 weeks	$98,400.00
Language/Speech Therapy (415) a. Individual b. Group							
Adapted Physical Ed. (425)							
Health and Nursing: Specialized Physical Health Care (435)							
Health and Nursing Services: Other (436)							
Assistive Technology Services (445)							
Occupational Therapy (460)							
Physical Therapy (480)							
Individual Counseling (510)		X				41 weeks	Billed to MediCal
Counseling and guidance (515)		X				41 weeks	Billed to MediCal
Parent Counseling (520)		X				41 weeks	Billed to MediCal
Social Work Services (525)							

SERVICE	Provider: LEA	NPS	OTHER Specify	# of Times per wk/mo/yr., Duration; or per IEP; or as needed	Cost per session	Maximum Number of Sessions	Estimated Maximum Total Cost for Contracted Period
Psychological Services (530)							
Behavior Intervention Services (535)							
Specialized Services for Low Incidence Disabilities (610)							
Specialized Deaf and Hard of Hearing Services (710)							
Interpreter Services (715)							
Audiological Services (720)							
Specialized Vision Services (725)							
Orientation and Mobility (730)							
Braille Transcription (735)							
Specialized Orthopedic Service (740)							
Reader Services (745)							
Note Taking Services (750)							
Transcription Services (755)							
Recreation Services (760)							
College Awareness Preparation (820)							
Vocational Assessment, Counseling, Guidance and Career Assessment (830)							
Career Awareness (840)							
Work Experience Education (850)							
Mentoring (860)							
Agency Linkages (865)							
Travel Training (870)							
Other Transition Services (880)							
Other (800)J							
Other (800)							
Transportation-Emergency b. Transportation-Parent							
Bus Passes							
Other: NPS ESMIS							

ESTIMATED MAXIMUM RELATED SERVICES COST $93,400.00

TOTAL ESTIMATED MAXIMUM BASIC EDUCATION AND RELATED SERVICES COSTS $148,292.00

4. Other Provisions/Attachments:

5. MASTER CONTRACT APPROVED BY THE GOVERNING BOARD ON _____

6. Progress Reporting Requirements: _____ Quarterly ___ Monthly X Other (Specify) NPS Quarterly Calendar

The parties hereto have executed this Individual Services Agreement by and through their duly authorized agents or representatives as set forth below.

-CONTRACTOR-	-LEA/SELPA-
Seneca Family of Agencies- James Baldwin Academy	
(Name of Nonpublic School/Agency)	(Name of LEA/SELPA)
Scott Osborn	
(Signature) July 11, 2025 9:42 PT (Date)	(Signature) (Date)
Scott Osborn, COO	
(Name and Title)	(Name of Superintendent or Authorized Designee)

Coversheet

ATX Learning

Section: V. Action Items
Item: T. ATX Learning
Purpose: Vote
Submitted by:
Related Material: ATX Learning 2025-26 MOU Contract Board Packet.pdf

AIMS K-12 College Prep Charter District
Board Submission Cover Letter

Submitter Information

Full Name: Deborah Woods
Position/Title: Director
Department: Special Education
Date of Submission (MM/DD/YYYY): 8/26/25

Item Details

Title of Item: Ausin Texas Learning Group LLC
Is this item a: ☐ New Submission
☑ Renewal
If Renewal: Please summarize any changes from the previous submission:
3 SpEd teachers + 4 paraeducators

Approvals

Has this item been reviewed by:

☐ Superintendent
☑ Chief Business Officer (CBO) (If budget changes)
☐ Director of Compliance (If plan changes)
☐ Neither

Committee Review

Has this item been through the appropriate committee review process?

☑ Yes ☐ No

If yes: Please specify which committee(s) and provide minutes or approval documentation:

If no: Explain why:

Deadline Information

Is there a submission deadline for this item?

☑ Yes ☐ No

If yes: Please indicate the deadline date (MM/DD/YYYY): 8/26/25

Financial Information (if applicable):

Total Cost: $ 791,800

Is this expenditure included in the annual budget?

☑ Yes ☐ No

Please specify in which plan this expense is indicated:

☐ SPSA ☑ LCAP ☐ Other:

2025-2026 **CONTRACT NUMBER:**

LOCAL EDUCATION AGENCY: AIMS K12 College Prep Charter District

NONPUBLIC SCHOOL/AGENCY/RELATED SERVICES PROVIDER: Ausin Texas Learning Group LLC Inc

NONPUBLIC, NONSECTARIAN SCHOOL/AGENCY SERVICES MASTER CONTRACT

GENERAL PROVISIONS

1. MASTER CONTRACT

This Master Contract (or "Contract") is entered into on July 1, 2025, between **AIMS K12 College Prep Charter District**, hereinafter referred to as the local educational agency ("LEA"), a member of the El Dorado County Charter SELPA and **Ausin Texas Learning Group LLC Inc** (nonpublic, nonsectarian school or agency), hereinafter referred to as NPS/A or "CONTRACTOR" for the purpose of providing special education and/or related services to students with exceptional needs under the authorization of California Education Code sections 56157, 56361 and 56365 *et seq*. and Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3000 *et seq*., AB 490 (Chapter 862, Statutes of 2003) and AB 1858 (Chapter 914, Statutes of 2004). It is understood that this agreement does not commit the LEA to pay for special education and/or related services provided to any student, or CONTRACTOR to provide such special education and/or related services, unless and until an authorized LEA representative approves the provision of special education and/or related services by CONTRACTOR.

Upon acceptance of a student, LEA shall submit to CONTRACTOR an Individual Service Agreement (hereinafter referred to as "ISA"). Unless otherwise agreed in writing, these forms shall acknowledge CONTRACTOR's obligation to provide all relevant services specified in the student's Individualized Education Program (hereinafter referred to as "IEP"). The ISA shall be executed within ninety (90) days of a student's enrollment. LEA and CONTRACTOR shall enter into an ISA for each student served by CONTRACTOR. As available and appropriate, the LEA shall make available access to any electronic IEP system and/or electronic database for the development of the ISA and invoices.

Unless placement and/or services is made pursuant to an Office of Administrative Hearings (hereinafter referred to as "OAH") order, a lawfully executed settlement agreement between LEA and parent or authorized by LEA for a transfer student pursuant to California Education Code section 56325, LEA is not responsible for the costs associated with NPS placement or NPS/A services until the date on which an IEP team meeting is convened, the IEP team determines that a NPS placement is appropriate, and the IEP is signed by the student's parent.

2. CERTIFICATION AND LICENSES

CONTRACTOR shall be certified by the California Department of Education (hereinafter referred to as "CDE") as a NPS/A. All NPS/A services shall be provided consistent with the area of certification and licensure specified by CDE Certification and as defined in California Education Code, section 56366 et seq and within the professional scope of practice of each provider's license, certification, and/or credential. A current copy of CONTRACTOR's NPS/A certification or a waiver of such certification issued by the CDE pursuant to Education Code section 56366.2 must be provided to LEA on or before the date this Agreement is executed by CONTRACTOR. This Master Contract shall be null and void if such certification or waiver is expired, revoked, rescinded, or otherwise nullified during the effective period of this Master Contract.

Total student enrollment shall be limited to capacity as stated on CDE certification and in Section 24 of the Master Contract.

In addition to meeting the certification requirements of the State of California, a CONTRACTOR that operates a program outside of this State shall be certified and all staff persons providing services to pupils shall be certified and/or licensed by that state to provide, respectively, special education and related services and designated instruction and related services to pupils under the federal Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. Sec. 1400 et seq.).

If CONTRACTOR is a licensed children's institution (hereinafter referred to as "LCI"), CONTRACTOR shall be licensed by the state, or other public agency having delegated authority by contract with the state to license, to provide nonmedical care room and board to children, including, but not limited to, individuals with exceptional needs. The LCI must also comply with all licensing requirements relevant to the protection of the child, and have a special permit, if necessary, to meet the needs of each child so placed. If the CONTRACTOR operates a program outside of this State, CONTRACTOR must obtain all required licenses from the appropriate licensing agency in both California and in the state where the LCI is located.

With respect to CONTRACTOR's certification, failure to notify the LEA and CDE in writing of any changes in: (1) credentialed/licensed staff; (2) ownership; (3) management and/or control of the agency; (4) major modification or relocation of facilities; or (5) significant modification of the program may result in the suspension or revocation of CDE certification and/or suspension or termination of this Master Contract by the LEA.

3. COMPLIANCE WITH LAWS, STATUTES, REGULATIONS

During the term of this Master Contract, unless otherwise agreed, CONTRACTOR shall comply with all applicable federal, state, and local statutes, laws, ordinances, rules, policies and regulations. CONTRACTOR shall also comply with all applicable LEA policies and procedures unless, taking into consideration all of the surrounding facts and circumstances, a policy or policies or a portion of a policy does not reasonably apply to CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR hereby acknowledges and agrees that it accepts all risks and responsibilities for its failure to comply with LEA policies and shall indemnify LEA under the provisions of Section 16 of this Agreement for all liability, loss, damage and expense (including reasonable attorneys' fees) resulting from or arising out of CONTRACTOR's failure to comply with applicable LEA policies (e.g., those policies relating to; the provision of special education and/or related services, facilities for individuals with exceptional needs, student enrollment and transfer, student inactive status, corporal punishment, student discipline, and positive behavior interventions).

CONTRACTOR acknowledges and understands that LEA may report to the CDE any violations of the provisions of this Master Contract; and that this may result in the suspension and/or revocation of CDE nonpublic school/agency certification pursuant to California Education Code section 56366.4(a).

4. TERM OF MASTER CONTRACT

The term of this Master Contract shall be from July 1, 2025 to June 30, 2026 (Title 5 California Code of Regulations section 3062(a)) unless otherwise stated. Neither the CONTRACTOR nor the LEA is required to renew this Master Contract in subsequent contract years. The parties acknowledge that any subsequent Master Contract is to be re-negotiated prior to June 30, 2025 (Title 5 California Code of Regulations section 3062(d)). In the event the contract negotiations are not agreed to by June 30th, the most recently executed Master Contract will remain in effect for 90 days (Education Code 56366(c)(1)). If, after 60 days the master contract or individual services agreement has not been finalized, as prescribed in paragraph (1) of subdivision (a), either party may appeal to the county superintendent of schools, if the county superintendent of schools is not participating in the local plan involved in the nonpublic, nonsectarian school or agency contract; or the Superintendent, if the county superintendent of schools is participating in the local plan involved in the contract, to negotiate the contract. Within 30 days of receipt of this appeal, the county superintendent of schools or the Superintendent, or the individual designee, shall mediate the formulation of a contract, which shall be binding upon both parties (Education Code 56366 (c) (2)). No

Master Contract will be offered unless and until all of the contracting requirements have been satisfied. The offer of a Master Contract to a CONTRACTOR is at the sole discretion of the LEA.

The provisions of this Master Contract apply to CONTRACTOR and any of its employees or independent contractors. Notice of any change in CONTRACTOR's ownership or authorized representative shall be provided in writing to LEA within thirty (30) calendar days of change of ownership or change of authorized representative.

5. INTEGRATION/CONTINUANCE OF CONTRACT FOLLOWING EXPIRATION OR TERMINATION

This Master Contract includes each ISA and they are incorporated herein by this reference. This Master Contract supersedes any prior or contemporaneous written or oral understanding or agreement. This Master Contract may be amended only by written amendment executed by both parties.

CONTRACTOR shall provide the LEA with information as requested in writing to secure a Master Contract or a renewal.

At a minimum, such information shall include copies of current teacher credentials and clearance, insurance documentation and CDE certification. The LEA may require additional information as applicable. If the application packet is not completed and returned to District, no Master Contract will be issued. If CONTRACTOR does not return the Master Contract to LEA duly signed by an authorized representative within ninety (90) calendar days of issuance by LEA, the new contract rates will not take effect until the newly executed Master Contract is received by LEA and will not be retroactive to the first day of the new Master Contract's effective date. If CONTRACTOR fails to execute the new Master Contract within such ninety-day period, all payments shall cease until such time as the new Master Contract for the current school year is signed and returned to LEA by CONTRACTOR. (California Education Code section 56366(c)(1) and (2)). In the event that this Master Contract expires or terminates, CONTRACTOR shall continue to be bound to all of the terms and conditions of the most recent executed Master Contract between CONTRACTOR and LEA for so long as CONTRACTOR is servicing authorized students at the discretion of the LEA

6. INDIVIDUAL SERVICE AGREEMENT ("ISA")

This Agreement shall include an ISA developed for each student to whom CONTRACTOR is to provide special education and/or related services. An ISA shall only be issued for students enrolled with the approval of the LEA pursuant to Education Code section 56366 (a)(2)(A). An ISA may be effective for more than one contract year provided that there is a concurrent Master Contract in effect. In the event that this Master Contract expires or terminates, CONTRACTOR, shall continue to be bound to all of the terms and conditions of the most recent executed ISAs between CONTRACTOR and LEA for so long as CONTRACTOR is servicing authorized students.

Any and all changes to a student's educational placement/program provided under this Master Contract and/or an ISA shall be made solely on the basis of a revision to the student's IEP or by written agreement between the parent and LEA. At any time during the term of this Master Contract, a student's parent, CONTRACTOR, or LEA may request a review of a student's IEP subject to all procedural safeguards required by law.

Unless otherwise provided in this Master Contract, the CONTRACTOR shall provide all services specified in the IEP unless the CONTRACTOR and the LEA agree otherwise in the ISA. (California Education Code sections 56366(a) (5) and 3062(e)). In the event the CONTRACTOR is unable to provide a specific service at any time during the life of the ISA, the CONTRACTOR shall notify the LEA in writing within five (5) business days of the last date a service was provided. CONTRACTOR shall provide any and all subsequent compensatory service hours awarded to student as a result of lack of provision of services while student was served by the NPS/A.

If a parent or LEA contests the termination of an ISA by initiating a due process proceeding with the OAH, CONTRACTOR shall abide by the "stay-put" requirement of state and federal law unless the parent agrees

otherwise or an Interim Alternative Educational Setting is deemed lawful and appropriate by LEA or OAH consistent with Section 1415 (k)(1)(7) of Title 20 of the United States Code. CONTRACTOR shall adhere to all LEA requirements concerning changes in placement.

Disagreements between LEA and CONTRACTOR concerning the formulation of an ISA or the Master Contract may be appealed to the County Superintendent of Schools of the County where the LEA is located, or the State Superintendent of Public Instruction pursuant to the provisions of California Education Code section 56366(c) (2).

7. DEFINITIONS

The following definitions shall apply for purposes of this contract:

a. The term "CONTRACTOR" means a nonpublic, nonsectarian school/agency certified by the California Department of Education and its officers, agents, and employees.

b. The term "authorized LEA representative" means a LEA administrator designated to be responsible for NPS/A. It is understood, a representative of the Special Education Local Plan Area (SELPA) of which the LEA is a member is an authorized LEA representative in collaboration with the LEA. The LEA maintains sole responsibility for this Contract, unless otherwise specified in this Contract.

c. The term "credential" means a valid credential, life diploma, permit, or document in special education or pupil personnel services issued by, or under the jurisdiction of, the State Board of Education if issued prior to 1970 or the California Commission on Teacher Credentialing, which entitles the holder thereof to perform services for which certification qualifications are required as defined in Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3001(g).

d. The term "qualified" means that a person holds a certificate, permit or other document equivalent to that which staff in a public school are required to hold to provide special education and related services and has met federal and state certification, licensing, registration, or other comparable requirements which apply to the area in which the individual is providing special education or related services, including those requirements set forth in Title 34 of the Code of Federal Regulations sections 200.56 and 200.58, and those requirements set forth in Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations Sections 3064 and 3065, and adheres to the standards of professional practice established in federal and state law or regulation, including the standards contained in the California Business and Professions Code.

Nothing in this definition shall be construed as restricting the activities in services of a graduate needing direct hours leading to licensure, or of a student teacher or intern leading to a graduate degree at an accredited or approved college or university, as authorized by state laws or regulations. (Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations Section 3001 (r)).

e The term "license" means a valid non-expired document issued by a licensing agency within the Department of Consumer Affairs or other state licensing office authorized to grant licenses and authorizing the bearer of the document to provide certain professional services or refer to themselves using a specified professional title including but not limited to mental health and board and care services at a residential placement. If a license is not available through an appropriate state licensing agency, a certificate of registration with the appropriate professional organization at the national or state level which has standards established for the certificate that are equivalent to a license shall be deemed to be a license as defined in Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3001(l).

f. "Parent" means:

i. a biological or adoptive parent; unless the biological or adoptive parent does not have legal authority to make educational decisions for the child,

ii. a guardian generally authorized to act as the child's parent or authorized to make educational decisions for the child,

iii. an individual acting in the place of a biological or adoptive parent, including a grandparent, stepparent, or other relative with whom the child lives, or an individual who is legally responsible for the child's welfare,

iv. a surrogate parent,

v. a foster parent if the authority of the biological or adoptive parent to make educational decisions on the child's behalf has been specifically limited by court order in accordance with Code of Federal Regulations 300.30(b)(1) or (2).

vi. Parent does not include the state or any political subdivision of government or the NPS/A under contract with the LEA for the provision of special education or designated instruction and services for a child. (California Education Code section 56028).

g. The term "days" means calendar days unless otherwise specified.

h. The phrase "billable day" means a school day in which instructional minutes meet or exceed those in comparable LEA programs.

i. The phrase "billable day of attendance" means a school day as defined in California Education Code Section 46307, in which a student is in attendance and in which instructional minutes meet or exceed those in comparable LEA programs unless otherwise stipulated in an IEP or ISA.

j. It is understood that the term "Master Contract" also means "Contract" and is referred to as such in this document.

ADMINISTRATION OF CONTRACT

8. NOTICES

All notices provided for by this Contract shall be in writing. Notices shall be mailed, emailed, or delivered by hand and shall be effective as of the date of receipt by addressee.

All notices mailed or emailed to LEA shall be addressed to the person and address as indicated on the signature page of this Master Contract. Notices to CONTRACTOR shall be addressed as indicated on signature page of this Master Contract.

9. MAINTENANCE OF RECORDS

All records shall be maintained by CONTRACTOR as required by state and federal laws and regulations. Notwithstanding the foregoing sentence, CONTRACTOR shall maintain all records for at least five (5) years after the termination of this Master Contract. For purposes of this Master Contract, "records" shall include, but not be limited to student records as defined by California Education Code section 49061(b) including electronically stored information; registers and roll books of teachers and/or daily service providers; daily service logs and notes and other documents used to record the provision of related services including supervision; daily service logs and notes used to record the provision of services provided through additional instructional assistants, NPA behavior intervention aides, and bus aides; behavior emergency reports (BER); incident reports; notification of injuries; absence verification records (parent/doctor notes, telephone logs, and related documents) if the CONTRACTOR is funded for excused absences, however,

such records are not required if positive attendance is required; bus rosters; staff lists specifying credentials held and documents evidencing other staff qualifications, social security numbers, dates of hire, and dates of termination; records of employee training and certification, , including verification of behavior training consistent with 56366.1; staff time sheets; non-paid staff and volunteer sign-in sheets; transportation and other related services subcontracts; school calendars; bell/class schedules when applicable; liability and worker's compensation insurance policies; state NPS/A certifications; by-laws, if applicable; lists of current board of directors/trustees, if incorporated; statement of income and expenses; general journals; cash receipts and disbursement books; general ledgers and supporting documents; documents evidencing financial expenditures; federal/state payroll quarterly reports; evidence of electronic payments; and bank statements and canceled checks or facsimile thereof.

CONTRACTOR shall maintain student records in a secure location to ensure confidentiality and prevent unauthorized access. CONTRACTOR shall maintain a current list of the names and positions of CONTRACTOR's employees who have access to confidential records. CONTRACTOR shall maintain an access log for each student's record which lists all persons, agencies, or organizations requesting or receiving information from the record. Such log shall be maintained as required by California Education Code section 49064 and include the name, title, agency/organization affiliation, date/time of access for each individual requesting or receiving information from the student's record, and a description of the record(s) provided. Such log needs to record access to the student's records by: (a) the student's parent; (b) an individual to whom written consent has been executed by the student's parent; or (c) employees of LEA or CONTRACTOR having a legitimate educational interest in requesting or receiving information from the record. CONTRACTOR/LEA shall maintain copies of any written parental concerns granting access to student records. For purposes of this paragraph, "employees of LEA or CONTRACTOR" do not include subcontractors.

CONTRACTOR shall grant the following access to student records, (a) the student's parent; (b) employees of LEA or CONTRACTOR having a legitimate educational interest in requesting or receiving information from the record, and comply with parents' requests for copies of student records, as required by state and federal laws and regulations. CONTRACTOR agrees, in the event of school or agency closure, to forward student records within ten (10) business days to LEA. These shall include, but not limited to, current transcripts, IEP/IFSPs, BER's, incident reports, notification of injuries and all other relevant reports. LEA and/or SELPA shall have access to and receive copies of any and all records upon request within five (5) business days.

10. SEVERABILITY CLAUSE

If any provision of this agreement is held, in whole or in part, to be unenforceable for any reason, the remainder of that provision and of the entire agreement shall be severable and remain in effect.

11. SUCCESSORS IN INTEREST

This contract binds CONTRACTOR's successors and assignees. CONTRACTOR shall notify the LEA of any change of ownership or corporate control.

12. VENUE AND GOVERNING LAW

The laws of the State of California shall govern the terms and conditions of this contract with venue in the County where the LEA is located.

13. MODIFICATIONS AND AMENDMENTS REQUIRED TO CONFORM TO LEGAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE GUIDELINES

This Master Contract may be modified or amended by the LEA to conform to administrative and statutory guidelines issued by any state, federal or local governmental agency. The party seeking such modification shall provide the LEA and/or CONTRACTOR thirty (30) days' notice of any such changes or modifications made to conform to administrative or statutory guidelines and a copy of the statute or regulation upon which the modification or changes are based.

14. TERMINATION

This Master Contract or ISA may be terminated for cause. The cause shall not be the availability of a public class initiated during the period of the contract unless the parent agrees to the transfer of the student to the public school program at an IEP team meeting.

To terminate the contract either party shall give no less than twenty (20) days prior written notice (California Education Code section 56366(a)(4)). At the time of termination, CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA any and all documents CONTRACTOR is required to maintain under this Master Contract. ISAs are void upon termination of this Master Contract, as provided in Section 5 or 6. CONTRACTOR or LEA may terminate an ISA for cause. To terminate the ISA, either party shall give twenty (20) days prior written notice.

15. INSURANCE

CONTRACTOR shall, at CONTRACTOR'S sole cost and expense, maintain in full force and effect, during the term of this Contract, the following insurance coverage from a California licensed and/or admitted insurer with an A minus (A-), VII, or better rating from A.M. Best, sufficient to cover any claims, damages, liabilities, costs and expenses (including counsel fees) arising out of or in connection with CONTRACTOR's fulfillment of any of its obligations under this Agreement or either party's use of the work or any component or part thereof:

PART I - INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS FOR NONPUBLIC SCHOOLS AND AGENCIES

A. **Commercial General Liability Insurance**, including both bodily injury and property damage, with limits as follows:

$2,000,000 per occurrence
$ 500,000 fire damage
$ 5,000 medical expenses
$1,000,000 personal & adv. injury
$3,000,000 general aggregate
$2,000,000 products/completed operations aggregate

The policy may not contain an exclusion for coverage of claims arising from claims for sexual molestation or abuse. In the event that CONTRACTOR's policy should have an exclusion for sexual molestation or abuse claims, then CONTRACTOR shall be required to procure a supplemental policy providing such coverage.

B. **Workers' Compensation Insurance** in accordance with provisions of the California Labor Code adequate to protect the CONTRACTOR from claims that may arise from its operations pursuant to the Workers' Compensation Act (Statutory Coverage). The Workers' Compensation Insurance coverage must also include Employers Liability coverage with limits of $1,000,000/$1,000,000/$1,000,000.

C. **Commercial Auto Liability Insurance** for all owned, non-owned or hired automobiles with a $1 million combined single limit.

If no owned automobiles, then only hired and non-owned is required.

If CONTRACTOR uses a vehicle to travel to/from school sites, between schools and/or to/from students' homes or other locations as approved service locations by the LEA, CONTRACTOR must comply with State of California auto insurance requirements.

D. **Errors & Omissions (E & O)/Malpractice (Professional Liability) coverage**, including Sexual Molestation and Abuse coverage, unless that coverage is afforded elsewhere in the Commercial General Liability policy by

endorsement or separate policy**,** with the following limits:

$1,000,000 per occurrence
$2,000,000 general aggregate

E. CONTRACTOR, upon execution of this Contract and periodically thereafter upon request, shall furnish the LEA with certificates of insurance evidencing such coverage. The certificate of insurance shall include a ten (10) day non-renewal notice provision. The Commercial General Liability and Automobile Liability policy shall name the LEA and the Board of Education additional insured's premiums on all insurance policies and shall be paid by CONTRACTOR and shall be deemed included in CONTRACTOR's obligations under this contract at no additional charge.

F. Any deductibles or self-insured retentions above $100,000 must be declared to and approved by the LEA. At its option, LEA may require the CONTRACTOR, at the CONTRACTOR's sole cost, to: (a) cause its insurer to reduce to levels specified by the LEA or eliminate such deductibles or self-insured retentions with respect to the LEA, its officials and employees, or (b) procure a bond guaranteeing payment of losses and related investigation.

G. For any claims related to the services performed in connection with this Master Contract, the CONTRACTOR's insurance coverage shall be the primary insurance with respect to the LEA, its subsidiaries, officials and employees. Any insurance or self-insurance maintained by the LEA, its subsidiaries, officials and employees shall be excess of the CONTRACTOR's insurance and shall not contribute with it.

H. All Certificates of Insurance must reference the contract number, name of the school or agency submitting the certificate, and the location of the school or agency submitting the certificate on the certificate.

PART II - INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS FOR NONPUBLIC SCHOOLS AFFILIATED WITH A RESIDENTIAL TREATMENT FACILITY ("RTC")

When CONTRACTOR is an NPS affiliated with a **residential treatment center (NPS/RTC**), the following insurance policies are required:

A. **Commercial General Liability** including both bodily injury and property damage, with limits as follows:

$3,000,000 per occurrence
$6,000,000 in General Aggregate**.**

The policy shall be endorsed to name the LEA and the Board of Education as *named* additional insured and shall provide specifically that any insurance carried by the LEA which may be applicable to any claims or loss shall be deemed excess and the RTC's insurance primary despite any conflicting provisions in the RTC's policy. Coverage shall be maintained with no Self-Insured Retention above $100,000 without the prior written approval of the LEA.

B. **Workers' Compensation Insurance** in accordance with provisions of the California Labor Code adequate to protect the RTC from claims that may arise from its operations pursuant to the Workers' Compensation Act (Statutory Coverage). The Workers' Compensation Insurance coverage must also include Employers Liability coverage with limits of $1,000,000/$1,000,000/$1,000,000.

C. **Commercial Auto Liability** coverage with limits of $1,000,000 Combined Single Limit per Occurrence if the RTC does not operate a student bus service. If the RTC provides student bus services, the required coverage limit is $5,000,000 Combined Single Limit per Occurrence.

D. **Fidelity Bond** or **Crime Coverage** shall be maintained by the RTC to cover all employees who process or otherwise have responsibility for RTC funds, supplies, equipment or other assets. Minimum amount of coverage shall be $250,000 per occurrence, with no self-insured retention.

E. **Professional Liability/Errors & Omissions/Malpractice** coverage with minimum limits of $3,000,000 per occurrence and $6,000,000 general aggregate.

F. **Sexual Molestation and Abuse Coverage**, unless that coverage is afforded elsewhere in the Commercial General Liability or Professional liability policy by endorsement, with minimum limits of $3,000,000 per occurrence and $6,000,000 general aggregate.

If LEA or CONTRACTOR determines that a change in insurance coverage obligations under this section is necessary, either party may reopen negotiations to modify the insurance obligations.

16. INDEMNIFICATION AND HOLD HARMLESS

To the fullest extent allowed by law, CONTRACTOR shall indemnify and hold LEA and its Board Members, administrators, employees, agents, attorneys, volunteers, and subcontractors ("LEA Indemnities") harmless against all liability, loss, damage and expense (including reasonable attorneys' fees) resulting from or arising out of this Master Contract or its performance, to the extent that such loss, expense, damage or liability was proximately caused by negligence, intentional act, or willful act or omission of CONTRACTOR, including, without limitation, its agents, employees, subcontractors or anyone employed directly or indirectly by it (excluding LEA and LEA Indemnities). The duty and obligation to defend shall arise immediately upon tender of a claim or lawsuit to the CONTRACTOR. The LEA and the Member District(s) shall have the right in their sole discretion to select counsel of its choice to provide the defense at the sole cost of the CONTRACTOR or the applicable insurance carrier.

To the fullest extent allowed by law, LEA shall indemnify and hold CONTRACTOR and its Board Members, administrators, employees, agents, attorneys, and subcontractors ("CONTRACTOR Indemnities") harmless against all liability, loss, damage and expense (including reasonable attorneys' fees) resulting from or arising out of this Master Contract or its performance thereof, to the extent that such loss, expense, damage or liability was proximately caused by the negligent, intentional act or willful act or omission of LEA, including, without limitation, its agents, employees, subcontractors or anyone employed directly or indirectly by it (excluding CONTRACTOR and/or any CONTRACTOR Indemnities).

LEA represents that it is self-insured in compliance with the laws of the State of California, that the self-insurance covers LEA employees acting within the course and scope of their respective duties and that its self-insurance covers the LEA's indemnification obligations under this Master Contract.

17. INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR

Nothing herein contained will be construed to imply a joint venture, partnership or principal-agent relationship between the LEA and CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR shall provide all services under this Contract as an independent contractor, and neither party shall have the authority to bind or make any commitment on behalf of the other. Nothing contained in this Contract shall be deemed to create any association, partnership, joint venture or relationship of principal and agent, master and servant, or employer and employee between the parties or any affiliates of the parties, or between the LEA and any individual assigned by CONTRACTOR to perform any services for the LEA.

If the LEA is determined to be a partner, joint venture, co-principal, employer or co-employer of CONTRACTOR, CONTRACTOR shall indemnify and hold harmless the LEA from and against any and all claims for loss, liability, or damages arising from that determination, as well as any expenses, costs, taxes, penalties and interest charges incurred by the LEA as a result of that holding.

18. SUBCONTRACTING

CONTRACTOR shall provide written notification to LEA before subcontracting for special education and/or related services pursuant to this Master Contract. In the event LEA determines that it can provide the subcontracted service(s) at a lower rate, LEA may elect to provide such service(s). If LEA elects to provide such service(s), LEA shall provide written notification to CONTRACTOR within five (5) days of receipt of CONTRACTOR's original notice and CONTRACTOR shall not subcontract for said service(s).

CONTRACTOR shall incorporate all of the provisions of this Master Contract in all subcontracts, to the fullest extent reasonably possible. Furthermore, when CONTRACTOR enters into subcontracts for the provision of special education and/or related services (including, but not limited to, transportation) for any student, CONTRACTOR shall cause each subcontractor to procure and maintain insurance during the term of each subcontract. Such subcontractor's insurance shall comply with the provisions of Section 15. Each subcontractor shall furnish the LEA with original endorsements and certificates of insurance effecting coverage required by Section 15. The endorsements are to be signed by a person authorized by that insurer to bind coverage on its behalf. The endorsements are to be on forms as required by the LEA. All endorsements are to be received and approved by the LEA before the subcontractor's work commences. The Commercial General Liability and Automobile Liability policies shall name the LEA/SELPA and the LEA Board of Education as additional insured.

As an alternative to the LEA's forms, a subcontractor's insurer may provide complete, certified copies of all required insurance policies, including endorsements affecting the coverage required by this Master Contract. All Certificates of Insurance must reference the LEA contract number, name of the school or agency submitting the certificate, indication if NPS or NPA, and the location of the school or agency submitting the certificate. In addition, all subcontractors must meet the requirements as contained in Section 44 Clearance Requirements and Section 45 Staff Qualifications of this Master Contract.

19. CONFLICTS OF INTEREST

CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA upon request a copy of its current bylaws and a current list of its Board of Directors (or Trustees), if it is incorporated. CONTRACTOR and any member of its Board of Directors (or Trustees) shall disclose any relationship with LEA that constitutes or may constitute a conflict of interest pursuant to California Education Code section 56042 and Government Code Section 1090 including, but not limited to, employment with LEA, provision of private party assessments and/or reports, and attendance at IEP team meetings acting as a student's advocate. Pursuant to California Education code section 56042, an attorney or advocate for a parent of an individual with exceptional needs shall not recommend placement at CONTRACTOR's facility if the attorney or advocate is employed or contracted by the CONTRACTOR, or will receive a benefit from the CONTRACTOR, or otherwise has a conflict of interest.

The LEA shall neither execute an ISA with CONTRACTOR nor amend an existing ISA for a student when a recommendation for special education and/or related services is based in whole or in part on assessment(s) or reports provided by CONTRACTOR to the student without prior written authorization by LEA. This paragraph shall apply to CONTRACTOR regardless of when an assessment is performed or a report is prepared (i.e., before or after the student is enrolled in CONTRACTOR's school/agency) or whether an assessment of the student is performed or a report is prepared in the normal course of the services provided to the student by CONTRACTOR. To avoid conflict of interest, and in order to ensure the appropriateness of an Independent Educational Evaluation (hereinafter referred to as "IEE") and its recommendations, the LEA may not fund an IEE by an evaluator who provides ongoing service(s) or is sought to provide service(s) to the student for whom the IEE is requested. Likewise, the LEA may not fund services through the evaluator whose IEE the LEA agrees to fund. When no other appropriate assessor is available, LEA may request and if CONTRACTOR agrees, the CONTRACTOR may provide an IEE.

CONTRACTOR shall not admit a student living within the jurisdictional boundaries of the LEA on a private pay or tuition free "scholarship" basis and concurrently or subsequently advise/request parent(s) to pursue funding for the admitted school year from the LEA through due process proceedings.

20. NON-DISCRIMINATION

CONTRACTOR shall not, in employment or operation of its programs, unlawfully discriminate on the basis of gender, nationality, national origin, ancestry, race, color, ethnicity, ethnic group affiliation, religion, age, marital status, pregnancy or parental status, sex, sexual orientation, gender, gender identity or expression, physical or mental disability, genetic information or any other classification protected by federal or state law or the perception of one or more of such characteristics or association with a person or group with one or more of these actual or perceived characteristics.

EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM

21. FREE AND APPROPRIATE PUBLIC EDUCATION (FAPE)

The LEA shall provide CONTRACTOR with a copy of the IEP including the Individualized Transition Plan (hereinafter referred to as "ITP") of each student served by CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR shall provide special education and/or related services (including transition services) to each student within the NPS/A consistent with the student's IEP and as specified in the ISA. If CONTRACTOR is a NPS, CONTRACTOR shall not accept a student if it cannot provide or ensure the provision of the services outlined in the student's IEP. If student services are provided by a third party (i.e. Related Services Provider), CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA if provision of services cease.

Unless otherwise agreed to between CONTRACTOR and LEA, CONTRACTOR shall be responsible for the provision of all appropriate supplies, equipment, and/or facilities, as specified in the student's IEP and ISA. CONTRACTOR shall make no charge of any kind to parents for special education and/or related services as specified in the student's IEP and ISA (including, but not limited to, screenings, assessments, or interviews that occur prior to or as a condition of the student's enrollment under the terms of this Master Contract). LEA shall provide low incidence equipment for eligible students with low incidence disabilities when specified in the student's IEP and ISA. Such equipment remains the property of the SELPA/LEA and shall be returned to the SELPA/LEA when the IEP team determines the equipment is no longer needed or when the student is no longer enrolled in the NPS. CONTRACTOR shall ensure that facilities are adequate to provide LEA students with an environment which meets all pertinent health and safety regulations. CONTRACTOR may charge a student's parent(s) for services and/or activities not necessary for the student to receive a free appropriate public education after: (a) written notification to the student's parent(s) of the cost and voluntary nature of the services and/or activities; and (b) receipt by the LEA of the written notification and a written acknowledgment signed by the student's parent(s) of the cost and voluntary nature of the services and/or activities. CONTRACTOR shall adhere to all LEA requirements concerning parent acknowledgment of financial responsibility.

Voluntary services and/or activities not necessary for the student to receive a free appropriate public education shall not interfere with the student's receipt of special education and/or related services as specified in the student's IEP and ISA unless the LEA, CONTRACTOR, and PARENT agree otherwise in writing.

22. GENERAL PROGRAM OF INSTRUCTION

All NPS/A services shall be provided consistent with the area of certification specified by CDE Certification and as defined in California Education Code section 56366 et seq...

When CONTRACTOR is a NPS, CONTRACTOR's general program of instruction shall: (a) utilize evidence-based practices and be consistent with LEA's standards regarding the particular course of study and curriculum; (b) include curriculum that addresses mathematics, literacy and the use of educational, assistive technology and transition services; (c) be consistent with CDE's standards regarding the particular course of study and curriculum; (d) provide the services as specified in the student's IEP and ISA. Students shall have access to: (a) State Board of Education (SBE) - adopted Common Core State Standards ("CCSS") for curriculum and the same instructional materials for kindergarten and grades 1 to 8, inclusive; and provide standards – aligned core curriculum and instructional materials for grades 9 to 12, inclusive, used by an LEA, that contracts with the NPS: (b) college preparation courses; (c) extracurricular activities, such as art, sports, music and academic clubs; (d) career preparation and vocational training, consistent with transition plans pursuant to state and federal law and; (e) supplemental assistance, including individual academic tutoring, psychological counseling, and career and college counseling.

When CONTRACTOR serves students in grades 9 through 12 inclusive, LEA shall provide to CONTRACTOR a specific list of the course requirements to be satisfied by the CONTRACTOR leading toward graduation or completion of LEA's diploma requirements. CONTRACTOR shall not award a high school diploma to students who have not successfully completed all of the LEA's graduation requirements.

When CONTRACTOR is a NPA and/or related services provider, CONTRACTOR's general program of instruction and/or services shall utilize evidence-based practices and be consistent with LEA and CDE guidelines and certification, and provided as specified in the student's IEP and ISA. The NPA providing Behavior Intervention services shall develop a written plan that specifies the nature of their NPA service for each student within thirty (30) days of enrollment and shall be provided in writing to the LEA. School-based services may not be unilaterally converted by CONTRACTOR to a substitute program or provided at a location not specifically authorized by the IEP team. Except for services provided by a CONTRACTOR that is a Licensed Children's Institution (LCI), all services not provided in the school setting require the presence of a parent, guardian or adult caregiver during the delivery of services, provided such guardian or caregiver have a signed authorization by the parent or legal guardian to authorize emergency services as requested. LCI CONTRACTORS shall ensure that appropriate and qualified residential or clinical staff is present during the provision of services under this Master Contract. CONTRACTOR shall immediately notify LEA in writing if no parent, guardian or adult caregiver is present. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA a written description of the services and location provided prior to the effective date of this Master Contract. CONTRACTORS providing Behavior Intervention services must have a trained behaviorist or trained equivalent on staff. It is understood that Behavior Intervention services are limited per CDE Certification and do not constitute as an instructional program.

When CONTRACTOR is a NPA, CONTRACTOR shall not provide transportation nor subcontract for transportation services for students unless the LEA and CONTRACTOR agree otherwise in writing.

23. INSTRUCTIONAL MINUTES

When CONTRACTOR is a NPS, the total number of instructional minutes per school day provided by CONTRACTOR shall be at least equivalent to the number of instructional minutes per school day provided to students at like grade level attending LEA schools and shall be specified in the student's ISA developed in accordance with the student's IEP.

For students in grades kindergarten through 12 inclusive, unless otherwise specified in the student's IEP and ISA, the number of instructional minutes, excluding breakfast, recess, lunch and passing time shall be at the same level that Ed. Code prescribes for the LEA.

The total number of annual instructional minutes shall be at least equivalent to the total number of annual instructional minutes provided to students attending LEA schools in like grade level unless otherwise specified in the student's IEP.

When CONTRACTOR is a NPA and/or related services provider, the total number of minutes per school day provided by CONTRACTOR shall be specified in the student's ISA developed in accordance with the student's IEP.

24. CLASS SIZE

When CONTRACTOR is a NPS, CONTRACTOR shall ensure that class size shall not exceed a ratio of one teacher per twelve (12) students, unless CONTRACTOR and LEA agree otherwise in writing. Upon prior written approval by an authorized LEA representative, class size may be temporarily increased by a ratio of 1 teacher to fourteen (14) students when necessary, during the regular or extended school year to provide services to students with disabilities.

In the event a NPS is unable to fill a vacant teaching position responsible for direct instruction to students, and the vacancy has direct impact on the CDE Certification of that school, the NPS shall develop a plan to ensure appropriate coverage of students by first utilizing existing certificated staff. The NPS and the LEA may agree to one 30 school day period per contract year where class size may be increased to ensure

coverage by an appropriately credentialed teacher. Such an agreement shall be in writing and signed by both parties. This provision does not apply to a NPA.

CONTRACTOR providing special education instruction for individuals with exceptional needs between the ages of three and five years, inclusive, shall also comply with the appropriate instructional adult to child ratios pursuant to California Education Code sections 56440 et seq.

25. CALENDARS

When CONTRACTOR is an NPS, CONTRACTOR shall submit to the LEA/SELPA a school calendar with the total number of billable days not to exceed 180 days, plus extended school year billable days equivalent to the number of days determined by the LEA's extended school year calendar. Billable days shall include only those days that are included on the submitted and approved school calendar, and/or required by the IEP (developed by the LEA) for each student. CONTRACTOR shall not be allowed to change its school calendar and/or amend the number of billable days without the prior written approval of the LEA. Nothing in this Master Contract shall be interpreted to require the LEA to accept any requests for calendar changes.

Unless otherwise specified by the student's IEP, educational services shall occur at the school site. A student shall only be eligible for extended school year services as determined by the IEP team and the provision of such is specifically included in the ISA. Extended school year shall consist of twenty (20) instructional days, unless otherwise agreed upon by the IEP team convened by the LEA. Any days of extended school year in excess of twenty (20) billable days must be mutually agreed to, in writing, prior to the start of the extended school year.

Student must have actually been in attendance during the regular school year and/or during extended school year and received services on a billable day of attendance in order for CONTRACTOR to be eligible for payment. It is specifically understood that services may not be provided on weekends/holidays and other times when school is not in session, unless agreed to by the LEA, in writing, in advance of the delivery of any NPS service. Any instructional days provided without this written agreement shall be at the sole financial responsibility of the CONTRACTOR.

CONTRACTOR shall observe the same legal holidays as LEA. Those holidays are Labor Day, Veteran's Day, Thanksgiving Day, Christmas Day, New Year's Day, Martin Luther King Jr. Day, President's Day, Memorial Day, Juneteenth, and Independence Day. With the approval of LEA, CONTRACTOR may revise the date upon which CONTRACTOR closes in observance of any of the holidays observed by the LEA.

When CONTRACTOR is a NPA, CONTRACTOR shall be provided with a LEA-developed/approved calendar prior to the initiation of services. CONTRACTOR herein agrees to observe holidays as specified in the LEA-developed/approved calendar. CONTRACTOR shall provide services pursuant to the LEA-developed/approved calendar; or as specified in the LEA student's IEP and ISA. Unless otherwise specified in the LEA student's ISA, CONTRACTOR shall provide related services to LEA students on only those days that the LEA student's school of attendance is in session and the LEA student attends school. CONTRACTOR shall bill only for services provided on billable days of attendance as indicated on the LEA calendar unless CONTRACTOR and the LEA agree otherwise, in writing. Student must have actually been in attendance and/or received services on a billable day of attendance in order for CONTRACTOR to be eligible for payment. It is specifically understood that services may not be provided on weekends/holidays and other times when school is not in session, unless agreed to by the LEA, in writing, in advance of the delivery of any NPA service provided by CONTRACTOR. Any instructional days provided without this written agreement shall be at the sole financial responsibility of the CONTRACTOR.

26. DATA REPORTING

CONTRACTOR shall agree to provide to the LEA all data related to student information and billing information with LEA. CONTRACTOR shall agree to provide data related to all sections of this contract, including student discipline as noted below, and requested by and in the format required by the LEA. It is understood that all NPS/A shall utilize the LEA approved electronic IEP system for all IEP development, service tracking documentation, and progress reporting, unless otherwise agreed to by the LEA. Additional

progress reporting may be required by the LEA. The LEA shall provide the CONTRACTOR with appropriate software, user training and proper internet permissions to allow adequate access.

Using forms developed by the CDE or as otherwise mutually agreed upon by CONTRACTOR and LEA, CONTRACTOR shall provide LEA, on a monthly basis, a written report of all incidents in which a statutory offense is committed by any LEA student, regardless if it results in a disciplinary action of suspension or expulsion. This includes all statutory offenses as described in Education Code sections 48900 and 48915. CONTRACTOR shall also include incidents resulting in the use of a behavioral restraint and/or seclusion even if they were not a result of a violation of Education Code sections 48900 and 48915.

The LEA shall provide the CONTRACTOR with approved forms and/or format for such data including, but not limited to, invoicing, attendance reports and progress reports. The LEA may approve use of CONTRACTOR'S provided forms at their discretion.

27. LEAST RESTRICTIVE ENVIRONMENT/DUAL ENROLLMENT

CONTRACTOR and LEA shall follow all LEA policies and procedures that support Least Restrictive Environment ("LRE") options and/or dual enrollment options if available and appropriate, for students to have access to the general curriculum and to be educated with their nondisabled peers to the maximum extent appropriate.

CONTRACTOR and LEA shall ensure that LRE placement options are addressed at all IEP team meetings regarding students for whom ISAs have been or may be executed. This shall include IEP team consideration of supplementary aids and services, goals and objectives necessary for placement in the LRE and necessary to enable students to transition to less restrictive settings.

When an IEP team has determined that a student should be transitioned into the public school setting, CONTRACTOR shall assist the LEA in implementing the IEP team's recommended activities to support the transition.

28. STATEWIDE ACHIEVEMENT TESTING

When CONTRACTOR is a NPS, per implementation of Senate Bill 484, CONTRACTOR shall administer all statewide assessments within the California Assessment of Student Performance and Progress ("CAASPP"), Desired Results Developmental Profile ("DRDP"), California Alternative Assessment ("CAA"), achievement and abilities tests (using LEA-authorized assessment instruments), the Fitness Gram, , the English Language Proficiency Assessments for California ("ELPAC"), the Alternative English Language Proficiency Assessments for California ("Alternative ELPAC"), and as appropriate to the student, and mandated by LEA pursuant to LEA and state and federal guidelines.

CONTRACTOR is subject to the alternative accountability system developed pursuant to Education Code section 52052, in the same manner as public schools. Each LEA student placed with CONTRACTOR by the LEA shall be tested by qualified staff of CONTRACTOR in accordance with that accountability program. LEA shall provide test administration training to CONTRACTOR'S qualified staff. CONTRACTOR shall attend LEA test training and comply with completion of all coding requirements as required by LEA.

29. MANDATED ATTENDANCE AT LEA MEETINGS

CONTRACTOR shall attend District mandated meetings when legal mandates, and/or LEA policy and procedures are reviewed, including but not limited to the areas of: curriculum, high school graduation, standards-based instruction, behavior intervention, cultural and linguistic needs of students with disabilities, dual enrollment responsibilities, LRE responsibilities, transition services, data collection, and standardized testing and IEPs. LEA shall provide CONTRACTOR with reasonable notice of mandated meetings. Attendance at such meetings does not constitute a billable service hour(s).

30. POSITIVE BEHAVIOR INTERVENTIONS AND SUPPORTS

CONTRACTOR shall comply with the requirements of Education Code section 49005, et seq., 56521.1 and 56521.2. LEA students who exhibit behaviors that interfere with their learning or the learning of others must receive timely and appropriate assessments and positive supports and interventions in accordance with the federal law and it's implementing regulations. If the IEP team determines that a student's behavior impedes the individual learning or the learning of others, the IEP team is required to consider the use of positive behavioral interventions and supports, and other strategies, to address that behavior, consistent with Section 1414(d)(3)(B)(i) and (d)(4) of Title 20 of the United States Code and associated federal regulations. This could mean that instead of developing a Behavior Intervention Plan ("BIP"), the IEP team may conclude it is sufficient to address the student's behavioral problems through the development of behavioral goals and behavioral interventions to support those goals.

CONTRACTOR shall maintain a written policy pursuant to California Education Code section 56521.1 regarding emergency interventions and behavioral emergency reports. CONTRACTOR shall ensure that all of its staff members are trained in crisis intervention, emergency procedures, and evidenced-based practices and interventions specific to the unique behavioral needs of the CONTRACTOR's pupil population. The training shall be provided within 30 days of employment to new staff who have any contact or interaction with pupils during the school day, and annually to all staff who have any contact or interaction with pupils during the school day. The CONTRACTOR shall select and conduct the training in accordance with California Education Code section 56366.1. CONTRACTOR shall maintain written records of the training and provide written verification of the training annually and upon request.

Pursuant to Education Code section 56521.1, emergency interventions shall not be used as a substitute for a BIP, and shall not be employed longer than necessary to contain the behavior. Emergency interventions may only be used to control unpredictable, spontaneous behavior that poses clear and present danger of serious physical harm to the individual with exceptional needs, or others, and that cannot be immediately prevented by a response less restrictive than the temporary application of a technique used to contain the behavior. If a situation requires prolonged use of emergency intervention, staff must seek assistance from the school site administrator or a law enforcement agency.

CONTRACTOR shall complete a behavior emergency report when an emergency occurs that is defined as a serious, dangerous behavior that staff has determined to present a clear and present danger to others. It requires a non-violent physical intervention to protect the safety of student, self, or others and a physical intervention has been used; or a physical intervention has not been used, but an injury or serious property damage has occurred. Personal Safety Techniques may or may not have been used. Emergencies require a behavior emergency report form be completed and submitted to the LEA within twenty-four (24) hours for administrative action. CONTRACTOR shall notify Parent within twenty-four (24) hours via telephone. If the student's IEP does not contain a BIP, an IEP team shall schedule a meeting to review the behavior emergency report, determine if there is a necessity for a functional behavioral assessment, and to determine an interim plan. If the student already has a BIP, the IEP team shall review and modify the BIP if a new serious behavior has been exhibited or existing behavioral interventions have proven to be ineffective. CONTRACTOR shall schedule with LEA an IEP meeting within two (2) days.

Pursuant to Education Code section 56521.2, CONTRACTOR shall not authorize, order, consent to, or pay for the following interventions, or any other interventions similar to or like the following:

1. any intervention that is designed to, or likely to, cause physical pain, including, but not limited to, electric-shock;
2. an intervention that involves the release of noxious, toxic, or otherwise unpleasant sprays, mists, or substances in proximity to the face of the individual;
3. an intervention that denies adequate sleep, food, water, shelter, bedding, physical comfort, or access to bathroom facilities;
4. an intervention that is designed to subject, used to subject, or likely to subject, the individual to verbal abuse, ridicule, or humiliation, or that can be expected to cause excessive emotional trauma; restrictive interventions that employ a device, material, or objects that simultaneously immobilize all four extremities,
5. Prone restraint;

6. locked seclusion, unless it is in a facility otherwise licensed or permitted by state law to use a locked room;
7. an intervention that precludes adequate supervision of the individual;
8. an intervention that deprives the individual of one or more of the individual's senses.

CONTRACTOR shall comply with Education Code sections 49005.8, 56521.1 and 56521.2. Specifically, Contractor shall not do any of the following:

1. Use seclusion or a behavioral restraint for the purpose of coercion, discipline, convenience, or retaliation.
2. Use locked seclusion, unless it is in a facility otherwise licensed or permitted by state law to use a locked room.
3. Use a physical restraint technique that obstructs a pupil's respiratory airway or impairs the pupil's breathing or respiratory capacity, including techniques in which a staff member places pressure on a pupil's back or places the individual's body weight against the pupil's torso or back.
4. Use a behavioral restraint technique that restricts breathing, including, but not limited to, using a pillow, blanket, carpet, mat, or other item to cover a pupil's face.
5. Place a pupil in a facedown position with the pupil's hands held or restrained behind the pupil's back
6. Use prone containment.
7. Use a behavioral restraint for longer than is necessary to contain the behavior that poses a clear and present danger of serious physical harm to the pupil or others.

CONTRACTOR shall keep constant, direct observation of a pupil who is in seclusion, which may be through observation of the pupil through a window, or another barrier, through which the educational provider is able to make direct eye contact with the pupil. This observation shall not be through indirect means, including through a security camera or a closed-circuit television.

CONTRACTOR shall afford pupils who are restrained the least restrictive alternative and the maximum freedom of movement, and shall use the least number of restraint points, while ensuring the physical safety of the pupil and others.

In the case of a child whose behavior impedes the child's learning or that of others, the IEP team shall consider the use of positive behavioral interventions and supports, and other strategies, to address that behavior, consistent with Section 1414(d)(3)(B)(i) and (d)(4) of Title 20 of the United States Code and associated federal regulations.

All restraint practices must be reviewed and revised when they have an adverse effect on a student and are used repeatedly for an individual child, either on multiple occasions within the same classroom or multiple uses by the same individual. CONTRACTOR shall notify the student's parent/guardian when any type of physical or mechanical restraint or seclusion has been used. Upon the use of any type of physical or mechanical restraint or seclusions of an LEA student, CONTRACTOR shall complete a BER per the reporting and notification requirements listed above.

31. STUDENT DISCIPLINE

CONTRACTOR shall maintain and abide by a written policy for student discipline that is consistent with state and federal law and regulations. Using forms developed by the California Department of Education or as otherwise mutually agreed upon by CONTRACTOR and LEA, CONTRACTOR shall provide LEA, on a monthly basis, a written report of all incidents in which a statutory offense is committed by any LEA student, regardless if it results in a disciplinary action of suspension or expulsion. This includes all statutory offenses as described in Education Codes 48900 and 48915.CONTRACTOR shall also include incidents resulting in the use of a behavioral restraint and/or seclusion even if they were not a result of a violation of Education Code Sections 48900 and 48915.

When CONTRACTOR seeks to remove a student from his/her current educational placement for disciplinary reasons, CONTRACTOR shall immediately submit a written discipline report to the LEA. Written discipline reports shall include, but not be limited to: the student's name; the time, date, and description of the misconduct; the disciplinary action taken by CONTRACTOR; and the rationale for such

disciplinary action. A copy of the student's behavior plan, if any, shall be submitted with the written discipline report. CONTRACTOR and LEA agree to participate in a manifestation determination at an IEP meeting no later than the tenth (10^{th}) day of suspension

32. IEP TEAM MEETINGS

An IEP team meeting shall be convened at least annually to evaluate: (1) the educational progress of each student placed with CONTRACTOR, including all state assessment results pursuant to the requirements of Education Code section 52052; (2) whether or not the needs of the student continue to be best met at the NPS; and (3) whether changes to the student's IEP are necessary, including whether the student may be transitioned to a public school setting. (California Education Code sections 56366 (a) (2) (B) (i) and (ii)) and pursuant to California Education Code section 56345 (b) (4).)

If the LEA student is to be transferred from a NPS setting into a regular class setting in a public school for any part of the school day, the IEP team shall document a description of activities provided to integrate the student into the regular education program, including the nature of each activity as well as the time spent on the activity each day or week and a description of the activities provided to support the transition of the student from the special education program into the regular education program. Each student shall be allowed to provide confidential input to any representative of the individual IEP team. Except as otherwise provided in the Master Contract, CONTRACTOR and LEA shall participate in all IEP team meetings regarding students for whom ISAs have been or may be executed. At any time during the term of this Master Contract, the parent, the CONTRACTOR or the LEA may request a review of the student's IEP, subject to all procedural safeguards required by law, including reasonable notice given to, and participation of, the CONTRACTOR in the meeting. Every effort shall be made to schedule IEP team meetings at a time and place that is mutually convenient to parent, CONTRACTOR and LEA. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA assessments and written assessment reports by service providers upon request and/or pursuant to LEA policy and procedures. It is understood that attendance at an IEP meeting is part of CONTRACTOR'S professional responsibility and is not a billable service under this Master Contract.

It is understood that the CONTRACTOR shall utilize the approved electronic IEP system of the LEA for all IEP planning and progress reporting at the LEA's discretion. The LEA or SELPA may provide training for any CONTRACTOR to ensure access to the approved system. The CONTRACTOR shall maintain confidentiality of all IEP data on the approved system and shall protect the password requirements of the system. When a student dis-enrolls from the NPS/NPA, the NPS/NPA and LEA shall discontinue use of the approved system for that student.

Changes in any student's educational program, including instruction, services, or instructional setting provided under this Master Contract, may only be made on the basis of revisions to the student's IEP. In the event that the CONTRACTOR believes the student requires a change of placement, the CONTRACTOR may request a review of the student's IEP for the purposes of consideration of a change in the student's placement. Student is entitled to remain in the last agreed upon and implemented placement unless parent agrees otherwise or an Interim Alternative Educational Setting is deemed lawful and appropriate by LEA or OAH consistent with Section 1415 (k)(1)(7) of Title 20 of the United States Code.

33. SURROGATE PARENTS AND FOSTER YOUTH

CONTRACTOR shall recognize an LEA appointed surrogate parent assignments for students without parental representation, including unaccompanied homeless youths, in special education procedures pursuant to California Government Code Section 7579.5. Surrogate parents shall serve as the child's parent and have all the rights relative to the student's education that a parent has under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act pursuant to *20 USC 1414-1482 and 34 CFR 300.1-300.756.* A pupil in foster care shall be defined pursuant to California Education Code section 42238.01(b). The LEA shall annually notify the CONTRACTOR who the LEA has designated as the educational liaison for foster children. When a pupil in foster care is enrolled in a NPS by the LEA any time after the completion of the pupil's second year of high school, the CONTRACTOR shall schedule the pupil in courses leading towards graduation based on the diploma requirements of the LEA unless provided notice otherwise in writing pursuant to Section 51225.1.

34. DUE PROCESS PROCEEDINGS

CONTRACTOR shall fully participate in special education due process proceedings including mediations and hearings, as requested by LEA. Participation further includes the willingness to make CONTRACTOR's staff available for witness preparation and testimony as is necessary to facilitate a due process hearing. CONTRACTOR shall also fully participate in the investigation and provision of documentation related to any complaint filed with the State of California, the Office of Civil Rights, or any other state and/or federal governmental body or agency. Full participation shall include, but in no way be limited to, cooperating with LEA representatives to provide complete answers raised by any investigator and/or the immediate provision of any and all documentation that pertains to the operation of CONTRACTOR's program and/or the implementation of a particular student's IEP/Individual and Family Service Plan ("IFSP").

35. COMPLAINT PROCEDURES

CONTRACTOR shall maintain and adhere to its own written procedures for responding to parent complaints. These procedures shall include annually notifying and providing parents of students with appropriate information (including complaint forms) for the following: (1) Uniform Complaint Procedures pursuant to Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 4600 *et seq*.; (2) Nondiscrimination policy pursuant to Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 4960 (a); (3) Sexual Harassment Policy, California Education Code 231.5 (a) (b) (c); (4) Title IX Student Grievance Procedure, Title IX 106.8 (a) (d) and 106.9 (a); and (5) Notice of Privacy Practices in compliance with Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act ("HIPAA"). CONTRACTOR shall include verification of these procedures to the LEA. CONTRACTOR shall immediately notify LEA of any complaints filed against it related to LEA students and provide LEA with all documentation related to the complaints and/or its investigation of complaints, including any and all reports generated as a result of an investigation.

36. STUDENT PROGRESS REPORTS/REPORT CARDS AND ASSESSMENTS

Unless LEA requests in writing that progress reports be provided on a monthly basis, CONTRACTOR shall provide to parents at least four (4) written progress reports/report cards. At a minimum, progress reports shall include progress over time towards IEP goals and objectives. A copy of the progress reports/report cards shall be maintained at the CONTRACTOR's place of business and shall be submitted to the LEA and LEA student's parent(s) quarterly.

The CONTRACTOR shall also provide an LEA representative access to supporting documentation used to determine progress on any goal or objective, including but not limited to log sheets, observation notes, data sheets, pre/post tests, rubrics and other similar data collection used to determine progress or lack of progress on approved goals, objectives, transition plans or behavior intervention plans. The LEA may request such data at any time within five (5) years of the date of service. The CONTRACTOR shall provide this data supporting progress within five (5) business days of request. Additional time may be granted as needed by the LEA.

CONTRACTOR shall complete academic or other evaluations of the student ten (10) days prior to the student's annual or triennial review IEP team meeting for the purpose of reporting the student's present levels of performance at the IEP team meeting as required by state and federal laws and regulations and pursuant to LEA policies, procedures, and/or practices. CONTRACTOR shall provide sufficient copies of its reports, documents, and projected goals to share with members of the IEP team five (5) business days prior to the IEP meeting. CONTRACTOR shall maintain supporting documentation such as test protocols and data collection, which shall be made available to LEA within five (5) business days of request.

The CONTRACTOR is responsible for all evaluation costs regarding the updating of goals and objectives, progress reporting and development of present levels of performance. All assessments resulting from an assessment plan shall be provided by the LEA unless the LEA specifies in writing a request that CONTRACTOR perform such additional assessment. Any assessment and/or evaluation costs may be added to the ISA and/or approved separately by the LEA at the LEA's sole discretion.

It is understood that all billable hours must be in direct services to pupils as specified in the ISA. For NPA services, supervision provided by a qualified individual as specified in Title 5 Regulation, subsection 3065, shall be determined as appropriate and included in the ISA. Supervision means the direct observation of services, data review, case conferencing and program design consistent with professional standards for each professional's license, certification, or credential.

CONTRACTOR shall not charge the student's parent(s) or LEA for the provision of progress reports, report cards, evaluations conducted in order to obtain present levels of performance, interviews, and/or meetings. It is understood that all billable hours have limits to those specified on the ISA consistent with the IEP. It is understood that copies of data collection notes, forms, charts and other such data are part of the pupil's record and shall be made available to the LEA upon written request.

37. GRADES, HIGH SCHOOL COURSE CREDITS, & TRANSCRIPTS

When CONTRACTOR is a NPS, CONTRACTOR is responsible for assigning grades for any course of instruction taught at the NPS. The grades determined by the pupil's teacher, in the absence of clerical or mechanical mistake, fraud, bad faith, or incompetency, shall be final and consistent with the provisions specified in EC Section 49066. The grades each pupil receives in all courses of instruction taught by the NPS shall be reported to the parents and the LEA on a quarterly basis. Consistent with the LEA, should it become evident to the NPS the pupil is in danger of failing a course, the CONTRACTOR must initiate a parent conference, and the LEA representative must be in attendance.

When CONTRACTOR serves students in grades nine (9) through twelve (12) inclusive, LEA shall provide to CONTRACTOR a specific list of the course requirements to be satisfied by the CONTRACTOR leading toward graduation or completion of LEA's diploma requirements. CONTRACTOR shall not recommend awarding a high school diploma to students who have not successfully completed all of the LEA's graduation requirements.

Pupils enrolled in high school during the 2020-2021 academic year may request a Pass or No Pass grade as permitted in EC Section 49066.5, which may be reflected on the student's transcript and shall not negatively affect the pupil's grade point average.

CONTRACTOR shall prepare transcripts at the close of each semester, or upon student transfer, for students in grades nine (9) through twelve (12) inclusive, and submit them on LEA approved forms to the student's school of residence for evaluation of progress toward completion of diploma requirements as specified in LEA Procedures. CONTRACTOR shall submit to the LEA names of students and their schools of residence for whom transcripts have been submitted as specified by the LEA.

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Effective July 1, 2025, if determined appropriate by the pupil's IEP team, beginning when the pupil starts their high school experience and not later than when the pupil is 16 years of age or younger, as appropriate, and annually thereafter, a statement of needed transition services shall be included in the pupil's individualized education program. If the individualized education program team determines that the pupil would benefit from the postponement of the inclusion of appropriate measurable postsecondary goals and transition services until 16 years of age, rather than when the pupil begins their high school experience, the individualized education program team shall appropriately justify the basis for that postponement. (EC section 56043(h).)

38. STUDENT CHANGE OF RESIDENCE

Within five (5) school days from the date CONTRACTOR becomes aware of a student's change of residence, CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA, in writing, of the student's change of residence. Upon enrollment, CONTRACTOR shall notify parents in writing of their obligation to notify CONTRACTOR of the student's change of residence. CONTRACTOR shall maintain, and provide upon request by LEA, documentation of such notice to parents.

If CONTRACTOR had knowledge or should reasonably have had knowledge of the student's change of residence boundaries and CONTRACTOR fails to follow the procedures specified in this provision, LEA shall not be responsible for the costs of services delivered following the student's change of residence.

39. WITHDRAWAL OF STUDENT FROM PROGRAM

CONTRACTOR shall immediately report electronically and in writing to the LEA within five (5) business days when an LEA student is withdrawn without prior notice from school and/or services, including student's change of residence to a residence outside of LEA service boundaries, and parent/guardian withdrawal of student against professional advice from a NPS/RTC.

40. PARENT ACCESS

CONTRACTOR shall provide for reasonable parental access to students and all facilities including, but not limited to, the instructional setting, recreational activity areas, meeting rooms and student living quarters, when applicable. CONTRACTOR shall comply with any known court orders regarding parental visits and access to LEA students.

CONTRACTOR operating programs associated with a NPS/RTC shall cooperate with a parent's reasonable request for LEA student therapeutic visits in their home or at the NPS/RTC. CONTRACTOR shall require that parents obtain prior written authorization for therapeutic visits from the CONTRACTOR and the LEA at least thirty (30) days in advance. When requested, CONTRACTOR shall facilitate all parent travel and accommodations and for providing travel information to the parent as appropriate. Payment by LEA for approved travel-related expenses shall be made directly through the LEA consistent with LEA Procedures.

CONTRACTOR providing services in the student's home as specified in the IEP shall ensure that at least one parent of the child, or an adult caregiver with written and signed authorization to make decisions in an emergency, is present. The names of any adult caregiver other than the parent shall be provided to the LEA prior to the start of any home based services, including written and signed authorization in emergency situations. The parent shall inform the LEA of any changes of caregivers and provide written authorization for emergencies. The adult caregiver cannot also be an employee or volunteer associated with the NPS/NPA service provider.

All problems and/or concerns, both verbal and written, reported to pupil's parents shall also be provided, in writing, to the LEA.

41. LICENSED CHILDREN'S INSTITUTION ("LCI") CONTRACTORS AND RESIDENTIAL TREATMENT CENTER ("RTC") CONTRACTORS

If CONTRACTOR is a LCI, CONTRACTOR shall adhere to all legal requirements regarding educational placements for LCI students as stated in Education Code 56366 (a) (2) (C), 56366.9 (c) (1), Health and Safety Code section 1501.1and any other applicable laws and/or regulations, including LEA guidelines or procedures. An LCI shall not require that a pupil be placed in its NPS as a condition of being placed in its residential facility.

If CONTRACTOR is a NPS/RTC, CONTRACTOR shall adhere to all legal requirements under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA), 20 U.S.C. section 1400 et seq. including the federal regulations 34 C.F.R section 300 et seq. and Education Code section 56000 et seq. including Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3000 et seq.. CONTRACTOR shall comply with all monitoring requirements set forth in Section 43 below.

If CONTRACTOR is a NPS that is owned, operated by, or associated with a LCI, CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA, on a quarterly basis, a list of all students, including those identified as eligible for special education. For those identified as special education students, the list shall include: 1) special education eligibility at the time of enrollment and; 2) the educational placement and services specified in each student's IEP at the time of enrollment. A copy of the current IEP shall be provided to the LEA.

Unless placement is made pursuant to an Office of Administrative Hearings order or a lawfully executed agreement between LEA and parent, LEA is not responsible for the costs associated with NPS placement until the date on which an IEP team meeting is convened, the IEP team determines that a NPS placement is appropriate, and the IEP is signed by the student's parent or another adult with educational decision-making rights.

In addition to meeting the certification requirements of the State of California, a CONTRACTOR that operates a program outside of this State shall be certified or licensed by that state to provide, respectively, special education and related services and designated instruction and related services to pupils under the federal IDEA (20 U.S.C. Sec. 1400 et seq.) and shall be certified or licensed by the state to provide nonmedical care, clinical services, or short-term residential therapeutic programs, as applicable to the facility type.

42. STATE MEAL MANDATE

When CONTRACTOR is a NPS, CONTRACTOR and LEA shall satisfy the State Meal Mandate under California Education Code sections 49005 et seq.; ; 49501.5, the universal meal mandate enacted by AB 130 (2021-2022); 49530 et seq; and 49550 et seq.

LEA, at its sole discretion, may elect to directly provide meals to CONTRACTOR for distribution to LEA students at the nonpublic school on its own or by another local school district.

CONTRACTOR acknowledges that the LEA does not receive any state or federal reimbursement for any meals CONTRACTOR provides to LEA students and that CONTRACTOR is only eligible to receive direct reimbursement if it is an approved site under the National School Lunch Program.

In the event the LEA requests CONTRACTOR to provide meals to LEA students, CONTRACTOR will provide breakfast and lunch to LEA students in compliance with the meal pattern requirements under the School Breakfast Program and National School Lunch Program nutritional standards. LEA shall reimburse CONTRACTOR for each meal made available at a mutually agreed upon rate. In the event CONTRACTOR is unable to provide meals, the LEA and CONTRACTOR will work collaboratively to find a solution. In the event CDE determines that meals do not need to be provided, this paragraph shall not apply.

CONTRACTOR shall maintain all documentation of meals provided to LEA students. CONTRACTOR shall comply with record keeping requirements under the School Breakfast Program and National School Lunch Program or LEA template. Upon request, CONTRACTOR shall provide copies of any such records to LEA. CONTRACTOR shall also allow LEA to conduct site monitoring visits as deemed necessary by the LEA.

If CONTRACTOR uses a third-party vendor to provide meals, CONTRACTOR will assure that the third-party vendor agrees to comply with all meal pattern requirements of the School Breakfast Program and National School Lunch Program nutritional standards. Upon request, CONTRACTOR shall provide LEA with any contracts it has with third-party vendors providing meals for students.

43. MONITORING

The State Superintendent of Public Instruction ("Superintendent"), through the delegated monitoring activities to the California Department of Education (CDE), shall monitor CONTRACTOR'S facilities, the educational environment, and the quality of the educational program, including the teaching staff, the credentials authorizing service, the standards-based core curriculum being employed, and the standard focused instructional materials used on a three-year cycle, as follows: (1) CONTRACTOR shall complete a self-review in year one; (2) the Superintendent shall conduct an onsite review in year two; and (3) the Superintendent shall conduct a follow-up visit in year three.

CONTRACTOR shall participate in any LEA or CDE compliance review, if applicable, to be conducted as aligned with the CDE Onsite Review and monitoring cycle in accordance with California Education Code

section 56366.1(j). This review will address programmatic aspects of the NPS, compliance with relevant state and federal regulations, and Master Contract compliance. CONTRACTOR shall conduct any follow-up or corrective action procedures related to review findings.

If CONTRACTOR is also an LCI and/or NPS/RTC, the CDE shall annually evaluate whether CONTRACTOR is in compliance with Education Code section 56366.9 and Health and Safety Code section 1501.1(b).

The LEA or SELPA shall conduct an onsite visit to the NPS before placement of a pupil if the LEA does not have any pupils enrolled at the school at the time of placement.

The LEA or SELPA shall conduct at least one onsite monitoring visit during each school year to the CONTRACTOR site certified as an NPS where the LEA has placed a pupil and entered into a master contract. The monitoring visit shall include, but is not limited to, a review of services specified on the ISA and provided to the pupil, a review of progress the pupil is making toward the goals set forth in the pupil's IEP, a review of progress the pupil is making toward the goals set forth in the pupil's behavioral intervention plan, if applicable, an observation of the pupil during instruction, and a walkthrough of the facility. The LEA or SELPA shall report the findings resulting from the monitoring visit to the CDE within 60 calendar days of the onsite visit.

CONTRACTOR shall allow LEA representatives access to its facilities for additional periodic monitoring of each student's instructional program. LEA shall have access to observe each student at work, observe the instructional setting, interview CONTRACTOR employees, and review each student's records and progress. Such access shall include unannounced monitoring visits. When making site visits, LEA shall initially report to CONTRACTOR's site administrative office. CONTRACTOR shall be invited to participate in the review of each student's progress.

CONTRACTOR understands that LEA reserves the right to institute a program audit with or without cause. The program audit may include, but is not limited to, a review of core compliance areas of health and safety; curriculum/instruction; related services; and contractual, legal, and procedural compliance.

When CONTRACTOR is a NPS, CONTRACTOR shall collect all applicable data and prepare the applicable portion of a School Accountability Report Card as appropriate in accordance with California Education Code Section 33126.

PERSONNEL

44. CLEARANCE REQUIREMENTS

CONTRACTOR shall comply with the requirements of California Education Code sections 44237, 35021.1, 35021.2, and 56366.1 including, but not limited to: obtaining clearance from both the California Department of Justice (hereinafter referred to as "CDOJ") and clearance from the Federal Bureau of Investigation (hereinafter referred to as "FBI") for CONTRACTOR's employees and volunteers who will have or likely may have any direct contact with LEA students. CONTRACTOR hereby agrees that CONTRACTOR's employees and volunteers shall not come in contact with students, in-person or virtually, until CDOJ and FBI clearance are ascertained. CONTRACTOR shall certify in writing to LEA that none of its employees, and volunteers, unless CONTRACTOR determines that the volunteers will have no direct contact with students, or subcontractors who may come into contact with students have been convicted of a violent or serious felony as those terms are defined in California Education Code section 44237(h), unless despite the employee's conviction of a violent or serious felony, he or she has met the criteria to be eligible for employment pursuant to California Education Code section 44237 (i) or (j). Upon request, clearance certification shall be submitted to the LEA. In addition, CONTRACTOR shall make a request for subsequent arrest service from CDOJ as required by California Penal Code section 11105.2. Contractor shall certify to LEA that they have successful background checks and enrolled in subsequent arrest notification service for all employees who may come into contact with students.

Notwithstanding the restrictions on sharing and destroying criminal background check information, CONTRACTOR, upon demand, shall make available to the LEA evidence of a successful criminal

background check clearance and enrollment in subsequent arrest notification service, as provided, for each owner, operator, and employee of the NPS/A. CONTRACTOR is required to retain the evidence on-site, as specified, for all staff, including those licensed or credentialed by another state agency. Background clearances and proof of subsequent arrest notification service, as required by California Penal Code section 11105.2, for all staff shall be provided to the LEA upon request.

45. STAFF QUALIFICATIONS

CONTRACTOR shall ensure that all individuals employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired by CONTRACTOR to provide classroom and/or individualized instruction or related services hold a license, certificate, permit, or other document equivalent to that which staff in a public school are required to hold in the service rendered consistent with Education Code section 56366.1(n)(1) and are qualified pursuant to Title 34 of the Code of Federal Regulations sections 200.56 and 200.58, and Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations sections 3001(r), 3064 and 3065. Such qualified staff may only provide related services within the scope of their professional license, certification or credential and ethical standards set by each profession, and not assume responsibility or authority for another related services provider or special education teacher's scope of practice.

CONTRACTOR shall ensure that all staff are appropriately credentialed to provide instruction and services to students with the disabling conditions placed in their program/school through documentation provided to the CDE (5 CCR 3064 (a)).
In accordance with California Education Code section 56366.1(a)(5), when CONTRACTOR is a NPS, an appropriately qualified person shall serve as curricular and instructional leader, and be able to provide leadership, oversight and professional development. The administrator of the NPS holds or is in the process of obtaining one of the following: (A) An administrative credential granted by an accredited postsecondary educational institution and two years of experience with pupils with disabilities. (B) A pupil personnel services credential that authorizes school counseling or psychology. (C) A license as a clinical social worker issued by the Board of Behavioral Sciences. (D) A license in psychology regulated by the Board of Psychology. (E) A master's degree issued by an accredited postsecondary institution in education, special education, psychology, counseling, behavioral analysis, social work, behavioral science, or rehabilitation. (F) A credential authorizing special education instruction and at least two years of experience teaching in special education before becoming an administrator. (G) A license as a marriage and family therapist certified by the Board of Behavioral Sciences. (H) A license as an educational psychologist issued by the Board of Behavioral Sciences. (I) A license as a professional clinical counselor issued by the Board of Behavioral Sciences. (California Education Code Section 56366.1 (a)(5)). CONTRACTOR shall maintain, and provide to the LEA upon request, documentation of its administrator's qualifications in accordance with the above.

CONTRACTOR shall comply with personnel standards and qualifications regarding instructional aides and teacher assistants respectively pursuant to federal requirements and California Education Code sections 45340 *et seq.* and 45350 *et seq.* Specifically, all paraprofessionals, including but not limited to, instructional aides and teacher assistants, employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired or subcontracted by CONTRACTOR to provide classroom and/or individualized instruction or related services, shall possess a high school diploma (or its recognized equivalent) and at least one of the following qualifications: (a) completed at least two (2) years of study at an institution of higher education; or (b) obtained an associate's (or higher) degree; or (c) met a rigorous standard of quality and can demonstrate, through a formal state or local assessment (i) knowledge of, and the ability to assist in instructing, reading, writing, and mathematics; or (ii) knowledge of, and the ability to assist in instructing, reading readiness, writing readiness, and mathematics readiness, as appropriate. CONTRACTOR shall comply with all laws and regulations governing the licensed professions, including but not limited to, the provisions with respect to supervision.

In addition to meeting the certification requirements of the State of California, a CONTRACTOR that operates a program outside of this state and serving a student by this LEA shall be certified or licensed by that state to provide special education and related services to pupils under the federal Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. Sec. 1400 et seq.).

46. VERIFICATION OF LICENSES, CREDENTIALS AND OTHER DOCUMENTS

CONTRACTOR shall submit to LEA a staff list, and copies of all current licenses, credentials, certifications, permits and/or other documents which entitle the holder to provide special education and/or related services by individuals employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired or sub-contracted by CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR shall ensure that all licenses, credentials, permits or other documents are on file at the office of the County Superintendent of Schools. CONTRACTOR shall provide the LEA with the verified dates of fingerprint clearance, Department of Justice clearance and Tuberculosis Test clearance for all employees, approved subcontractors and/or volunteers prior to such individuals starting to work with any student.

CONTRACTOR shall monitor the status of licenses, credentials, certifications, permits and/or other documents for all individuals employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired by CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA and CDE in writing within forty-five (45) days when personnel changes occur which may affect the provision of special education and/or related services to LEA students. CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA within forty-five (45) days if any such licenses, certifications or waivers are expired, suspended, revoked, rescinded, challenged pursuant to an administrative or legal complaint or lawsuit, or otherwise nullified during the effective period of this Master Contract. The LEA shall not be obligated to pay for any services provided by a person whose such licenses, certifications or waivers are expired, suspended, revoked, rescinded, or otherwise nullified during the period which such person is providing services under this Master Contract. Failure to notify the LEA and CDE of any changes in credentialing/licensed staff may result in suspension or revocation of CDE certification and/or suspension or termination of this Master Contract by the LEA.

47. STAFF ABSENCE

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school and CONTRACTOR's classroom teacher is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide an appropriately credentialed substitute teacher in the absent teacher's classroom in accordance with California Education Code section 56061. CONTRACTOR shall provide to the LEA documentation of substitute coverage. Substitute teachers shall remain with their assigned class during all instructional time.

The LEA shall not be responsible for any payment for instruction and/or services when an appropriately credentialed substitute teacher is not provided in accordance with California Education Code section 56061.

When CONTRACTOR is a NPA and/or related services provider, and CONTRACTOR's service provider is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide a qualified (as defined in Section 7 of this agreement and as determined by LEA) substitute, unless LEA provides appropriate coverage in lieu of CONTRACTOR's service providers. It is understood that the parent of a student shall not be deemed to be a qualified substitute for their student. LEA will not pay for services unless a qualified substitute is provided and/or CONTRACTOR provides documentation evidencing the provision of "make-up" services by a qualified service provider within thirty (30) calendar days from the date on which the services should have been provided. CONTRACTOR shall not "bank" or "carry over" make up service hours under any circumstances, unless otherwise agreed to in writing by CONTRACTOR and authorized LEA representative.

48. STAFF PROFESSIONAL BEHAVIOR WHEN PROVIDING SERVICES AT SCHOOL OR SCHOOL RELATED EVENTS OR AT SCHOOL FACILITY AND/OR IN THE HOME

It is understood that all employees, subcontractors, and volunteers of any certified NPS/A shall adhere to the customary professional and ethical standards when providing services. All practices shall only be within the scope of professional responsibility as defined in the professional code of conduct for each profession as well as any LEA professional standards as specified in Board policies and/or regulations when made available to the CONTRACTOR.

For services provided on a public-school campus, sign in/out procedures shall be followed by NPS/A providers working in a public-school classroom along with all other procedures for being on campus consistent with school and district policy. Such policies and procedures shall be made available to the CONTRACTOR upon request. It is understood that the public-school credentialed classroom teacher is responsible for the instructional program.

CONTRACTOR providing services outside of the student's school as specified in the IEP shall ensure that at least one parent of the child or an adult caregiver with written and signed authority to make decisions in an emergency is present during provision of services. The names of any adult caregiver other than the parent shall be provided to the LEA prior to the start of any home-based services, including written and signed authorization in emergency situations. The adult caregiver cannot also be an employee or volunteer associated with the NPS/NPA service provider. All problems and/or concerns reported by CONTRACTOR to parents or guardians, in either verbal or written form, shall be reported to the LEA.

HEALTH AND SAFETY MANDATES

49. HEALTH AND SAFETY

CONTRACTOR shall comply with all applicable federal, state, local, and LEA laws, regulations, ordinances, policies, and procedures regarding student and employee health and safety. CONTRACTOR shall comply with the requirements of California Education Code sections 35021 *et. seq*. and 49406, regarding the examination of CONTRACTOR's employees and volunteers for tuberculosis. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA documentation for each individual volunteering, employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired by CONTRACTOR of such compliance before an individual comes in contact with a student.

CONTRACTOR shall comply with OSHA Blood-Borne Pathogens Standards, 29 Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) section 1910.1030, when providing medical treatment or assistance to a student. CONTRACTOR further agrees to provide annual training regarding universal health care precautions and to post required notices in areas designated in the California Health and Safety Code.

50. FACILITIES AND FACILITIES MODIFICATIONS

CONTRACTOR shall provide special education and/or related services to students in facilities that comply with all applicable federal, state, and local laws, regulations, and ordinances related, but not limited to: disability access; fire, health, sanitation, and building standards and safety; fire warning systems; zoning permits; and occupancy capacity. When CONTRACTOR is a NPS, CONTRACTOR shall conduct fire drills as required by Title 5 California Code of Regulations section 550. CONTRACTOR shall be responsible for any structural changes and/or modifications to CONTRACTOR's facilities as required complying with applicable federal, state, and local laws, regulations, and ordinances. Failure to notify the LEA and CDE of any changes in, major modification or relocation of facilities may result in the suspension or revocation of CDE certification and/or suspension or termination of this Master Contract by the LEA.

51. ADMINISTRATION OF MEDICATION

CONTRACTOR shall comply with the requirements of California Education Code section 49422 et seq. when CONTRACTOR serves a student that is required to take prescription and/or over-the-counter medication during the school day. CONTRACTOR may designate personnel to assist the student with the administration of such medication after the student's parent(s) provide to CONTRACTOR: (a) a written statement from a physician detailing the type, administration method, amount, and time schedules by which such medication shall be taken; and (b) a written statement from the student's parent(s) granting CONTRACTOR permission to administer medication(s) as specified in the physician's statement. CONTRACTOR shall maintain, and provide to LEA upon request, copies of such written statements. CONTRACTOR shall maintain a written log for each student to whom medication is administered. Such written log shall specify the student's name; the type of medication; the date, time, and amount of each administration; and the name of CONTRACTOR's employee who administered the medication. CONTRACTOR maintains full responsibility for storing medications in a secure location and ensuring appropriate staff training in the administration of such medication consistent with physician's written orders. Any change in medication type, administration method, amount or schedule must be authorized by both a licensed physician and parent.

52. INCIDENT/ACCIDENT REPORTING

CONTRACTOR shall submit within 24 hours, electronically, any accident or incident report to the LEA. CONTRACTOR shall properly submit required accident or incident reports pursuant to the procedures specified in LEA Procedures.

53. CHILD ABUSE REPORTING

CONTRACTOR hereby agrees to annually train all staff members, including volunteers, so that they are familiar with and agree to adhere to its own child and dependent adult abuse reporting obligations and procedures as specified in California Penal Code section 11164 et seq. and Education Code 44691. To protect the privacy rights of all parties involved (i.e., reporter, child and alleged abuser), reports will remain confidential as required by law and professional ethical mandates. A written statement acknowledging the legal requirements of such reporting and verification of staff adherence to such reporting shall be submitted to the LEA.

54. SEXUAL HARASSMENT

CONTRACTOR shall have a Sexual and Gender Identity harassment policy that clearly describes the kinds of conduct that constitutes sexual harassment and that is prohibited by the CONTRACTOR's policy, as well as federal and state law. The policy should include procedures to make complaints without fear of retaliation, and for prompt and objective investigations of all sexual harassment complaints. CONTRACTOR further agrees to provide annual training to all employees regarding the laws concerning sexual harassment and related procedures pursuant to Government Code 12950.1.

55. REPORTING OF MISSING CHILDREN

CONTRACTOR assures LEA that all staff members, including volunteers, are familiar with and agree to adhere to requirements for reporting missing children as specified in California Education Code section 49370. A written statement acknowledging the legal requirements of such reporting and verification of staff adherence to such reporting shall be properly submitted to the LEA. The written statement shall be submitted as specified by the LEA.

FINANCIAL

56. ENROLLMENT, CONTRACTING, SERVICE TRACKING, ATTENDANCE REPORTING, AND BILLING PROCEDURES

CONTRACTOR shall assure that the nonpublic school or nonpublic agency has the necessary financial resources to provide an appropriate education for the students enrolled and will distribute those resources in such a manner to implement the IEP and ISA for each and every student.

CONTRACTOR shall comply with all LEA procedures concerning enrollment, contracting, attendance reporting, service tracking and billing including requirements of electronic billing as specified by the LEA Procedures, as well as provide all such records requested by LEA concerning the same. CONTRACTOR shall be paid for the provision of special education and/or related services specified in the student's IEP and ISA. All payments by LEA shall be made in accordance with the terms and conditions of this Master Contract and governed by all applicable federal and state laws.

CONTRACTOR shall maintain separate registers for the basic education program, each related service, and services provided by instructional assistants, behavior intervention aides and bus aides. Original attendance forms (i.e., roll books for the basic education program, service tracking documents and notes for instructional assistants, behavioral intervention aides, bus aides, and each related service) shall be completed by the actual service provider whose signature shall appear on such forms and shall be available for review, inspection, or audit by LEA during the effective period of this contract and for a period of five (5) years thereafter. CONTRACTOR shall verify the accuracy of minutes of reported attendance that is the basis of services being billed for payment.

CONTRACTOR shall submit invoices and related documents to LEA for payment, for each calendar month when education or related services were provided. Invoices and related documents shall be

properly submitted electronically and in addition, on an LEA form with signatures in the manner prescribed by LEA. At a minimum, each invoice must contain the following information: month of service; specific days and times of services coordinated by the LEA approved calendar unless otherwise specified in the IEP or agreed to by the LEA; name of staff who provided the service; approved cost of each invoice; total for each service and total for the monthly invoice; date invoice was mailed; signature of NPS/NPA administrator authorizing that the information is accurate and consistent with the ISA, CDE certificates and staff notification; verification that attendance report is attached as appropriate; indication of any made-up session consistent with this contract; verification that progress reports have been provided consistent with the ISA (monthly or quarterly unless specified otherwise on the ISA); and name or initials of each student for when the service was provided.

In the event services were not provided, rationale for why the services were not provided shall be included.

Such an invoice is subject to all conditions of this contract. At the discretion of the LEA, an electronic invoice may be required provided such notice has been made in writing and training provided to the CONTRACTOR at no additional charge for such training.

Invoices shall be submitted no later than thirty (30) days after the end of the attendance accounting period in which the services were rendered. LEA shall make payment to CONTRACTOR based on the number of billable days of attendance and hours of service at rates specified in this contract within forty-five (45) days of LEA's receipt of properly submitted hard copy of invoices prepared and submitted as specified in California Education Code Section 56366.5 and the LEA. CONTRACTOR shall correct deficiencies and submit rebilling invoices no later than thirty (30) calendar days after the invoice is returned by LEA. LEA shall pay properly submitted re-billing invoices no later than forty-five (45) days after the date a completely corrected re-billing invoice is received by LEA.

In no case shall initial payment claim submission for any Master Contract fiscal year (July through June) extend beyond December 31st after the close of the fiscal year. In no case shall any rebilling for the Master Contract fiscal year (July through June) extend beyond six (6) months after the close of the fiscal year unless approved by the LEA to resolve billing issues including re-billing issues directly related to a delay in obtaining information from the Commission on Teacher Credentialing regarding teacher qualification, but no later than twelve (12) months from the close of the fiscal year. If the billing or re-billing error is the responsibility of the LEA, then no limit is set provided that the LEA and CONTRACTOR have communicated such concerns in writing during the 12-month period following the close of the fiscal year. LEA will not pay mileage for NPA employee.

57. RIGHT TO WITHHOLD PAYMENT

LEA may withhold payment to CONTRACTOR when: (a) CONTRACTOR has failed to perform, in whole or in part, under the terms of this contract; (b) CONTRACTOR has billed for services rendered on days other than billable days of attendance or for days when student was not in attendance and/or did not receive services; (c) CONTRACTOR was overpaid by LEA as determined by inspection, review, and/or audit of its program, work, and/or records; (d) CONTRACTOR has failed to provide supporting documentation with an invoice, as required by EC 56366(c)(2); (e) education and/or related services are provided to students by personnel who are not appropriately credentialed, licensed, or otherwise qualified; (f) LEA has not received prior to school closure or contract termination, all documents concerning one or more students enrolled in CONTRACTOR's educational program; (g) CONTRACTOR fails to confirm a student's change of residence to another district or confirms the change of residence to another district, but fails to notify LEA within five (5) days of such confirmation; or (h) CONTRACTOR receives payment from Medi-Cal or from any other agency or funding source for a service provided to a student. It is understood that no payments shall be made for any invoices that are not received by six (6) months following the close of the prior fiscal year, for services provided in that year.

Final payment to CONTRACTOR in connection with the cessation of operations and/or termination of a Master Contract will be subject to the same documentation standards described for all payment claims for regular ongoing operations. In addition, final payment may be withheld by the LEA until completion of a review or audit, if deemed necessary by the LEA. Such review or audit will be completed within ninety

(90) days. The final payment may be adjusted to offset any previous payments to the CONTRACTOR determined to have been paid in error or in anticipation of correction of documentation deficiencies by the CONTRACTOR that remain uncorrected.

The amount which may be withheld by LEA with respect to each of the subparagraphs of the preceding paragraph are as follows: (a) the value of the service CONTRACTOR failed to perform; (b) the amount of overpayment; (c) the portion of the invoice for which satisfactory documentation has not been provided by CONTRACTOR; (d) the amount invoiced for services provided by the individual not appropriately credentialed, licensed, or otherwise qualified; (e) the proportionate amount of the invoice related to the applicable pupil for the time period from the date the violation occurred and until the violation is cured; or (f) the amount paid to CONTRACTOR by Medi-Cal or another agency or funding source for the service provided to the student.

If LEA determines that cause exists to withhold payment to CONTRACTOR, LEA shall, within ten (10) business days of this determination, provide to CONTRACTOR written notice that LEA is withholding payment. Such notice shall specify the basis or bases for LEA's withholding payment and the amount to be withheld. Within thirty (30) days from the date of receipt of such notice, CONTRACTOR shall take all necessary and appropriate action to correct the deficiencies that form the basis for LEA's withholding payment or submit a written request for extension of time to correct the deficiencies or submit to LEA written documentation demonstrating that the basis or bases cited by the LEA for withholding payment is unfounded. Upon receipt of CONTRACTOR's written request showing good cause, LEA shall extend CONTRACTOR's time to correct deficiencies (usually an additional thirty (30) days), otherwise payment will be denied.

If after subsequent request for payment has been denied and CONTRACTOR believes that payment should not be withheld, CONTRACTOR shall send written notice to LEA specifying the reason it believes payment should not be withheld. LEA shall respond to CONTRACTOR's notice within thirty (30) business days by indicating that a warrant for the amount of payment will be made or stating the reason LEA believes payment should not be made. If LEA fails to respond within thirty (30) business days or a dispute regarding the withholding of payment continues after the LEA's response to CONTRACTOR's notice, CONTRACTOR may invoke the following escalation policy.

After forty-five (45) business days: The CONTRACTOR may notify the Authorized LEA's Representative of the dispute in writing. The LEA Authorized Representative shall respond to the CONTRACTOR in writing within fifteen (15) business days.

After sixty (60) business days: The LEA or CONTRACTOR may appeal to the County Superintendent of Schools so long as the County Superintendent of Schools is not participating in the Local Plan involved in the NPS/A contract, or a mutually agreed upon mediator. Both parties agree to pay for their own costs and expenses arising out of such mediation. Each party agrees to act in good faith in participating in any mediation process agreed to by the parties.

58. PAYMENT FROM OUTSIDE AGENCIES

CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA when Medi-Cal or any other agency is billed for the costs associated with the provision of special education and/or related services to students. Upon request, CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA any and all documentation regarding reports, billing, and/or payment by Medi-Cal or any other agency for the costs associated with the provision of special education and/or related services to students. CONTRACTOR shall provide prior written notice of the rights and protections required by Title 34 of the Code of Federal Regulations section 300.154(d) whenever it seeks to use the LEA students' public benefits to pay for special education and related services. Such notice shall be provided before seeking payment from Medi-Cal for the first time and annually.

59. PAYMENT FOR ABSENCES

NONPUBLIC SCHOOL STAFF ABSENCE

Whenever a classroom teacher employed by CONTRACTOR is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide an appropriately credentialed substitute teacher in the absent teacher's classroom in accordance with California

Education Code section 56061. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA documentation of substitute coverage pursuant to the LEA Procedures. Substitute teachers shall remain with their assigned class during all instructional time. LEA will not pay for instruction and/or services unless said instruction or service is provided by an appropriately credentialed substitute teacher.

Whenever a related service provider is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide a qualified (as defined in Section 7 of this agreement and as determined by LEA) substitute. LEA will not pay for services unless a qualified substitute is provided and/or CONTRACTOR provides documentation evidencing the provision of "make-up" services by a qualified service provider within thirty (30) calendar days from the date on which the services should have been provided unless otherwise agreed in student's IEP.

NONPUBLIC SCHOOL STUDENT ABSENCE

If CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, no later than the tenth (10^{th}) cumulative day of a student's unexcused absence, CONTRACTOR shall notify the LEA of such absence.

Criteria for a billable day for payment purposes is one (1) day of attendance as defined in California Education Code, sections 46010, 46010.3 and 46307. LEA shall not pay for services provided on days that a student's attendance does not qualify for Average Daily Attendance (ADA) reimbursement under state law. *Per Diem* rates for students whose IEPs authorize less than a full instructional day may be adjusted on a pro rata basis in accordance with the actual proportion of the school day the student was served. LEA shall not be responsible for payment of related services for days on which a student's attendance does not qualify for Average Daily Attendance ("ADA") reimbursement under state law, nor shall student be eligible for make-up services.

NONPUBLIC AGENCY STAFF ABSENCE

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency and CONTRACTOR's service provider is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide a qualified (as defined in Section 7 of this agreement and as determined by LEA) substitute, unless LEA provides appropriate coverage in lieu of CONTRACTOR's service providers. LEA shall not pay for services unless a qualified substitute is provided and/or CONTRACTOR provides documentation evidencing the provision of "make-up" services by a qualified service provider within thirty (30) calendar days from the date on which the services should have been provided. CONTRACTOR shall not "bank" or "carry over" make up service hours under any circumstances, unless otherwise agreed to in writing by CONTRACTOR and LEA. In the event services were not provided, reasons for why the services were not provided shall be included.

NONPUBLIC AGENCY STUDENT ABSENCE

If CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency, it shall notify LEA of the absence of a student no later than the fifth (5^{th}) consecutive service day of the student's absence. LEA shall not be responsible for the payment of services when a student is absent.

60. LEA and/or NONPUBLIC SCHOOL CLOSURE DUE TO EMERGENCY

The following shall apply in the event of a LEA or NPS school closure due to an emergency consistent with guidelines followed by LEAs in accordance with Education Code sections 41422 and 46392:

a. If CONTRACTOR remains open, if allowed, during an emergency and serves students appropriately as delineated in the ISA, CONTRACTOR shall receive payment, regardless of whether a sending LEA is open or closed.

b. NPS School Closure- In the event of a NPS School Closure for the reasons set forth in Education Code section 41422, if the LEA is able to obtain alternative placement for the student, CONTRACTOR shall not receive payment for days the student is not in attendance due to CONTRACTOR'S school closure. If the LEA is unable to obtain an alternative placement, CONTRACTOR shall receive payment consistent with the student's approved ISA, as though the student were continuing his/her regular attendance, until an alternative placement can be found and implement LEA student IEP in accordance with Education Code section 56345(a)(9) pertaining to emergency conditions.

c. LEA and NPS School Closure- In the event of the LEA and NPS School Closures, on days the LEA is funded, CONTRACTOR shall receive payment consistent with the student's approved ISA, until an alternative placement can be found and implement LEA student IEP in accordance with Education Code section 56345(a)(9) pertaining to emergency conditions. If the LEA is able to obtain alternative placement for the student, CONTRACTOR shall not receive payment for days the student is not in attendance with CONTRACTOR due to CONTRACTOR'S school closure.

When the emergency school closure is lifted, CONTRACTOR shall notify the LEAs it serves of any lost instructional minutes. CONTRACTOR and LEAs shall work collaboratively to determine the need for make-up days or service changes, and shall work together to amend IEP and ISA paperwork as appropriate.

61. INSPECTION AND AUDIT

The CONTRACTOR shall maintain and the LEA shall have the right to examine and audit all of the books, records, documents, accounting procedures and practices and other evidence that reflect all costs claimed to have been incurred or fees claimed to have been earned under this Agreement.

CONTRACTOR shall provide access to LEA to all records including, but not limited to: student pupils as defined by California Education Code section 49061(b); registers and roll books of teachers; daily service logs and notes or other documents used to record the provision of related services; Medi-Cal/daily service logs and notes used to record provision of services provided by instructional assistants, behavior intervention aides, bus aides, and supervisors; absence verification records (parent/doctor notes, telephone logs, and related documents); bus rosters; staff lists specifying credentials held, business licenses held, documents evidencing other qualifications, , dates of hire, and dates of termination; staff time sheets; non-paid staff and volunteer sign-in sheets; transportation and other related service subcontracts; school calendars; bell/class schedules when applicable; liability and worker's compensation insurance policies; state NPS/A certifications; by-laws; lists of current board of directors/trustees, if incorporated; other documents evidencing financial expenditures; federal/state payroll quarterly reports Form 941/DE3DP; and bank statements and canceled checks or facsimile thereof. Such access shall include unannounced inspections by LEA. CONTRACTOR shall make available to LEA all budgetary information including operating budgets submitted by CONTRACTOR to LEA for the relevant contract period being audited.

CONTRACTOR shall make all records available at the office of LEA or CONTRACTOR's offices (to be specified by LEA) at all reasonable times and without charge. All records shall be provided to LEA within five (5) working days of a written request from LEA. CONTRACTOR shall, at no cost to LEA, provide assistance for such examination or audit. LEA's rights under this section shall also include access to CONTRACTOR's offices for purposes of interviewing CONTRACTOR's employees. If any document or evidence is stored in an electronic form, a hard copy shall be made available to the LEA, unless the LEA agrees to the use of the electronic format.

CONTRACTOR shall obtain from its subcontractors and suppliers written agreements to the requirements of this section and shall provide a copy of such agreements to LEA upon request by LEA.

If an inspection, review, or audit by LEA, a state agency, a federal agency, and/or an independent agency/firm determines that CONTRACTOR owes LEA monies as a result of CONTRACTOR's over billing or failure to perform, in whole or in part, any of its obligations under this Master Contract, LEA shall provide to CONTRACTOR written notice demanding payment from CONTRACTOR and specifying the basis or bases for such demand. Unless CONTRACTOR and LEA otherwise agree in writing, CONTRACTOR shall pay to LEA the full amount owed as a result of CONTRACTOR's over billing and/or failure to perform, in whole or in part, any of its obligations under this Master Contract, as determined by an inspection, review, or audit by LEA, a state agency, a federal agency, and/or an independent agency/firm. CONTRACTOR shall make such payment to LEA within thirty (30) days of receipt of LEA's written notice demanding payment.

62. RATE SCHEDULE

The attached rate schedule (Exhibit A) limits the number of students that may be enrolled and maximum dollar amount of the contract. It may also limit the maximum number of students that can be provided specific services. Per Diem rates for students whose IEPs authorize less than a full instructional day may be adjusted proportionally. In such cases only, the adjustments in basic education rate shall be based on the required minimum number of minutes per grade level as set forth in paragraph 23, above, and in California Education Code Section 46200-46208.

Special education and/or related services offered by CONTRACTOR shall be provided by qualified personnel as per State and Federal law, and the codes and charges for such educational and/or related services during the term of this contract, shall be as stated in Exhibit A.

63. DEBARMENT CERTIFICATION

By signing this agreement, the CONTRACTOR certifies that:

(a) The CONTRACTOR and any of its shareholders, partners, or executive officers are <u>not</u> presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, or declared ineligible for the award of contracts by any Federal agency, and

(b) Have not, within a three-year period preceding this contract, been convicted of or had a civil judgment rendered against them for: commission of fraud or a criminal offense in connection with obtaining, attempting to obtain, or performing a Federal, state or local government contract or subcontract; violation of Federal or state antitrust statutes relating to the submission of offers; or commission of embezzlement, theft, forgery, bribery, falsification or destruction of records, making false statements, tax evasion, or receiving stolen property; and are not presently indicted for, or otherwise criminally or civilly charged by a Government entity with, commission of any of these offenses.

The parties hereto have executed this Contract by and through their duly authorized agents or representatives. This contract is effective on the 1st day of July, 2025 and terminates at 5:00 P.M. on June 30, 2026, unless sooner terminated as provided herein.

CONTRACTOR	**LEA**
_Ausin Texas Learning Group , LLC__ **Nonpublic School/Agency**	**AIMS K12 College Prep Charter District** **LEA Name**
By: _____ **Signature Date**	**By: _____** **Signature Date**
___Syed Khalil_____ **Name and Title of Authorized Representative**	_Marco Menendez, Interim Executive Director__ **Name and Title of Authorized Representative**

Notices to CONTRACTOR shall be addressed to:	**Notices to LEA shall be addressed to:**
	Deborah Woods, Director of Special Education
Name and Title	**Name and Title**
	AIMS K12 College Prep Charter District
Nonpublic School/Agency/Related Service Provider	**LEA**
	171 12th St
Address	**Address**
	Oakland, CA. 94607
City State Zip	**City State Zip**
	510.926.9927
Phone Fax	**Phone Fax**
	deborah.woods@aimsk12.org
Email	**Email**

Additional LEA Notification
(Required if completed)

Name and Title
Address
City State Zip
Phone Fax
Email

AUSIN TEXAS LEARNING GROUP, LLC

ATX Learning

Rate List (2025-26)

These are all-inclusive rates. We always prefer to work with schools to offer them cost-effective solutions. The school does NOT pay an additional cent for state and federal taxes, social security, worker compensation, mileage, travel time, etc. Any additional expense is pre-approved by school authorities in writing. **ATX Learning offers tailor-made, flexible solutions. Call us for details.**

	Services	Rate	
1.	Speech Language Pathologist		
	• Speech Language Pathologist	$90-$130	per hour
	• SLP -Assistant	$75-$90	per hour
2.	School Psychologist	$100-$150	per hour
3.	Resource Specialist/ Special Ed. Teacher	$85-$120	per hour
4.	Occupational Therapist		
	• Occupational Therapist	$85-$110	per hour
	• Occupational Therapist -Assistant	$70-$85	per hour
5.	Physical Therapist	$85-$110	per hour
6.	School Social Worker (SSW)	$85-$110	per hour
7.	Counselor		
	• School Counselor	$85-$110	per hour
	• Special Education/ERMHS Counselor	$85-$115	per hour
8.	Nurse		
	• Registered Nurse (RN)	$90-$120	per hour
	• School Nurse (SN)	$80-$105	per hour
	• Licensed Vocational Nurse (LVN)	$65-$80	per hour
9.	Paraprofessionals		
	• Para Educators/Teacher Aide	$40-$50	Per hour
	• Behaviour Technician/ABA	$45-$55	Per hour
	• Registered Behaviour Tech (RBT)	$50-$65	Per hour
10.	BCBA	$90-$125	Per hour
11.	General Ed Teacher (STEM)	$60-$80	Per hour

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Provide direct service, perform any needed evaluation, and recommended equipment to carry out special education program in consultation with director, principals, teacher/school staff, and parents.

B. CONTRACT PERIOD: The Consultant's work or duties under this agreement shall commence on the date specified in the Assignment Confirmation ("Exhibit A"), for the services prescribed under Exhibit A.

C. COMPENSATION: For the full performance of this agreement, the Client shall pay the Consultant as follows:

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c) Client shall be liable to pay for all the overtime and holiday hours, for services provided by the Consultant.

Invoice: Consultant shall provide the invoice for each calendar month.
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Payment for the services provided during overtime hours or holidays shall be calculated at one and a half times the regular rate agreed under the Exhibit A

D. GENERAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS:

1) MUTUAL INDEMNIFICATION: The Consultant hereby assumes, releases and agrees to indemnify, defend, protect and save the Client, its Officers, Board Members, employees, and agents harmless from and against any loss of and/or damage to the person or property of Consultant, and all loss and/or damage on account of injury to or death of any persons whomsoever arising in any way from the negligence or misconduct of Consultant, its officers, employees, or agents. Client will indemnify, defend and hold harmless Consultant, its directors, officers, employees and agents from all costs, fees, and damages (including reasonable attorneys' fees) arising from a third party claim against Consultant based on an actual or alleged: (i) failure by the Client to perform its obligations under this Agreement; (ii) breach of

Client's representations and warranties; (iii) acts or omissions constituting negligence or willful misconduct, committed by Client, its officers, employees, or agents; or (iv) failure by Client to comply with governmental laws and regulations; or (v) infringement by Client (or any property or data provided by Client) of any patent, copyright, trademark, trade secret, or other intellectual property rights.

2) REPRESENTATIONS: Client represents and warrants that all the information supplied to the Consultant is true and accurate and contains no errors or omissions. In the event that such information is not true, the Consultant may immediately terminate this agreement and claim any damages as a result of the same.

3) AGREEMENTS WITH THIRD PARTIES: Client represents and warrants that at the time of the making of this agreement it has no legal or contractual obligations to a third party that contravenes or interferes with this agreement.

4) ASSIGNMENT: Neither party shall assign this agreement, or any of the rights, duties, and obligations under this agreement, without the written consent of the other party.

5) NON-DISCRIMINATION: No discrimination shall be made in the employment of persons under this agreement because of such person's race, religion, sex, age, national origin, ancestry, political affiliations, disability, medical condition, marital status, or sexual orientation.

6) LICENSE AND AUTHORITY: The Consultant and its employee or independent contractors will maintain all necessary licenses during the term of this agreement. Consultant will provide evidence or copies of all necessary licenses and credentials/ clearance to Client at their request.

7) EQUIPMENT AND FACILITIES: Client and the Consultant will agree on all necessary equipment and facilities to render services pursuant to this agreement.

8) GOVERNING LAW: The validity of this agreement and any of its terms or provisions as well as the rights and duties of the parties hereunder shall be governed by the laws of the State of Texas. Any dispute between the parties shall be heard in the courts sitting in Travis County, Texas.

9) WITHHOLDING: The Client shall not withhold or set aside any money on behalf of the Consultant for Federal Income Tax, State Income Tax, Social Security Tax, Unemployment Insurance, Disability Insurance, or any other federal or state fund whatsoever.

10) HEADINGS: All section headings contained herein are for clarification and convenience of reference only and are not intended to limit the scope of any provision of the agreement.

11) AMBIGUITY: The language herein shall be construed as jointly proposed and jointly accepted, and in the event of any subsequent determination of ambiguity, all parties shall be treated as equally responsible for such ambiguity.

12) MODIFICATION: Except as provided in Paragraph 19 below, any modification to this agreement must be in writing and signed by both parties to be effective.

13) AUTHORITY: Each party executing this agreement has the authority to do so.

14) TIMESHEET: Payment has to be made on the basis of the Approved/Counter-signed timesheet(s). Any discrepancy in the timesheet(s) should be communicated to the Consultant, within fifteen (15) days of receipt of such timesheet(s), by the Client. In the absence of any such communication, after fifteen (15) days, Consultant has the irrevocable, unlimited right to provide invoices in full as per the Approved/Counter-signed timesheet(s) and get paid as per the agreed payment terms regardless of whether those Approved/Counter-signed timesheets are correct.

    The term "Approved/Counter-signed timesheets" shall mean, the timesheets that are signed by, the Principal, Director, Supervisor, or any other individual, authorized for signing the timesheets, by the Client.

15) TERMINATION: Either party may terminate this Agreement on Twenty (20) calendar days written notice.

16) OVERTIME & HOLIDAYS: Client shall be liable at all times to pay as per the applicable laws of the State where the services are performed, related to the overtime and holidays. For hours worked more than 40 hours in any workweek, the Client shall pay at the rate of 1.5 times the regular rate agreed in Exhibit A, the same is applicable for the hours worked during the holidays.
    As per the laws of the State of California, the hours worked more than 8 hours in a workday shall be considered overtime hours and shall be paid at the rate of 1.5 times the regular rate of pay. The hours worked over 12 hours in a workday or over 8 hours on the seventh consecutive day of work in a workweek are eligible for double-time pay. Double-time pay is 2 times the regular rate of pay. The same terms are applicable for the hours worked during the holidays.

17) MEAL PERIODS & REST BREAKS: The laws of the meal period and rest breaks of the State wherein the services are performed by the Consultant shall apply to the Client. For the employees/personnel of the Consultant working in the State of California, an Off-duty meal period of 30 minutes shall be provided on each workday to those who are working for more than 5 hours of work shift in a workday, and such meal break shall be given before the end of the fifth hour of the work shift. And, a second Off-duty meal break shall be provided to those who are working for more than 10 hours of work shift in a work day, before the end of the tenth hour of the work shift. Also, an uninterrupted rest period of 10 minutes shall be provided for every 4 hours of work performed by the personnel/employee of the Consultant and such 10-minute rest break shall be a paid break and the Client is liable to pay for such rest break to the Consultant.

18) INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR STATUS: While engaged in the performance of this Agreement, all Consultant's personnel shall be classified as independent contractors and shall not be officers, agents, or employees of the Client.

19) CONVERSION FEE: If the Client directly or indirectly hires, engages, or otherwise converts any employee, independent contractor, or consultant of the Consultant into its own employee, consultant, or independent contractor during the term of this Agreement or within six (6) months after the employee's last assignment with the Client, the Client shall immediately notify the Consultant and pay a one-time conversion fee equal to eighteen percent (18%) of the employee's annualized salary at the time of conversion. The Consultant shall issue an invoice for this fee in the calendar month following the employee's start date with the Client, and payment shall be made in accordance with the payment terms

set forth in this Agreement. Client acknowledges that this fee accurately reflects the reasonable value of the Consultant's services and the Consultant's investment in recruiting.

20) SEVERABILITY: In the event that a court finds that this or any other portion or paragraph in this agreement violates in whole or in part the public policy or law of any state, said paragraph(s) shall be stricken by the court or modified to reflect legality and enforceability of the paragraph and in no instance shall a defective paragraph result in a penalty against the Company nor in the termination of the other provisions of this agreement.

21) EXHIBITS: All Exhibits and Schedules referred to in and attached to this Agreement are incorporated in this Agreement by such reference and shall be deemed to be a part of it as if they had been fully set forth in it.

At all times the Consultant shall be deemed to be independent and is not authorized to bind the Client to any contracts or other obligations, or to state or imply that it or its employee or independent contractor is an employee or authorized representative of the Client, or to utilize the Client's letterhead or logo without the prior consent of the Client. Except as otherwise set forth herein or agreed to by the parties in writing, the Consultant and Client agree to comply with each of the following factors as is necessary to maintain independent-consultant status, each of which shall form a part of this Agreement:

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WORK NOT ESSENTIAL TO CLIENT	The Client's success or continuation does not depend on the services of the Consultant.
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UNDERSTANDING AND ACCEPTANCE OF THE PARTIES: This Agreement constitutes the entire understanding of the parties. The Client's and Consultant's signatures below signify both an understanding and acceptance of the contract provisions.

CLIENT AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE:	CONSULTANT:
Signature: _____	Signature: Syed Khalil
Date Signed: _____	Date Signed: 08/01/2025
Branch / Dept.: _____	Title: President
Address: _____	Company Mailing Address:
_____	10821 Red Run Blvd, #407, Owings Mills, MD 21117
Phone / Fax: _____	Phone: 800-846-5120 x 103, Fax: (512) 212-1338
E-Mail Address: _____	E-Mail Address: info@atxlearning.com

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EXHIBIT – A

Assignment Confirmation- School Year 2025-26

Personnel Name:	
Services:	Special Education Teacher
Hourly Rate for Services:	$107 per hour
Overtime/Holiday Rate:	$160.5 per hour ($Rate x 1.5)
Mileage Reimbursement:	Billed at current IRS mileage reimbursement rate for transportation between school sites.
Contract Term:	School Year 2025-2026
Assignment Start Date:	August 06, 2025
Assignment End Date:	June 18, 2026
Number of Days:	Approx ~ 180 Working Days
Guaranteed Hours:	40 Hours/week
Cancellation Notice:	20 Days

***All the overtime/holiday hours worked shall be paid at $ time and one half (1.5).**

District Business Services Contact:	
District Sp Ed Contact:	

Billing Information

Billing Address:	
Billing Telephone Number:	
Billing Contact Info:	
Billing Email Address:	

Timesheet Approving Authority

Name:	
Title:	
E-mail Address:	
Phone Number:	

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Payment for the services provided during overtime hours or holidays shall be calculated at one and a half times the regular rate agreed under the Exhibit A

D. GENERAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS:

1) MUTUAL INDEMNIFICATION: The Consultant hereby assumes, releases and agrees to indemnify, defend, protect and save the Client, its Officers, Board Members, employees, and agents harmless from and against any loss of and/or damage to the person or property of Consultant, and all loss and/or damage on account of injury to or death of any persons whomsoever arising in any way from the negligence or misconduct of Consultant, its officers, employees, or agents. Client will indemnify, defend and hold harmless Consultant, its directors, officers, employees and agents from all costs, fees, and damages (including reasonable attorneys' fees) arising from a third party claim against Consultant based on an actual or alleged: (i) failure by the Client to perform its obligations under this Agreement; (ii) breach of

Client's representations and warranties; (iii) acts or omissions constituting negligence or willful misconduct, committed by Client, its officers, employees, or agents; or (iv) failure by Client to comply with governmental laws and regulations; or (v) infringement by Client (or any property or data provided by Client) of any patent, copyright, trademark, trade secret, or other intellectual property rights.

2) REPRESENTATIONS: Client represents and warrants that all the information supplied to the Consultant is true and accurate and contains no errors or omissions. In the event that such information is not true, the Consultant may immediately terminate this agreement and claim any damages as a result of the same.

3) AGREEMENTS WITH THIRD PARTIES: Client represents and warrants that at the time of the making of this agreement it has no legal or contractual obligations to a third party that contravenes or interferes with this agreement.

4) ASSIGNMENT: Neither party shall assign this agreement, or any of the rights, duties, and obligations under this agreement, without the written consent of the other party.

5) NON-DISCRIMINATION: No discrimination shall be made in the employment of persons under this agreement because of such person's race, religion, sex, age, national origin, ancestry, political affiliations, disability, medical condition, marital status, or sexual orientation.

6) LICENSE AND AUTHORITY: The Consultant and its employee or independent contractors will maintain all necessary licenses during the term of this agreement. Consultant will provide evidence or copies of all necessary licenses and credentials/ clearance to Client at their request.

7) EQUIPMENT AND FACILITIES: Client and the Consultant will agree on all necessary equipment and facilities to render services pursuant to this agreement.

8) GOVERNING LAW: The validity of this agreement and any of its terms or provisions as well as the rights and duties of the parties hereunder shall be governed by the laws of the State of Texas. Any dispute between the parties shall be heard in the courts sitting in Travis County, Texas.

9) WITHHOLDING: The Client shall not withhold or set aside any money on behalf of the Consultant for Federal Income Tax, State Income Tax, Social Security Tax, Unemployment Insurance, Disability Insurance, or any other federal or state fund whatsoever.

10) HEADINGS: All section headings contained herein are for clarification and convenience of reference only and are not intended to limit the scope of any provision of the agreement.

11) AMBIGUITY: The language herein shall be construed as jointly proposed and jointly accepted, and in the event of any subsequent determination of ambiguity, all parties shall be treated as equally responsible for such ambiguity.

12) MODIFICATION: Except as provided in Paragraph 19 below, any modification to this agreement must be in writing and signed by both parties to be effective.

13) AUTHORITY: Each party executing this agreement has the authority to do so.

14) TIMESHEET: Payment has to be made on the basis of the Approved/Counter-signed timesheet(s). Any discrepancy in the timesheet(s) should be communicated to the Consultant, within fifteen (15) days of receipt of such timesheet(s), by the Client. In the absence of any such communication, after fifteen (15) days, Consultant has the irrevocable, unlimited right to provide invoices in full as per the Approved/Counter-signed timesheet(s) and get paid as per the agreed payment terms regardless of whether those Approved/Counter-signed timesheets are correct.

    The term "Approved/Counter-signed timesheets" shall mean, the timesheets that are signed by, the Principal, Director, Supervisor, or any other individual, authorized for signing the timesheets, by the Client.

15) TERMINATION: Either party may terminate this Agreement on Twenty (20) calendar days written notice.

16) OVERTIME & HOLIDAYS: Client shall be liable at all times to pay as per the applicable laws of the State where the services are performed, related to the overtime and holidays. For hours worked more than 40 hours in any workweek, the Client shall pay at the rate of 1.5 times the regular rate agreed in Exhibit A, the same is applicable for the hours worked during the holidays.
    As per the laws of the State of California, the hours worked more than 8 hours in a workday shall be considered overtime hours and shall be paid at the rate of 1.5 times the regular rate of pay. The hours worked over 12 hours in a workday or over 8 hours on the seventh consecutive day of work in a workweek are eligible for double-time pay. Double-time pay is 2 times the regular rate of pay. The same terms are applicable for the hours worked during the holidays.

17) MEAL PERIODS & REST BREAKS: The laws of the meal period and rest breaks of the State wherein the services are performed by the Consultant shall apply to the Client. For the employees/personnel of the Consultant working in the State of California, an Off-duty meal period of 30 minutes shall be provided on each workday to those who are working for more than 5 hours of work shift in a workday, and such meal break shall be given before the end of the fifth hour of the work shift. And, a second Off-duty meal break shall be provided to those who are working for more than 10 hours of work shift in a work day, before the end of the tenth hour of the work shift. Also, an uninterrupted rest period of 10 minutes shall be provided for every 4 hours of work performed by the personnel/employee of the Consultant and such 10-minute rest break shall be a paid break and the Client is liable to pay for such rest break to the Consultant.

18) INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR STATUS: While engaged in the performance of this Agreement, all Consultant's personnel shall be classified as independent contractors and shall not be officers, agents, or employees of the Client.

19) CONVERSION FEE: If the Client directly or indirectly hires, engages, or otherwise converts any employee, independent contractor, or consultant of the Consultant into its own employee, consultant, or independent contractor during the term of this Agreement or within six (6) months after the employee's last assignment with the Client, the Client shall immediately notify the Consultant and pay a one-time conversion fee equal to eighteen percent (18%) of the employee's annualized salary at the time of conversion. The Consultant shall issue an invoice for this fee in the calendar month following the employee's start date with the Client, and payment shall be made in accordance with the payment terms

set forth in this Agreement. Client acknowledges that this fee accurately reflects the reasonable value of the Consultant's services and the Consultant's investment in recruiting.

20) SEVERABILITY: In the event that a court finds that this or any other portion or paragraph in this agreement violates in whole or in part the public policy or law of any state, said paragraph(s) shall be stricken by the court or modified to reflect legality and enforceability of the paragraph and in no instance shall a defective paragraph result in a penalty against the Company nor in the termination of the other provisions of this agreement.

21) EXHIBITS: All Exhibits and Schedules referred to in and attached to this Agreement are incorporated in this Agreement by such reference and shall be deemed to be a part of it as if they had been fully set forth in it.

At all times the Consultant shall be deemed to be independent and is not authorized to bind the Client to any contracts or other obligations, or to state or imply that it or its employee or independent contractor is an employee or authorized representative of the Client, or to utilize the Client's letterhead or logo without the prior consent of the Client. Except as otherwise set forth herein or agreed to by the parties in writing, the Consultant and Client agree to comply with each of the following factors as is necessary to maintain independent-consultant status, each of which shall form a part of this Agreement:

INSTRUCTIONS	For performing the services, the Client shall furnish the description and specifications of the services and prescribe the instructions, to the Consultant's Personnel on the first day of the Job or from time to time, if required.
TRAINING/SUPERVISION	Consultant's Personnel shall be under the supervision of the Client and the client shall provide the necessary training for the adequate performance of the services.
WORK NOT ESSENTIAL TO CLIENT	The Client's success or continuation does not depend on the services of the Consultant.
JOB LOCATION	Client shall provide the location of the school/institute/facility where the services are required to be performed.
TOOLS & EQUIPMENT	Client shall provide the necessary tools and equipment, within the premises of the job location, to the consultant's personnel for performing the services. Consultant or their personnel are not allowed to use their own tools and equipment.
SERVICES AVAILABLE TO PUBLIC	The Consultant's services are available to the general public after school hours.
PROGRESS REPORTS	The Consultant will be required to make a progress report.

UNDERSTANDING AND ACCEPTANCE OF THE PARTIES: This Agreement constitutes the entire understanding of the parties. The Client's and Consultant's signatures below signify both an understanding and acceptance of the contract provisions.

CLIENT AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE:	CONSULTANT:
Signature: _____	Signature: Syed Khalil
Date Signed: _____	Date Signed: 08/01/2025
Branch / Dept.: _____	Title: President
Address: _____	Company Mailing Address:
_____	10821 Red Run Blvd, #407, Owings Mills, MD 21117
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E-Mail Address: _____	E-Mail Address: info@atxlearning.com

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EXHIBIT – A

Assignment Confirmation- School Year 2025-26

Personnel Name:	
Services:	Paraprofessional
Hourly Rate for Services:	$44 per hour
Overtime/Holiday Rate:	$66 per hour ($Rate x 1.5)
Mileage Reimbursement:	Billed at current IRS mileage reimbursement rate for transportation between school sites.
Contract Term:	School Year 2025-2026
Assignment Start Date:	August 06, 2025
Assignment End Date:	June 18, 2026
Number of Days:	Approx ~ 180 Working Days
Guaranteed Hours:	35 Hours/week
Cancellation Notice:	20 Days

***All the overtime/holiday hours worked shall be paid at $ time and one half (1.5).**

District Business Services Contact:	
District Sp Ed Contact:	

Billing Information

Billing Address:	
Billing Telephone Number:	
Billing Contact Info:	
Billing Email Address:	

Timesheet Approving Authority

Name:	
Title:	
E-mail Address:	
Phone Number:	

Coversheet

ELOP Plan and Budget

Section: V. Action Items
Item: U. ELOP Plan and Budget
Purpose: Vote
Submitted by:
Related Material: ELOP Plan and Budget 25-26.pdf

AIMS K-12 College Prep Charter District
Board Submission Cover Letter

Submitter Information

Full Name: Nathan Bernhard-Beckman

Position/Title: ELOP Coordinator

Department:

Item Details

Title of Item: ELOP Plan + ELOP Budget

Is this item a: ☑ New Submission
☐ Renewal

If Renewal: Please summarize any changes from the previous submission:

Approvals

Has this item been reviewed and

☑ Superintendent
☑ Chief Business Officer (CBO) (If budget changes)
☑ Director of Compliance (If plan changes)
☐ Neither

Committee Review

Has this item been through the appropriate committee review process?

☐ Yes ☑ No

If yes: Please specify which committee(s) and provide minutes or approval documentation:

If no: Explain why:

New submission

Deadline Information

Is there a submission deadline for this item?

☑ Yes ☐ No

If yes: Please indicate the deadline date (MM/DD/YYYY): 08/19/2025

Financial Information (if applicable):

Total Cost: $ 1,172,417

Is this expenditure included in the annual budget?

☐ Yes ☐ No

Please specify in which plan this expense is indicated:

☐ SPSA ☐ LCAP ☐ Other: ELOP

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EXPANDED LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES PROGRAM PLAN GUIDE

Prepared by:
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This Program Plan Template Guide is required by California *Education Code* (*EC*) Section 46120(b)(2)

Note: This cover page is an example, programs are free to use their own logos and the name of their program.

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Name of Local Educational Agency and Expanded Learning Opportunities Program Site(s)

Local Educational Agency (LEA) Name: AIMS

Contact Name: Nathan Bernhard-Beckman

Contact Email: nathan.bernhard-beckman@aimsk12.org

Contact Phone: 510-407-5821

Instructions: Please list the school sites that your LEA selected to operate the Expanded Learning Opportunities Program (ELO-P). Add additional rows as needed.

1. AIMS College Prep Middle School
2. AIPCS II
3.
4.
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6.
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Purpose

This template will aid LEAs in the development of a program plan as required by *EC* Section 46120(b)(2). In this program plan, LEAs will describe program activities that support the whole child, and students' Social and Emotional Learning (SEL) and development.

Definitions

"Expanded learning" means before school, after school, summer, or intersession learning programs that focus on developing the academic, social, emotional, and physical needs and interests of pupils through hands-on, engaging learning

experiences. It is the intent of the Legislature that expanded learning programs are pupil-centered, results driven, include community partners, and complement, but do not replicate, learning activities in the regular school day and school year. (*EC* Section 8482.1[a])

"Expanded learning opportunities" has the same meaning as "expanded learning" as defined in *EC* Section 8482.1. "Expanded learning opportunities" does not mean an extension of instructional time, but rather, opportunities to engage pupils in enrichment, play, nutrition, and other developmentally appropriate activities. (*EC* Section 46120[e][1])

Instructions

This Program Plan needs to be approved by the LEA's Governing Board in a public meeting and posted on the LEA's website.

The program plan template guide is considered a living document that is periodically reviewed and adjusted to reflect the needs of the community, updates in the law, and to provide continuous improvement in the development of an effective ELO-P.

The LEA is responsible for creating, reviewing, and updating the program plan every three years in accordance with *EC* Section 8482.3(g)(1). LEAs are encouraged to work collaboratively with partners and staff to develop and review the program plan. The LEA is responsible for the plan and the oversight of any community partners or subcontractors. The LEA should include any partners in the development and review of the plan. It is recommended that the plan be reviewed annually.

The Expanded Learning Division adopted the *Quality Standards for Expanded Learning in California* (Quality Standards) and introduced requirements for Continuous Quality Improvement (CQI) to help programs engage in reflection and be intentional about program management practices and activities delivered to students. To create the program plan, provide a narrative description in response to the prompts listed under each Quality Standard below. The LEA may customize and include additional prompts, such as describing SEL activities, or refining the plan. In addition to the narrative response, it may be useful to include tables, charts, or other visual representations that contribute to the understanding of the ELO-P. LEAs are encouraged to download and reference the Quality Standards in order to provide ongoing improvements to the program. The Quality Standards can be found on the California Department of Education's (CDE) Quality Standards and CQI web page, located at https://www.cde.ca.gov/ls/ex/qualstandcqi.asp.

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1—Safe and Supportive Environment

Describe how the program will provide opportunities for students to experience a safe and supportive environment. Include if the program will be offered on the school site or off campus. If not on site, describe where in the community it will be and how students will be supported to get there.

The Expanded Learning Opportunities Program (ELOP) will provide a secure and supportive learning environment that meets the social-emotional and physical needs of participating students.

To maintain safety and accountability, staff will take attendance daily and require parents to adhere to established sign-in and sign-out procedures. All staff members will be trained in safety protocols and hold first aid certification. ELOP safety procedures will align with those used during the regular school day, and monthly safety drills will be conducted to ensure staff and students are prepared for emergencies.

Additionally, all students and staff will wear identification badges at all times for easy identification, and staff members will have assigned students to guarantee consistent supervision.

Morning Care Services:

ELOP will also offer structured morning care on campus prior to the regular school day for enrolled students. Morning care is supervised by ELOP staff trained in early morning routines and school safety procedures. This service supports working families and ensures a smooth, safe transition from home to the school day. Students participating in morning care will be signed in upon arrival, provided with quiet, developmentally appropriate activities, and escorted to their classrooms when the school day begins.

2—Active and Engaged Learning

Describe how the program will provide opportunities for students to experience active and engaged learning that either supports or supplements, but does not duplicate, the instructional day.

1. **Academic Support and Enrichment:** By introducing American Civics Awareness and African Continent Awareness initiatives, students will engage in activities like field trips, workshops, and guest lectures that enrich their understanding of historical and cultural contexts beyond the classroom curriculum. These experiences will deepen their knowledge and critical thinking skills in a hands-on and interactive manner.
2. **Social and Emotional Development:** Initiatives such as Neurodivergent Learning Diversity Awareness and Social Justice Initiatives will provide students with opportunities to explore diverse perspectives and understand their own and others' emotional experiences. Activities like support groups and workshops on social justice issues foster empathy,

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self-awareness, and social responsibility, contributing to students' emotional growth.

3. **Engagement of Parents and the Community:** Programs like Middle Eastern Arab Culture Awareness and Indigenous Peoples Awareness will actively involve parents and community members through cultural fairs, language classes, and partnerships. This engagement strengthens the connection between school and community, promoting a sense of belonging and shared responsibility.
4. **Diverse Cultural and Linguistic Needs:** The program will celebrate and educate students on a wide range of cultural backgrounds through initiatives like Latinx American Culture Awareness and Asian Culture Awareness. By offering culturally responsive activities, students will gain a deeper appreciation for diversity, which aligns with the school's commitment to inclusivity and respect for all cultures.
5. **Entrepreneurship and Financial Literacy:** The introduction of Entrepreneurship Workshops and Financial Literacy Education provides students with practical skills that are essential for their future success. These programs teach students about entrepreneurship, financial management, and real-world problem-solving, preparing them for life beyond school.

Overall, the ELOP plan is strategically designed to provide a holistic learning experience that enhances students' academic, social, and emotional development, while also fostering a strong sense of cultural awareness and community involvement. This approach supports and supplements the instructional day, ensuring that students are engaged, empowered, and equipped with the skills and knowledge necessary for their future success.

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3—Skill Building

Describe how the program will provide opportunities for students to experience skill building.

The Expanded Learning Opportunities Program (ELOP) will offer a range of activities and initiatives specifically designed to help students build essential skills for academic success, personal growth, and future readiness. Here's how the program will facilitate skill building:

1. **Critical Thinking and Problem-Solving:** Initiatives such as **American Civics Awareness** and **Social Justice Initiatives and Environmental Equity Awareness** will engage students in discussions, workshops, and projects that require them to analyze information, consider multiple perspectives, and develop informed opinions. Activities like debates on civic responsibilities and student-led advocacy projects will foster critical thinking and problem-solving skills.
2. **Communication and Collaboration:** The program will provide numerous opportunities for students to practice and enhance their communication and collaboration skills. For instance, **cultural fairs and language classes** under the **Middle Eastern Arab Culture Awareness** initiative will encourage students to work together to plan events and communicate effectively with peers, teachers, and community members. These activities also emphasize public speaking and presentation skills through participation in performances and exhibitions.
3. **Cultural Competence and Empathy:** By participating in activities such as the **African American Culture Awareness** and **Indigenous Peoples Awareness** programs, students will develop cultural competence and empathy. These initiatives will include guest speakers, interactive workshops, and cultural events that expose students to diverse histories, traditions, and viewpoints, fostering understanding and respect for different cultures.
4. **Entrepreneurial and Financial Skills:** The introduction of **Entrepreneurship Workshops** and **Financial Literacy Education** will provide students with practical skills related to business and financial management. These programs will include hands-on activities like creating business plans, budgeting exercises, and lessons on saving and investing. By learning these skills early, students will gain confidence in managing their finances and understanding economic concepts, which are crucial for personal and professional success.
5. **Adaptability and Resilience:** The **Neurodivergent Learning Diversity Awareness** initiative will focus on creating sensory-friendly environments and support groups, helping students understand and navigate different learning styles and needs. This approach encourages adaptability and resilience, as students learn to embrace challenges and adapt to various learning situations, promoting a growth mindset.
6. **Leadership and Responsibility:** Throughout the program, students will be encouraged to take on leadership roles, whether by organizing events, leading discussions, or mentoring peers. Activities within the **African Continent Awareness** and **Latinx American Culture Awareness** initiatives will include opportunities for students to lead cultural events and engage in community service projects, fostering a sense of responsibility and leadership.

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Overall, the ELOP is structured to provide a diverse array of activities that build critical life skills. By focusing on areas such as critical thinking, communication, cultural competence, entrepreneurship, adaptability, and leadership, the program prepares students to thrive both in school and in their future endeavors.

4—Youth Voice and Leadership

Describe how the program will provide opportunities for students to engage in youth voice and leadership.

The Expanded Learning Opportunities Program (ELOP) will foster youth voice and leadership by empowering students through various initiatives and activities. Students will have opportunities to take charge of student-led projects, such as those under the Social Justice and Environmental Awareness initiatives, allowing them to develop leadership skills by advocating for issues that matter to them. Additionally, students will be involved in planning and executing cultural awareness events, such as African American Culture Awareness and Asian Culture Awareness, which will help build their organizational and leadership capabilities. To further support youth voice, ELOP will establish Student Advisory Councils, giving students a platform to share their ideas and collaborate with educators. Leadership workshops will be offered to enhance skills such as public speaking, team building, and entrepreneurial thinking. Mentorship opportunities will also be provided, enabling older or more experienced students to mentor their peers, promoting a collaborative environment. By recognizing and celebrating student leaders through awards and public acknowledgment, ELOP aims to inspire all students to take on leadership roles and prepare them to be confident and engaged citizens.

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5—Healthy Choices and Behaviors

Describe how the program will provide opportunities for students to engage in healthy choices and behaviors. Describe how students will be served nutritious meals and/or snacks during the ELO-P hours of programming.

The Expanded Learning Opportunities Program (ELOP) will promote healthy choices and behaviors by adhering to the AIMS College Prep School District's wellness plan and implementing practices that encourage students' overall well-being. The program will include nutrition and fitness activities. To help students manage stress and improve their mental well-being. During ELOP hours, students will be served nutritious meals and snacks that meet the district's dietary guidelines, ensuring they have access to healthy food options that support their physical and cognitive development.

6—Diversity, Access, and Equity

Describe how the program is designed to address cultural and linguistic diversity and provide opportunities for all students to experience diversity, access, and equity. Describe how the ELO-P will provide access and opportunity for students with disabilities.

The Expanded Learning Opportunities Program (ELOP) is designed to embrace cultural and linguistic diversity, providing opportunities for all students to experience inclusivity, access, and equity. By incorporating initiatives such as American Civics Awareness, Middle Eastern Arab Culture Awareness, African Continent Awareness, Asian Culture Awareness, Indigenous Peoples Awareness, African American Culture Awareness, and Latinx American Culture Awareness, the program will celebrate various cultures through educational workshops, cultural fairs, guest lectures, and heritage celebrations. These initiatives aim to foster cultural appreciation, understanding, and respect among students from diverse backgrounds. Additionally, the program will address the needs of neurodivergent students and those with disabilities by providing specialized training for staff, creating sensory-friendly environments, and offering support groups. By ensuring accessible facilities, individualized support, and appropriate accommodations, ELOP will ensure that all students, including those with disabilities, can fully participate in and benefit from the program.

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7—Quality Staff

Describe how the program will provide opportunities for students to engage with quality staff.

The ELOP will ensure students engage with quality staff who meet high standards similar to AIMS College Prep lead teachers, instructional aides, and clerical staff. Staff will be required to have some college education, completed Mandated Reporter Training, CPR and First Aid Certification, and pass health screenings and fingerprint clearance. ELOP staff will bring experience in working with and supervising students, along with a strong understanding of child development principles and behavior management strategies. Effective communication skills with both children and families are essential, as well as the ability to work collaboratively with Program Directors, site administrators, and other ELOP staff. To maintain and enhance their skills, staff will have opportunities to participate in ongoing training and professional development provided by various vendors and providers.

8—Clear Vision, Mission, and Purpose

Describe the program's clear vision, mission, and purpose.

Vision: "To empower and inspire students to reach their full potential by providing a nurturing and engaging after school environment that fosters academic, social-emotional, and personal growth."

Mission: "Our mission is to provide a safe and supportive after school environment that offers a comprehensive range of academic support, enrichment activities, and social-emotional learning opportunities. Through collaboration with families, schools, and community partners, we aim to cultivate a love for learning, promote personal development, and empower students to become confident and well-rounded individuals."

Purpose: "Our purpose is to bridge the gap between school and home by providing a structured and enriching program that supports students' academic progress, fosters social-emotional well-being, and nurtures their interests and talents. We strive to create a positive and inclusive community where every student feels valued, empowered, and equipped with the skills and mindset for success."

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9—Collaborative Partnerships

Describe the program's collaborative partnerships. Local educational agencies are encouraged to collaborate with non-LEA entities to administer and implement ELO-P programs.

Collaborative partnerships will be valuable for the school programs as they can provide additional resources, expertise, and support to enhance the program's offerings. Collaboration with teachers, staff and site administrators to align program goals, share resources, and coordinate academic support. This partnership will help ensure continuity in learning and reinforce the concepts covered during the regular school day.

Partnerships with local community organizations such as libraries, museums, art centers, sports clubs, or non-profit organizations will be established. These partnerships will provide access to specialized resources, expertise, and facilities that enhance the program's curriculum and offer unique learning opportunities. Partnerships with local businesses and corporations will provide resources or expertise. They will offer opportunities for career exploration, mentorship, or exposure to workplace skills and environments. All partnerships will align with the goals and needs of the after school program.

10—Continuous Quality Improvement

Describe the program's Continuous Quality Improvement plan.

Data from various sources will be used to evaluate the program's strengths and areas for improvement, ensuring continuous enhancement of design, outcomes, and impact. The Continuous Quality Improvement (CQI) process will integrate feedback from staff, parents, program participants, teachers, and partners. This feedback will be instrumental in shaping program goals and refining its design.

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11—Program Management

Describe the plan for program management.

The ELOP budget is designed to support the comprehensive operation of the program by covering essential expenditures:

1. **Program Coordinator**: The Coordinator will manage all aspects of the program, including planning, staff management, curriculum development, budgeting, community engagement, safety, evaluation, and promotion. This role is vital for ensuring a positive and enriching environment for participants.
2. **Supplies and Materials**: The budget will cover materials for social-emotional learning (SEL), academic enrichment, STEM, arts, and physical activities. It also includes office supplies, printer cartridges, and storage equipment to keep instructional materials organized and in good condition.
3. **Curriculum**: The curriculum will focus on SEL, emotional regulation, self-awareness, and character development. Students will engage in activities that promote mindfulness, emotional expression, and positive relationships. Additionally, it will include communication, empathy, and conflict resolution skills with practical applications in real-life scenarios.
4. **Snacks**: Students will receive a nutritious snack on school days and a healthy breakfast, lunch, and snacks on non-school days from local food service vendors.
5. **Field Trips**: Educational field trips will offer hands-on learning experiences and exposure to new environments aligned with the program's objectives. They will be carefully planned and supervised to enhance enrichment and engagement.
6. **Uniforms**: T-shirts will be provided to create a sense of unity and identity among participants, aiding in easy identification and ensuring student safety.
7. **Student Incentives**: Incentives will be used to motivate and reward students, promoting positive behavior and engagement. They will be tailored to student interests and ages, fostering a supportive environment where students feel recognized and motivated.
8. **Community Engagement Events**: These events will involve the local community and provide opportunities for students to participate in planning and organization. This involvement will help develop leadership skills, enhance community connection, and enrich the overall program experience.

9. **Morning Care Integration:** As part of comprehensive program management, ELOP includes before-school morning care to support families and ensure consistent supervision. Morning care is supervised by ELOP staff and includes attendance tracking, structured quiet activities, and seamless transition to the regular school day.

10. **STEAM Lab Modernization:** ELOP funds will support the modernization of an existing classroom into a dedicated STEAM Lab for expanded learning students. This revitalized space will be equipped with age-appropriate technology, hands-on materials, and flexible furnishings to support science, technology, engineering, arts, and mathematics activities. The lab will serve as a central hub for project-based learning, fostering creativity, critical thinking, and collaboration. By investing in a modern, specialized environment, the program ensures equitable access to high-quality enrichment opportunities that align with 21st-century skills and student interests.

This management plan ensures that all components of the ELOP are effectively supported and aligned with the program's goals, providing a well-rounded and impactful experience for students.

General Questions

Existing After School Education and Safety (ASES) and 21st Community Learning Centers (21st CCLC) Elementary and Middle School grantees.

ASES, 21st CCLC Elementary/Middle School, and the ELO-P should be considered a single, comprehensive program. In coordinating all these funding streams to move towards a single program, the expectation is that the most stringent requirements will be adopted for program guidance. If one or both grants are held, please describe how the ELO-P funding will be used to create one comprehensive and universal Expanded Learning Program.

I apologize for the misunderstanding. I'll revise the response to reflect that these are parallel, collaborative programs rather than a single comprehensive program. Here's the corrected, concise version:

ASES, 21st CCLC Elementary/Middle School, and ELOP are parallel, collaborative programs. ASES funds our partner program through Bay Area Community Resources (BACR), while the ELOP program partners with BACR to provide parallel programming. This structure fosters collaboration between the two programs.

The collaboration between these parallel programs allows for shared resources and expertise, coordinated schedules, and aligned goals and objectives. It maximizes student participation, creating more robust and diverse offerings for our students.

ELOP funding complements the ASES-funded BACR program by extending program hours, increasing capacity, improving program quality, and providing specialized services. This parallel and collaborative approach ensures efficient utilization of all funding sources, resulting in an enriched and expanded learning experience that meets diverse student needs while maintaining the integrity of each program.

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Transitional Kindergarten and Kindergarten

Programs serving transitional kindergarten or kindergarten pupils shall maintain a pupil-to-staff member ratio of no more than 10 to 1. (*EC* Section 46120[b][2][D]). Please address the proposed schedule and plan for recruiting and preparing staff to work in the program, including supporting them to understand how to work with younger children. How will the lower pupil-to-staff ratio be maintained? How will the curriculum and program be developmentally-informed to address this younger age group?

AIMS has no transitional kindergarten students to meet the 10-to-1 pupil-to-staff ratio for kindergarten; the following plan will be implemented:

Staff Recruitment and Preparation

- **Recruitment**: Hire staff with early childhood education qualifications through specialized channels and partnerships with local universities.
- **Training**: Provide targeted training on early childhood development, interactive learning, and classroom management. Offer ongoing professional development and mentorship.

Maintaining Pupil-to-Staff Ratio

- **Staffing Plan**: Recruit sufficient staff to meet the ratio and use additional aides during peak times.
- **Scheduling**: Develop structured schedules to ensure the ratio is maintained throughout the day, incorporating small group and individual activities.

Developmentally-Informed Curriculum

- **Curriculum Design**: Implement play-based learning with sensory activities and focus on social-emotional skills.
- **Program Features**: Use small group instruction, create a safe and engaging environment, and involve parents through updates and workshops.

This approach ensures compliance with the ratio requirements while providing developmentally appropriate education for young children.

Sample Program Schedule

Please submit a sample program schedule that describes how the ELO-P or other fund sources, including the California State Preschool Program for children enrolled in transitional kindergarten or kindergarten, will be combined with the instructional day to create a minimum of nine hours per day of programming (instructional day plus ELO-P or other supports). Also, submit a sample schedule for a minimum nine-hour summer or

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intersession day.

Sample K-2nd Grade Schedule (School Day)
2:30-3:00pm Snack
3:00-3:45:pm Air Reading
3:45-6pm Enrichment/Tutor

Sample 3rd -5th Grade Schedule
2:45-3:15pm Snack
3:15-4pm Air Reading
4-6pm Enrichment/Tutor

Sample 6th-8th Schedule
School Day
3:30-4:00pm Snack
4:05-4:50pm Air Reading
4:50pm-6pm Enrichment/Tutor

Sample Schedule K-8th
Non-School Day
8:00 - 8:30 Breakfast
8:30-9:00 Morning Meeting
9:00 - 10:00 Intervention
10:00 -10:15 Snack
10:15 -12:00 Club/Intervention
12:00 -1:00 Lunch/ Free Time
1:00 - 2:00 Enrichment #1
2:00 - 2:30 Small Group Instruction
2:30 - 3:00 Snack
3:00 - 4:30 Enrichment #2
4:30-5:00 Dismissal

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Below are additional legal requirements for the ELO-P. Please ensure your Program Plan meets all of these legal requirements:

***EC* Section 46120(b)(2):**

> [LEAs] operating expanded learning opportunities programs may operate a before school component of a program, an after school component of a program, or both the before and after school components of a program, on one or multiple school sites, and shall comply with subdivisions (c), (d), and
> (g) of Section 8482.3, including the development of a program plan based on the following;
>
> (2) [LEAs] operating expanded learning opportunity programs pursuant to this section may operate a before school component of a program, an after school component of a program, or both the before and after school components of a program, on one or multiple schoolsites, and shall comply with subdivisions (c), (d), and (g) of Section 8482.3, including the development of a program plan based on all of the following:
>
> (A) The department's guidance.
>
> (B) Section 8482.6.
>
> (C) Paragraphs (1) to (9), inclusive, and paragraph (12) of subdivision (c) of Section 8483.3.
>
> (D) Section 8483.4, except that programs serving transitional kindergarten or kindergarten pupils shall maintain a pupil-to-staff member ratio of no more than 10 to 1.

***EC* Section 46120(b)(1)(A):**

> On schooldays, as described in Section 46100 and Sections 46110 to 46119, inclusive, and days on which school is taught for the purpose of meeting the 175-instructional-day offering as described in Section 11960 of Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations, in-person before or after school expanded learning opportunities that, when added to daily instructional minutes, are no less than nine hours of combined instructional time and expanded learning opportunities per instructional day.

***EC* Section 46120(b)(1)(B):**

> For at least 30 nonschool days, during intersession periods, there will be no less than nine hours of in-person expanded learning opportunities per day.

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***EC* Section 46120(b)(3):**

> [LEAs] shall prioritize services provided pursuant to this section at school sites in the lowest income communities, as determined by prior year percentages of pupils eligible for free and reduced-price meals, while maximizing the number of schools and neighborhoods with expanded learning opportunities programs across their attendance area.

***EC* Section 46120(b)(4):**

> [LEAs] may serve all pupils, including elementary, middle, and secondary school pupils, in expanded learning opportunity programs provided pursuant to this section.

***EC* Section 46120(b)(6):**

> [LEAs] are encouraged to collaborate with community-based organizations and childcare providers, especially those participating in state or federally-subsidized childcare programs, to maximize the number of expanded learning opportunities programs offered across their attendance areas.

***EC* Section 46120(c):**

> A [LEA] shall be subject to the audit conducted pursuant to Section 41020 to determine compliance with subdivision (b).

***EC* Section 8482.3(d):**

> [LEAs] shall agree that snacks made available through a program shall conform to the nutrition standards in Article 2.5 (commencing with Section 49430) of Chapter 9 of Part 27 of Division 4 of Title 2.
>
> [LEAs] shall agree that meals made available through a program shall conform to the nutrition standards of the United States Department of Agriculture's at-risk afterschool meal component of the Child and Adult Care Food Program (42 United States Code [U.S.C.] Section 1766).

***EC* Section 8482.6:**

> Every pupil attending a school operating a program . . . is eligible to participate in the program, subject to program capacity. A program established . . . may charge family fees. Programs that charge family fees shall waive the cost of these fees for pupils who are eligible for free or reduced-price meals, for a child that is a homeless youth, as defined by the federal McKinney-Vento Homeless Assistance Act (42 U.S.C. Section 11434a), or for a child who the program knows is in foster care. A program

that charges family fees shall schedule fees on a sliding scale that considers family income and ability to pay.

***EC* sections 8483.4 and 46120(b)(2)(D):**

The administrator of every program established pursuant to this article shall establish minimum qualifications for each staff position that, at a minimum, ensure that all staff members who directly supervise pupils meet the minimum qualifications for an instructional aide, pursuant to the policies of the school district. Selection of the program site supervisors shall be subject to the approval of the school site principal. The administrator shall also ensure that the program maintains a pupil-to-staff member ratio of no more than 20 to 1. All program staff and volunteers shall be subject to the health screening and fingerprint clearance requirements in current law and district policy for school personnel and volunteers in the school district, except that programs serving transitional kindergarten or kindergarten pupils shall maintain a pupil-to-staff member ratio of no more than 10 to 1.

***EC* Section 8482.3(c)(1)(A–B):**

Each component of a program established pursuant to this article shall consist of the following two elements:

(A) An educational and literacy element in which tutoring or homework assistance is provided in one or more of the following areas: language arts, mathematics, history and social science, computer training, or science.

(B) An educational enrichment element that may include, but need not be limited to, fine arts, career technical education, recreation, physical fitness, and prevention activities.

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Budget Summary
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SACS Object Code	Code Description	Middle	AIPCS II
Revenue			
	State	81,143	1,972,417
	Federal	-	-
	Local	-	-
Total Revenue		**$ 81,143**	**$ 1,972,417**
Expenses			
1000	Certificated Salaries	-	-
2000	Classified Salaries	7,105	1,635,644
3000	Benefits	13,208	185,282
4000	Books and Supplies	51,330	88,491
5000	Services and Other Operating Expenses	9,500	45,000
6000	Capital Outlay		
7000	Other Outgoing	-	-
Total Expenses		**$ 81,143**	**$ 1,954,417**

ELOP

Revenue

ALL SCHOOLS ELOP BUDGET

		2025-2026		
SACS		20	30	40
State				
8011	LCFF for all grades; state aid portion	-	-	-
8012	LCFF for all grades; EPA portion	-	-	-
8096	In-Lieu of Property Taxes, all grades	-	-	-
8019	Prior Year Income / Adjustments			
8520	State Food Revenue	-	-	-
8560	Unrestricted Lottery	-	-	-
8560	Restricted Lottery	-	-	-
8550	Mandate Block Grant	-	-	-
8550	One Time Block Grant	-	-	-
8590	ASES After School	-	-	-
8590	GF COVID			
8590	ELOP	81,143	1,072,417	
8590	ELOP Carryover		900,000	
8677	State Mental Health			
8594	Prop 39 - Clean Energy	-	-	-
8791	State Special Education	-	-	-
State Revenue		**$ 81,143**	**$ 1,972,417**	**$ -**
Federal				
8181	Special Education, federal	-	-	-
8182	Special Education, Mental Health	-	-	-
8290	All Other Federal Revenue, inc Facilities Incer	-	-	-
8291	Title I	-	-	-
8292	Title II	-	-	-
8293	Title III	-	-	-
8294	Title IV	-	-	-
8299	Prior Year Federal Revenue			
Federal Revenue		**$ -**	**$ -**	**-**
Local				
8660	Interest	-	-	-
8782	All Other Transfers from County Offices			
8784	All Other Transfers from Other Locations			
8785	CMO Management fee			
8791	State Special Education	-	-	-
8639	Student Lunch Revenue	-	-	-
8982	Foundation Grants	-	-	-
8699	All Other Local Revenue/Measure G1	-	-	-
8984	Student Body (ASB) Fundraising Revenue			
8985	School Site Fundraising	-	-	-
8986	Uniforms	-		
8989	CSC Sale of Future Revenue			
8999	Revenue Suspense			
Local Revenue		**$ -**	**$ -**	**$ -**
Total Revenue		**$ 81,143**	**$ 1,972,417**	**$ -**

ELOP 25-26

Expenses Summary

020-AIMS MIDDLE SCHOOL			030-AIPCS II K-8
	TOTALS	ELOP ELOP	
ALLOCATION	81,143	81,143	
PERSONNEL	20,313	$ 20,312.65	
PROGRAM	60,830	$ 60,830.35	
CAPITAL/DEBT		$ -	
TOTAL EXPENSES	81,143	$ 81,143.00	
BALANCE AVAIL	$ 0.00	$ 0.00	SACS OBJ Code

SACS C Code	Description	TOTALS	2600 ELOP	
Certificated Salaries				**Certificated Salaries**
1100	Teachers' Salaries	-	-	1100
1105	Teachers' Bonuses	-	-	1105
1106+	Teacher Stipend	-	-	1106
1120	Substitute Expense	-	-	1120
1200	Certificated Pupil Support Salaries	-	-	1200
1300	Certificated Supervisor and Administrator Salaries	-	-	1300
1305	Certificated Supervisor and Administrator Bonuses	-	-	1305
1900	Other Certificated Salaries	-	-	1900
1910	Other Certificated Overtime	-	-	1910
1000	**Subtotal**	$ -	-	**1000**
				Classified Salaries
2100	Instructional Aide Salaries	-	-	2100
2110	Instructional Aide Bonuses	-	-	2110

2200	Classified Support Salaries	-	-	2200
2210	Classified Support Overtime	-	-	2210
2300	Classified Supervisor and Administrator Salaries	-	-	2300
2400	Clerical, Technical, and Office Staff Salaries	7,105	7,105	2400
2410	Clerical, Technical, and Office Staff Overtime	-	-	2410
2900	Other Classified Salaries	-	-	2900
	Other Stipends	-	-	
2910	Other Classified Overtime	-	-	2910
2000	**Subtotal**	**7,105**	**7,105**	**2000**
Employee Benefits				
3101	State Teachers' Retirement System, certificated positior	-	-	3101
3202	Public Employees' Retirement System, classified positi	1,968	1,968	3202
3313	OASDI	441	441	3313
3323	Medicare	927	927	3323
3403	Health & Welfare Benefits	9,730	9,730	3403
3503	State Unemployment Insurance	71	71	3503
3603	Worker Compensation Insurance	71	71	3603
3703	Other Post Employement Benefits	-	-	3703
3903	Other Benefits	-	-	3903
3000	**Subtotal**	**$ 13,208**	**13,208**	**3000**
				Total Personnel Exper
Total Personnel Expenses		**$ 20,313**	**20,313**	
			2600	
Books and Supplies				**Books and Supplies**
4100	Approved Textbooks and Core Curricula Materials	-		4100
4200	Books and Other Reference Materials	-		4200
4300	Materials and Supplies	7,341	$ 7,340.83	4300
4315	Classroom Materials and Supplies	29,640	$ 29,639.52	4315

4316	Student/Pupil Testing	-		4316
4317	Student Incentives	-		4317
4318	Afterschool Materials and Supplies	-		4318
4342	Materials for School Sponsored Athletics	-	$ -	4342
4381	Materials for Plant Maintenance	-		4381
4400	Noncapitalized Equipment	-		4400
4410	Software & Software Licensing	11,900	$ 11,900.0	4410
4430	General Student Equipment -	-		4430
4700	Food and Food Supplies	2,450	$ 2,450.00	4700
4000	**Subtotal**	**51,330**	**51,330**	**4000**
Services and Other Operating Expenses				**Services and Other O**
5200	Travel and Conferences	-		5200
5210	Training and Development Expense	-		5210
5300	Dues and Memberships	-		5300
5400	Insurance	-		5400
5500	Operation and Housekeeping Services/Supplies	-		5500
5501	Utilities	-		5501
5502	Janitorial Services	-		5502
5503	Security/Locks/Keys	-		5503
5504	Pest Control Services	-		5504
5505	Student Transportation / Field Trips	-		5505
5600	Space Rental/Leases Expense	-		5600
5601	Building Maintenance	5,000	$ 5,000.00	5601
5602	Other Space Rental	-		5602
5605	Equipment Rental/Lease Expense	-		5605
5610	Equipment Repair	-		5610
5615	Technology Services	-		5615
5800	Professional/Consulting Services and Operating Expen	-	$ -	5800
				5800

5800	Sp Education (el Dorado) Consultaning Services	-		5800
5803	Banking and Payroll Service Fees	-		5803
5805	Legal Services	-		5805
5806	Audit Services	-		5806
5810	Educational Consultants	-		5810
5811	Student Transportation	2,500	$ 2,500.00	5811
5812	Non employee Substitutes	-	$ -	5812
5815	Advertising / Recruiting	-		5815
5820	Fundraising Expense	-		5820
5830	Field Trips	2,000	$ 2,000.00	5830
5822	Staff Appreciation - Non Public Funds	-		5822
5850	Scholarships	-		5850
5873	Financial Services	-		5873
5877	IT Services	-		5877
5890	Interest/Fees	-		5890
5875	District Oversight Fee	-		5875
5899	CMO Management Fee	-		5899
5900	Communications	-		5900
5910	Postage	-		5910
5901	Marketing	-	$ -	5901
5000	**Subtotal**	**$ 9,500**	**$ 9,500.00**	**5000**
Capital Outlay				**Capital Outlay**
6900	Depreciation Expense			6900
6000	**Subtotal**		**-**	**6000**
Other Outgoing				**Other Outgoing**
7000	Miscellaneous Expense	-		7000
7141	Special Education Encroachment	-		7141
7438	Debt Service - Interest	-		7438

7500	Misc.	-		7500
7000	**Subotal**	**$ -**	**-**	**7000**

Total Non-Personnel Expenses	**$**	**60,830**
Total Expenses	**$**	**81,143**

		ELOP
	TOTALS	**ELOP**
ALLOCATION	**1,972,417**	**$ 1,972,417.00**
PERSONNEL	1,820,926	$ 1,820,926.17
PROGRAM	151,491	$ 151,490.83
CAPITAL/DEBT	-	$ -
TOTAL EXPENSES	**1,972,417**	**$ 1,972,417.00**
BALANCE AVAIL	**$ (0.00)**	**$ (0.00)**

	TOTALS	**2600**
		ELOP
Teachers' Salaries	-	-
Teachers' Bonuses	-	-
Teacher Stipends		-
Substitute Expense	-	-
Certificated Pupil Support Salaries	-	-
Certificated Supervisor and Administrator S	-	-
Certificated Supervisor and Administrator B	-	-
Other Certificated Salaries	-	-
Other Certificated Overtime	-	-
Subtotal	**$ -**	**-**
Instructional Aide Salaries	1,571,700	1,571,700
Instructional Aide Bonuses	-	-

Classified Support Salaries		-	-
Classified Support Overtime		-	-
Classified Supervisor and Administrator Sal		-	-
Clerical, Technical, and Office Staff Salaries		63,944	63,944
Clerical, Technical, and Office Staff Overtin		-	-
Other Classified Salaries		-	-
Other Stipends		-	-
Other Classified Overtime		-	-
Subtotal		**1,635,644**	**1,635,644**
State Teachers' Retirement System, certificat		-	-
Public Employees' Retirement System, class		17,713	17,713
OASDI		101,410	101,410
Medicare		23,717	23,717
Health & Welfare Benefits		9,730	9,730
State Unemployment Insurance		16,356	16,356
Worker Compensation Insurance		16,356	16,356
Other Post Employement Benefits		-	-
Other Benefits		-	-
Subtotal	**$**	**185,282**	**185,282**
ıses			
	$	**1,820,926**	**1,820,926**
			2600
Approved Textbooks and Core Curricula Ma		-	
Books and Other Reference Materials		-	
Materials and Supplies		-	$ -
Classroom Materials and Supplies		43,341	$ 43,340.83

Student/Pupil Testing	-	
Student Incentives	-	
Afterschool Materials and Supplies	-	
Materials for School Sponsored Athletics	-	$ -
Materials for Plant Maintenance	-	
Noncapitalized Equipment	-	
Software & Software Licensing	23,100	$ 23,100.00
General Student Equipment -	-	
Food and Food Supplies	22,050	$ 22,050.00
Subtotal	**88,491**	**88,491**

perating Expenses

Travel and Conferences	-	
Training and Development Expense	-	
Dues and Memberships	-	
Insurance	-	
Operation and Housekeeping Services/Supp	-	
Utilities	-	
Janitorial Services	-	
Security/Locks/Keys	-	
Pest Control Services	-	
Student Transportation / Field Trips	-	
Space Rental/Leases Expense	-	
Building Maintenance	22,500	$ 22,500.00
Other Space Rental	-	
Equipment Rental/Lease Expense	-	
Equipment Repair	-	
Technology Services	-	
Professional/Consulting Services and Opera	-	$ -
NPS Services Consulting		$ -

Sp Education (el Dorado) Consultaning Serv	-	
Banking and Payroll Service Fees	-	
Legal Services	-	
Audit Services	-	
Educational Consultants	-	
Student Transportation	22,500	$ 22,500.00
Non employee Substitutes	-	$ -
Advertising / Recruiting	-	
Fundraising Expense	-	
Field Trips		$ 18,000.00
Staff Appreciation - Non Public Funds	-	
Scholarships	-	
Financial Services	-	
IT Services	-	
Interest/Fees	-	
District Oversight Fee	-	
CMO Management Fee	-	
Communications	-	
Postage	-	
Marketing	-	$ -
Subtotal	**$ 45,000**	**$ 63,000.00**

Depreciation Expense		
Subtotal		

Miscellaneous Expense	-	
Special Education Encroachment	-	
Debt Service - Interest	-	

Misc.		-		
Subotal	**$**	**-**		
	$	**133,491**		
	$	**1,954,417**	**$**	**1,820,926**

Employee Inputs

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UPC	OBJ	Loc	Resou	Progm	Full Name	Title
ELOPC0001	2400	20	2600		Bernhard-Beckham, Nathan	ELOP COORDINATOR
						AIMS MIDDLE TOTALS (020)
ELOPC0001	2400	30	2600		Bernhard-Beckham, Nathan	ELOP COORDINATOR
ELOPT0001	2100	30	2600		Vacant	ELOP Intervention Tutor
ELOPT0002	2100	30	2600		Vacant	ELOP Intervention Tutor
ELOPT0003	2100	30	2600		Vacant	ELOP Intervention Tutor
ELOPT0004	2100	30	2600		Vacant	ELOP Intervention Tutor
ELOPT0005	2100	30	2600		Vacant	ELOP Intervention Tutor
ELOPT0006	2100	30	2600		Vacant	ELOP Intervention Tutor
ELOPT0007	2100	30	2600		Vacant	ELOP Intervention Tutor
ELOPT0008	2100	30	2600		Vacant	ELOP Intervention Tutor
ELOPT0009	2100	30	2600		Vacant	ELOP Intervention Tutor
ELOPT0010	2100	30	2600		Vacant	ELOP Intervention Tutor
ELOPT0011	2100	30	2600		Vacant	ELOP Intervention Tutor
ELOPT0012	2100	30	2600		Vacant	ELOP Intervention Tutor
ELOPT0013	2100	30	2600		Vacant	ELOP Intervention Tutor
ELOPT0014	2100	30	2600		Vacant	ELOP Intervention Tutor
ELOPT0015	2100	30	2600		Vacant	ELOP Intervention Tutor
ELOPT0016	2100	30	2600		Vacant	ELOP Intervention Tutor
ELOPT0017	2100	30	2600		Vacant	ELOP Intervention Tutor
ELOPSI0001	2100	30	2600		Vacant	ELOP Saturday Instructor
ELOPSI0002	2100	30	2600		Vacant	ELOP Saturday Instructor
ELOPSI0003	2100	30	2600		Vacant	ELOP Saturday Instructor
ELOPSI0004	2100	30	2600		Vacant	ELOP Saturday Instructor
ELOPSI0005	2100	30	2600		Vacant	ELOP Saturday Instructor
ELOPSI0006	2100	30	2600		Vacant	ELOP Saturday Instructor

Employee Inputs

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UPC	OBJ	Loc	Resou	Progm	Full Name	Title
ELOPSI0007	2100	30	2600		Vacant	ELOP Saturday Instructor
ELOPSI0008	2100	30	2600		Vacant	ELOP Saturday Instructor
ELOPSI0009	2100	30	2600		Vacant	ELOP Saturday Instructor
ELOPSI0010	2100	30	2600		Vacant	ELOP Saturday Instructor
ELOPIA0001	2100	30	2600		Vacant	ELOP Helper
ELOPIA0002	2100	30	2600		Vacant	ELOP Helper
ELOPIA0003	2100	30	2600		Vacant	ELOP Helper

AIPCS II ELEMENTARY TOTALS

Avg IA

Employee Inputs #REF! #REF! 1.5% = Salary increase

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UPC	OBJ	Loc	Department	FTE	Salary Rate	**Total Salary**	Bonus and Stipends
ELOPC0001	2400	20	Afterschool	0.1	71,049	7,104.90	
				0.1	**71,049**	**7,104.90**	**0**
ELOPC0001	2400	30	Afterschool	0.9	71,049	63,944.10	
ELOPT0001	2100	30	Afterschool				52,390
ELOPT0002	2100	30	Afterschool				52,390
ELOPT0003	2100	30	Afterschool				52,390
ELOPT0004	2100	30	Afterschool				52,390
ELOPT0005	2100	30	Afterschool				52,390
ELOPT0006	2100	30	Afterschool				52,390
ELOPT0007	2100	30	Afterschool				52,390
ELOPT0008	2100	30	Afterschool				52,390
ELOPT0009	2100	30	Afterschool				52,390
ELOPT0010	2100	30	Afterschool				52,390
ELOPT0011	2100	30	Afterschool				52,390
ELOPT0012	2100	30	Afterschool				52,390
ELOPT0013	2100	30	Afterschool				52,390
ELOPT0014	2100	30	Afterschool				52,390
ELOPT0015	2100	30	Afterschool				52,390
ELOPT0016	2100	30	Afterschool				52,390
ELOPT0017	2100	30	Afterschool				52,390
ELOPSI0001	2100	30	Afterschool				52,390
ELOPSI0002	2100	30	Afterschool				52,390
ELOPSI0003	2100	30	Afterschool				52,390
ELOPSI0004	2100	30	Afterschool				52,390
ELOPSI0005	2100	30	Afterschool				52,390
ELOPSI0006	2100	30	Afterschool				52,390

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UPC	OBJ	Loc	Department	FTE	Salary Rate	**Total Salary**	Bonus and Stipends
ELOPSI0007	2100	30	Afterschool				52,390
ELOPSI0008	2100	30	Afterschool				52,390
ELOPSI0009	2100	30	Afterschool				52,390
ELOPSI0010	2100	30	Afterschool				52,390
ELOPIA0001	2100	30	Afterschool				52,390
ELOPIA0002	2100	30	Afterschool				52,390
ELOPIA0003	2100	30	Afterschool				52,390
				0.9	**71,049**	**$ 63,944.10**	**$ 1,571,700**

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Employee Inputs

					5%	19.10%	27.70%	6.20%	1.45%
					= H&W rate increa	= STRS employer	= PERS employ	= OASDI employ	= Medicare e
UPC	OBJ	Loc	Overtime	**Total Direct Compensation**	Retirement System for Employee	3101 STRS, certificated	3202 PERS, classified	3313 OASDI	3323 Medicare
ELOPC0001	2400	20		7,104.90	PERS		1,968.06	440.50	103.02
			0	**7,104.90**	**0**	**-**	**1,968.06**	**440.50**	**103.02**
ELOPC0001	2400	30		63,944.10	PERS		17,712.52	3,964.53	927.19
ELOPT0001	2100	30		52,390.00				3,248.18	759.66
ELOPT0002	2100	30		52,390.00				3,248.18	759.66
ELOPT0003	2100	30		52,390.00				3,248.18	759.66
ELOPT0004	2100	30		52,390.00				3,248.18	759.66
ELOPT0005	2100	30		52,390.00				3,248.18	759.66
ELOPT0006	2100	30		52,390.00				3,248.18	759.66
ELOPT0007	2100	30		52,390.00				3,248.18	759.66
ELOPT0008	2100	30		52,390.00				3,248.18	759.66
ELOPT0009	2100	30		52,390.00				3,248.18	759.66
ELOPT0010	2100	30		52,390.00				3,248.18	759.66
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Employee Inputs

					5%	19.10%	27.70%	6.20%	1.45%
					= H&W rate increa	= STRS employer	= PERS employ	= OASDI employ	= Medicare e
UPC	OBJ	Loc	Overtime	**Total Direct Compensation**	Retirement System for Employee	3101 STRS, certificated	3202 PERS, classified	3313 OASDI	3323 Medicare
ELOPSI0007	2100	30		52,390.00				3,248.18	759.66
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ELOPIA0003	2100	30		52,390.00				3,248.18	759.66
			$ -	**$ 1,635,644**	**$ -**	**$ -**	**$ 17,712.52**	**$ 101,409.93**	**$ 23,716.84**

Employee Inputs

#REF!	10811	0.01	1.0%	-
= Default monthly employer h	= State Unemplc	= Workers' Comp employer rate		= possible formula fo

UPC	OBJ	Loc	Monthly Health Rate	3403 Health and Welf	3503 SUI	3603 Workers' Comp	3703 Other Post Employr	3903 Other Benefits
ELOPC0001	2400	20	-	1,081.10	71.05	71.05		
			-	**1,081.10**	**71.05**	**71.05**	**-**	**-**
ELOPC0001	2400	30	-	9,729.90	639.44	639.44		
ELOPT0001	2100	30	-	-	523.90	523.90		
ELOPT0002	2100	30	-	-	523.90	523.90		
ELOPT0003	2100	30	-	-	523.90	523.90		
ELOPT0004	2100	30	-		523.90	523.90		
ELOPT0005	2100	30	-	-	523.90	523.90		
ELOPT0006	2100	30	-	-	523.90	523.90		
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ELOPIA0002	2100	30	-	-	523.90	523.90		
ELOPIA0003	2100	30	-	-	523.90	523.90		
			$ -	**$ 9,729.90**	**$ 16,356.44**	**$ 16,356.44**	**$ -**	**$ -**

Employee Inputs

ır STD, GTL, LTD, AD&D

CSMC

UPC	OBJ	Loc	Total Benefits	Total Compensation
ELOPC0001	2400	20	3,734.78	10,839.68
			3,734.78	**10,839.68**

ELOPC0001	2400	30	33,613.02	97,557.12
ELOPT0001	2100	30	5,055.64	57,445.64
ELOPT0002	2100	30	5,055.64	57,445.64
ELOPT0003	2100	30	5,055.64	57,445.64
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ELOPIA0002	2100	30	5,055.64	57,445.64
ELOPIA0003	2100	30	5,055.64	57,445.64
			$ 185,282.07	**$ 1,820,926.17**

AIMS K12 2025-2026 ELOP PROGRAM ASSUMPTIONS

Resource	Obj Code	Program #	PLAN	AIMS K12 PROGRAM ASSUMPTIONS	AIMS MIDDLE
2600	2400		ELOP	***ELOP COORDINATOR***	$ 20,313
2600	2100		ELOP	***ELOP INTREVENTION TUTOR***	$ -
2600	2100		ELOP	***ELOP SATURDAY INSTRUCTOR***	$ -
2600	2100		ELOP	***ELOP HELPER***	$ -
2600	4700		ELOP	***Meals***	$ 2,450
2600	5811		ELOP	***Field Trips***	$ 2,000
2600	4300		ELOP	***ELOProgram Supplies***	$ 7,341
2600	4315		ELOP	***ELOP Afterschool Supplies***	$ 29,640
2600	4410		ELOP	***Software: City Span***	$ 11,900
2600	5830		ELOP	***Transportation***	$ 2,500
2600	5601		ELOP	***Building Maintenance/Modernization***	$ 5,000
					$ -
TOTAL PROGRAM ASSUMPTION COST					**$ 81,143**

		Annual
Hourly Rate	$65	$52,390
Program Start Date	9/1/2025	
Program End Date	6/30/2026	
4 Hours (Monday thru Thrusday)		
6 hours on Friday		
Total Days in Program		

Hours
4
6

AIPCS II	TOTAL COST
$ 97,557	**$ 117,870**
$ 976,576	**$ 976,576**
$ 574,456	**$ 574,456**
$ 172,337	**$ 172,337**
$ 22,050	**$ 24,500**
$ 18,000	**$ 20,000**
$ -	**$ 7,341**
$ 43,341	**$ 72,980**
$ 23,100	**$ 35,000**
$ 22,500	**$ 25,000**
$ 15,000	**$ 20,000**
	$ -
$ 1,964,917	**$ 2,046,060**

Days	Total Hrs Work
146	584
37	222
183	806

Coversheet

Website Rebuild New Vendor Agreement

Section: V. Action Items
Item: V. Website Rebuild New Vendor Agreement
Purpose: Vote
Submitted by:
Related Material: Website Rebuild New Vendor Agreement (1).pdf

AIMS K-12 College Prep Charter District
Board Submission Cover Letter

Submitter Information

Full Name: Suzen Chu

Position/Title: Director

Department: Marketing and Communications

Item Details

Title of Item: District Website Rebuild New Vendor Agreement

Is this item a: ☑ New Submission
☐ Renewal

If Renewal: Please summarize any changes from the previous submission:

Approvals

Has this item been reviewed and

☑ Superintendent
☐ Chief Business Officer (CBO) (If budget changes)
☐ Director of Compliance (If plan changes)
☐ Neither

Committee Review

Has this item been through the appropriate committee review process?

☐ Yes ☑ No

If yes: Please specify which committee(s) and provide minutes or approval documentation:

If no: Explain why:
This is the first time to be presented

Deadline Information

Is there a submission deadline for this item?

☑ Yes ☐ No

If yes: Please indicate the deadline date (MM/DD/YYYY): 08/31/2025

Financial Information (if applicable):

Total Cost: $ 6,999.00

Is this expenditure included in the annual budget?

☑ Yes ☐ No

Please specify in which plan this expense is indicated:

☐ SPSA ☑ LCAP ☐ Other:

LCAP 3.1.8

Proposal to Transition AIMS District Website to ParentSquare SmartSites

Submitted by: Suzen Chu, Director of Marketing & Communications
Date: August 19, 2025

Recommendation

Approve the adoption of **ParentSquare SmartSites** to replace the current Squarespace-hosted district website.

Rationale

- **Efficiency:** Updating Squarespace is time-consuming and requires design expertise the department no longer has. ParentSquare allows direct publishing of selected memos (e.g., lunch menus, committee agendas/minutes) to the website, reducing duplicate work.
- **Accessibility:** Parents who struggle with ParentSquare will still access essential communications through the website.
- **Education-Focused:** SmartSites is tailored for K–12 districts, providing clean navigation for multi-school systems.
- **Alternative Review:** WIX was tested but lacks the education focus and efficiency needed for an understaffed team.

Comparison

Feature	Squarespace	WIX	ParentSquare SmartSites
Ease of Updates	Bulky, time-intensive	User-friendly but not education-specific	Seamless, integrates with ParentSquare
Integration with ParentSquare	None	None	Direct publishing of memos & notices
Navigation	General templates	General templates	Built for districts with multiple schools
Staffing Needs	Requires design/web staff	Somewhat simplified, still labor-intensive	Minimal effort, auto-publishing saves staff time
Audience Fit	General business	Small business/personal use	K–12 schools, parent engagement

Financial Impact

- One-time onboarding & content migration: **$2,750**
- Annual subscription (per user): **$4,249**
- Total Year 1 Cost: **$6,999** (budgeted under LCAP 3.1.8)

Requested Action

Approve transition to **ParentSquare SmartSites** effective September 1, 2025, with contract term through November 30, 2026.

ParentSquare

AIMS K-12 Charter Network, CA - Smart Sites

Pricing Term Start Date: September 01, 2025 | **Pricing Term End Date:** November 30, 2026 | **Quote Create Date:** August 13, 2025 | **Reference:** 20250813-153740633

AIMS K-12 Charter Network, CA - Parent
171 12th Street
Oakland, CA 94607
United States

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Comments

Linn Sillers - Co-Founder | Sales Director Parentsquare, Inc.

Products and Services

Item & Description	Billing Start Date	Term (Months)	Quantity	Unit Price	Total
Smart Sites Onboarding - Standard One Time Up Front Cost • Project Management • Site Launch Consultation	09/01/2025		1 Flat Rate	$2,000.00 After $1,000.00 discount	$2,000.00

• Template Configuration • Activation					
Smart Sites - Content Migration (100 pages) One Time Up Front Cost	09/01/2025		1 100 Pages	$750.00	$750.00
Smart Sites (Single-site) Annual	12/01/2025	12M	1214 Per User	$3.50	$4,249.00 annually

Totals

One Time Up Front Cost

Unit of Measurement	Unit Total	Total
Flat Rate	$2,000.00	$2,000.00
100 Pages	$750.00	$750.00
		$2,750.00

Annual

Unit of Measurement	Unit Total	Total
Per User	$3.50	$4,249.00
		$4,249.00

Signature

Before you sign this quote, an email must be sent to you to verify your identity. Find your profile below to request a verification email.

Suzen Chu
suzen.chu@aimsk12.org

{ sig|req|signer1 }

Kristin McCann
kristin.mccann@parentsquare.com

[sig|req|signer2]

Quote expires: August 31, 2025

Purchase Terms

District/School Agreement -- The Services are subject to the terms contained in this Order Form and School Agreement which are located at www.parentsquare.com/agreement, and incorporated by reference into this Order Form ("ParentSquare School Agreement").

By executing this Order Form, the undersigned certifies that (i) the undersigned is a duly authorized agent of District/School, and (ii) the undersigned has read the ParentSquare School Agreement and will take all reasonable measures to enforce them within the District/School.

NOTE: Pricing above does not reflect ParentSquare's right to increase pricing as set forth in the ParentSquare School Agreement. Pricing above also does not include applicable tax, which will be applied upon invoicing.

Privacy Policy -- The ParentSquare Privacy Policy may be reviewed here - https://www.parentsquare.com/privacy

Terms of Use -- The ParentSquare Terms of Use may be reviewed here - https://www.parentsquare.com/terms

Questions? Contact Me

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See what milestones made this school year memorable with our **2024-2025 wrap (https://www.parentsquare.com/engage/2025-parentsquare-school-year-wrap/)**.

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Sign In (https://www.parentsquare.com/signin)

Service-Specific Terms for Smart Sites

Last Updated: February 10, 2025

School Agreement (http://www.parentsquare.com/agreement)
Terms of Use (http://www.parentsquare.com/terms)
Service-Specific Terms (http://www.parentsquare.com/terms/parentsquare-pay)
(http://www.parentsquare.com/terms/smart-sites)ParentSquare Pay
(http://www.parentsquare.com/terms/parentsquare-pay) Smart Sites
(http://www.parentsquare.com/terms/smart-sites)
Privacy Policy (http://www.parentsquare.com/privacy)
Trust Center (http://trust.parentsquare.com/)

These Service-Specific Terms for Smart Sites are incorporated by reference into the ParentSquare School Agreement (the "School Agreement") located at https://www.parentsquare.com/agreement/ (https://www.parentsquare.com/agreement/). Other Service-Specific Terms incorporated by reference into the School Agreement may also govern District's use of the Subscription Services. Capitalized terms not defined herein shall have the meanings given to such terms in the School Agreement.

1. Definitions

In addition to the terms defined in the body of the School Agreement and in the Order Form, the following terms have the following meanings:

"Smart Sites" means the website design tool offered by ParentSquare on a subscription basis.

"Website" means the website developed by District using Smart Sites.

2. Services

2.1 Website Design. Smart Sites gives District the ability to design a Website using a set of pre-designed elements.

2.2 Post-Publish Support. ParentSquare's obligations with respect to ongoing support of any Website shall be mutually agreed by the parties.

3. Ownership

As between the parties, (a) District retains all right, title and interest, including all related intellectual property rights, in and to District Data, including District's name, logo and brand features, and (b) ParentSquare retains all right, title and interest, including all related intellectual property rights, in and to Smart Sites and the Website, excluding any District Data included therein.

4. Domain Names

District is responsible to maintain ownership of its domain name(s), including any renewals. Upon District's request, ParentSquare will assist in the registration request.

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Coversheet

AIMS Salary Schedule

Section:	V. Action Items
Item:	W. AIMS Salary Schedule
Purpose:	Vote
Submitted by:	
Related Material:	FY 25-26 Salary Schedule - Board Submission Cover Letter.pdf OPTION1 AIMS Salary Schedule FY25-26 Proposed.xlsx OPTION2 AIMS Salary Schedule FY25-26 Proposed.xlsx

AIMS K-12 College Prep Charter District
Board Submission Cover Letter

Submitter Information

Full Name: Tiffany Tung
Position/Title: Director of Compliance
Department: Compliance Director
Date of Submission (MM/DD/YYYY): 08/19/25

Item Details

Title of Item: FY25-26 AIMS Salary Schedules
Is this item a: ✔ New Submission
☐ Renewal
If Renewal: Please summarize any changes from the previous submission:
Two Options presented for the Board's consideration: (Excel Required. Files Attached)
OPTION 1: Adds CAO, COO, Executive Director, Head of School, Maintenance Technician, & S.S.COLA 23-25
OPTION 2: Adds Executive Director, Head of School, Maintenance Technician, & S.S. COLA 23-25

Approvals

Has this item been reviewed by:
☐ Superintendent
✔ Chief Business Officer (CBO) (If budget changes)
✔ Director of Compliance (If plan changes)
☐ Neither

Committee Review

Has this item been through the appropriate committee review process?
☐ Yes ✔ No
If yes: Please specify which committee(s) and provide minutes or approval documentation:

If no: Explain why:
Will be presented at the Board Meeting in August 2025.

Deadline Information

Is there a submission deadline for this item?
☐ Yes ✔ No
If yes: Please indicate the deadline date (MM/DD/YYYY):

Financial Information (if applicable):

Total Cost: $
Is this expenditure included in the annual budget?
☐ Yes ☐ No
Please specify in which plan this expense is indicated:
☐ SPSA ☐ LCAP ✔ Other:

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Coversheet

Unaudited Actuals

Section: V. Action Items
Item: X. Unaudited Actuals
Purpose: Vote
Submitted by:
Related Material: 25-6-30 AIMS Middle Unaudited Actuals.xlsx
25-6-30 AIPCS II Unaudited Actuals.xlsx
25-6-30 AIMS High Unaudited Actuals.xlsx

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Coversheet

Budget Revisions

Section: V. Action Items
Item: Y. Budget Revisions
Purpose: Vote
Submitted by:
Related Material: CMO 25 26 Menendez Adopted Budget.xlsx
CMO 25 26 Final alignment Adopted Budget.xlsx
AIMS Middle budget 3schl Budget Session Menendez.xlsx
AIMS High budget 2526 3schools Adoption Board approved.xlsx
AIMS High budget 2526 3schools Adoption Marco.xlsx
AIMS Middle budget 3schl Budget Session after board session.xlsx
AIMS Elem budget 3schl Budget Session Marco.xlsx
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