

Dear Superintendents,

As you know, the 86th Texas Legislature passed Senate Bill 11 which enacted Texas Education Code (TEC) § 37.115, among others. This new section of the TEC mandates the creation of a Safe and Supportive Schools Programs (SSSP) for all local education agency (LEA) school campuses. In addition, the new legislation mandated all LEAs report certain data to the Texas Education Agency (TEA) in the manner and format required by the agency.

The agency understands the hardships all LEAs endured during the prior school year and that challenges are still being faced in the current school year. Therefore, the agency is continuing to phase-in the mandatory data reporting requirement for your SSSP teams. This questionnaire is the first step of the phase-in process and comprises two parts. The first part of the survey is the mandatory reporting requirement for the time period of September 1, 2020 through August 31, 2021. The second part is a set of voluntary questions to help TEA unders

- specific interventions, including mental health or behavioral supports;
- in-school suspension;
- out-of-school suspension; or
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