



# ESSA Equitable Services FY20 Updates

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# Equitable Services FY20 Updates

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# Equitable Services FY20 Updates

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# Equitable Services FY20 Updates

- Working Group
- Listserv
- Consultation PPT
  - Timeline
  - Allocations
  - Nonprofit Status
  - DE1111 & Private School Information
- ES4PS – Focus on Invitations
- New Guidance Update



# Equitable Services FY20 Updates

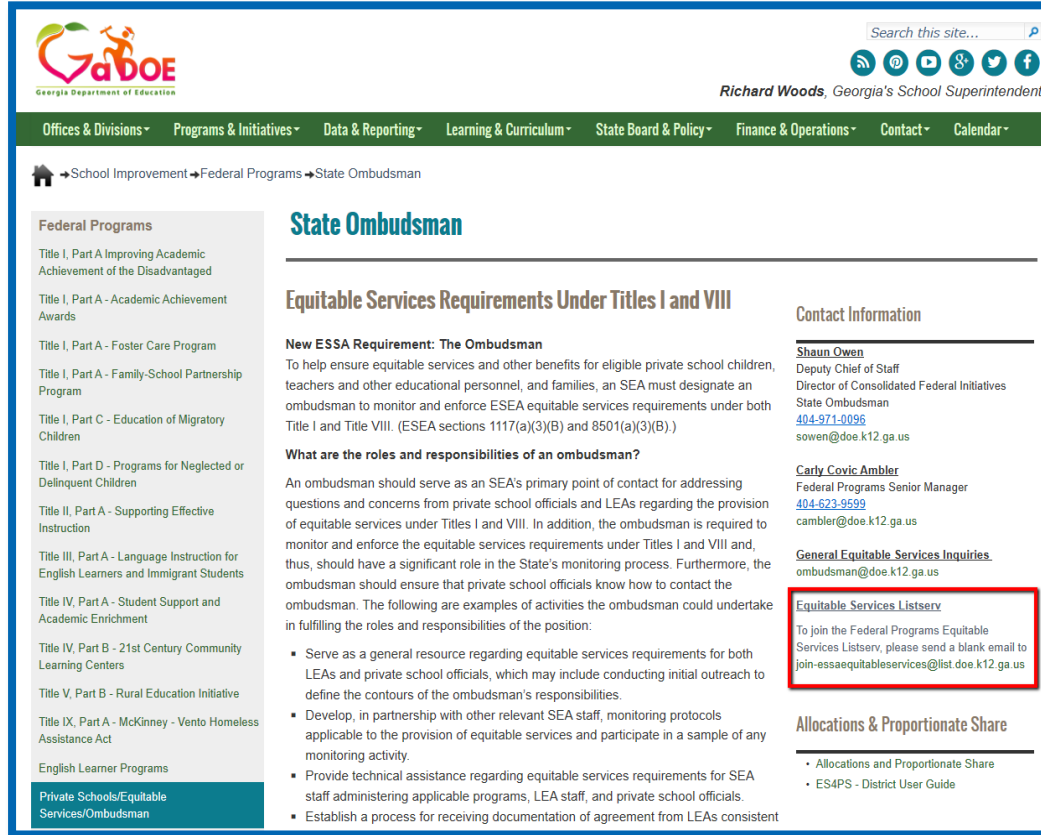
## Working group

We are looking for more private school representatives to join our working group. Email [ombudsman@doe.k12.ga.us](mailto:ombudsman@doe.k12.ga.us) if interested.



# Equitable Services FY20 Updates

## Join our Listserv



The screenshot shows the Georgia Department of Education (GaDOE) website. The navigation ribbon at the top includes: Offices & Divisions, Programs & Initiatives, Data & Reporting, Learning & Curriculum, State Board & Policy, Finance & Operations, Contact, and Calendar. The breadcrumb trail is: Home > School Improvement > Federal Programs > State Ombudsman. The sidebar on the left lists various federal programs, with 'Private Schools/Equitable Services/Ombudsman' highlighted. The main content area is titled 'State Ombudsman' and contains the following sections:

- Equitable Services Requirements Under Titles I and VIII**
  - New ESSA Requirement: The Ombudsman**

To help ensure equitable services and other benefits for eligible private school children, teachers and other educational personnel, and families, an SEA must designate an ombudsman to monitor and enforce ESEA equitable services requirements under both Title I and Title VIII. (ESEA sections 1117(a)(3)(B) and 8501(a)(3)(B).)
  - What are the roles and responsibilities of an ombudsman?**

An ombudsman should serve as an SEA's primary point of contact for addressing questions and concerns from private school officials and LEAs regarding the provision of equitable services under Titles I and VIII. In addition, the ombudsman is required to monitor and enforce the equitable services requirements under Titles I and VIII and, thus, should have a significant role in the State's monitoring process. Furthermore, the ombudsman should ensure that private school officials know how to contact the ombudsman. The following are examples of activities the ombudsman could undertake in fulfilling the roles and responsibilities of the position:

    - Serve as a general resource regarding equitable services requirements for both LEAs and private school officials, which may include conducting initial outreach to define the contours of the ombudsman's responsibilities.
    - Develop, in partnership with other relevant SEA staff, monitoring protocols applicable to the provision of equitable services and participate in a sample of any monitoring activity.
    - Provide technical assistance regarding equitable services requirements for SEA staff administering applicable programs, LEA staff, and private school officials.
    - Establish a process for receiving documentation of agreement from LEAs consistent
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- Equitable Services Listserv**

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- Allocations & Proportionate Share**
  - Allocations and Proportionate Share
  - ES4PS - District User Guide

- To Access Ombudsman Page – Use the Navigation Ribbon on the GaDOE Website:  
Office & Divisions>  
Federal Programs/Title Programs>  
Private Schools/ Equitable Services/ Ombudsman

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# Equitable Services FY20 Updates

## Consultation PPT



- Resources
- Definition of Equitable Services & Programs
- Consultation 101
- ES4PS
- Role of the Ombudsman
- Allocations
- Carryover, Administrative Caps, Transferability
- Timeline of Grant Administration
- Monitoring
- Program Specific Slides (IA, IC, IIA, IIIA, IVA, IVB)



# Equitable Services FY20 Updates

## Consultation PPT

## Equitable Services Initial Consultation Meeting Overview of Consultation

DE1111

- OCGA 20-2-490
- Contact Info
- School System
- Nonprofit Info

*Link from  
Ombudsman  
Webpage to Data  
Collection Form*

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## Equitable Services Initial Consultation Meeting Overview of Consultation

### Nonprofit Status

Annual Confirmation  
Using Secretary of State  
Business Search

### Search Before Invitation & Provision of Services

*Link from Guidance  
on Ombudsman  
Webpage for  
Nonprofit Search*

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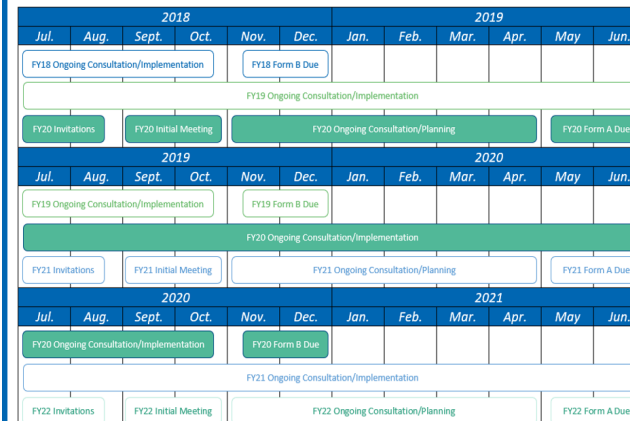
## Equitable Services Initial Consultation Meeting Overview of Consultation

Programs Eligible for Equitable Services  
(FY20 Collection Dates for FY21 Equitable Services)

Count Dates	Count Info	GaDOE Report	Private School Data	Federal Program
October 1, 2019 (Tuesday)	K-12 Enrollment	FTE	Enrollment Data	Title II, Part A & Title IV, Part A
November 1, 2019 (Tuesday)	K-12 Poverty from Eligible Attendance Zones	Free and Reduced Meal	Local Method for Determining Poverty	Title I
March 5, 2020 (Thursday)	K-12 EL Count (ELs must be screened)	FTE	EL Annual Screener Results	Title III, Part A EL
October 1, 2020 (Tuesday)	K-12 Immigrant Student Count	FTE	Students who meet Federal Immigrant Definition	Title III, Part A Immigrant
Spring 2020	K-12 Program Enrollment	21st CLCC Attendance Report	21st CLCC Attendance Report	Title IV, Part B
June 30, 2020	Migrant Enrollment	MSIX Database	MSIX Database	Title I, Part C

### Equitable Services Initial Consultation Timeline

*Equitable Services for Different Fiscal Years Will Overlap*





# Equitable Services Initial Consultation Timeline

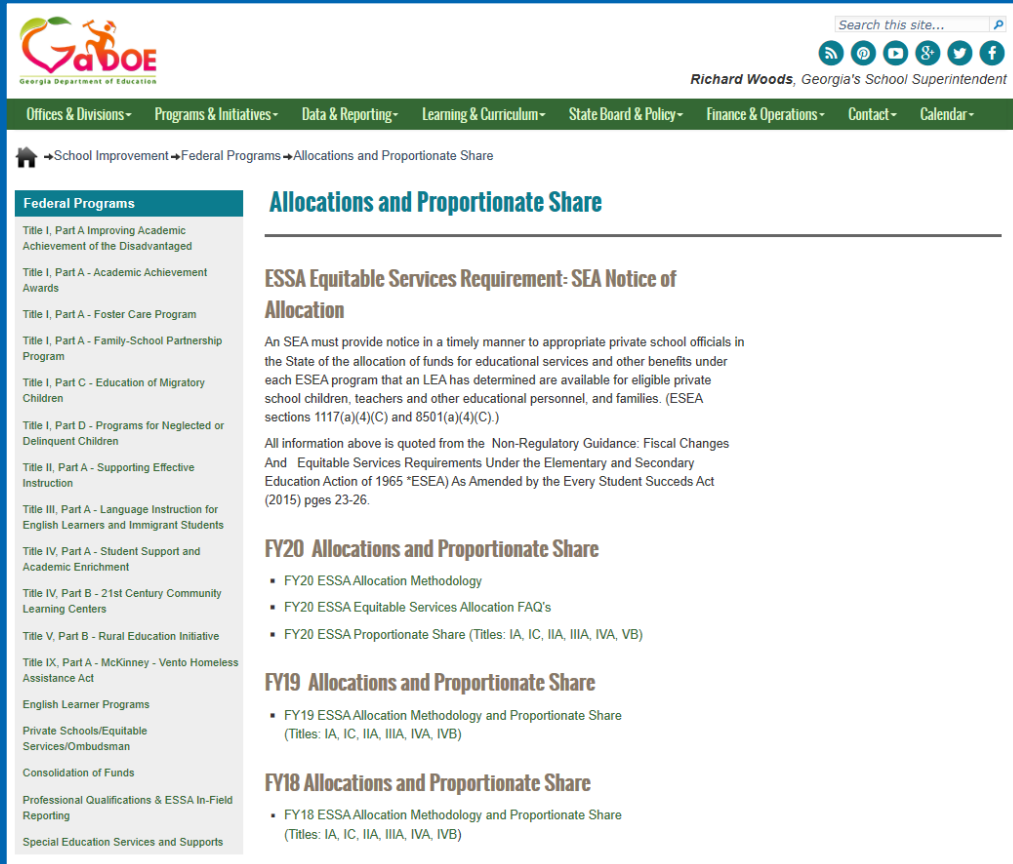
*Equitable Services for Different Fiscal Years Will Overlap*

2018						2019					
Jul.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	Jun.
FY18 Ongoing Consultation/Implementation				FY18 Form B Due							
FY19 Ongoing Consultation/Implementation											
FY20 Invitations		FY20 Initial Meeting		FY20 Ongoing Consultation/Planning						FY20 Form A Due	
2019						2020					
Jul.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	Jun.
FY19 Ongoing Consultation/Implementation				FY19 Form B Due							
FY20 Ongoing Consultation/Implementation											
FY21 Invitations		FY21 Initial Meeting		FY21 Ongoing Consultation/Planning						FY21 Form A Due	
2020						2021					
Jul.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	Jun.
FY20 Ongoing Consultation/Implementation				FY20 Form B Due							
FY21 Ongoing Consultation/Implementation											
FY22 Invitations		FY22 Initial Meeting		FY22 Ongoing Consultation/Planning						FY22 Form A Due	

# Equitable Services FY20 Updates

## Allocations

- Allocations were posted to Ombudsman webpage of GaDOE website. For some programs, final allocations may vary slightly due to different administrative reservations.
- Services for the school year start at the same time. Do NOT wait for program budget approval.
- Consultation must continue throughout the year.
- Changes in service will be captured in ES4PS.



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Richard Woods, Georgia's School Superintendent

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### Federal Programs

- Title I, Part A Improving Academic Achievement of the Disadvantaged
- Title I, Part A - Academic Achievement Awards
- Title I, Part A - Foster Care Program
- Title I, Part A - Family-School Partnership Program
- Title I, Part C - Education of Migratory Children
- Title I, Part D - Programs for Neglected or Delinquent Children
- Title II, Part A - Supporting Effective Instruction
- Title III, Part A - Language Instruction for English Learners and Immigrant Students
- Title IV, Part A - Student Support and Academic Enrichment
- Title IV, Part B - 21st Century Community Learning Centers
- Title V, Part B - Rural Education Initiative
- Title IX, Part A - McKinney - Vento Homeless Assistance Act
- English Learner Programs
- Private Schools/Equitable Services/Ombudsman
- Consolidation of Funds
- Professional Qualifications & ESSA In-Field Reporting
- Special Education Services and Supports

### Allocations and Proportionate Share

#### ESSA Equitable Services Requirement: SEA Notice of Allocation

An SEA must provide notice in a timely manner to appropriate private school officials in the State of the allocation of funds for educational services and other benefits under each ESEA program that an LEA has determined are available for eligible private school children, teachers and other educational personnel, and families. (ESEA sections 1117(a)(4)(C) and 8501(a)(4)(C).)

All information above is quoted from the Non-Regulatory Guidance: Fiscal Changes And Equitable Services Requirements Under the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 "ESEA" As Amended by the Every Student Succeeds Act (2015) pages 23-26.

#### FY20 Allocations and Proportionate Share

- FY20 ESSA Allocation Methodology
- FY20 ESSA Equitable Services Allocation FAQ's
- FY20 ESSA Proportionate Share (Titles: IA, IC, IIA, IIIA, IVA, VB)

#### FY19 Allocations and Proportionate Share


- FY19 ESSA Allocation Methodology and Proportionate Share (Titles: IA, IC, IIA, IIIA, IVA, IVB)

#### FY18 Allocations and Proportionate Share

- FY18 ESSA Allocation Methodology and Proportionate Share (Titles: IA, IC, IIA, IIIA, IVA, IVB)

# Equitable Services FY20 Updates

## Non-Profit Status



**ESSA Equitable Services**  
**Verifying and Documenting Private School Nonprofit Status**

Private schools must demonstrate nonprofit status in order to participate in equitable services under Title IA and Title VIII (IC, IIA, IIIA, IVA, IVB)

The Every Student Succeeds Act of 2015 (ESSA), like the earlier No Child Left Behind Act of 2001 (NCLB), requires LEAs to ensure that private schools that participate in equitable services have active nonprofit status.

Nonprofit, as defined by 34 Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) Part 77.1, means an "agency, organization, or institution, that is owned and operated by one or more corporations or associations whose net earnings do not benefit, and cannot lawfully benefit, any private shareholder or entity."

It is important to note that nonprofit does not mean tax-exempt. While all tax-exempt entities are nonprofits, not all nonprofits are tax-exempt. Tax-exempt status is granted by the IRS and nonprofit status is granted by states.

Georgia's students attend private schools in and out-of-state which means that the documentation available for verifying nonprofit status may vary depending on the state.

**How to Verify Nonprofit Status**

In Georgia, private school nonprofit status must be verified annually. Annual verification is available on Secretary of State websites. In order to look up the status of a private school, LEAs will need the legal business name of the school and/or legal business name of the primary business under which the school falls.

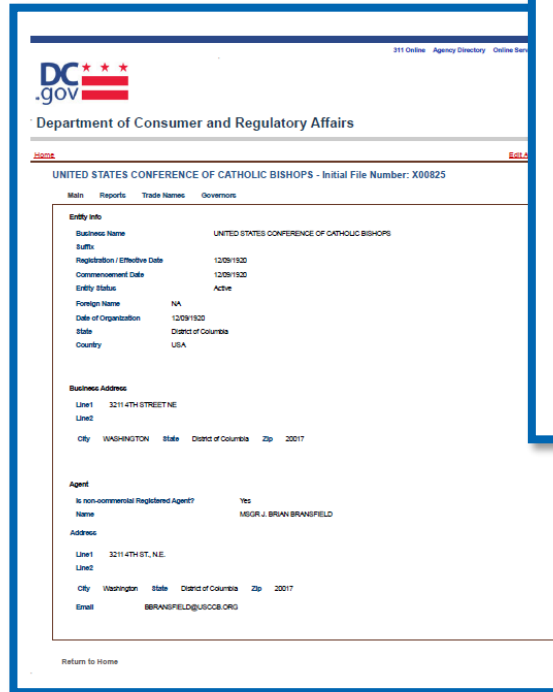
If the school is registered/covered under another business, the school must provide foundational documentation to verify the relationship between the school and other organization and will require the legal business name of the umbrella business to verify nonprofit status.

STATE	DEADLINE FOR RENEWAL	BUSINESS SEARCH	NONPROFIT STATUS
GEORGIA	APRIL	<a href="https://ecorp.sos.ga.gov/BusinessSearch">https://ecorp.sos.ga.gov/BusinessSearch</a>	ACTIVE COMPLIANT
ALABAMA	APRIL/SEPTEMBER	<a href="http://arc-sos.state.al.us/CGI/CORPNAME.MBR/INPUT">http://arc-sos.state.al.us/CGI/CORPNAME.MBR/INPUT</a>	EXISTS
FLORIDA	SEPTEMBER	<a href="http://search.sunbiz.org/inquiry/CorporationSearch/ByName">http://search.sunbiz.org/inquiry/CorporationSearch/ByName</a>	ACTIVE
NORTH CAROLINA	ROLLING DEADLINE	<a href="https://www.sosnc.gov/search/index/corp">https://www.sosnc.gov/search/index/corp</a>	CURRENT ACTIVE
SOUTH CAROLINA	MAY	<a href="https://businessfilings.sc.gov/BusinessFiling/Entity/Search">https://businessfilings.sc.gov/BusinessFiling/Entity/Search</a>	GOOD STANDING
TENNESSEE	SEPTEMBER	<a href="https://tnbear.tn.gov/e-commerce/default.aspx">https://tnbear.tn.gov/e-commerce/default.aspx</a>	ACTIVE

- Annual Confirmation Using Secretary of State Business Search
- Search Before Invitation & Provision of Services
- Private School must Provide Documentation if They are a Subsidiary of Another Organization and its nonprofit status

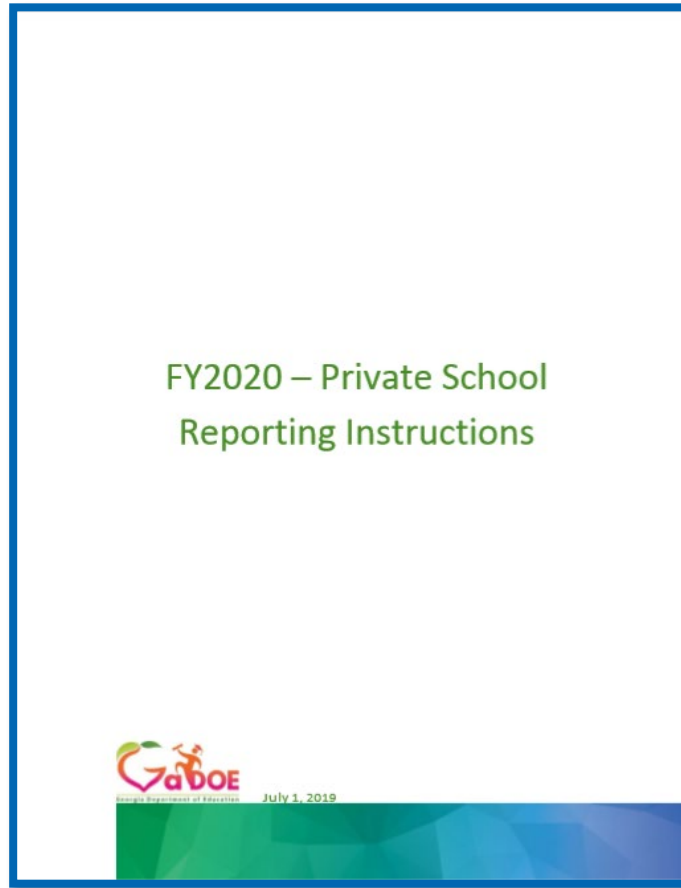
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# Equitable Services FY20 Updates

## Private School Reporting - DE1111 Submission



- Phase 1: School Review Period (September – Start of November)
  - Access a List of Private Schools
  - Add a Private School
  - Edit a Private School
  - Request to Delete a Private School
- Phase 2: Report Private School Enrollment (DE1111 Submission) (November 5 – November 27, 2019)

# Equitable Services FY20 Updates

## Private School Reporting - DE1111 Submission

Georgia Department of Education  
Private School Data Entry FY2020

Edit Private School  
601-Appling County

System: 601 Appling County  
[Back to Private School Data](#)

**Edit Private School Information**

Private School ID:	19		
Private School Name:	Appling Christian Academy		
501c3 Status	No		
Profit/Non-Profit	Non-Profit		
School WebSite:			
School Telephone:(nnnnnnnnn)	9123673004	School Email:	applingchristian@bellsouth.net
Mailing Address 1:	1479 Hatch Parkway, S.		
Address 2:			
City:	Baxley	State:	GA Zip Code: 31513
Location Address 1:	1479 Hatch Parkway, S.		
Address 2:			
City:	Baxley	State:	GA Zip Code: 31513
Private School County Location:	Appling		
GA County/City responsible for Contact Info:	601-Appling County		
<b>Private School Contact Information</b>			
Contact Last Name:	Dyal	First Name:	Key
Title of Contact:	Unknown		
Contact Telephone: (nnnnnnnnn)	9123673004	School Contact Email:	acakaydial@bellsouth.net
Last Updated	pmiller@doe.k12.ga.us 10-22-2018 04:11:03 pm		

CONFIRM - this Private School is located in this Public School District



# Equitable Services FY20 Updates

## Private School Reporting - DE1111 Submission

**PRIVATE SCHOOL REPORT OF STUDENTS ENROLLED**

Georgia law (O.C.G.A. § 20-2-690) provides, Within 30 days after the beginning of each school year, it shall be the duty of the administrator of each private school to provide to the school superintendent of each local public school district which has residents enrolled in the private school a list of the name, age, and residence of each resident so enrolled. At the end of each school month, it shall be the duty of the administrator of each private school to notify the school superintendent of each local public school district of the name, age, and residence of each student residing in the public school district who enrolls or terminates enrollment at the private school during the immediately preceding school month. **Such records shall indicate when attendance has been suspended and the grounds for such suspension.**

**Data Collected by the DE1111 in November will be used to cross-reference K-12 enrollment information provided by private schools participating in Equitable Services Under Title II, Part A and Title IV, Part A of ESSA. By law ESSA allocations are determined on a per pupil basis and, in Georgia, are extracted from an official count taken the first Tuesday of October. DE1111 enrollment information submitted in November should reflect enrollment information collected on the first Tuesday of October.**

**Private School Information**

Name of Private School \_\_\_\_\_

501c3 Status Yes No **(circle one)**

Profit/Non-Profit Status Profit Non-Profit **(circle one)**

School Website \_\_\_\_\_

School Telephone \_\_\_\_\_

School Email \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_

City / State / Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Location Address \_\_\_\_\_

City / State / Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Private School is located within the geographic boundary of \_\_\_\_\_ Public School System **(circle one)** City or County.

**Private School Contact Information**

Contact Last Name \_\_\_\_\_

Contact First Name \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Title \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Telephone \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Email \_\_\_\_\_

Total Enrollment \_\_\_\_\_

Grades \_\_\_\_\_

Public School System to Which Submitted \_\_\_\_\_

### GaDOE Resources

- Federal Programs Handbook
- ESSA Consultation Requirements
- GaDOE Guidance: Nonprofit Status
- GaDOE Guidance: Use of the W9/1099
- GaDOE Guidance: Transferability
- Data Collections Private School Support
  - FY20 DE1111 Form Private School
  - Data Collections Private School List
  - GA County Zip Code List
  - IES>NCES School District Look-up

## DE1111

OCGA 20-2-490

Contact Info

School System

Nonprofit Info

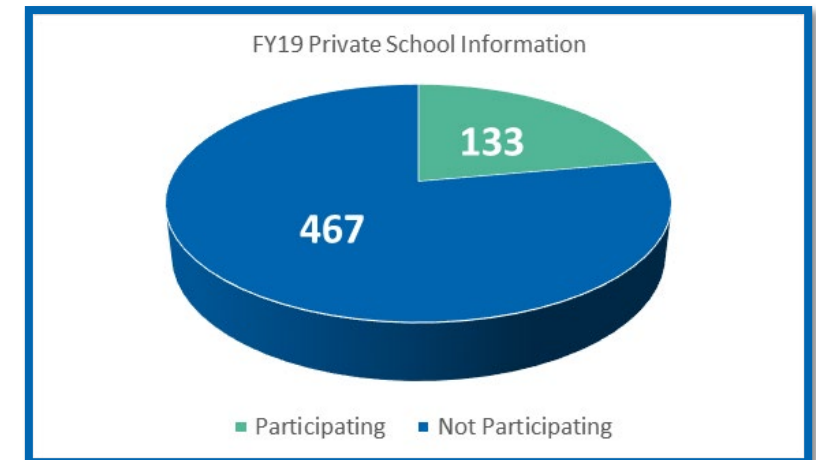
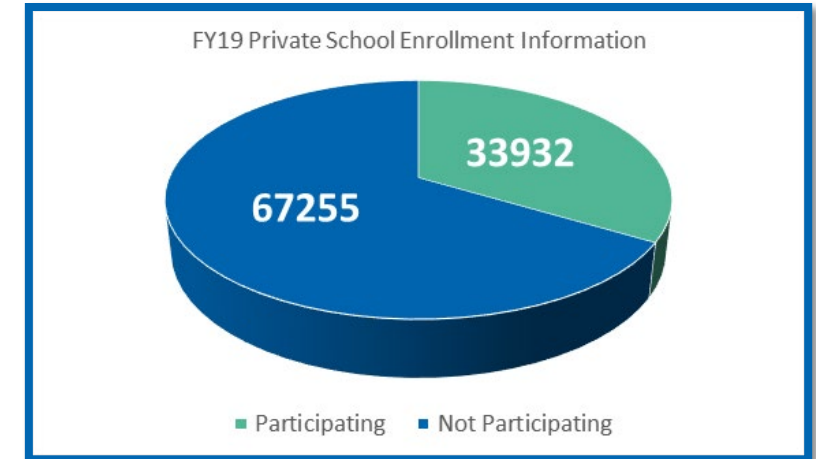
*Within 30 after the beginning of each school year, it **shall** be the duty of the administrator of each private school to provide to the school superintendent of each local public school district which has residents enrolled in the private school a list of the name, age, and residence of each resident so enrolled.*



# Equitable Services FY20 Updates

## Private School Reporting - DE1111 Submission

- 600 Private Schools Reported Enrollment Data through DE1111 Submission in FY19
  - 101,187 students reported as enrolled in the 600 schools
- 133 Private Schools that Reported Enrollment Data through DE1111 Submission in FY19 participated in equitable services
  - 33,932 students reported as enrolled in 133 participating private schools



# Equitable Services FY20 Updates

## Equitable Services for Private Schools (ES4PS) Application Updates

Dashboard	School List	Invitation Manager	Form A	Form B
Captures status of Invitations, Form A, and Form B.	List of Schools within geographic boundaries. May be edited to add or remove schools in school list to LEA List.	Templates for electronic invitations to private schools for initial consultation. Sent out one year prior to services.	Form submitted by LEAs to SEA by June 30 indicating the programs in which private schools are participating and student counts for allocations.	Form submitted by LEAs to SEA by December 15 indicating the programs in which private schools participated and of they were provided equitably aligned w/ consultation.
<b>LEA Use Only</b> Accessed through SLDS	<b>LEA Use Only</b> Accessed through SLDS	<b>LEAs</b> – Accessed through SLDS <b>Private Schools</b> – Accessed through email link (2 weeks)	<b>LEAs</b> – Accessed through SLDS <b>Private Schools</b> – Accessed through email link (2 weeks)	<b>LEAs</b> – Accessed through SLDS <b>Private Schools</b> – Accessed through email link (2 weeks)
Updates: Increased Statuses	Updates: All schools available Additional contacts Nightly Feed DE1111	Updates: Email Templates Length of Access General Functionality	Updates: Count Information LEA Enters, PS Verifies General Functionality	Updates: Streamlines Responses General Functionality

# Equitable Services FY20 Updates

## Equitable Services for Private Schools (ES4PS) Application Updates

District Contact Info

Official Title\*

Official Title

Official First Name\*

Official First Name

Official Last Name\*

Official Last Name

Official Email\*

Official Email


Official Phone\*

Official Telephone

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# Equitable Services FY20 Updates

## Equitable Services for Private Schools (ES4PS) Application Updates

 **Equitable Services 4 Private Schools (ES4PS)**

[Home](#) [School List](#) [Invitation Manager](#) [Admin](#) [Log Out](#)

School Year:  District: Atkinson County

You are logged in as: District User

Invitations Summary

Total Invitations Sent:	1
Invitations Opened:	1
Invitations Accepted:	1
Percentage Invitations Accepted:	100%

Form A Summary

Total Form A Created:	0
Total Form A Sent:	0
Form A District Revision Requested:	0
Form A School Saved:	0
Form A School Signed Off:	0
Form A School & District Signed Off:	0
Percentage School & District Signed Off:	0%

Form B Summary

Total Form B Created:	0
Total Form B Sent:	0
Form B District Revision Requested:	0
Form B School Saved:	0
Form B School Signed Off:	0
Form B School & District Signed Off:	0
Percentage School & District Signed Off:	0%

# Equitable Services FY20 Updates

## Equitable Services for Private Schools (ES4PS) Application Updates

Equitable Services 4 Private Schools (ES4PS) User Manual

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School Year:  District: Atkinson County You are logged in as: District User

[Add New Schools Association](#)

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District Name	School Name	Address	School Contact	Phone Number	Email	Actions
No Results Found!						

**School Association**

Search By:

**All Private Schools**

- Appling County - Appling Christian Academy
- Atlanta Public Schools - Atlanta International School
- Atlanta Public Schools - Atlanta Speech School
- Atlanta Public Schools - Atlanta Youth Academy
- Atlanta Public Schools - Bright Futures Academy

**Private Schools Associated to your district**

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- Atlanta Public Schools - Galloway School

**Private Schools Associated to your district**

- Atlanta Public Schools - Atlanta International School

[Add/Delete School Association](#)

# Equitable Services FY20 Updates

## Equitable Services for Private Schools (ES4PS) Application Updates

**View School**

**Name of Private School:**

**School Website:**

**School Email: \***

**School Telephone: \***

**Mailing Address: \***

**Mailing City: \***

**Mailing State: \***

**Mailing ZIP Code: \***

**Location Address: \***

**Location City: \***

**Location State: \***

**Location ZIP Code: \***

**Is this school a non-profit school? \*** ☒ Yes ☐ No

**Private School Contact Information**

**DE1111 Contact Last Name: \***

**DE1111 Contact First Name: \***

**DE1111 Contact Title:**

**DE1111 Contact Telephone: \***

**DE1111 Contact Email: \***

**Secondary Contact Last Name:**

**Secondary Contact First Name:**

**Secondary Contact Title:**

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# Equitable Services FY20 Updates

## Equitable Services for Private Schools (ES4PS) Application Updates

 **Equitable Services 4 Private Schools (ES4PS)**

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School Year: 2020 - 2021 District: Appling County You are logged in as: District User

[Create Invitations](#) [Manage Invitation Template](#)

<input type="checkbox"/>	District Name	School Name	Last Invitation Sent Date	Last Invitation Sent By	Invitation Status	Actions
<input type="checkbox"/>	Appling County (601 )	Appling Christian Academy (19 )				<a href="#">Create</a> <a href="#">History</a>

[Create Invitations](#) [Manage Invitation Template](#)

<input type="checkbox"/>	District Name	School Name	Last Invitation Sent Date	Last Invitation Sent By	Invitation Status	Actions
<input type="checkbox"/>	Atlanta Public Schools (761 )	Atlanta International School (33 )	09/20/2019 08:25 AM	AMBLER , CARLY	Sent	<a href="#">View</a> <a href="#">History</a> <a href="#">Resend</a>

Invitation history

District Name	School Name	Invitation Sent to	Invitation Sent Date	Invitation Sent By	Invitation Status	Actions
Atlanta Public Schools(761)	Atlanta International School (33)	STipparaju@doe.k12.ga.us;a giri@doe.k12.ga.us;cambler@doe.k12.ga.us	09/20/2019 08:25:26 AM	AMBLER , CARLY	Sent	<a href="#">View</a>



# Equitable Services FY20 Updates

## Equitable Services for Private Schools (ES4PS) Application Updates

Preview Invitations

Select Invitation Template

Atkinson County Template

Preview Invitation

Template Details

**Subject:**ESSA Equitable Services Invitation to Consultation Meeting - Atkinson County

**Details:**  
School Name: Atlanta International School  
District Name: Atkinson County  
Private School Administrators,

Under the Every Student Succeeds Act of 2015, school districts are required to reach out to all eligible private schools regarding the provision of equitable services. For Title I, Part A LEAs must invite private schools (located within or outside of the district and the state) with students residing within the local district's geographical boundaries. For Title VIII (Title I, Part C; Title II, Part A, Title III, Part A, Title IV, Part A, and Title IV, Part B), the private school must be located in the district's geographical boundaries. For Title IV, Part B, non-LEAs may reach outside the geographical boundaries depending on the service area listed in the contract.

As you respond to this invitation online, please do not hesitate to reach out to the District to answer questions, provide any program specific information or update any information.

Send Invitations

Invitation Emails

Are you sure you want to send Invitation Emails to 1 school(s).

Send Invitations

No

Invitation Emails

Invitation emails sent to respective schools!

# Equitable Services FY20 Updates

## Equitable Services for Private Schools (ES4PS) Application Updates

Invitation Details

School Name:

Atlanta International School (33)

Sent Date:

09/20/2019 08:25 AM

Sent By:

AMBLER , CARLY

Details:

Atlanta International School  
Atkinson County

Private School Administrators,

Under the Every Student Succeeds Act of 2015, school districts are required to reach out to all eligible private schools regarding the provision of equitable services. For Title I, Part A LEAs must invite private schools (located within or outside of the district and the state) with students residing within the local district's geographical boundaries. For Title VIII (Title I, Part C; Title II, Part A, Title III, Part A, Title IV, Part A, and Title IV, Part B), the private school must be located in the district's geographical boundaries. For Title IV, Part B, non-LEAs may reach outside the geographical boundaries depending on the service area listed in the contract.


As you respond to this invitation online, please do not hesitate to reach out to the District to answer questions, provide any program specific information or update any information.

Please click the link below to provide a response to the District. This link will expire in two weeks.

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# Equitable Services FY20 Updates

## Equitable Services for Private Schools (ES4PS) Application Updates

 **Equitable Services 4 Private Schools (ES4PS)**

**Private School Name:** Atlanta International School

**Private School Address:** 2890 North Fulton Dr.

**Private School Official:** Wilson, Abasiemek

**District Name:** Atkinson County

**LEA Official:** ,

Invitation Questions

Initial Consultation

Does the private school plan to attend the initial consultation with this district? \*

☐ Yes

☐ No

Comments

Does the private school plan to attend the initial consultation with this district?

Invitation: Question 1

# Equitable Services FY20 Updates

## Equitable Services for Private Schools (ES4PS) Application Updates

Participation in Federal Programs

If unavailable for initial consultation, does the private school wish to participate in equitable services under ESSA?

☐ Yes

☐ No

Comments

If unavailable for initial consultation, does the private school wish to participate in equitable services under ESSA?

Submit

Invitation: Question 2

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## Equitable Services for Private Schools (ES4PS) Application Updates

The screenshot displays a web browser window with the URL <https://uatfederalapps.doe.k12.ga.us/ES4PSWeb/InvitationManager/InviteQuestions?Guid=dfa747bf-baac-4634-abad-8a749424c4a4>. The browser's address bar and tabs are visible at the top. The main content area is titled "Invitation Questions" and contains two sections: "Initial Consultation" and "Participation in Federal Programs".

**Initial Consultation**

Does the private school plan to attend the initial consultation with this district? \*

☒ Yes  
☐ No

Comments

**Participation in Federal Programs**

If unavailable for initial consultation, does the private school wish to participate in equitable services under ESSA?

☐ Yes  
☒ No

Comments

Submit

**Invitation Responses** X

**Invitation responses saved successfully.**

# Equitable Services FY20 Updates

## Equitable Services for Private Schools (ES4PS) Application Updates

- 2018-2019 Equitable Services
  - Form B should be open in ES4PS in the next couple of weeks.
  - Form B is due on or before December 15, 2019.
- 2019-2020 Equitable Services
  - Services & Consultation are ongoing.
  - Form B will be due December 2020.
- 2020-2021 Equitable Services
  - Invitations should be open in ES4PS by September 30, 2019.
  - Invitations should be sent by mid-October 2019.
  - Form A should be open in ES4PS in the next couple of weeks.
  - Form A is due on or before June 30, 2020.

# Equitable Services FY20 Updates

## Recent Guidance Update

In regards to your inquiry about requiring reimbursement from a private school teacher who failed to attend a prepaid Title II activity, I hope the following information is helpful.

Applicable Federal law governing the provision of equitable services under the ESEA does not provide authority for an LEA to require a private school teacher to reimburse it for expenses incurred when a private school teacher misses his flight to a conference and does not attend the conference. Rather, any such authority likely would be dependent on whether there was a written agreement or contract between the LEA and private school officials regarding this type of scenario. If there is not such an agreement or contract already, it would be prudent for the LEA to engage with private school officials to discuss instituting a policy of the teacher or private school providing reimbursement if this happens again, especially because, based on the information in your question, private school officials did not ensure that their teacher attended the conference despite the LEA's having already paid for his flight and conference registration fee and because reimbursement is its policy for public school teachers in these situations.

Please note that, since the LEA never received a benefit from the expenditures, they are unallowable Title II, Part A expenses because the cost was not allocable to the federal grant under the Uniform guidance (See 2 C.F.R. 200.405). As a result, the LEA must use non-federal funds for the prepaid expenditures instead of federal funds.

Since it was not the fault of the LEA that the private school teacher did not attend the conference, the LEA could reasonably consider that the private school declined the services. As a result, the LEA would not have to provide equitable services from the Title II funds that otherwise would have been used to pay for the conference and associated travel and may use these funds for its public school Title II program.

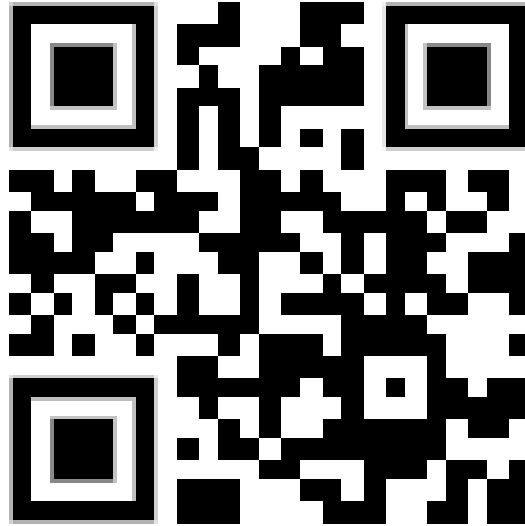
Jenay Morrissey, ONPE 08.08.19



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## Feedback

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