

## **IC 20-25-10**

### **Chapter 10. Board Plan for Improvement of Student Achievement**

#### **IC 20-25-10-1**

##### **Plan for improvement of student achievement; conformity with school laws**

Sec. 1. (a) The board shall modify, develop, and implement a plan for the improvement of student achievement in the schools in the school city.

(b) A plan modified, developed, and implemented under this chapter must be consistent with this article and with IC 20-31-1, IC 20-31-2, IC 20-31-5, IC 20-31-6, IC 20-31-7, IC 20-31-8, IC 20-31-9, and IC 20-31-10.

*As added by P.L.1-2005, SEC.9.*

#### **IC 20-25-10-2**

##### **Plan requirements**

Sec. 2. The plan modified, developed, and implemented under this chapter must do the following:

- (1) Provide for efforts to increase support of the schools by:
  - (A) the parents of students; and
  - (B) the neighborhood communities surrounding the schools.
- (2) Establish student performance improvement levels for students in each school in the school city that are not less rigorous than the student performance improvement levels developed under IC 20-31.
- (3) Provide opportunity and support for the educators in each school to develop a school plan, including:
  - (A) traditional or innovative methods and approaches to improve student achievement; and
  - (B) efficient and cost effective management efforts in the school;

that are developed consistently with IC 20-25-12-1 and with the board's plan developed under this chapter.

- (4) Require annual reports identifying the progress of student achievement for each school as described in IC 20-20-8-8 and IC 20-25-9-6.

- (5) Provide for the effective evaluation of:

- (A) each school in the school city; and
- (B) the school's educators;

including the consideration of student achievement in the school.

- (6) Provide a range of opportunity for remediation of students who:

- (A) fail to meet state achievement standards; or
- (B) are at risk of academic failure.

- (7) Require action to raise the level of performance of a school if the school's students fail to achieve student performance improvement levels established for the school under

IC 20-25-11-1.

*As added by P.L.1-2005, SEC.9.*

### **IC 20-25-10-3**

#### **Modification, development, publication, and implementation of plan**

Sec. 3. The board shall:

- (1) modify, develop, and publish the plan required under this chapter; and
- (2) implement the modified plan;

in compliance with the timelines of IC 20-31-1, IC 20-31-5, IC 20-31-6, IC 20-31-7, IC 20-31-8, IC 20-31-9, and IC 20-31-10.

*As added by P.L.1-2005, SEC.9. Amended by P.L.231-2005, SEC.28; P.L.1-2006, SEC.323.*

### **IC 20-25-10-4**

#### **Revisions; publication required**

Sec. 4. If the board revises the plan required under this chapter after the plan is published, the board shall publish the revisions.

*As added by P.L.1-2005, SEC.9.*

### **IC 20-25-10-5**

#### **Assessment and evaluation of educational programs**

Sec. 5. (a) The board shall annually assess and evaluate educational programs offered by the school city to determine:

- (1) the relationship of the programs to improved student achievement; and
- (2) the educational value of the programs in relation to cost.

(b) The board may obtain information from:

- (1) educators in the schools offering a program;
- (2) students participating in a program; and
- (3) the parents of students participating in a program;

in preparing an assessment and evaluation under this section. The assessment must include the performance of the school's students in achieving student performance improvement levels under IC 20-31-1, IC 20-31-5, IC 20-31-6, IC 20-31-7, IC 20-31-8, IC 20-31-9, IC 20-31-10, and IC 20-25-11.

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