

**~~PROGRAM FOR LIMITED ENGLISH PROFICIENT STUDENTS~~ ENGLISH LEARNERS**

The School Board recognizes the need to provide a program for students who are ~~limited in English proficiency~~ **English learners** in order to assure **these students of** equal educational opportunity.

**To that end,** the Superintendent shall **appoint a Lau Plan Coordinator, who will** be responsible for developing and implementing a plan to meet the needs of ~~such~~ **these** students. **This Lau Plan shall include** ~~including~~ procedures for **screening,** identification, **provision of services,** assessment, ~~programming,~~ **exiting, and** monitoring. ~~and follow-up.~~ A Language Assessment Committee ~~shall be appointed to assist in the coordination, oversight and~~ **The Lau Plan Coordinator will also conduct** periodic reviews of the program.

The Lau Plan ~~developed by the school unit~~ shall be approved by the Board **before it is submitted to the Maine Department of Education.**

Legal References: Title VI of the 1964 Civil Rights Act  
Title III of the 1965 Elementary and Secondary Education Act  
~~Ch. 127.02 (Maine Dept. of Ed. Rule)~~ **Chapter 127.02 (Maine Department of Education Rule)**

Cross Reference: Cape Elizabeth School's **School Department** Lau Plan

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