



# **SW Plains ESOL Update**

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# EL Standards Adopted 9/11/2018

- Adopted by the State Board of Education on September 11, 2018
- Found at [www.ksde.org](http://www.ksde.org)
  - English Language Proficiency Standards
- ***Use new standards beginning school year 2019-2020***

# EL Standards

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**English Language Proficiency Standards**

Before presenting new or revised curricular standards to the Kansas State Board of Education for adoption, the Kansas State Department of Education's Career Standards and Assessment Services team provides the public opportunities to comment. Paper copies of the proposed revised standards will be available at both public hearings, which will take place:

- Noon to 2 p.m., Tuesday, July 24, Maple Room of the Hyatt Regency, 400 West Waterman St. in Wichita.
- 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m., Tuesday, Aug. 7, in the Kansas State Department of Education Board Room (Landon State Office Building, Suite 102), 900 S.W. Jackson St. in Topeka.

The proposed English Language Proficiency Standards will be posted on the KSDE website ([www.ksde.org](http://www.ksde.org)) for public comment from Wednesday, July 25, to Friday, Aug. 10. They can be accessed at <https://www.ksde.org/Default.aspx?tabid=459>. The public can comment on the proposed standards by submitting a letter addressed to the Kansas State Department of Education, Career Standards and Assessment Services Team - Public Comment, 900 S.W. Jackson St., Topeka, KS 66612; sending an email addressed to [SESPublicComments@ksde.org](mailto:SESPublicComments@ksde.org); or by attending one of the two public hearings listed above. The proposed standards will be presented to the Kansas State Board of Education at 3:20 p.m. Tuesday, Aug. 14.

Title	Description
<a href="#">Approved 2018 Kansas Standards for English Learners</a>	
<a href="#">Kansas English Language Proficiency (ELP) Standards (2014)</a>	

**Early Language Learning/Dual Language Learners**

Title	Description
<a href="#">Pre-K English Language Proficiency Standards 2011</a>	Guidance for working with preschool children developing multiple languages
<a href="#">The Early Years: Dual Language Learners</a>	WIDA Bulletin focused on approaches to working with pre-school age Dual Language and English Language Learners

**English Language Proficiency Quick Links:**

- [English Language Proficiency Home](#)
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# Update on ESOL Endorsement



**No changes** have been made at this time.

# ***Timeline for revised ESOL Endorsement***

- Regulation going through legal process that *if passed* would require an additional professional learning activity for those who take the Praxis (without doing a program).
- This set of regulations is still at the very beginning stages in the legal process.
- Timeline will be determined by how long it takes the two offices (Department of Administration and Attorney General) to review and stamp approval.

# ***Timeline for revised ESOL Endorsement***

- Following their approval, the regulations must be published for 60 days and then a hearing by the state board is held with action the following month.
- It will take 3-4 months (at least) before any action is taken.
- Effective date would be a month or so later, but there will most likely be a transition period as well.

# Change in Exit Criteria for 2017-2018

*Beginning 2017-2018*, when a student scores proficient on the KELPA2 **one** year

Options:

1. Transitional year- provide services and receive funding for student (must document minutes served in KIDS D41). Then placed on monitored status for *two* years.

OR

2. Monitored- Exit from program and place on monitored status *two* years.



# KELPA2 Timeline

## January

4<sup>th</sup>- KELPA2 Examiner's Manual released

1<sup>st</sup> – 18<sup>th</sup> Submit TEST records and complete PNPs for students taking KELPA2

Demos made available to use with students

## February

Testing & Scoring window opens Feb. 4<sup>th</sup>.

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# KELPA2 Timeline continued

## March

8<sup>th</sup> - Testing window closes at 5:00 pm

22<sup>nd</sup> - Last day to enter SC codes

Contact Lee Jones [ljones@ksde.org](mailto:ljones@ksde.org) or  
785-296-4349 with questions

29<sup>th</sup> - Scoring closes at 5:00 pm

**July** - Check your data in AMOSS. *Be sure to have someone available during that time*

# Who takes the KELPA2 this year?

Students who are eligible for EL services- **YES**

Students who receive EL services- **YES**

Students who are eligible for services but parents have waived EL services- **YES**

Students in transitional year- **NO**

Students monitored- **NO**

# **KIDS TEST Collection**

Submit TEST records January 1- January 18, 2019

Submit TEST records for any EL who enrolls during the Test Window

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# TEST Collection

Collection includes

- D77- Kansas English Language Proficiency Assessment (KELPA2)
- D78- KELPA2 Proctor ID
- D79- KELPA2 Proctor First Name
- D80 KELPA2 Proctor Last Name

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# Resources for KELPA2

## Kansas Assessment Program

- <https://ksassessments.org>
  - DTC Webinars
  - KELPA2 information

KELPA2 Fact Sheet – available on [www.ksde.org](http://www.ksde.org)

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# Comments/ Questions



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