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Human Resources	Chapter 49 Article XVII 24 P.S. Section 12- 1201-12- 1215 24 P.S. Chapter 339 339.41 Section 1109(A) Act 55 of 2024	Certification	Shall Employ Shall Employ	Ongoing	1	Added New Section School entities shall employ professional employees who meet certification and professional standards and shall have an in-service plan on file that ensures professional personnel remain current with practices and standards of their professional areas. Every teacher employed to teach in the public schools of this Commonwealth must be a person of good moral character, must be at least 18 years of age, and must be a citizen of the United States or authorized to work in the United States: provided, that citizenship may be waived in the case of exchange teachers not permanently employed, and teachers employed for the purpose of teaching foreign languages including special teachers who speak the idiomatic or colloquial language of immigrants residing in the school district, and employed for the purpose of easing the transition period of such immigrants.
Human Resources	20 USCA Sec. 1681 2024 Title IX Final Rule	Discrimination / Title IX Sexual Harassment	Shall Provide	Ongoing	9	Revised   Added Content School entities shall provide all persons equal access to all categories of employment, regardless of race, color, age, religious creed, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, ancestry, national origin, marital status, genetic information, handicap / disability, or pregnancy, childbirth, or pregnancy- related conditions. School entities shall make reasonable accommodations for identified physical and mental impairments that constitute disabilities, as well as pregnancy, childbirth, and pregnancy-

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						related conditions, consistent with the requirements of federal and state laws and regulations.
			Shall Comply	Ongoing		School entities shall comply with federal law and regulations under Title IX prohibiting sex-based discrimination and harassment.
			Shall Utilize	Prior to August 1, 2024		For conduct that occurred before August 1, 2024, schools must use policies and procedures under the 2020 regulations, regardless of when it is reported.
			Shall Utilize	On or After August 1, 2024		For conduct that occurred on or after August 1, 2024, schools must use the new 2024 regulations (unless a school entity is associated with a current injunction in place).
			Shall Maintain	Ongoing		Schools must maintain both sets of policies indefinitely.
			Shall Require	Ongoing		Schools must require all employees who are not confidential employees to notify the Title IX Coordinator of information about conduct that reasonably may constitute sex discrimination under Title IX.
			Shall Complete	Upon Hire / Change of Position that Alters an Employee's Duties under Title IX / Annually Thereafter		<ul> <li>2024 Title IX Regulations established four tiers of training: <ul> <li>All employees.</li> <li>Investigators, decision-makers, appeal decision-makers, and others responsible for implementing the grievance procedures or have the authority to modify or terminate supportive measures.</li> <li>Facilitators of Informal Resolution.</li> <li>Title IX coordinators and designees.</li> </ul> </li> <li>Note: Training requirements vary based on tier.</li> </ul>
			Shall Maintain	7 Years		School entities must maintain records for seven years. This includes each complaint, each notification, and all training materials.

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						Note: Regulations are based on the 2024 Title IX Final Rule; school entities associated with current injunctions shall continue to comply with the 2020 regulations.
Health & Wellness	Section 742 Act 39 of 2018	Lead Testing	Shall Implement Shall Report	Immediately	12	Added ClarificationIf a school entity tests for lead levels in their drinking water and finds lead levels in excess of the maximum contaminant level goal or milligrams per liter as set by the United States Environmental Protection Agency's National Primary Drinking Water Regulations, the school entity shall implement a plan to ensure that no child or adult is exposed to lead- contaminated drinking water and provide alternate sources of drinking water.Elevated lead levels must be reported to the PA Department of Education.Note: School entities that use their own water source and are regulated as a public water system under the Safe
Curriculum	Chapter 339 339.21	Career & Technical Education (CTC)	Shall Develop	Ongoing	23	public water system under the Safe Drinking Water Act (SDWA) shall comply with the Lead and Copper Rule (LCR). Added Clarification Schools must develop an admissions policy regarding entrance to a vocational education program. The policy must state whether enrollment is unlimited or limited. If enrollment is limited, an admissions policy must include nondiscriminatory eligibility requirements to predict a student's success in a given program. If a school develops a recruitment program, announcements concerning vocational education must exemplify freedom from occupational stereotypes and, to the extent

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			Shall Provide	Ongoing		Guidance personnel shall provide students the information necessary to make informed decisions regarding the selection of appropriate vocational- technical education programs and discuss the importance of high school academic achievement and postsecondary education and training to career success.
						Revised   Added Content
		Shall Provide	Ongoing		A school entity shall provide an equal opportunity for all students through programs and activities offered by the school entity without discrimination on the basis of race, color, age, religious creed, religion, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, ancestry, national origin, marital status, pregnancy, or handicap/disability.	
		Discrimination /				Note: The 2024 Title IX Final Rule reaffirms the rights of parenting students.
Policy & Procedure –	20 USCA Sec. 1681		Shall Comply	Ongoing	29	A school entity shall comply with federal law and regulations under Title IX prohibiting sex-based discrimination and harassment.
Student Procedures	Student Student Procedures Final Rule Title IX Sexual Harassment Harassment		Shall Utilize	Prior to August 1, 2024		For conduct that occurred before August 1, 2024, schools must use policies and procedures under the 2020 regulations, regardless of when it is reported.
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			Shall Complete Shall Complete Shall Maintain	Upon Hire / Change of Position that Alters an Employee's Duties under Title IX / Annually Thereafter (Staff) Ongoing (Students) 7 Years		<ul> <li>reasonably may constitute sex discrimination under Title IX.</li> <li>2024 Title IX Regulations established four tiers of training: <ul> <li>All employees.</li> <li>Investigators, decision-makers, appeal decision-makers, and others responsible for implementing the grievance procedures or have the authority to modify or terminate supportive measures.</li> <li>Facilitators of Informal Resolution.</li> <li>Title IX coordinators and designees.</li> </ul> </li> <li>Note: Training requirements vary based on tier.</li> <li>Students must complete training to prevent, identify, and alleviate problems of discrimination.</li> <li>School entities must maintain records for seven years. This includes each complaint, each notification, and all training materials.</li> </ul>
						Note: Regulations are based on the 2024 Title IX Final Rule; school entities associated with current injunctions shall continue to comply with the 2020 regulations.
Policy & Procedure – Student Procedures	2024 Title IX Final Rule	Exclusions from School			33	Added Content Allegations of Sex Discrimination When a student is accused of sex discrimination, including sex-based harassment, Title IX rules require that the grievance process, including any appeal, be completed before any disciplinary sanctions can be imposed. The rules allow for emergency removal of a student if after conducting an individualized safety and risk analysis, the school determines there is an imminent threat to the health and safety of any person arising from the allegations. An imminent or serious

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						threat includes the mental or emotional health or safety of a person. Note: Emergency removal does not modify any rights under the IDEA, ADA, or Section 504 106.44(h). Note: Regulations are based on the 2024 Title IX Final Rule; school entities associated with current injunctions shall continue to comply with the 2020 regulations.
Policy & Procedure – Student Procedures	Section 1184 Act 82 of 2024	National Guard or Reserve Parent Student Support	Shall Provide	Ongoing	35	Added New Section A school entity shall provide students who are children of members of the National Guard or Reserve the same supports as students who are children of active-duty military families under the Interstate Compact on Educational Opportunity for Military Children Act. The supports are for students who have to transfer from an out-of-state school to a public school located in PA because their parents are required to move to perform their duties in the service of the National Guard or Reserve. The support relates to services for timely enrollment and record transfers, course placement, student participation in programs, and on-time graduation.
Policy & Procedure – Student Services	Title 22 Chapter 339.31 339.32	K-12 Guidance Plan	Shall Develop / Implement	As Prescribed	35	Added New Section   Clarification School entities that either have a PDE-approved career and technical education program or send their grades 9-12 students to another school for PDE-approved career and technical program instruction shall have a written plan on file, approved by the board of school directors, for the development and implementation of a comprehensive, sequential program of guidance services for kindergarten through 12 <sup>th</sup> grade. The plan must include

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						procedures to provide for guidance services to Area Vocational Technical Schools (AVTSs). Upon request, the plan shall be submitted to the Secretary.
						Added New Section
Policy & Procedure – Student Procedures	Section 1302 Act 67 of 2024	Students Involved in School District Residency Disputes	Shall Continue Enrollment	Ongoing	35	A child may not be disenrolled from a school in the case of a residency dispute until the child's parent, guardian, or other person having charge of the child has exhausted or declined to participate in the appeal process provided in the applicable grievance policy and have been provided information related to the educational rights of homeless students or a court enters an order directing the child to be disenrolled and enrolled in a different school.
						Added Clarification
Policy & Procedure – Student Services	CFR 300.101- 300.176	Attendance			37	Note: A free appropriate education shall be made available to a child with a disability eligible under IDEA until the student turns 22.
						Added Clarification
Policy & Procedure – Operations & Transportation	Act 55 of 2024	Construction Contracts, Reconstruction, Repairs, or Work			43	Note: Threshold amounts are in effect as of January 1, 2024. Note: The moratorium for PlanCon 2.0 and the maintenance program has been extended until July 1, 2025.
Policy &	807.1					Added Clarification
Procedure – Operations & Transportation	Act 82 of 2012	Purchase of Supplies			45	Note: Threshold amounts are in effect as of January 1, 2024.
						Added New Section
Policy & Procedure – Other	36 U.S.C. Section 106	Constitution Day / Citizenship Day	Shall Hold	Annually On September 17	46	Each educational institution that receives federal funds for a fiscal year shall hold an educational program about the United States Constitution for its students on September 17. If September 17 falls on a weekend, it should be held in

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						the previous week or next week.
Policy & Procedure – Other	Section 134 Act 55 of 2024	Advertising and Sponsorships	Shall Indicate Shall Report	Ongoing No Later Than August 1, 2025	46	Added New SectionA paid media advertisement by a public school entity or on behalf of a public school entity that refers to the cost of tuition, technology, transportation, or other expenses shall not advertise those expenses as free, and any reference to tuition, technology, or other expenses must indicate that the cost is covered by taxpayer dollars.Each public school entity shall report to the PA Department of Education the entity's total expenditures for paid media advertisements and sponsorships of public events for the 2024-2025 school year.Note: A "public event" is an activity, event, or gathering that members of the public may attend, has been publicly announced or publicized in advance, and for which an admission fee or cost may be required. The term includes concerts, performances, sporting events, fairs, festivals, parades, and other exhibitions. It does include school-sponsored activities defined in section 138.1(j).
Policy & Procedure – Other	24 PA Statute Section 15- 1501-H 1512-H 1513-H 1526-H Act 55 of 2024	Administrative and Instructional Partnerships Between School Entities and Feasibility Study	Shall Partner Shall Report	Ongoing As Prescribed	49	Added New Section School entities may cooperatively develop joint or shared educational programs for students and educators and explore school district consolidation or mergers through feasibility studies. School districts that receive funding for feasibility studies shall comply with reporting requirements to the PA Department of Education.
Policy & Procedure – Other	Section 1555 Act 25 of 2024	9/11 Remembrance in Schools	Shall Conduct	Annually On	49	Added New Section Each school entity shall conduct a moment of silence during

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				September 11		instructional hours for students and faculty to observe the anniversary of September 11, 2001.
						Revised Content   Added Clarification
		Shall Provide	Ongoing		<ul> <li>A school district or intermediate unit in which a student enrolled in a cyber charter school resides shall do all of the following: <ul> <li>Provide student records.</li> <li>Provide reasonable access to its facilities for the administration of standardized tests.</li> <li>Provide assistance in the delivery of services to a student with disabilities.</li> <li>Make payments under section 1725-A.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	
		School District	Shall Provide	Within 10 Days		Student Records A school district or intermediate shall provide all the student's records within 10 days of receipt of notice of the student's admission.
Policy & Procedure – Other	17-1722-A 17-1744-A Act 55 of 2024	and Intermediate Unit Responsibilities (for Cyber Charter Schools)	Shall Provide	At Least 60 Days	50	Reasonable Access to Facilities for the Administration of Standardized Tests The cyber charter school shall provide at least 60 days' notice of the need for facilities.
			Shall Provide	Within 30 Days		Within 30 days of the request, an intermediate unit or school district shall notify the cyber charter school of the location that will be provided. The facilities must be in a separate location in which cyber charter students will not be commingled with students of the school district or intermediate unit. A school district or intermediate unit may not be required to make facilities available on dates or times that may cause undue interference with their educational programs. A facilities rental fee shall comply with the facility rental policy of the school district or intermediate unit. Assistance in the Delivery of Services to a Student with Disabilities

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			Shall Provide	Upon Request		Upon request, a school district or intermediate unit shall assist in the delivery of services to a student with disabilities. The school district or intermediate unit may not charge the cyber charter school more for a service than it charges a school district.
Policy & Procedure – Other	1725-A Act 55 of 2024	Funding for Charter School	Shall Report	As of November 1, 2024 / Annually	51	Added Content School districts are required to submit the charter school tuition calculations to the PA Department of Education. The filing must also include the related financial data used to calculate the tuition rates.
Policy & Procedure – Other	Section 24 1725.1 A Act 55 of 2024	Funding for Cyber Charter School	Shall Calculate	As of January 1, 2025 / Annually	51	Added New Section For students with disabilities, the per-pupil tuition rate shall be the lesser of the tuition rate calculated by the assumed 16% of average daily membership, or the rate using the actual special education average daily membership.
Policy & Procedure – Other	Section 1748-A Act 55 of 2024	Cyber Enrollment and Withdrawal	Shall Notify	Ongoing	51	Added New Section The parent or guardian and cyber charter school must notify the student's school district of residence of a student's enrollment or withdrawal within 10 days of the enrollment / withdrawal.
Policy & Procedure – Other	RIGHT-TO- KNOW ACT Section 502	Open Records Officer	Shall Deny	Ongoing	52	Added Clarification School entities may deny anonymous requests for records. A request may be considered anonymous if the requester has submitted insufficient information to identify if the requester is a legal resident of the United States.
Policy & Procedure – Other	28 CFR Part 35 42 U.S.C. Section 12101	Web Content Accessibility	Shall Comply	By April 26, 2027	53	Added New Section In accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, communications with disabled persons have to be "as

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	88 FR 51948 89 FR 31320					accessible" as communications with non-disabled persons. School entities' web content and mobile apps must meet the Web Content Accessibility Guidelines (WCAG 2.1 standards) with limited exceptions.
Policy & Procedure – Other	Act 92 of 2024	School Internet Policies	Shall Develop / Maintain	Ongoing	53	Revised   Added Clarification School districts must develop and maintain an acceptable use policy for the Internet. At a minimum, the policy shall contain provisions that prevent students and employees from using any computer equipment or communications services owned or leased by the school entity for sending, receiving, viewing, or downloading visual depictions of obscenity, child sexual abuse material, or material that is harmful to minors; establish appropriate measures to be taken against students and employees who willfully violate the school entity's acceptable use policy; and provide an expedited review and resolution of a claim that the policy is denying a student or employee access to material that is not within the prohibition of the acceptable use policy.
			Shall Utilize / Select	Ongoing		In order to enforce the policy, school districts must, at a minimum, either utilize software programs or a selection of online servers designed to block access to visual depictions of obscenity, child sexual abuse material, or material that is harmful to minors.
			Shall Provide	Upon Request		A school entity shall provide, upon written request of a parent or guardian, a copy of the acceptable use policy that has been adopted.
Policy & Procedure – Other	ESEA Section 8528	Military Affairs – Access to Seniors / List of Seniors	Shall Make Available	By the First Day of the Academic Year	55	Added Clarification School districts shall make available to all armed forces recruiters the same access to senior students as available

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			Shall Notify	Prior to the End of the Student's Junior Year		to institutions of higher education and trade schools. Access shall include, but not be limited to, a list of senior students by name, home address, and if published, telephone number, at the end of the respective academic year the senior will graduate, unless the parent of the student (or the student if they have attained 18 years of age) has submitted a written request to opt out of the disclosure. School districts shall notify the parent of the student (or the student, if they have attained 18 years of age), in writing, of the requirements to make this information available. Each student shall be given 21 calendar days to request, in writing, the exclusion of their name before the release of the list.
Policy & Procedure – Other	Act 33 of 2024 Section 5 Section 5.4	Breach of Personal Information	Shall Provide Shall Provide	Upon Notification Up to 12 Months	57	Added Content   Added ClarificationNotification of Consumer Reporting AgenciesWhen an entity provides notification under the act to more than 500 persons at one time, the entity shall also notify, without unreasonable delay, all consumer reporting agencies that compile and maintain files on consumers on a nationwide basis, as defined in section 603 of the Fair Credit Reporting Act of the timing, distribution, and number of notices.Credit Reporting and MonitoringIf an entity determines that a breach has occurred and reasonably believes that an individual's first name and last
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						provided to more than 500 persons at one time) then the entity must provide the affected individuals with access to one independent credit report from a consumer reporting agency for free, as well as access to credit monitoring services for 12 months following notification, at no cost to the affected individual.
						Revised   Added Clarification
			Shall Notify	Within 30 Days of Appointment		A school entity must submit the name of the school's safety and security coordinator to the School Safety and Security Committee.
			Shall Oversee / Report To	Ongoing		The coordinator shall oversee school police officers, resources officers, security guards, and safety and security policies and report directly to the chief school administrator.
			Shall Review Coordinate Oversee Serve	Ongoing		<ul> <li>Specific duties include:</li> <li>Review safety and security policies and ensure that they comply with state and federal laws.</li> </ul>
School Safety & Security	Section 1309-B Act 55 of 2024	The School Safety and Security Coordinator			60	<ul> <li>Coordinate training and resources for students and staff in matters related to:         <ul> <li>Situational awareness</li> <li>Trauma-informed approaches</li> <li>Behavioral health awareness</li> <li>Suicide and bullying awareness</li> <li>Substance abuse awareness</li> <li>Emergency procedures and training drills</li> </ul> </li> <li>Oversee security assessments.</li> <li>Serving as a liaison with the School Safety and Security Committee, the PA Department of Education, law enforcement, and other organizations on matters of safety and security.</li> </ul>
			Shall Complete	By February 2, 2025, or Within 1 Year of Appointment		All coordinators who were appointed prior to February 2, 2024, must complete the required training by February 2, 2025.

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			Shall Report	Annually Before June 30 By June 30, 2025 / Annually		<ul> <li>All coordinators appointed after February 2, 2024, must complete the required training within one year of their appointment.</li> <li>The coordinator must make a report to the school board during an executive session and to the School Safety and Security Committee regarding the school entity's current safety and security practices and strategies to improve safety.</li> <li>The School Safety and Security Coordinator shall make a report to the school entity's Board of Directors during an executive session and to the School Safety and Security Committee on the school entity's current school security personnel.</li> <li>The report must include: <ul> <li>The number of school security personnel, as defined in Section 1301-C, broken down by type.</li> <li>The number of each school security personnel, as defined in Section 1301-C, that is armed, broken out by type.</li> <li>The school building at which each school security personnel, as defined in Section 1301-C, is assigned, broken out by type.</li> <li>The training, including type of training and dates completed by each school security, as defined in Section 1301-C, broken out by type.</li> <li>A listing of other individuals utilized for school safety-</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
School Safety & Security		School Safety and Security Training	Shall Complete	Annually	61	Added Clarification One hour of instruction, in total, on the following topics: • Emergency Training Drills – fire, natural disaster, active shooter, hostage situation, and

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						<ul> <li>bomb threat.</li> <li>Threat Assessment Training – the identification or recognition of student behavior that may indicate a threat to the safety of the student, other students, school employees, other individuals, school facilities, or the community.</li> <li>Training on these two topics may be done at separate times, and using different modalities, but the emergency training drills must always be delivered in person.</li> <li>Time spent conducting emergency drills may not count toward the one hour of training.</li> </ul>
School Safety & Security		School Police Officers	Shall Complete	Prior to Employment	62	Revised Content   Clarification In order to qualify for employment, a school police officer must have completed basic training by the Municipal Police Officers' Education and Training Commission (MPOETC) or have graduated from the PA State Police Academy, been employed as a State trooper with the PA State Police (PSP) and separated from that service in good standing. A school police officer must also have completed the Basic School Resource Officer (Basic SRO) course offered by the National Association of School Resource Officers (NASRO) or an equivalent course of instruction approved by the PA Commission on Crime and Delinquency (PCCD).
			Shall Attend	Annually		A school officer must attend annual in-service training approved by MPOETC.
School Safety		School Resource	Shall	Prior to		<b>Revised Content   Clarification</b> To qualify for employment, school
& Security		Officers	Complete	Employment	63	resource officers must complete the basic SRO course offered by NASRO or

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						an equivalent course approved by PCCD.
School Safety & Security		School Security Guards	Shall Complete	Prior to Employment	63	Revised Content   Clarification To qualify for employment, school resource officers must complete the basic SRO course offered by NASRO or an equivalent course approved by PCCD.
			Shall Assign	Ongoing		Added New Section Beginning with the 2024-2025 school year, a school entity shall have at least one full-time school security personnel who has completed the training under section 1305-C, 1313-C (A.1) or 1314-C on duty during the school day unless the school entity has been granted a waiver under subsection (F). A school entity may decide to have a school security personnel on duty in a school building or on school premises during extracurricular activities that may occur outside of the school day.
School Safety & Security	Section 1316-C Act 55 of 2024	School Security Personnel	Shall Certify	Upon Grant Application	64	A school entity must certify to the committee that the school entity has hired or contracted with a school security personnel that satisfies the requirements of this article unless the school entity has been granted a waiver.
			Shall Attest	Upon Waiver Request		If a school entity does not meet the personnel requirement, it will have the option to request a waiver from the School Safety and Security Committee (SSSC) and attest that it acted in good faith and met one of the following criteria:
						<ul> <li>Documentation that the school district does not have a municipal police department or law enforcement agency that can provide a school resource officer.</li> <li>Documentation that the school district has been unable to hire or contract with a school police officer.</li> </ul>

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						<ul> <li>Documentation that the school district has been unable to hire or contract with a security guard.</li> <li>Documentation that the school district has been unable to hire or contract with a police officer from an accredited police force.</li> <li>Waivers expire one year after their approval by the committee.</li> <li>Note: This requirement applies only to school districts.</li> </ul>
Act 1 of 2006 (Special Session) Taxpayer Relief Act		Public Referendum Requirements for Increasing Certain Taxes	Shall Determine	Annually	93	Revised Content For FY 2024-2025, the base index is 5.3%. For FY 2025-2026, the base index will be 4.0%.
At A Glance State Mandates for Public School Districts		Instructional Vacancy Data			94	Removed Content
At A Glance State Mandates for Public School Districts		Military Child Advance Enrollment			94	Removed Content
At A Glance State Mandates for Public School Districts		School District Websites			94	Revised Content School District Websites should include a repository of all policies and procedures and meet the Web Content Accessibility Guidelines (WCAG 2.1 standards) with limited exceptions by April 26, 2027.
At A Glance State Mandates for Public School Districts		Charter School			94	Revised Content Charter School mandates include per-child funding and transportation for charter school students. For cyber charter schools, school districts shall provide reasonable access to facilities for the administration of standardized testing, providing notification within 30 days of the cyber school's request of the location being provided, and upon request, assistance in delivering services to students with disabilities.

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At A Glance State Mandates for Public School Districts		School Security Personnel			94	Added Content Beginning with the 2024-2025 school year, a school entity shall have at least one full-time school security personnel who has completed the training under section 1305-C, 1313-C(A.1) or 1314-C on duty during the school day unless the school entity has been granted a waiver under subsection (F).
At A Glance State Mandates for Public School Districts		Mandated Reporting to PDE			94	Added Content Advertising & Sponsorships, August 1, 2025 Agreements with Institutions of Higher Learning / Dual Enrollment, Annual Charter School Tuition Calculations and Related Financial Data, November 1, 2024, Annual Thereafter Instructional Vacancy Data, Annual School Security Personnel, June 30, 2025, Annual Thereafter
At A Glance Major Federal Regulations Impacting K-12 Education		Health and Safety Plan			97	Added Content   Clarification The Health and Safety Plan requirement is no longer in effect once the LEA has finalized their closeout of the ARP-ESSER Grant. Closeout of the grant is signified by an LEA submitting their Final End Year Report (FER) and PDE's acceptance of the FER. Those LEAs, under late liquidation, cannot closeout until activities have been completed for their requested contract/project and have submitted

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							their FER, and PDE has reviewed and accepted it.

This summary sheet highlights noteworthy or significant revisions within the State Mandates document. Concurrently, additional edits were applied for formatting and clarity without altering the original intent of regulations or school code. Non-substantive adjustments were made to improve document readability but are not explicitly detailed in this summary.