



## NOLA Public Schools SPIC Charter School Leader Requirements Attestation – Independent LEA Status

### 4. Special Education Discipline Policy and Procedures - In compliance with the Consent Judgment agreement in Civil Case No. 2:10-cv-04049,

I verify that the special education discipline policy and procedures used during the 2019-2020 school year:

will not be modified. They will remain the same for the 2020-2021 school year, and I will abide by the policies and procedures.  
 will be modified, and **I have attached the modified policy and procedures for review by the IM.** Once approved, we will abide by the policies and procedures.

### 5. School Master Plan for Discipline - In compliance with the Consent Judgment agreement in Civil Case No. 2:10-cv-04049, I certify that the

School Master Plan for Discipline will be adhered to and kept on file for purposes of review and monitoring, in accordance with La. Rev. Stat §17:251-252.

**I have attached the completed School Master Plan for Discipline for review by the IM.**

6. **Enrollment Guidance** – In compliance with the Consent Judgment agreement in Civil Case No. 2:10-cv-04049, I certify that I have thoroughly reviewed the Enrollment Discrimination Policy Guidance provided by NOLA Public Schools, and I understand the content of the materials concerning the enrollment of students with disabilities.

7. **Child Find Guidance** - In compliance with the Consent Judgment agreement in Civil Case No. 2:10-cv-04049, I certify that I have thoroughly reviewed the Child Find Written Guidance document provided by NOLA Public Schools and I understand the content of the materials concerning the legal requirements of Child Find.

8. **Undocumented Suspension Guidance** - In compliance with the Consent Judgment agreement in Civil Case No. 2:10-cv-04049, I certify that I have thoroughly reviewed the Undocumented Suspension Guidance Document, and I understand the content of the materials concerning the legal requirements for discipline of students with disabilities.

Please direct all questions to [ecs@nolapublicschools.com](mailto:ecs@nolapublicschools.com).

Upon completion of the above tasks, you must sign, scan, and return this form, attaching supporting documentation, to NOLA Public Schools Exceptional Children's Services Office via email to [ecs@nolapublicschools.com](mailto:ecs@nolapublicschools.com) no later than **May 29, 2020**. Please retain the original, signed form for your records.



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In compliance with the Consent Judgment agreement in Civil Case No. 2:10-cv-04049, I, Dr. Monique Cola, attest to the following School Leader of New Orleans Charter Science and Math High School nine items:

1. **Special Education Program Description** - In compliance with the Consent Judgment agreement in Civil Case No. 2:10-cv-04049, I certify that school's *Special Education Program Description* has been updated to reflect any changes to the special education program, and the following section has been updated to reflect the school's current data:

- Section C: Data Snapshots
  - 2019-20 enrollment rate of students with disabilities served by the school
  - 2018-19 in school and out of school suspension rate of students with disabilities served by the school
  - 2018-19 number of students with disabilities who are removed for disciplinary reasons for more than 10 school days in one academic year

The updated Program Description will be available to parents and the public via the school website.

I have attached the updated Special Education Program Description for review by the Independent Monitor (IM).

2. **Disability Discrimination Complaint Procedures** - In compliance with the Consent Judgment agreement in Civil Case No. 2:10-cv-04049, I certify that I will:

- continue use of the adopted Model Disability Discrimination Complaint Procedures.
- adopt a different set of complaint procedures, and I have attached the complaint procedures for review by the IM.

3. **Disability Discrimination Complaint Procedures Distribution Plan** - In compliance with the Consent Judgment agreement in Civil Case No.

2:10-cv-04049, I certify that I will distribute the approved disability complaint procedures to all parents via the following methods:

1. distribute at annual IEP and 504 meetings
2. available as a link on the school website
3. available in the front office

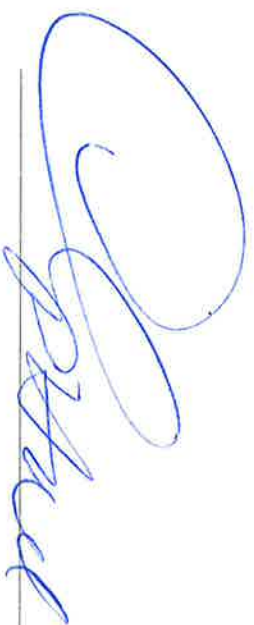


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9. **FAQ: SPED in Charter Schools** - In compliance the Consent Judgment agreement in Civil Case No. 2:10-cv-04049, I certify that I will ensure that the **FAQ: SPED in Charter Schools Document** is sent home to every parent at the beginning of the 2020-2021 school year via the following method: US mail

**Attachments Checklist -**

- SPLC Charter School Leader Requirements Attestation – Independent LEA Status
- Special Education Program Description
- Model Disability Complaint Procedures (only if modified)
- Special Education Discipline Policy and Procedures (only if modified)
- School Master Plan for Discipline

  
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School Leader Signature

5/29/2020  
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Date

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