

THE KENTON COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION

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DATE: 4/12/19

AGENDA ITEM (ACTION ITEM):

Consider/Approve the addition of 1.5 English Language Learner Instructional Assistants to the district English Language Learner staff.

APPLICABLE BOARD POLICY:

01.11, (03.11)

HISTORY/BACKGROUND:

Currently, there are 383 EL students. There are currently 2.5 Instructional Assistants that provide services to EL students. There are 120 EL students whose services are provided exclusively by an Instructional Assistant. The goal is for all ELs to make contact with a certified EL teacher at least once per week; supplemented by EL Instructional Assistant. The goal is of increased support for EL students is for them to become proficient in the English language and increase their academic achievement.

FISCAL/BUDGETARY IMPACT:

\$37,500 including fringes

RECOMMENDATION:

Approve the addition of 1.5 English Language Learner Instructional Assistants to the district English Language Learner staff.

CONTACT PERSON:

Martha Setters

Principal

District Administrator

Superintendent

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