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ALTERNATIVE METHODS OF INSTRUCTION APPLICATION

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Thank you for submitting your Alternative Method of Instruction Application.

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LEA NAME (A-H)	Hardeman R-X * 097122
I have selected the appropriate LEA name from one of the three fields above. *	Yes
LEA PROGRAM CONTACT *	Kristy Forrester
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1. On days that the district implements the AMI plan, the LEA is (check all that apply):	 Reviewing and reinforcing previously taught skills Introducing new concepts
2.a. How will the LEA communicate the purpose and expectations of AMI to students and parents through multiple methods? (check all that apply): *	WebsiteParent/student meetings
2.b. When will the LEA communicate the purpose of AMI days? (check all that apply):	Early in the school yearWith reminders at least quarterly
3. How will the LEA communicate the implementation of AMI days to students and parents? (check all that apply): *	• Text
4. On AMI days, the LEA will use the following types of materials and assignments to effectively facilitate teaching and support learning for the benefit of students (check all that apply): *	 Packets/worksheets Manipulatives Learning games Teacher created materials Other (Please describe)
Describe	Use of Google Classroom for assigning, student submissions, and staffeedback. We will use Google Meet for "face to face" communications. Both to be used for whole group or on an individual basis
5. On AMI days, attendance will be determined by the completion of lessons and activities in the following manner (check all that apply): *	Completion of lessons and activities turned in the next day of attendance

- Electronic submission of lessons and activities on the AMI day or the next day of attendance
- 6. The LEA provides instruction on AMI days using the following methods (check all that apply): *
- Independent practice and application of previously taught concepts
- App or web-based software to teach/reinforce concepts
- Virtual instruction (Synchronous, Asynchronous)
- Assigned reading, study or activity to introduce new concepts
- 7.a. The LEA provides equitable access to all students. If electronic methods will be used, the LEA is providing students with (check all that apply): *
- Chromebook
- iPad

Describe

Teachers will provide traditional paper-based assignments/projects that are similar to the web/app based assignments/projects. Teachers will ensure that the traditional and web-based materials are comparable in meeting objectives and learning standards.

7.b. How are students accessing the internet? (check all that apply): *

· Parent provided connection

Describe

District enrollment forms include question regarding household devices/internet access. The 20-21 school year 100% of our families indicated they have access to both. District is currently registering for 21-22 and will adjust as needed.

8. The LEA assures that the instructional plan for AMI days for students with disabilities is documented in each student's individualized education program (IEP) according to the guidance developed by DESE's Office of Special Education.

I confirm that our district's AMI Plan meets this requirement.

(Guidance for implementing AMI for students with disabilities is available here.)

- 9. How will the LEA ensure that teachers and other certified personnel will be available to communicate with students on AMI days? (check all that apply): *
- Email
- Platform (SeesawTM, GoogleTM, etc)
- Messaging/chat through learning management system
- Phone call
- Messaging through other electronic means (RemindTM, etc.)

I confirm that this plan will favorably impact teaching and learning. Administrators and teaching staff at all participating attendance centers are knowledgeable of and agree to comply with the provisions of Section 171.033. RSMO, and this application.

Kristy Forrester

The typed name of the superintendent below serves as the official signature on this form. *

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