

2020-2021

Alternative Educator Evaluation System Application Instructions

The Department welcomes applications from LEAs interested in implementing a research based evaluation model and developing innovative processes to increase student achievement. Alternative Educator Evaluation Systems enable LEAs to offer greater creativity, flexibility, support, and accountability for teachers, specialists, and system leaders.

Applications may be for teacher, specialist, and system leaders (assistant principals, principals, directors, superintendents). All applications must comply with requirements outlined in Delaware State Code and any additional guidance provided by the Delaware Department of Education. All educator evaluation systems must be state-approved.

All applicants must complete and submit the Intent to Apply form by **October 31, 2019**

[Intent to Apply](#)

[Application Timeline](#)

Application information and instructions can be found in the links below for new applications and existing alternative systems renewal and modification applications.

[New Applications](#)

[Existing Alternative Systems Renewal and Modification Applications](#)

Application Timeline

(New Applicants and Existing Renewal/Modification Applicants)

September

September 16, 2019

Application Process Opens

October

October 31, 2019

Intent to Apply Forms Due to DDOE

November

November 8, 2019

Info Sessions scheduled with LEAs who submitted Intent to Apply Forms

November 10-16, 2019

Information Sessions for new applicants held at LEA location

January

January 30, 2020

Application Due to DDOE

February

February 28, 2020

Feedback provided to applicants (Round 1)

March

March 30, 2020

Feedback provided to applicants (Round 2)

April

April 30, 2020

Resubmissions due to DDOE

June

June 5, 2020

DDOE notifies LEA of application decision

August

August 1, 2020

Training Dates submitted to DDOE

Questions about alternative evaluation systems?

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