

TOOL 9: RESOURCE LIST

To find more information on schools', LEAs', and SEAs' respective legal requirements, authorizer best practices, ESSA's EL-specific provisions, and other related information, please check out the resources below.

COMPILATION OF ENGLISH LEARNER RESOURCES, 2009-2016

English Learner Resources

- These resources were compiled by the National Charter School Resource Center at Safal Partners and include the following:
 - US Department of Education tools, resources, and legal guidance
 - Data compilations, tables, and fact sheets
 - Studies and reports
 - Case studies, toolkits, and illustrative resources
- These resources are intended for the following audience:
 - Charter schools
 - Traditional district schools
 - LEAs
 - SEAs
 - Authorizers
 - Policymakers
 - Community stakeholders

EVERY STUDENT SUCCEEDS ACT: ENGLISH LEARNER ANALYSIS

English Learners and ESSA: Implications for States and Charter Schools, 2016

This report was authored by the National Council of La Raza (now UnidosUS) and the National Alliance for Public Charter Schools.

Tools for State Advocacy, 2016

This webpage of resources was created by UnidosUS (formerly the National Council of La Raza) and includes the following topics:

- What the Every Student Succeeds Act Means for Latino Students and English Learners (webinar and slide deck)
- Working with State Education Policymakers for ESSA (webinar and slide deck)
- Parent and Family Engagement in ESSA (webinar and slide deck)
- Setting New Accountability for English-Learner Outcomes in ESSA Plans (fact sheet)

AUTHORIZER PRACTICES/TOOLS

Denver Public Schools: English Language Acquisition Guidebook for Charter Schools, August 2017

Authored by Denver Public Schools, the local district authorizer for Denver charter schools, this guidebook is intended exclusively for charter operators:

- It is an example of the type of resource an authorizer may offer both its prospective applicants and its portfolio schools.
- It is a comprehensive, 62-page guidebook; although specific to Denver charter schools (and the legal requirements under Colorado law, regulations, policy, and ongoing court-mandated consent decree), the scope and depth may be helpful to authorizers around the country.