



North East Independent School District

**DISTRICT EDUCATIONAL IMPROVEMENT  
COUNCIL (DEIC)  
ROLES AND RESPONSIBILITIES**

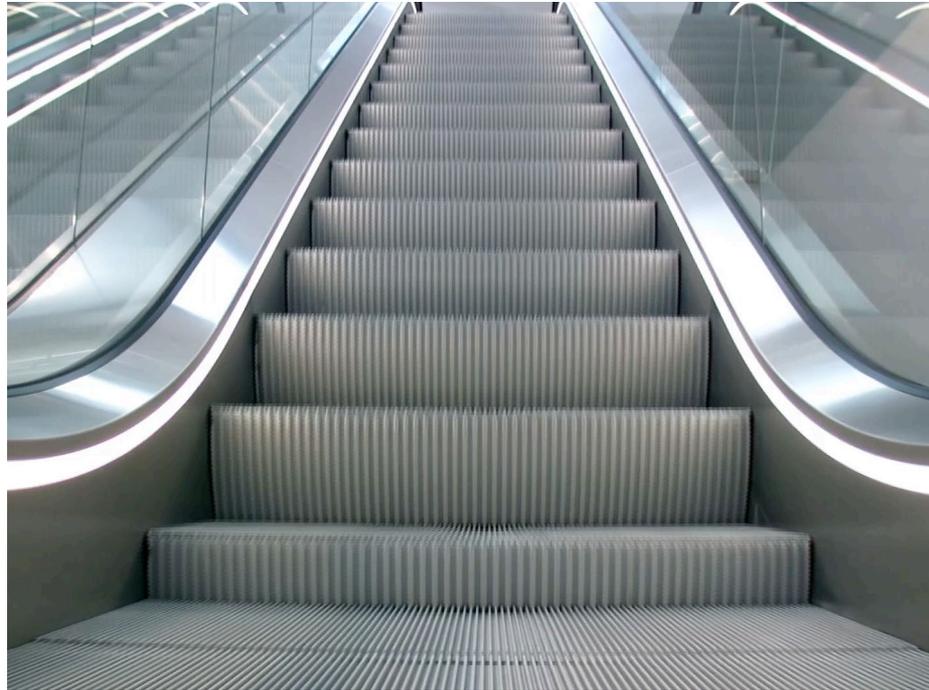


Why are we here today?





**To learn and  
prepare ourselves to  
be effective DEIC  
members**



# STEP I

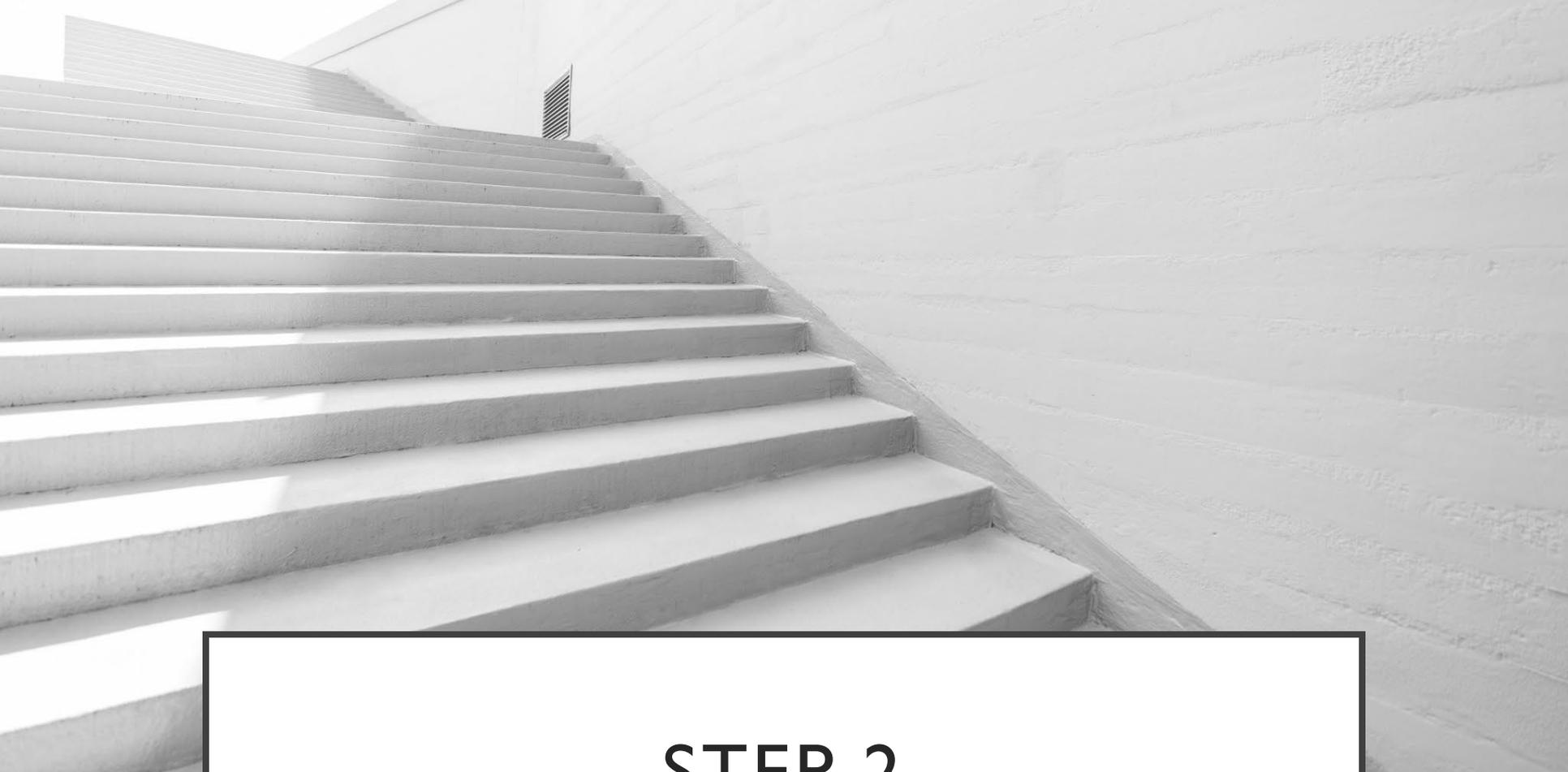
WHAT IS THE DEIC

# Texas State Law establishes that:

The District's policy and procedures shall establish a **District-level planning and decision-making committee** that will:

**involve** the professional staff of the district, parents, and community members; and

**establish and review** the district's and campuses' educational plans, goals, performance objectives, and major classroom instructional programs



## STEP 2

WHO MAKES THE RULES



**Federal and state law**

**along with local Board policy and  
administrative regulations**

**determine the expectations and  
the rules for DEIC**



- **We hope you learn something that may surprise you and/or sparks curiosity**



change

**You may find  
something you think  
we should improve or  
change**

Keep

THE **BIG**  
PICTURE

in mind

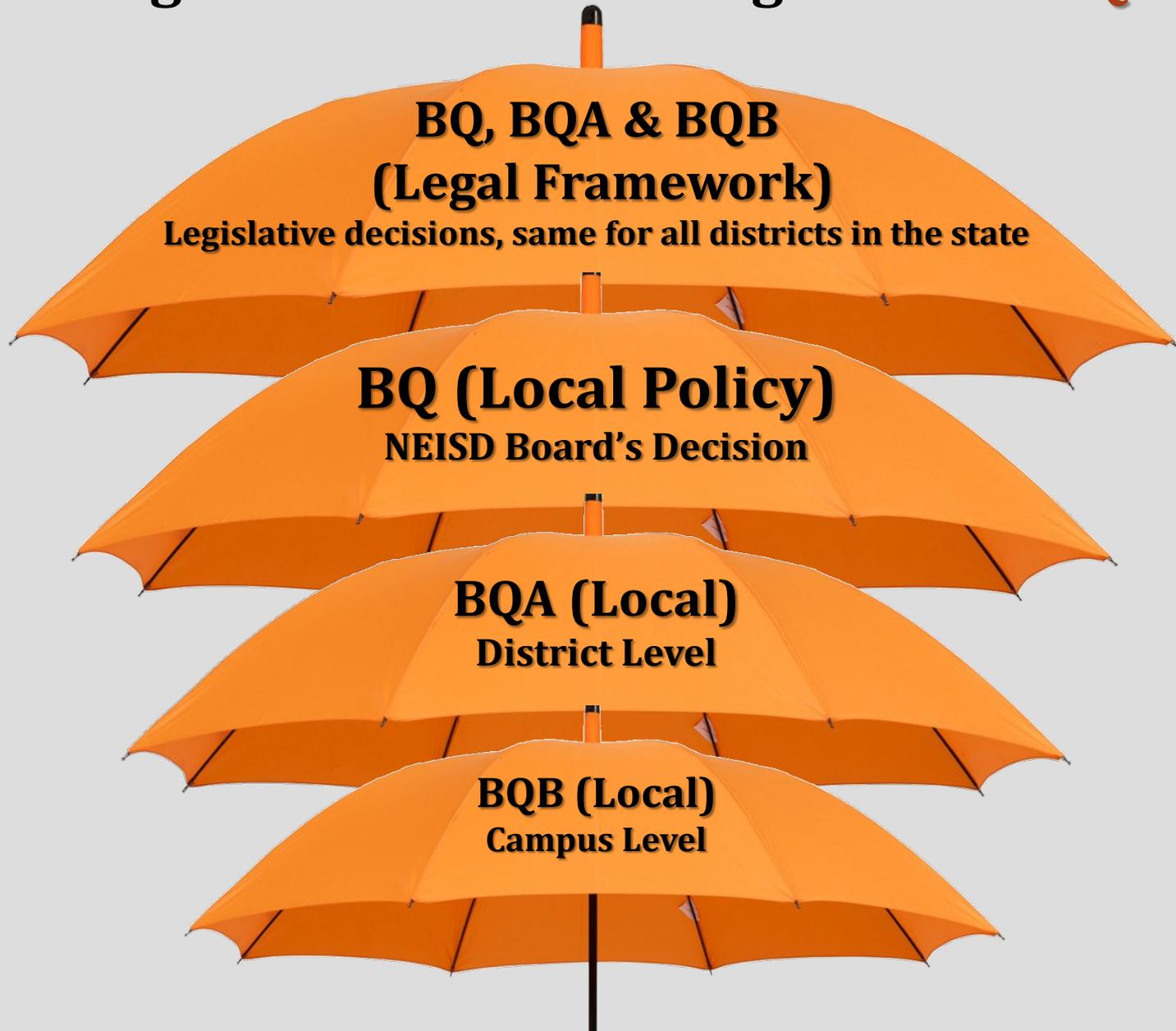
**...improving student achievement,  
foremost.**



## STEP 3

Where can you find the policy?

# Planning and Decision Making Process: **BQ series**



- **District Educational Improvement Council**
- In compliance with Education Code 11.251, the District Educational Improvement Council (**DEIC**) shall advise the Board or its designee in establishing and reviewing the District's educational goals, objectives, and major Districtwide classroom instructional programs identified by the Board or its designee. The council shall serve exclusively in an advisory role except that the council shall approve staff development of a Districtwide nature.
- **Chairperson**
- The chairperson shall be elected annually in the fall by members of the DEIC.
- **Meetings**
- The Board's designee shall set its agenda and shall schedule **at least four meetings per year**; additional meetings may be held at the call of the chairperson. All council meetings shall be held outside of the regular school day.
- **Community Input**
- The Superintendent or designee shall ensure that the District-level council obtains broad-based community, parent, and staff input and provides information to those persons on a systematic basis. Methods of communication shall include, but not be limited to the following:
- **Minutes of each meeting shall be distributed to DEIC members, all principals, and all PTA presidents.**
- **Minutes of each meeting shall be posted at each campus and at the Richard A. Middleton Education Center.**
- Employees and the community at large shall receive information about the committee's activities through District publications.



**BQA-  
LOCAL**



STEP 4

WHAT ARE THE  
MAJOR FUNCTIONS  
OF DEIC?

# DEIC Responsibilities

Assist the Superintendent in the planning, operation, supervision, and evaluation of the District educational program

Assist in the annual development, evaluation, and revision of the District improvement plan

Analyze information related to dropout prevention, in accordance with BQA(Legal)

# MEETINGS

The board shall establish a procedure under which **meetings are held regularly** by district and campus-level planning and decision-making committees that include

- ✓ professional staff;
- ✓ parents of students enrolled in the district;
- ✓ business representatives; and
- ✓ community members.

# Additional Provisions about Meetings

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# MEETING DATES AND POTENTIAL TOPICS

(SELECT DEIC CHAIR, REVIEW DATA & BEGIN DIIP WORK)

2 Oct. 2024

(TAPAR AND NEW PLANNING)

6 Nov. 2024

8 Jan. 2025

LOOKING AHEAD AND SHARING EXPERIENCES

2 Apr. 2025

7 May 2025

(DISCUSS AND COMPLETE FINAL DRAFT OF DIIP, UPDATES, AND BEGIN DOI DISCUSSION/PLANNING)

(PLANNING CONTINUED)

*TOPICS ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE AND/OR INCREASED PENDING ON DISTRICT AND/OR BOARD INITIATIVES.*

# Communication Measures to Involve the Broader Community



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**COLLABORATION IS KEY!**

LOOKING  
AHEAD  
REQUIRES A  
GREAT DEAL  
OF  
REFLECTION  
TOO





**SUPPORT OUR DEIC CHAIR AND ALL  
FELLOW MEMBERS WITH OPEN AND  
RESPECTFUL LINES OF COMMUNICATION!**



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