



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

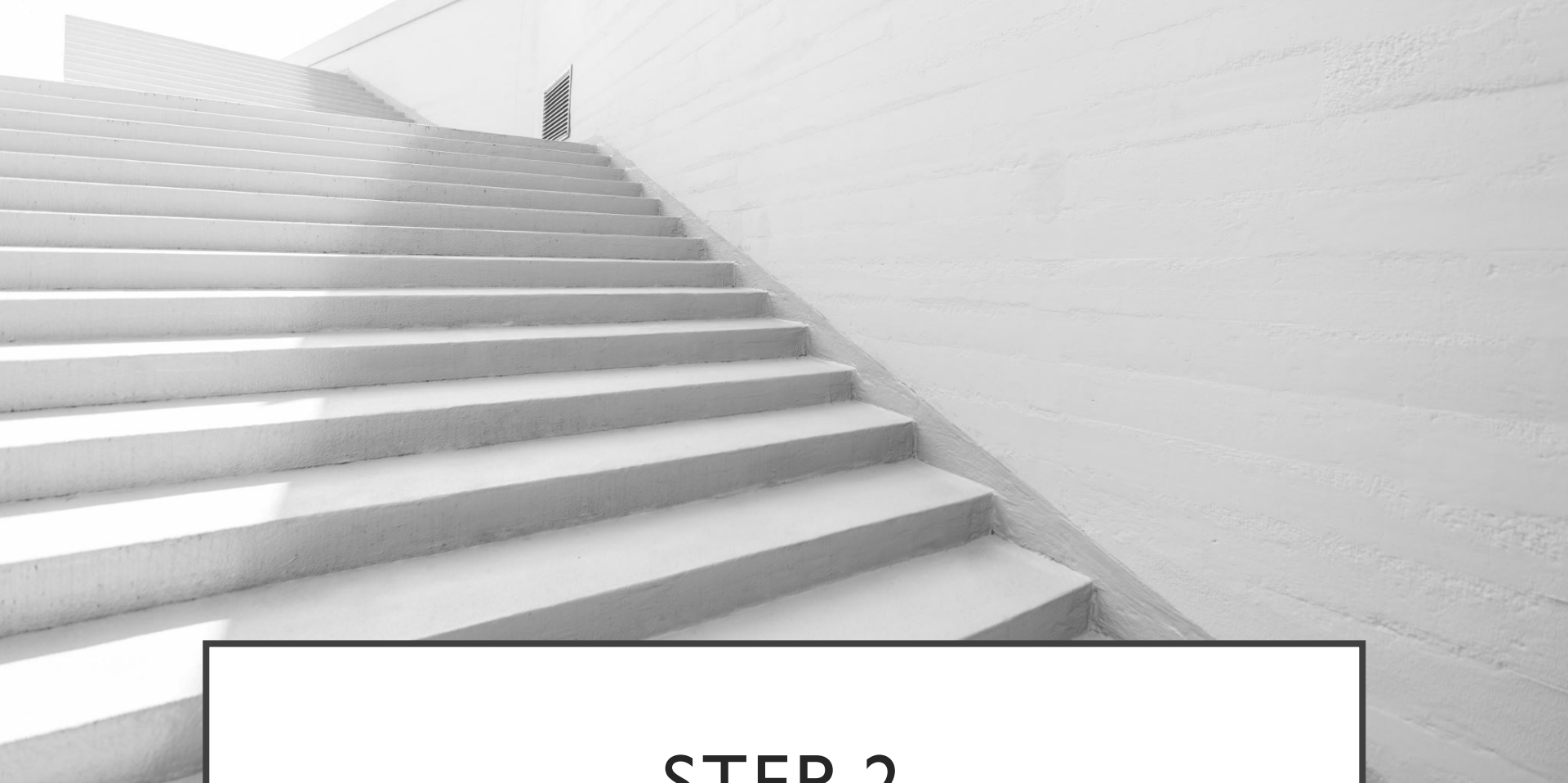
WHAT IS THE DEIC

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.**

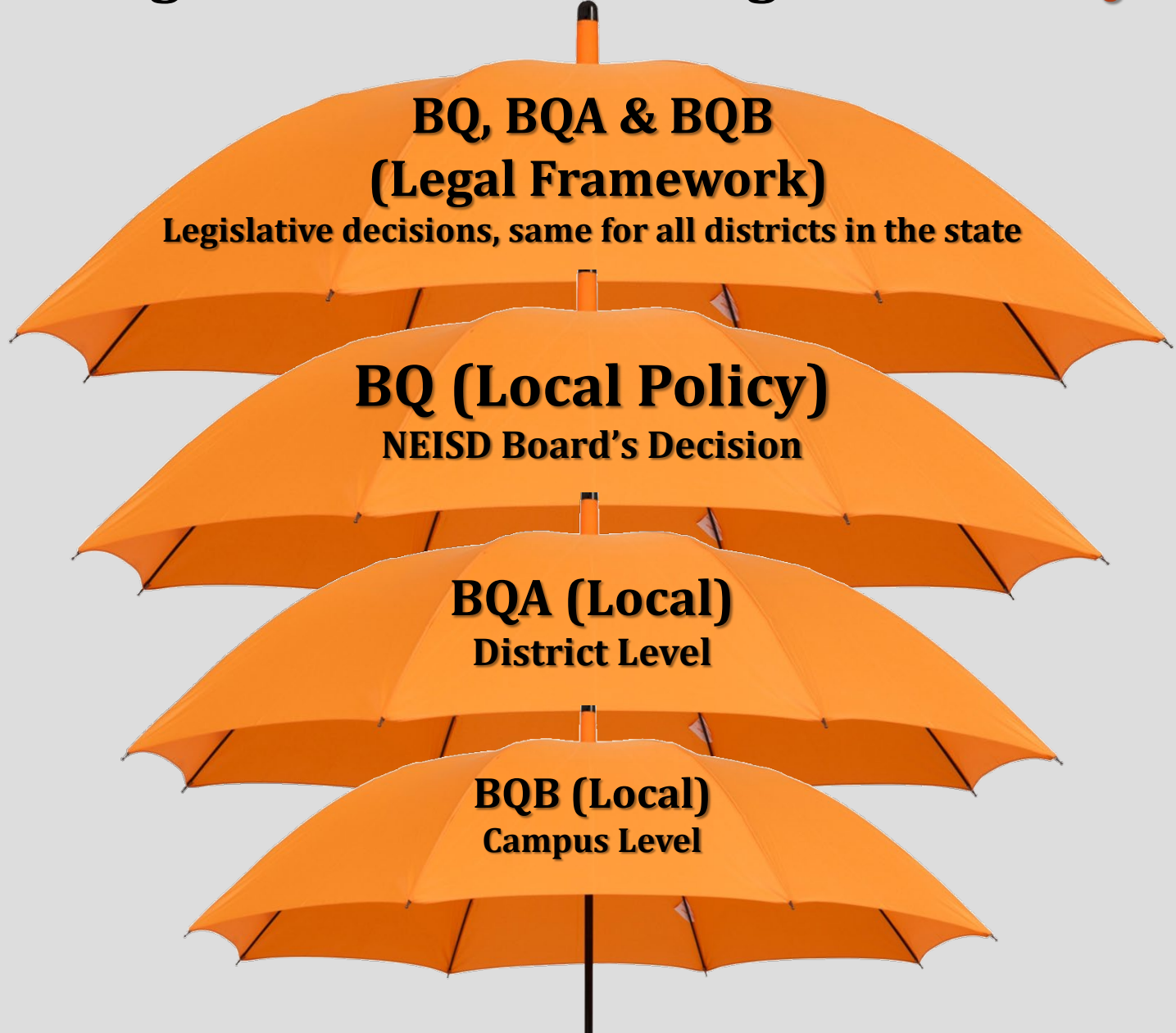


STEP 3

Where can you find the policy?

NEISD Board Policy Online: <http://pol.tasb.org/Policy/Search/179?filter=bqa>

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



WHAT ARE THE
MAJOR FUNCTIONS
OF DEIC?

STEP 4

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

- The Board's designee shall set its agenda and shall schedule **at least four meetings per year**.
- DEIC meetings shall be held **outside** of the school day;
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MEETING DATES AND POTENTIAL TOPICS



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



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



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