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Category:
2024-2025 Indicator 11
2025-2026 October 1 Child Count

This letter is to correct the School District of Hilbert Indicator 11 and October 1 Child Count.

Our school district switched from PowerSchool to Skyward Q in the summer of 2024 and also switched from GoIDEA to Skyward Q Special Education at that time. Due to many issues with Skyward Q Special Education not working properly, we went back to GoIDEA in February 2025. Due to the mid-year switch, GoIDEA was not able to do any of our 2024-2025 state reporting for special education.

I spent numerous hours/days working with DPI and Skyward Q staff to get the students and information submitted for the snapshot without success. Any student who had a new IEP in 2025-2026, was not reporting to the October 1 Count because of the 2 systems not communicating and the inability to put the correct dates with the mid-year switch. Approximately, 16 students were not counted in our October 1 count for 2025-2026 because of this issue.

Total: High School 5, Middle School 4, Elementary School 6, Private 1

The system conversion was also the issue with our Indicator 11 Count. We should have a total of:

Middle School	2 students
Elementary School	9 students
Early Childhood:	1 student

One student was reported for Indicator 11 that should not have been, but her enrollment should have ended in the 2023-2024 school year, but she carried over from Power School to Skyward and we were unable to access Power School to end the enrollment; therefore, she is throwing an error.

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