BEFORE THE STATE SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION

In the Matter of West Linn-Wilsonville School District 3J	))))	FINDINGS OF FACT, CONCLUSIONS, AND FINAL ORDER Case No. 26-054-029

I. BACKGROUND

On February 27, 2026, the Oregon Department of Education (Department) received a written request for a special education complaint investigation from the parent (Parent) of a student (Student) residing in the West Linn-Wilsonville (District). The Parent requested that the Department conduct a special education investigation under OAR 581-015-2030. The Department confirmed receipt of this Complaint and forwarded the request to the District.

Under state and federal law, the Department must investigate written complaints that allege violations of the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA) and issue an order within sixty days of receipt of the complaint.[1] This timeline may be extended if the Parent and the District agree to the extension in order to engage in mediation or local resolution, or for exceptional circumstances related to the complaint.[2]

On March 6, 2026, the Department's Complaint Investigator sent a *Request for Response (RFR)* to the District identifying the specific allegations in the Complaint to be investigated and establishing a *Response* due date of March 20, 2026.

Between March 9, 2026, and April 2, 2026, the District communicated to the Department that the District did not contest the allegations and proposed Stipulated Corrective Actions.

The District submitted the following relevant items:

1. Student Transcript, 01/29/26

The Parent submitted the following relevant items:

1. Individualized Education Program (IEP), 10/14/25

On April 9, 2026, the Complaint Investigator provided the nature and content of a Stipulated Corrective Action and the District's proposal to the Parent. This order is timely.

[1] OAR 581-015-2030(12) and 34 CFR § 300.152(a)

[2] OAR 581-015-2030(12) and 34 CFR § 300.152(b)

II. ALLEGATIONS AND CONCLUSIONS

The Department has jurisdiction to resolve this Complaint under 34 CFR §§ 300.151-153 and OAR 581-015-2030. The Parent's allegations and the Department's conclusions are set out in the chart below. The conclusions are based on the Findings of Fact in Section III and the Discussion in Section IV. This Complaint covers the one-year period from February 28, 2025, to the filing of this Complaint on February 27, 2026

Allegations	Conclusions
When IEPs Must Be In Effect The Complaint alleged the District failed to implement the Student's IEP from August 2025-January 2026 when the Student did not receive enlarged copies of printed materials in their Spanish Class. (OAR 581-015-2220; 34 CFR §300.323)	**Not Contested** The District does not contest this allegation.
Free Appropriate Public Education (FAPE) The Complaint alleged the District denied the Student a FAPE when the lack of accommodations in the Student's Spanish class resulted in the Student being dropped from the class. (OAR 581-015-2040, 34 CFR §§ 300.17, 300.101)	**Not Contested** The District does not contest this allegation.

REQUESTED CORRECTIVE ACTION
1. "Since [Student]'s teacher did not enlarge copies [the Student] was forced to drop the class. I want the district to pay for these classes when [the Student] enters college next year under SB 758. We do not believe the independent study class they offered would have given the same experience." 2. "4 hours minimum training on how to force teacher compliance." 3. "Also for surveys to go out to a random group (min of 15 students) of IEP students at [the High School] to ask if their teachers are following their accommodations. If not, the [P]rincipal can practice their training to force compliance of IEP accommodations."

III. FINDINGS OF FACT

IDEA regulations limit complaint investigation to alleged violations occurring no more than one year before the Department's receipt of the special education complaint. This Complaint Investigation did not consider any IDEA violations alleged to have occurred before February 28, 2025. Any facts listed below relating to circumstances or incidents earlier than that date are included solely to provide the context necessary to understand the Student's disability and special education history.

1. The Student is 17 years old, in the 12th grade, and attends a high school in the District.

2. On February 27, 2026, the Parent filed this Complaint.

3. The District did not contest the allegations made in the Complaint and proposed Stipulated Corrective Actions. The Parent has been apprised of the nature and content of the Stipulated Corrective Actions, as set forth in the table below.

IV. DISCUSSION

The Complaint alleged IDEA violations which the District does not contest.

The Department does not make a substantive determination regarding the allegations in the Complaint.

V. CORRECTIVE ACTION

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Based on the District not contesting the allegation in this Complaint, the Department orders and the District stipulates to the following Corrective Action:

Action Required	**Submissions**	**As Soon As Possible But No Later Than**
1. The District will provide the Student with access to a second-semester Spanish 300-level equivalent course should the Student choose to participate.	The District shall submit to the ODE the following: Evidence showing this access was provided.	**June 15, 2026**
2. The District will conduct additional staff training at the Student's school regarding:	Training agenda/materials to ODE for review/approval.	**June 15, 2026**

a. Staff's obligation to implement accommodations identified in a student's IEP; and b. What to do in situations where staff are unable to or unsure how to implement a student's accommodations.	Sign-in sheet for training.	**October 15, 2026**

Dated: this 29 Day of April 2026



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Ramonda Olaloye
Assistant Superintendent
Office of Enhancing Student Opportunities

E-mailing Date: April 29, 2026

Appeal Rights: Parties may seek judicial review of this Order. Judicial review may be obtained by filing a petition for review within sixty days from the service of this Order with the Marion County Circuit Court or with the Circuit Court for the County in which the party seeking judicial review resides. Judicial review is pursuant to the provisions of ORS § 183.484. (OAR 581-015-2030 (14).)