

ISBE DELL e-Broadcast 2006.42- ACCESS for ELLs & Annual Immigrant Education Program Data Report (Due 12/11/06)

Online ordering for ACCESS for ELLs test materials is online through November 17, 2006.

For recent communications from the ISBE Division of Assessment, see http://www.isbe.net/bilingual/pdfs/2007_Illinois_letter.pdf.

For test ordering instructions, see http://www.isbe.net/bilingual/pdfs/2007_WIDA_web_instructions.pdf.

To obtain the test order form, see http://www.isbe.net/bilingual/pdfs/2007_WIDA_order_form.pdf.

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Annual Immigrant Education Program (IEP) Data Report

The 2006-07 Immigrant Education Program (IEP) Data Report is available at: <http://www.isbe.net/bilingual/htmls/immigrant.htm>. The report form has been mailed to all school superintendents in Illinois. The immigrant student count submitted by Illinois districts is reported to the U.S. Department of Education.

The total IEP count determines the Title III FY08 Immigrant Education Program funding for Illinois. The count is also used to determine both funding eligibility for districts that complete the report and the funding level for each eligible district.

The completed reports are to be sent to the Division of English Language Learning by December 15, 2006. This program is authorized by the No Child Left Behind Act of 2001 (Public Law 107-110). For school year 2006-2007, Illinois share for Immigrant Education Programs amounted to \$4,325,468.

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