

ADDENDUM NO. 3 TO THE FAMILIES, EDUCATION, PRESCHOOL, AND PROMISE LEVY IMPLEMENTATION AND EVALUATION PLAN

SY 2020-21 COVID-19 Response and Investment Modifications

This Addendum (Addendum 3) to the Families, Education, Preschool, and Promise (FEPP) Levy Implementation and Evaluation Plan (Plan) grants the Department of Education and Early Learning (DEEL) temporary authority to modify the Plan without City Council approval by Ordinance in order to respond to the conditions preventing in-person activities caused by the COVID-19 pandemic as well as the resulting exacerbated racial disparities in education.

If there is a conflict between any provision or requirement of the Plan, or Addendums 1 or 2 to the Plan and Addendum 3, Addendum 3 shall govern.

While Addendum 3 is in effect, DEEL has authority to temporarily modify the Plan and its funded strategies in the following ways:

- Adapt service-delivery across investment areas to meet public health mandates and recommendations including, but not limited to, social distancing, staff-to-student ratios, and remote learning.
- Expand FEPP strategies to meet emergent community needs including technology hardware and software, health and safety equipment, provision of basic needs such as nutrition and shelter, and stability for education partners.
- Modify Seattle Preschool Program participant tuition and provider payment model to align with service-delivery adaptations and cost impacts.
- Modify Seattle Promise two-year enrollment limit to a two-year equivalency of 90 attempted credits for currently enrolled Seattle Promise scholars who request to enroll part-time or defer enrollment.

All modifications must contribute to the goals and outcomes specified in the Plan.

Effective Dates

Addendum 3 is in effect during School Year 2020-21 (FEPP Year 2), ending August 31, 2021. Parameters outlined in Ordinance 125807 and the Plan will resume on September 1, 2021 for SY 2021-22 (FEPP Year 3) implementation unless King County remains in Phases 1-3 of the Safe Start Washington plan on July 1, 2021 or DEEL submits additional legislation to Council requesting changes.

If King County remains in Phases 1-3 of the Safe Start Washington plan on July 1, 2021, this addendum will remain in effect through SY 2021-22 (FEPP Year 3), ending August 31, 2022.

Reporting and Accountability

DEEL will notify the chair of the Governance and Education Committee of changes made as a result of Addendum 3 within 30 days. The FEPP Year 2 annual report will list modifications made as result of Addendum 3 and an assessment of how FEPP goals and outcomes were advanced utilizing the best available quantitative or qualitative data.