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## Fall 2025 Monitoring Timeline

From **March to August**, districts are tasked with gathering necessary evidence and documentation to support their compliance with ESEA requirements. During this period, the Office of Public Instruction (OPI) will provide ongoing coaching and technical assistance to ensure districts are well-prepared for the submission process.

In the timeframe of **September to November**, the OPI will initiate
communication by sending an email in the
first week of September, detailing the
submission process for evidence and
documentation. Districts are required to
compile and submit all relevant materials in **PDF format** to the OPI, with continued
access to coaching and technical assistance
throughout this phase.

By **December 1, 2025**, districts must submit their ESEA Monitoring evidence and documentation to the OPI, marking the deadline for submissions. Following this, the OPI will commence a thorough review of the submitted materials. Starting in December, districts will receive a report outlining any findings and necessary corrective action plans, with the OPI remaining available for support until all issues are resolved and the monitoring process is officially completed.

## Spring 2026 Monitoring Timeline

From March to December, districts are tasked with gathering necessary evidence and documentation to support their compliance with ESEA requirements. During this period, the Office of Public Instruction (OPI) will provide ongoing coaching and technical assistance to ensure districts are well-prepared for the submission process.

In the timeframe of **January to April**, the OPI will initiate communication by sending an email in the first week of January, detailing the submission process for evidence and documentation. Districts are required to compile and submit all relevant materials in **PDF format** to the OPI, with continued access to coaching and technical assistance throughout this phase.

By May 1, 2026, districts must submit their ESEA Monitoring evidence and documentation to the OPI, marking the deadline for submissions. Following this, the OPI will commence a thorough review of the submitted materials. Starting in June, districts will receive a report outlining any findings and necessary corrective action plans, with the OPI remaining available for support until all issues are resolved and the monitoring process is officially completed.