HOW TO NAVIGATE THE LEGAL FRAMEWORK (Administrators)

GOOGLE Education Service Center 18 (State Lead for Legal Framework), or:
https://framework.esc18.net

Home Page Highlights:

**Versions:** English/ Spanish Graphic
              English/ Spanish Text Only

**Icons:** Schools: Enter Framework

**Links:**
1) Transition/ Employment Services Designee List
2) Texas Education Agency (TEA) Website
3) Region 18 Education Service Center

**Publications:**
Notice of Procedural Safeguards (English/ Spanish)
Special Education Rules and Regulations (Side-by-side document featuring IDEA,
State Board of Education (SBOE) Rules, Commissioner’s Rules, & TX State Laws)

How to enter Framework as an “Administrator”:

- Click the small “Administrator” link at the bottom right-hand corner of page
- Enter email and password and Click LOGIN
- If you do not have a login, click SETUP NEW ACCOUNT and complete the “Request Access to Framework Authoring”. You will need to wait until you receive an approval email with your login and temporary password to access the Administrator workbench.
- If you have forgotten your password, click “Forgot My Password” and complete the information. A new temporary password will be sent to you, via email.
- Once you have logged into the Framework, select YOUR school district or charter in the DISTRICT pull-down menu. Then, select CHARTER or DISTRICT in the AGENCY TYPE pull-down menu. Press CONTINUE.
Administrator Menu:

Tabs (on Left):

- Administration
  - Manage Policies & Procedures
  - Manage Operating Guidelines
- Reporting
  - Status Report
  - Add/ View A Note
- Resource Library
  - Operating Guidelines
  - Documentation Toolbox
  - Training Material
- Change Documents
- SPP Assurance
- Framework Display Portal
  - Toggle between administrator workbench and framework view
- Edit My Information

Changes to Publication Documents:
- Notice of Procedural Safeguards
- Parent’s Guide to the ARD Process

Changes to Framework Documents:
- Parent Notification and Personal Graduation Plan
- Referral for Possible Special Education Services
- Ages 0-5
- Incarceration
- Review of Existing Evaluation Data
- Evaluation Procedures
- Summary of Performance
- Auditory Impairment
- Visual Impairment
- Rule of Construction
- Admission, Review, and Dismissal Committee Membership
- Parent Participation
- Admission, Review, and Dismissal Committee Meeting
Changes to Framework Documents (cont’d.):

- Transition Services
- Special Factors
- Supplementary Aids and Services, Special Education, Related Services
- Least Restrictive Environment
- State and Districtwide Assessments
- Graduation
- Extended School Year Services
- Prior Written Notice
- Consent for Initial Evaluation
- Restraint and Time-out
- Authority of School Personnel
- Disciplinary Change of Placement
- Shared Services Arrangements