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# Texas COVID Learning Acceleration Supports (TCLAS)

# Welcome!



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# Today's Objectives

- f* Provide overview of Texas COVID Learning Acceleration Supports (TCLAS) grant
- f* Share application timeline and key components
- f* Preview TCLAS Guidance Document and Funding Calculator
- f* Identify additional resources and ways to learn more

**Texas COVID Learning Acceleration Supports (TCLAS)** is a set of targeted supports and additional state and federal funding aligned to the Learning Acceleration Framework.

LEAs will access TCLAS funding and supports through a single, streamlined discretionary, non-competitive grant application that mimics the simplicity of a formula grant.

- ¾ No narrative responses required

- ¾ No need for grant writers

- ¾ Easy budget calculations







Supported teachers who are equipped to deliver excellence, getting more than 1 year of growth in 1 year



Rigorous instructional materials designed to make up ground, and designed to work remotely & on campus



More time for the students most in need, including in the summer and with targeted tutoring

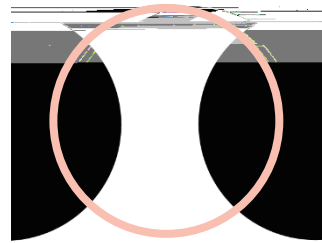
# TCLAS Includes 5 Accelerated Learning Strategies

## Strategic Planning



**Strategic planning and performance management** to prioritize, launch, and continuously improve learning acceleration strategies

## Instructional Materials



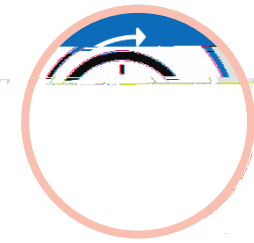
**Rigorous high-quality instructional materials** designed to make up ground and master grade level TEKS

## Teacher Pipelines



**Talent pipelines** that support teachers to deliver excellence in the classroom, getting more than 1 year of growth in 1 year

## More Time



**More time** for the students most in need, including expanding instructional time in the summer and with targeted tutoring

## Innovative School Models



**Innovative school models** to incorporate all aspects of the learning acceleration framework

# 10 Available Decision Points for Districts in TCLAS

Strategic Planning	Instructional Materials	Teacher Pipelines	More Time	Innovative School Models
Decision 1: LEA Accelerated Learning Strategic Planning	Decision 2: HQIM Core Approved Products	Decision 4: Teacher recruitment support	Decision 6: Tutoring Supports	Decision 9: P-TECH
	Choice by Subject/Grade Level			
	Decision 3: HQIM Supplemental Approved Products	Decision 5: Residency Program Support	Decision 7: School Day/Calendar Redesign	Decision 10: New School Models
	Various Types of Products		Decision 8: Strong Summer Program	
<u>Similar TEA Initiatives:</u> Resilient School Support Program (RSSP)	<u>Similar TEA Initiatives:</u> Texas Home Learning (THL) / CRIMSI Math Innovation Zones Dyslexia tools Phonics Reading System College Prep Course	<u>Similar TEA Initiatives:</u> Grow Your Own (GYO) Teacher Residencies	<u>Similar TEA Initiatives:</u> Additional Days School Year (ADSY) Vetted Texas Tutor Corps	<u>Similar TEA Initiatives:</u> PTECH





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# Accelerated Learning Strategies in TCLAS

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## What this support can include:

District-wide learning acceleration strategy prioritization and planning

Ongoing project, stakeholder, and, change management support

Opt-in campus-level implementation, cohort PD, and networking opportunities

Data Fellow

Examples

Instructional  
Support  
& Coaching

Instructional  
Materials

Staffing &  
Scheduling

Tutoring

Additional  
Time



# Accelerated Learning Strategies in TCLAS

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## What this support can include:

### Core Instructional Materials

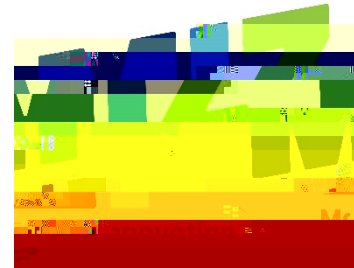


Printed, high-quality instructional materials (and digital supports) designed for learning acceleration

### Professional Development



Design and Implementation support for educators using high quality instructional materials



### Supplemental Materials



Licenses to supplemental products for early learners, college prep and blended learning models



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## What this support can include:

High

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What this support can include:



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### What this support can include:

#### P-TECH

Connect HS to College  
and Career  
Students earn high  
school diploma and  
postsecondary degree  
and/or certificate  
Up to 6 years and still  
receive funding from TEA



#### School Redesign

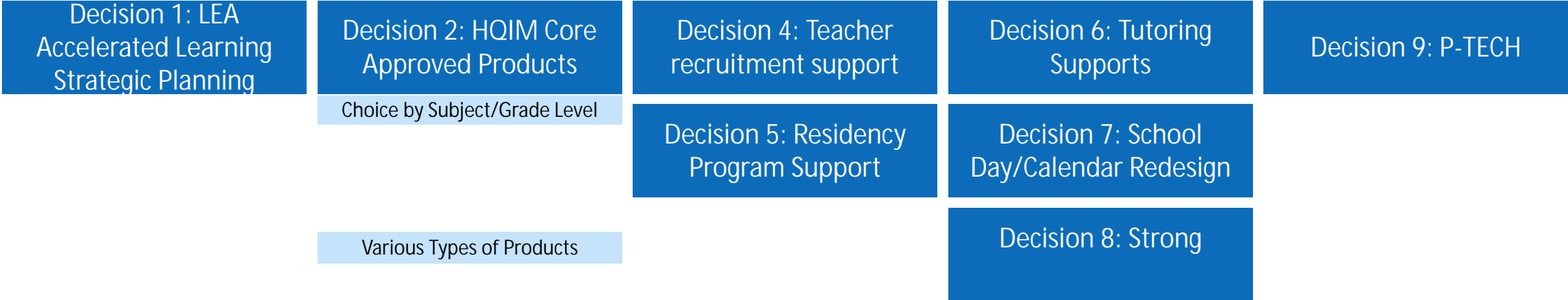


Whole school blended  
learning models  
High-quality instructional  
materials  
Extended Time  
High-dosage tutoring  
Student Wellness

Planning and implementation supports for **innovative whole school models**, including PTECH and blended learning whole school redesigns



# Accelerated Learning Strategies

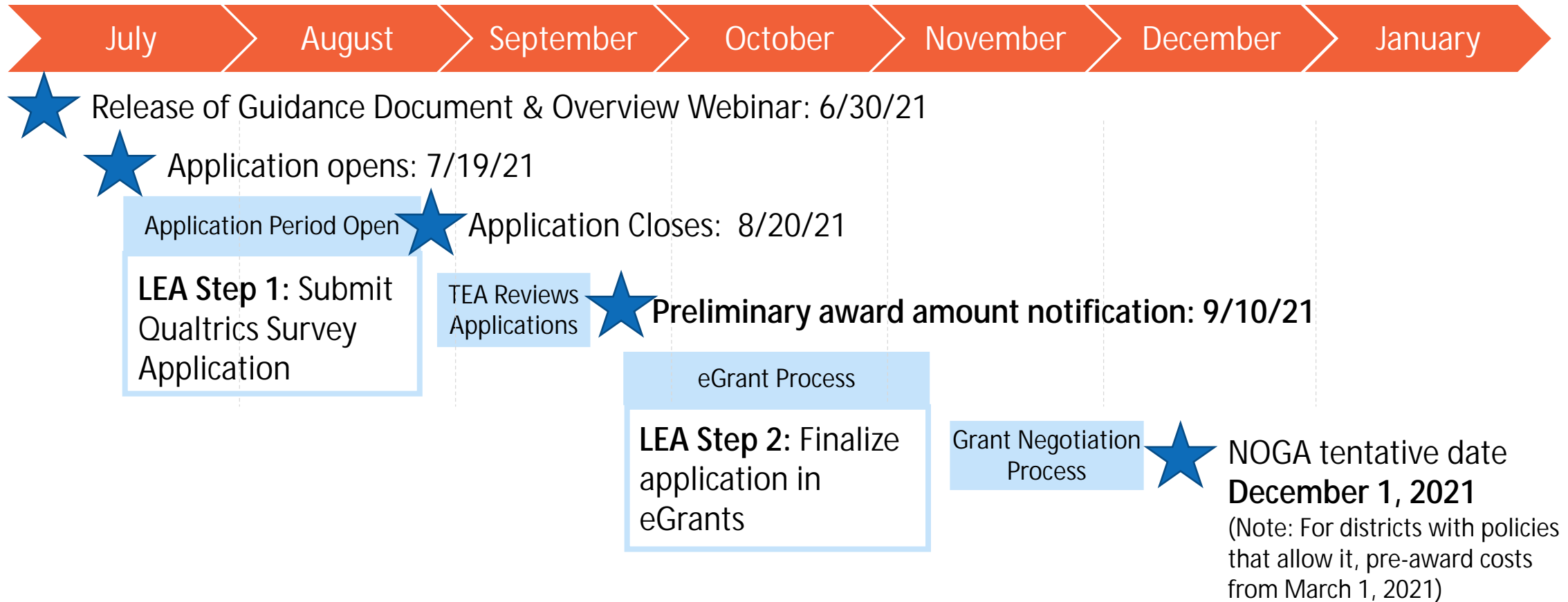




# TCLAS Timeline and Application Overview



# TCLAS Application Timeline



# TCLAS Application Components

## Guidance Document



Walks LEAs through supports available through TCLAS and guiding questions LEAs should consider before making TCLAS decisions

## Budget Calculator

Calculates district TCLAS award – including both in-kind and granted funds – based on the decisions made in TCLAS

## Application

This is how districts will submit their TCLAS choices to TEA





# TCLAS Guidance Document and Funding Calculator Walkthrough



# TCLAS Next Steps



# Accelerated Learning Strategies in TCLAS

## Accelerated Learning Strategies

Decision 1: LEA  
Accelerated Learning  
Strategic Planning

Decision 2: HQIM Core  
Approved Products

Decision 4: Teacher  
recruitment support



## Decision Point-Specific Webinars



In depth review of **supports available** within TCLAS; LEAs should join for all interested supports

**Week of July 12<sup>th</sup>**, Various Time

Registration available now!







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