



STATE OF ALABAMA
DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION



Eric G. Mackey, Ed.D.
State Superintendent of Education

September 30, 2026

MEMORANDUM

TO: City and County Superintendents of Education

FROM: Eric G. Mackey *EGM*
State Superintendent of Education

RE: The Alabama Continuous Improvement Plans (ACIP) Completion Posting

As an integral part of the process of planning for a successful new year, schools are to finalize their Alabama Continuous Improvement Plan (ACIP) for the 2026-2027 school year by Thursday, October 15, 2026.

The ACIPs are to be completed using the Cognia platform. The Cognia platform can be accessed through the [Cognia sign-in page](#).

If you have any questions about the Cognia platform, please contact Dr. Molly Killingsworth by email at mkillingsworth@alsde.edu or by telephone at 334-694-4711. For Title I ACIP related questions, contact Dr. Dana Williams by telephone at 334-694-0085 or by email at dana.williams@alsde.edu.

Resource links for completing the ACIP are as follows:

- [ACIP One Pager Support Document](#)
- [ACIP and Cognia Improvement Platform Padlet](#)
- [ALSDE and Cognia Support Page](#)

Thank you for all your hard work and continued support.

EGM:DW:NSM

cc: City and County Federal Programs Directors

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