

Recommendation:

In recognition of the important role that a parent has in the success of their child's schooling, the working group believes that resources such as a family liaison and additional translation resources would enable a parent to more fully participate in the academic progress of a student.

Specifically, the additional resources of \$5,114 per LEP student would enable a school to provide necessary wrap-around services specific to a child's LEP status.

These services could include: translation services for communication between school personnel and parents through a bilingual liaison, cultural competency training for school personnel, other family support, and referrals to outside resources that a school may not be able to directly provide.

A school can determine what services would best serve their students.