

APPENDIX V-7;

V.G.1.k OELAS Extension and HCR2001

In SY2019-20, the Language Acquisition Department (LAD) Director and staff have served on ADE's subcommittees charged with developing procedures to operationalize SB1014, a proposal passed in 2019. This law allowed flexibility to the 4-hour block of English Language Development. In addition, LAD has provided guidance to the schools on how to transition away from the 4-hour model to a more flexible 2-hour model.

The LAD has also played an instrumental role in advocating for HCR2001, a proposal to repeal the mandated four-hour block (Proposition 203). On January 27th, a member of the TUSD LAD team testified to the Arizona House of Representative's Education Committee on behalf of HCR2001. See link AZEDNEWS article featuring TUSD Staff testifying in Committee. <https://azednews.com/bill-to-provide-english-learner-instruction-flexibility-remains-in-house-rules/>