

District of Innovation

North East Independent School District

March 26, 2018

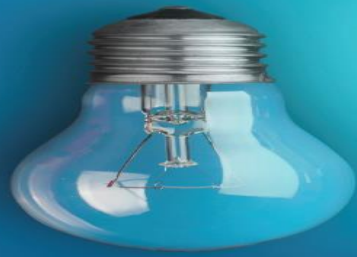
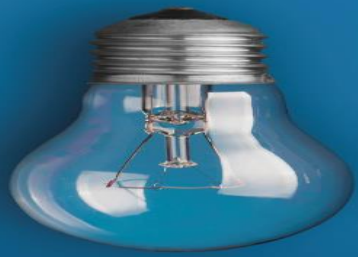
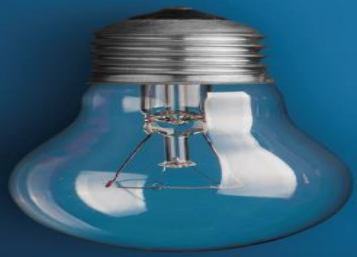




What is a District of Innovation

A District of Innovation is a concept passed by the 84th Legislative Session in House Bill 1842, that gives traditional independent school districts most of the **flexibilities** available to Texas' open enrollment charter schools. To access these flexibilities, a school district must adopt an **innovation plan**, as set forth in the Texas Education Code chapter 12A.

TASB Legal Services



What Kind of Flexibility



School District

Planning and Decision Making



Educators

Appraisals, certification, duties/development, benefits



Students

Attendance, calendar, class size, discipline



Fiscal Management

Depositories, purchases, misc.



What Kind of Flexibility



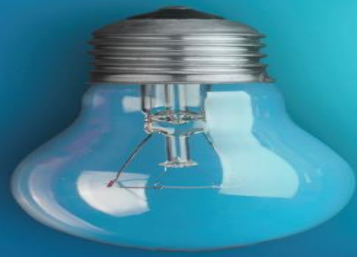
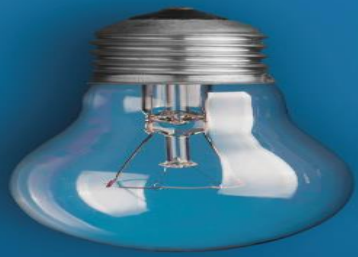
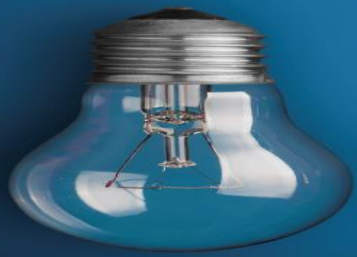
Educators

*Teacher certification in high
need areas*



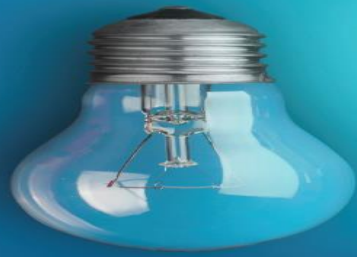
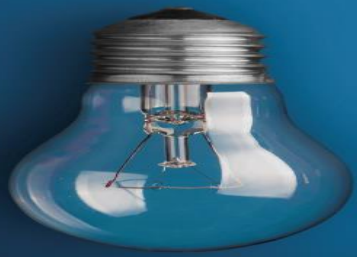
Students

*Calendar:
uniform start date*



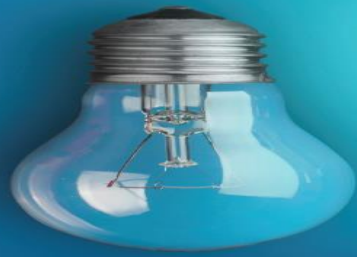
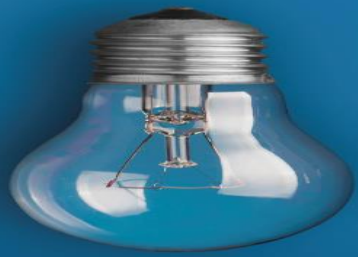
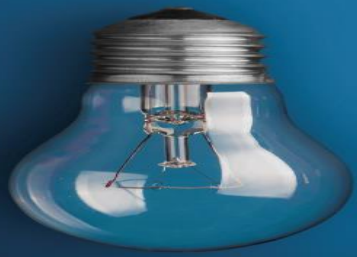
The DOI Timeline

March 26, 2018	Recommend the Board of Trustees adopt this resolution to initiate the process of becoming a District of Innovation (DOI)
April 9, 2018	Board of Trustees will hold a public hearing to consider developing DOI plan
April 9, 2018	Board of Trustees will appoint a DOI Planning Committee
April 10 – April 30, 2018	The Planning Committee will explore and develop a DOI Plan



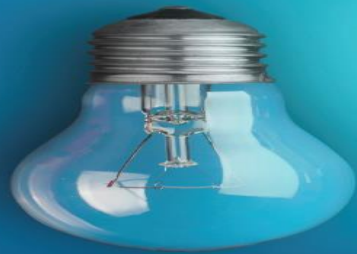
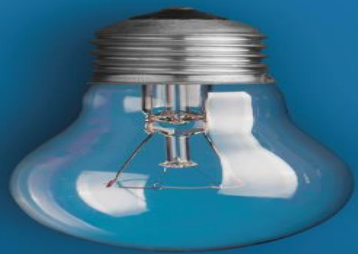
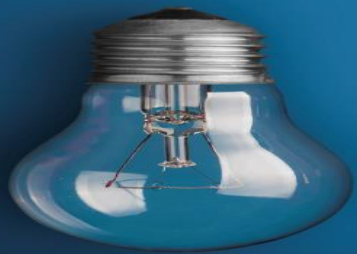
The DOI Timeline

May 2, 2018	The drafted DOI plan will be presented to the DEIC Committee for input and approval of the plan by majority vote
May 3, 2018	Post plan on District website for 30 days
May 3, 2018	Notify the TEA of Proposed District of Innovation Plan



The DOI Timeline

June 11, 2018	Present the DOI Plan to the Board of Trustees for approval
June 12, 2018	If approved, notify the Commissioner of the DOI Plan
June 12, 2018	Send a copy of the DOI Plan to the TEA for posting to the TEA website



Questions