



May 17, 2022

Dr. Melissa Friez
Superintendent
North Allegheny SD
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Dear Dr. Friez:

Enclosed is the Report of Findings presenting results of the Chapter 16 monitoring which was conducted virtually by the Bureau of Special Education (BSE) in the North Allegheny SD the week of November 26, 2021.

The Executive Summary is arranged in two parts and includes an Appendix. PART I presents the Summary of Findings including an explanation of the review process and general findings. PART II describes the corrective action process. A description identifying findings of noncompliance, corrective action required, and results of interviews of staff and parents can be found in the Appendix.

I have been informed that there were no areas of non-compliance cited in your gifted education compliance monitoring visit conducted on November 26, 2021. It is with pleasure that I commend you and your staff for not having any areas of non-compliance.

As you know, compliance monitoring is required by Chapter 16. Special Education for Gifted Students to determine a local education agency's compliance with the requirements for students identified as eligible for gifted education. Your response to the monitoring visit assures the continuation of improved gifted education services to Pennsylvania students.

The Department of Education appreciates your cooperation and the Bureau of Special Education remains available to you should you need further assistance in the future.

If you have any questions about this report, contact Shirley Moyer, the Chairperson of the compliance monitoring team at (717) 903-2938.

Please convey my thanks to all staff who participated in the review. Their time and assistance is appreciated.

Sincerely,

Carole L. Clancy
Director

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Attachments: Executive Summary
Appendix: Detailed Report of Findings

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