

**Virginia Department of Education  
Office of Program Administration and Accountability  
Title III Accountability Determinations for Consortia**

Status	Accountability Consequences
<b>School Divisions in Consortia</b>	
If a consortium meets all Title III AMAOs...	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• No divisions in the consortium need to send separate parental notification letters, as required under Section 3302(b) of the <i>Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965</i> (ESEA), including divisions that did not meet the Title III AMAOs on their own.</li> <li>• No divisions in the consortium will receive a data point toward entering or remaining in Title III division improvement, including divisions that did not meet the Title III AMAOs on their own.</li> </ul>
If a consortium does <i>not</i> meet one or more Title III AMAOs...	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>All</i> divisions in the consortium must send separate parental notification letters, as required under Section 3302(b) of ESEA, indicating the consortium, as a whole, did not meet one or more Title III AMAOs. The letter may clarify whether an individual division met the Title III AMAOs.</li> <li>• Divisions that <i>missed the same Title III AMAO(s)</i> the consortium missed will receive a data point toward entering or remaining in Title III division improvement.</li> </ul>
If a consortium has <i>not</i> met one or more Title III AMAOs for two consecutive years...	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Only the division(s) in the consortium that have <i>not met the same Title III AMAO(s) the consortium missed for two consecutive years</i> will enter into Title III division improvement and submit a Title III division improvement plan as required under Section 3122(b) of the ESEA.</li> <li>• Consortium-level improvement plans are <i>not</i> required.</li> </ul>
<b>School Divisions <u>NOT</u> in Consortia*</b>	
If a division does not meet any one or more Title III AMAOs...	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The division sends separate parental notification letters as required under Section 3302(b) of the ESEA.</li> </ul>
If a division has not met any one or more Title III AMAOs for two consecutive years...	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The division goes into Title III division improvement and must submit a Title III division improvement plan as required under Section 3122(b) of the ESEA.</li> </ul>

\*Consequences apply only to those divisions accepting Title III funds.