## Madera Unified School District

## ENGLISH LEARNER RECLASSIFICATION (RFEP) AND FOLLOW-UP MONITORING CRITERIA FOR GRADES 1-12

STATE Required RFEP	RFEP Criteria for grades 1-12
Criteria	
1. California English Language	Grades 1-2:
Development Test (CELDT)	Overall Score of Early Advanced or Advanced
Includes: Listening, Speaking, Reading and Writing	Each section must be at Early Advanced or Advanced
	Grades 3-12 <sup>th</sup> :
	Overall Score of Early Advanced or Advanced
	Each section must be at Intermediate or above
2. California Standards Test (CST) - English Language Arts	CST: Basic Performance Level with a Scale Score of 300 or above
California Modified Assessment (CMA) – English Language Arts	CMA: Basic Performance Level with a Scale Score of 300 or above
California High School Exit Exam (CAHSEE) - English Language Art	CAHSEE: Passing Scale Score of 350 in grades 11-12
3. Teacher Evaluation of	GPA of 2.0 or above for two consecutive semesters in the core academic subjects
Student Academic Performance	(P.E. and other non-academic courses are excluded)
4. Parent Opinion and Consultation	Parent approval not required, but desired
RFEP Follow-Up For Two Years (6, 12, and 24 months)	If a student shows deficiencies at any time, an immediate and appropriate intervention must be applied.  • GPA – 2.0 or above for two consecutive semesters in the core academic subjects  • CST – Basic (Scale Score 300 or above)  • CMA – Basic (Scale Score 300 or above)  • CAHSEE – Passing scores of 350 for Grades 11-12

## Rare Exceptions Require Pre-Approval by the English Learner Program Director:

- 1. English Learners in Special Education will be considered for reclassification on a case-by-case basis.
- 2. <u>Use of modified criteria for students with highly exceptional circumstances.</u> State Board of Education Reclassification Guidelines (9/02) state the following: "Incurred deficits in motivation and academic success unrelated to English language proficiency do not preclude a student from reclassification."