



## **House Bill 5 – Community Engagement**

House Bill 5 includes a local evaluation requirement that is frequently referred to as the *community engagement* component. The community engagement requirement is an opportunity for districts to showcase areas of excellence and success as well as recognize areas in need of improvement and set future goals valued in the community.

Lasara ISD has evaluated and designated performance ratings for the district and each of its campuses based on criteria set by local committees, and each district and each campus has been assigned a rating of exemplary, recognized, acceptable, or unacceptable.

Areas rated and the ratings assigned for 2015-16 are as follows:

	Lasara Elementary	Lasara High School	Lasara ISD
Fine arts	Exemplary	Exemplary	Exemplary
Wellness and Physical education	Recognized	Recognized	Recognized
Community & parental involvement	Exemplary	Exemplary	Exemplary
21st Century Workforce Development	Recognized	Recognized	Recognized
Dropout Prevention Strategies	Recognized	Recognized	Recognized
2 <sup>nd</sup> Language Acquisition Program	Recognized	Recognized	Recognized

Digital Learning Environment	Recognized	Recognized	Recognized
Educational Programs for Gifted and Talented	Acceptable	Acceptable	Acceptable
Overall Rating	Recognized	Recognized	Recognized
Compliance with Statutory Reporting and Policy Requirements by LEA	YES	YES	YES

Additional information is available through the Lasara ISD Central Federal Programs office at 956-642-3321.