



ADVOCACY ALERT: KEEP FINE ARTS ON THE ILLINOIS SCHOOL REPORT CARD! *Steps You Can Take*

STAY INFORMED

Review the [Advocacy Alert](#) for background information on the Fine Arts Indicator.

ISBE has collected the information regarding the accountability system changes at <https://www.isbe.net/feedback>.

ATTEND A LISTENING TOUR MEETING

ISBE is holding a [Listening Tour](#) to gather input on the proposed accountability changes. **Plan to attend a meeting** to share your conviction that the Fine Arts Indicator should be included in the accountability redesign.

Not sure what to say? You can start with any of these [Fine Arts Indicator Talking Points](#)!

CONTACT ISBE

The ISBE Data & Accountability webpage lists ESSA@isbe.net for questions or comments. You can email State Superintendent Dr. Tony Sanders at statesup@isbe.net.

CONTACT YOUR STATE LEGISLATOR

You can find your local legislators through the [Illinois State Board of Elections District Locator](#). **Ask for their support** in restoring the Fine Arts Indicator to the school accountability framework.

You are encouraged to use this [Sample Legislator Email](#) supporting the Fine Arts Indicator (*the link will prompt you to make a copy of the letter so you can customize it as needed*).

If you are calling your legislator and would like to know what to say on the phone, please refer to this [Sample Legislator Phone Call Script](#).

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