



# Director Update

- CONUS Education Options Assessment (RAND Study)
  - SASC Report Language
  - DoD Response
- Home School Commencement Request
  - Eight home school students (5 Air Force and 3 Army) in Europe have requested permission to participate in the end of year commencement ceremony at their local DoDEA high school.
  - The standard to walk or participate in the DoDEA commencement ceremony is that the student must meet all of the DoDEA graduation requirements
  - The home school students connected to these cases are either engaged in a non-accredited home school program, or have expressed disinterest in having their home-school record evaluated to determine if DoDEA graduation requirements are met.
  - Short term: DoDEA has responded to each of the sponsors/ students connected to this request and offered several options.
  - Way Forward SY 16/17: Guidance, communication and community collaboration.
- Restructuring for Student Achievement





# Restructuring for Student Achievement (RSA)

Organizational Restructuring: Improve the ability of DoDEA's above-school organizations to support school-level delivery of quality educational opportunities

- Re-engineer the HQ Education Directorate and the Human Resources Division
- Move instructional support assets closer to the school level
- Clarify HQ, area, district roles, responsibilities, and expectations
- Educator Targeted Professional Development (individual & team capacity building)
- Focus on standards, curriculum, instruction, assessments, technology

Essential Supporting Efforts:

- Creating an organizational culture of raised expectations and accountability
- Building student capacity and motivation to learn at a more rigorous level
- Prepare parents by building awareness of the changes to DoDEA's educational system

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