

## EXHIBIT "H" – Additional Terms or Modifications

Version  Tyler Technologies

LEA and Provider agree to the following additional terms and modifications:

**WHEREAS**, the Provider is providing educational or digital services to LEA pursuant to the Service Agreement.

**WHEREAS**, the Provider and LEA recognize the need to protect personally identifiable student information and other regulated data exchanged between them as required by applicable laws and regulations, such as the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act ("**FERPA**") at 20 U.S.C. § 1232g (34 CFR Part 99); the Children's Online Privacy Protection Act ("**COPPA**") at 15 U.S.C. § 6501-6506 (16 CFR Part 312), applicable state privacy laws and regulations

and

**WHEREAS**, the Provider and LEA desire to enter supplement the Service Agreement by entering into this DPA for the purpose of establishing their respective obligations and duties in order to comply with applicable laws and regulations.

**NOW THEREFORE**, for good and valuable consideration, LEA and Provider agree as follows:

1. A description of the Services to be provided, the categories of Student Data that may be provided by LEA to Provider, and other information specific to this DPA are contained in the Standard Clauses hereto.

### 2. **Special Provisions. Check if Required**

If checked, the Supplemental State Terms and attached hereto as **Exhibit "G"** are hereby incorporated by reference into this DPA in their entirety.

If Checked, the Provider, has signed **Exhibit "E"** to the Standard Clauses, otherwise known as General Offer of Privacy Terms

3. In the event of a conflict between the SDPC Standard Clauses, the State or Special Provisions will control. In the event there is conflict between the terms of the DPA and any other writing, including, but not limited to the Service Agreement and Provider Terms of Service or Privacy Policy, the terms of this DPA shall control.

## ARTICLE II: DATA OWNERSHIP AND AUTHORIZED ACCESS

1. **Student Data Property of LEA**. All Student Data transmitted to the Provider pursuant to the Service Agreement is and will continue to be the property of and under the control of the LEA. The Provider further acknowledges and agrees that all copies of such Student Data transmitted

to the Provider, including any modifications or additions or any portion thereof from any source, are subject to the provisions of this DPA in the same manner as the original Student Data. The Parties agree that as between them, all rights, including all intellectual property rights in and to Student Data contemplated per the Service Agreement, shall remain the exclusive property of the LEA; Provider shall retain all rights, including intellectual property rights, to the Services, except as stated herein. Nothing in this agreement shall be construed to transfer any such rights to the LEA. For the purposes of FERPA, the Provider shall be considered a School Official, under the control and direction of the LEA as it pertains to the use of Student Data, notwithstanding the above.

2. **Parent Access.** To the extent required by law the LEA shall establish reasonable procedures by which a parent, legal guardian, or eligible student may review Education Records and/or Student Data and correct erroneous information, and procedures for the transfer of student-generated content to a personal account, consistent with the functionality of ~~s~~Services. Provider shall respond in a reasonably timely manner (and no later than forty five (45) days from the date of the request or pursuant to the time frame required under state law for an LEA to respond to a parent or student, whichever is sooner) to the LEA's request for Student Data in a student's records held by the Provider to view or correct as necessary. In the event that a parent of a student or other individual contacts the Provider to review any of the Student Data accessed pursuant to the Services, the Provider shall refer the parent or individual to the LEA, who will follow the necessary and proper procedures regarding the requested information.

### ARTICLE III: DUTIES OF LEA

3. **Reasonable Precautions.** LEA shall take reasonable precautions to secure usernames, passwords, and any other means of gaining access to the ~~s~~Services and hosted Student Data.

### ARTICLE IV: DUTIES OF PROVIDER

1. **Privacy Compliance.** The Provider shall comply with all applicable federal and state, ~~and local~~ laws, rules, and regulations pertaining to Student Data privacy and security, all as may be amended from time to time.

4. **No Disclosure.** Provider acknowledges and agrees that it shall not make any re-disclosure of any Student Data or any portion thereof, including without limitation, user content or other non-public information and/or ~~p~~Personally ~~i~~Identifiable ~~i~~nformation contained in the Student Data other than as directed or permitted by the LEA or this DPA. This prohibition against disclosure shall not apply to aggregate summaries of De-Identified ~~information~~ Data, Student Data disclosed pursuant to a lawfully issued subpoena or other legal process, or to subprocessors performing services on behalf of the Provider pursuant to this DPA. Provider will not ~~S~~sell Student Data to any third party.

5. **De-Identified Data:** Provider agrees not to attempt to re-identify ~~d~~De-identified Student Data. De-Identified Data may be used by the Provider for those purposes allowed under FERPA and the following purposes: (1) assisting the LEA or other governmental agencies in conducting research and other studies; and (2) research and development of the Provider's educational sites, services, or applications, and to demonstrate the effectiveness of the Services; and (3) for

adaptive learning purpose and for customized student learning. Provider's use of ~~d~~De-Identified Data shall survive termination of this DPA or any request by LEA to return or destroy Student Data. Except for Subprocessors, Provider agrees not to transfer ~~d~~De-identified Student Data to any party unless ~~(a)~~ that party agrees in writing not to attempt re-identification, and (b) prior written notice has been given to the LEA who has provided prior written consent for such transfer. Prior to publishing any document that names the LEA explicitly or indirectly, the Provider shall obtain the LEA's written approval of the manner in which ~~d~~De-identified data is presented.

**6. Disposition of Data.** Upon written request from the LEA, Provider shall dispose of or provide a mechanism for the LEA to transfer Student Data obtained under the Service Agreement, within sixty (60) days of the date of said request and according to a schedule and ~~procedure as the Parties may reasonably agree and in accordance with the data retention policy described in Exhibit A\*~~. Upon termination of this DPA, if no written request from the LEA is received, Provider shall dispose of all Student Data ~~after providing the LEA with reasonable prior notice. In accordance with the data retention policy described in Exhibit A\*~~. The duty to dispose of Student Data shall not extend to Student Data that had been De-Identified or placed in a separate student account pursuant to section II 3. The LEA may employ a "Directive for Disposition of Data" form, a copy of which is attached hereto as **Exhibit "D"**. If the LEA and Provider employ Exhibit "D," no further written request or notice is required on the part of either party prior to the disposition of Student Data described in Exhibit "D."

**Note\* Exhibit A language will include the following:**

Provider needs to provide the detailed retention policy details, including the timeline.

## ARTICLE V: DATA PROVISIONS

**2. Audits.** No more than once a year, or following unauthorized access, ~~upon receipt of a written request from the LEA with at least ten (10) business days' notice and upon the execution of an appropriate confidentiality agreement, the Provider will allow the LEA to audit the security and privacy measures that are in place to ensure protection of Student Data or any portion thereof as it pertains to the delivery of services to the LEA.~~ The LEA may make reasonable inquiries of the Provider regarding the use of the LEA's Student Data and the security measures undertaken by the Provider to protect said Student Data. The Provider will cooperate reasonably with the LEA and any local, state, or federal agency with oversight authority or jurisdiction in connection with any audit or investigation of the Provider and/or delivery of Services to students and/or LEA, and shall provide reasonable access to the Provider's ~~facilities~~, staff, agents and LEA's Student Data and all records pertaining to the Provider, LEA and delivery of Services to the LEA. Failure to reasonably cooperate shall be deemed a material breach of the DPA.

**3. Data Security.** The Provider agrees to utilize administrative, physical, and technical safeguards ~~consistent with industry standards and~~ designed to protect Student Data from unauthorized access, disclosure, acquisition, destruction, use, or modification. The Provider shall adhere to any applicable law relating to data security. The Provider shall implement an adequate Cybersecurity Framework ~~that may be~~ based on one of the nationally recognized standards set forth in **Exhibit "F"**. Exclusions, variations, or exemptions to the identified Cybersecurity Framework ~~must may~~ be detailed in an attachment to **Exhibit "H"**. Additionally, Provider may choose to further detail its security programs and measures that augment or are in addition to

the Cybersecurity Framework in **Exhibit "F"**. Provider shall provide, in the Standard Schedule to the DPA, contact information of an employee who LEA may contact if there are any data security concerns or questions.

4. **Data Breach.** In the event of an unauthorized release, disclosure or acquisition of Student Data that compromises the security, confidentiality or integrity of the Student Data maintained by the Provider the Provider (a "data breach") shall provide notification to LEA within ~~seventy-two (72) hours~~ three (3) business days after ~~of confirmation of the~~ that a incident data breach has occurred, unless notification within this time limit would disrupt investigation of the incident by law enforcement. In such an event, notification shall be made within a reasonable time after the incident data breach. Provider shall follow the following process:

(1) The security data breach notification described above shall include, at a minimum, the following information to the extent known by the Provider and as it becomes available:

- i. The name and contact information of the reporting LEA subject to this section.
- ii. A list of the types of ~~p~~Personally Identifiable information that were or are reasonably believed to have been the subject of a breach.
- iii. If the information is possible to determine at the time the notice is provided, then either (1) the date of the breach, (2) the estimated date of the breach, or (3) the date range within which the breach occurred. The notification shall also include the date of the notice.
- iv. Whether the notification was delayed as a result of a law enforcement investigation, if that information is possible to determine at the time the notice is provided; and
- v. A general description of the breach incident, if that information is possible to determine at the time the notice is provided.

(2) Provider agrees to adhere to all federal and state requirements with respect to a data breach related to the Student Data, including, when ~~appropriate or~~ required, the required responsibilities and procedures for notification and mitigation of any such data breach.

(3) Provider further acknowledges and agrees to have a written incident response plan that reflects best practices and is consistent with industry standards and federal and state law for responding to a data breach, breach of security, privacy incident or unauthorized acquisition or use of Student Data or any portion thereof, including ~~p~~Personally identifiable ~~i~~nformation and agrees to provide LEA, upon request, with a summary of said written incident response plan.

## ARTICLE VII: MISCELLANEOUS

1. **Termination.** In the event that either Party seeks to terminate this DPA, they may do so by mutual written consent so long as the Service Agreement has lapsed or has been terminated. Either party may terminate this DPA and any service agreement or contract if the other party breaches any terms of this DPA, subject, however, to any dispute resolution requirements provided for in such Service Agreement or contract.

7. **Successors Bound:** This DPA is and shall be binding upon the respective successors in interest to Provider in the event of a merger, acquisition, consolidation or other business reorganization or sale of all or substantially all of the assets of such business. In the event that the Provider sells, merges, or otherwise disposes of its business to a successor during the term of this DPA, the Provider shall provide written notice to the LEA no later than sixty (60) days after the closing date of sale, merger, or disposal. ~~Such notice shall include a written, signed assurance that the successor will assume the obligations of the DPA and any obligations with~~

~~respect to Student Data within the Service Agreement. Subject to the terms of this Section 7, the LEA has the authority to terminate the DPA if it disapproves of the successor to whom the Provider is selling, merging, or otherwise disposing of its business upon providing written notice to the Provider and, if known, to the Successor, if: (i) the LEA objects or reasonably believes, supported by reasonable documentation, that the Successor cannot uphold the material terms and conditions under this DPA.~~

8. **Authority.** Each party represents that it is authorized to bind to the terms of this DPA, including confidentiality and destruction of Student Data and any portion thereof contained therein, all related or associated institutions, individuals, and employees ~~or contractors~~ who may have access to the Student Data and/or any portion thereof.

### **EXHIBIT "C"** **DEFINITIONS**

**De-Identified Data and De-Identification:** Records and information are considered to be de-identified when all ~~personally identifiable information~~ has been removed or obscured, such that the remaining information does not reasonably identify a specific individual, including, but not limited to, any information that, alone or in combination is linkable to a specific student and provided that the educational agency, or other party, has made a reasonable determination that a student's identity is not personally identifiable, taking into account reasonable available information.

**Metadata:** means information that provides meaning and context to other data being collected; including, but not limited to: date and time records and purpose of creation. Metadata that have been stripped of all direct and indirect identifiers are not considered Personally Identifiable Information or Student Data.

**Student Data:** Student Data includes any data, whether gathered by Provider or provided by LEA or its users, students, or students' parents/guardians, that is descriptive of the student including, but not limited to, information in the student's educational record or email, first and last name, birthdate, home or other physical address, telephone number, email address, or other information allowing physical or online contact, discipline records, videos, test results, special education data, juvenile dependency records, grades, evaluations, criminal records, medical records, health records, social security numbers, biometric information, disabilities, socioeconomic information, individual purchasing behavior or preferences, food purchases, political affiliations, religious information, text messages, documents, student identifiers, search activity, photos, voice recordings, geolocation information, parents' names, or any other information or identification number that would provide information about a specific student. Student Data includes Meta Data that have not been stripped of all direct or indirect identifiers. Student Data further includes "personally identifiable information (PII)," as defined in 34 C.F.R. § 99.3 and as defined under any applicable state law. Student Data shall constitute Education Records for the purposes of this DPA, and for the purposes of federal, state, and local laws and regulations. Student Data as specified in **Exhibit "B"** is confirmed to be collected or processed by the Provider pursuant to the Services. Student Data shall not ~~constitute~~ include De-Identified Data or that information that has been anonymized ~~or de-identified~~, or anonymous usage data regarding a student's use of Provider's services.

**EXHIBIT "E"**  
**GENERAL OFFER OF PRIVACY TERMS**

**1. Offer of Terms**

Provider offers the same privacy protections found in this DPA between it and

**Ventura County Office of Education**

("Originating LEA") which is dated Oct 4, 2022, to any other LEA ("Subscribing LEA") who accepts this General Offer of Privacy Terms ("General Offer") through its signature below. This General Offer shall extend only to privacy protections, and Provider's signature shall not necessarily bind Provider to other terms, such as price, term, or schedule of services, or to any other provision not addressed in this DPA. The Provider and the Subscribing LEA may also agree to change the data provided by Subscribing LEA to the Provider to suit the unique needs of the Subscribing LEA. The Provider may withdraw the General Offer in the event of: (1) a material change in the applicable privacy statutes; (2) a material change in the services and products listed in the originating Service Agreement; or three (3) years after the date of Provider's signature to this Form. Subscribing LEAs should send the signed **Exhibit "E"** to Provider at the following email address:

legal.affairs@tylertech.com

**PROVIDER:** Tyler Technologies, Inc.

BY:  Date: 10-07-2022

Printed Name: Ted Thien Title/Position: Vice President and General Manager

**2. Subscribing LEA**

A Subscribing LEA, by signing a separate Service Agreement with Provider, and by its signature below, accepts the General Offer of Privacy Terms. The Subscribing LEA and the Provider shall therefore be bound by the same terms of this DPA for the term of the DPA between the **Ventura County Office of Education** and the Provider. **\*\*PRIOR TO ITS EFFECTIVENESS, SUBSCRIBING LEA MUST DELIVER NOTICE OF ACCEPTANCE TO PROVIDER PURSUANT TO ARTICLE VII, SECTION 5. \*\***

**LEA:** \_\_\_\_\_

BY: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Printed Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Title/Position: \_\_\_\_\_

SCHOOL DISTRICT NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

DESIGNATED REPRESENTATIVE OF LEA:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_