

## Educator Effectiveness Data Platform Request for Proposal

1. In your Introduction you mention; “The Oakland Unified School District (The “District” or “OUSD”) is seeking proposals from qualified vendors to provide an evaluation data platform to house and manage our Educator Effectiveness data system.” Does this mean you already have a system as are just looking for a vendor to provide cloud hosting of your system or does it mean you are looking for both the system and the hosting environment?

*We use the Teacher Growth and Development System ([TGDS](#)) and Leadership Growth and Development System ([LGDS](#)) to evaluate certificated staff members. We are looking for a data platform and hosting environment that will allow us to effectively implement these systems online.*

2. Would the OUSD be willing to entertain a joint venture, where we build it with your staff and requirements on a time and materials basis? This will give you exactly what you want, customized to your requirements.

*We are looking for an already existing platform that can be adapted to meet our needs.*

3. Is Customer Service by the vendor an absolute requirement? We are a technology firm, we don't provide direct user-support except on our data management toolset. If the OUSD is willing to entertain the joint-venture idea above, OUSD staff will have in-depth knowledge of the inner workings of the new system and would be able to support it fully.

Yes, customer services is a requirement. See our [Platform Selection Rubric](#) for more information.