



TO: Matthew L. Blomstedt, Ph.D.
Commissioner of Education

FROM: Bryce Wilson, State Aid Director

SUBJECT: Approve the Special Grant Fund List for 2014/15 School District Budgeting

Proposed Board Action:

It is recommended that the State Board of Education approve the attached list of Special Grant Funds for 2014/15 budgeting in local school districts.

Background Information:

Section 79-1003(20) & (39) requires the State Board of Education to identify special grant funds that are excluded from the definition of general fund budget of expenditures for purposes of calculating budget limitations of local school districts. Such funds would be treated as exclusions from school districts' general fund budget of expenditures for purposes of calculating budget limitations in accordance with state law.

For each school budget year, the list is revised and State Board approval is requested. This request is applicable to the 2014/15 school district budget.

Estimated Cost:

None.

Supporting Documentation Included:

Proposed 2014/15 Special Grant Fund List.

For Additional Information on this item:

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PROPOSED 2014/15 SPECIAL GRANT FUND LIST
(April 21, 2014)

1. Adult Basic Education Grants
2. Adult Education - English Literacy/Civics Grants
3. Advance Placement Test Fee Reduction Program Grants
4. Annenberg Foundation Grants (Rural Challenge)
5. Artist-in-Schools/Communities Grants
6. Building Safe and Responsive Schools Grants
7. Career and Technical Education Grants (Carl Perkins)
8. Career Education Grants
9. Century Link/NETA Grants
10. Community Incentive Grants
11. Distance Learning Grants (Federal)
12. Early Childhood Education Endowment Program Ages Birth-3 (Sixpence) Grants
13. Early Childhood Education Program Ages 3-5 Grants
14. Early Childhood Training Program Grants (discretionary)
15. Early Intervention Act and IDEA Part C (Infants/Toddlers with Disabilities) Grants
16. Education Innovation Fund Grants (includes Distance Education Equipment Reimbursements and Incentive Grants)
17. EducationQuest Foundation Community Grants
18. ESEA Section 1003(g) School Improvement Grants (SIG)-ARRA
19. Forest Service Grants (Conservation Education)
20. Great Plains Communications Grants (Commitment to the Schools)
21. Head Start Grants
22. High Ability Learner Incentive Grants (Gifted)
23. High School Equivalency Assistance Act Grants
24. IDEA Part B & Sec 619 Flow-Through Grants (includes Base, Enrollment/Poverty, CEIS, and Non-public)
25. IDEA Special Education Discretionary Grants (including State Improvement Grants (SpDG), Technical Assistance and Dissemination Grants (GSEG), Deaf-Blind Grants, Part B Sec 611 & Sec 619 State Set-Aside Grants, and other Office of Special Education Program (OSEP) Grants)
26. Immigrant Impact Education Grants
27. Improving Health & Education Outcomes for Young People
28. Indian Education Grants
29. Innovation in Education Program Grants (includes funds from USDE)
30. Johnson-O'Malley Grants
31. Kiewit Foundation Grants
32. Magnet School Grants
33. Medicaid Administrative Activities in Public Schools (MAAPS) Grants
34. Mentoring for Success Grants
35. Microsoft Settlement Agreement
36. National Science Foundation Grants
37. NCLB Title I Grants (includes Accountability, Disadvantaged, Even Start, Migrant Education, and Neglected or Delinquent)

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38. NCLB Title II Part A - Teacher Quality Grants (Principal and Teacher Training and Recruiting/Class Size Reduction)
39. NCLB Title II Part B - Mathematics and Science Partnership Grants
40. NCLB Title II Part D - Enhancing Education Through Technology Grants
41. NCLB Title III Grants - Immigrant Education Grants
42. NCLB Title III Grants - Limited English Proficiency
43. NCLB Title IV Part B - 21st Century Community Learning Center Grants
44. NCLB Title V Grants - Innovative Programs
45. NCLB Title VI Grants - Rural and Low-Income (Rural Education Achievement Program (REAP) Grants)
46. NCLB Title X - McKinney Vento Homeless Education Grants
47. Nebraska Arts Council Grants
48. Nebraska Community Foundation/TeamMates Grants
49. Nebraska Environmental Trust Grants
50. Nebraska Game & Parks Commission Grants (Conservation Education, Outdoor Classroom)
51. Nebraska Humanities Grants
52. Nebraska Natural Resources Commission Grants
53. Ritonya-Buscher-Poehling Foundation Grants
54. Safe Routes to Schools Grant
55. Save the Children Grant
56. School Health Program Grants
57. Smaller Learning Communities Program Grants
58. Teaching American History (TAH) Grants
59. Technology Information Infrastructure Assistance Program Grants (U.S. Department of Commerce)
60. Textbook Loan Grants (Rule 4)
61. Vocational Rehabilitation Grants
62. Wind Turbine Project Grants