

Department of Grant Compliance and Administration Statewide Training Series

2021-2022 SC5000 – Title I, Part A Campus Selection Schedule & Title I, Part A Within-LEA Allocations

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ESSA Consolidated Federal Grant Application – SC5000

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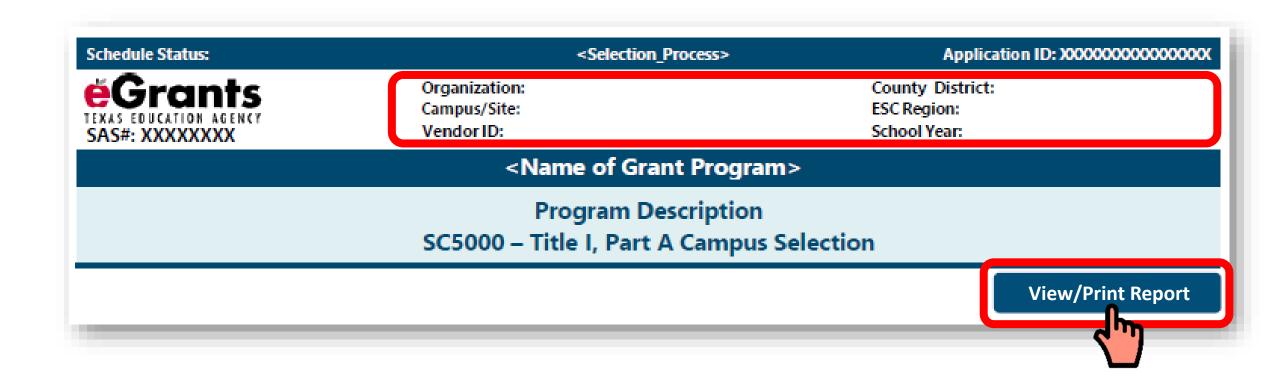


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Title I Part A Campus Selection Report

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Campus Number	Campus Name	Grade Span	Total Campus Enroll.	Basis of Eligibility	Additional Eligibility	Campus Low-Income %	Campus Status	# Students Served on TA Campus	Other	Consolidated Funds
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LEA Total Low Income Percentage: 73.20

Total LEA Enrollment: 2566

Total # Students Served on Title I, Part A Campuses: 1400

001901001	LearnAlott ISD EL	EE-05	847	Enrollment	One Year Transition	79.22	SW		Title I A Only
001901002	LearnAlott ISD Middle	EE-05	763	Enrollment	Ind Prog Waiver	72.48	TA	553	Title I A Only
001901003	LearnAlott ISD HS	06-06	956	Enrollment	SW Previous Year	67.89	NS-TI Eligible		

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TEA SC5000 Section A. LEA Data

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2. LEA Total Low-Income Percentage:	<u>%</u>
3. LEA Total Enrollment:	
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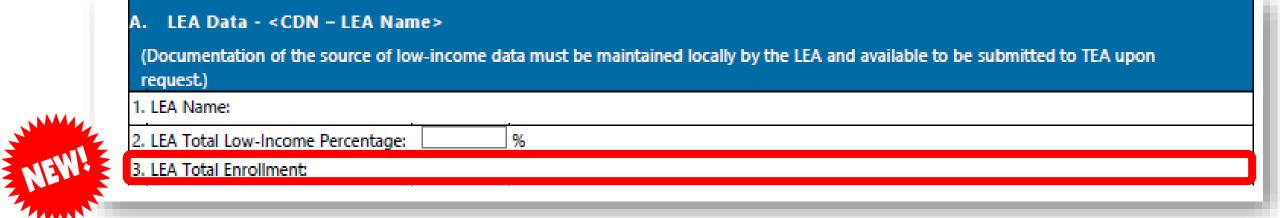
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LEA's Total Number of Students



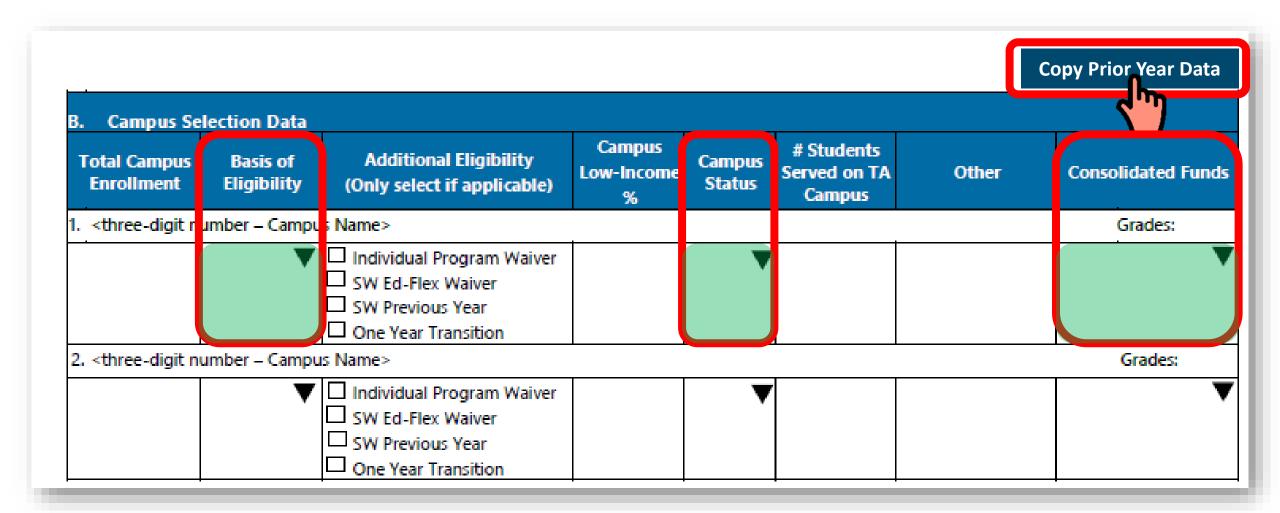
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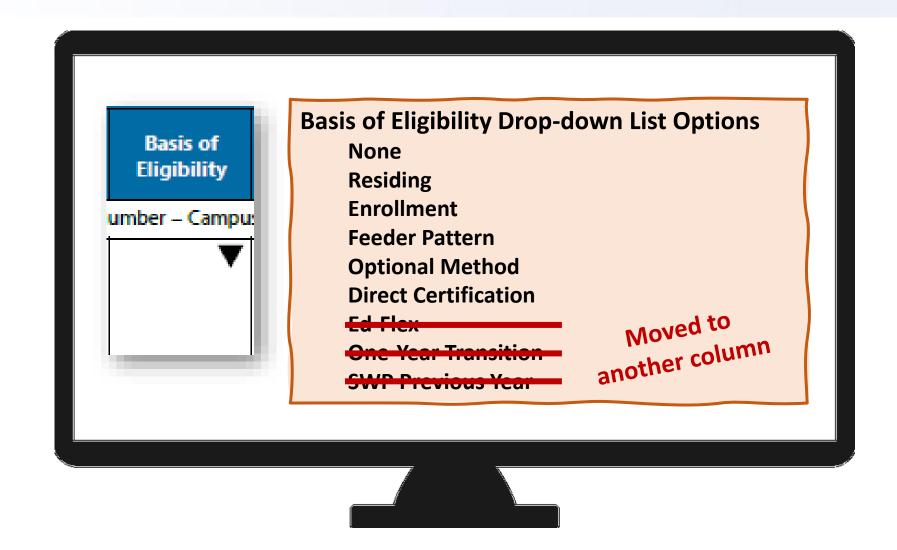
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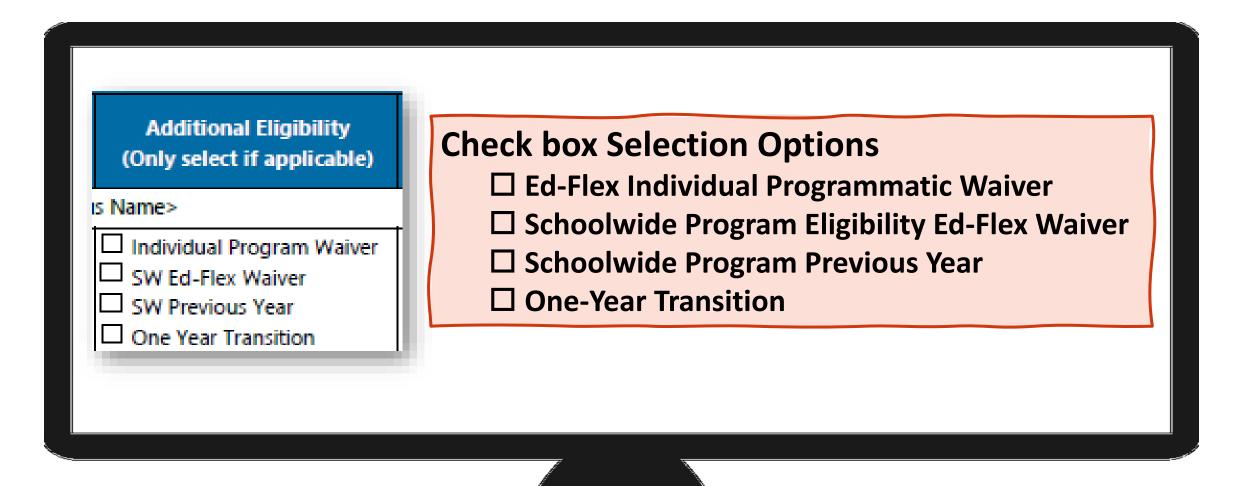






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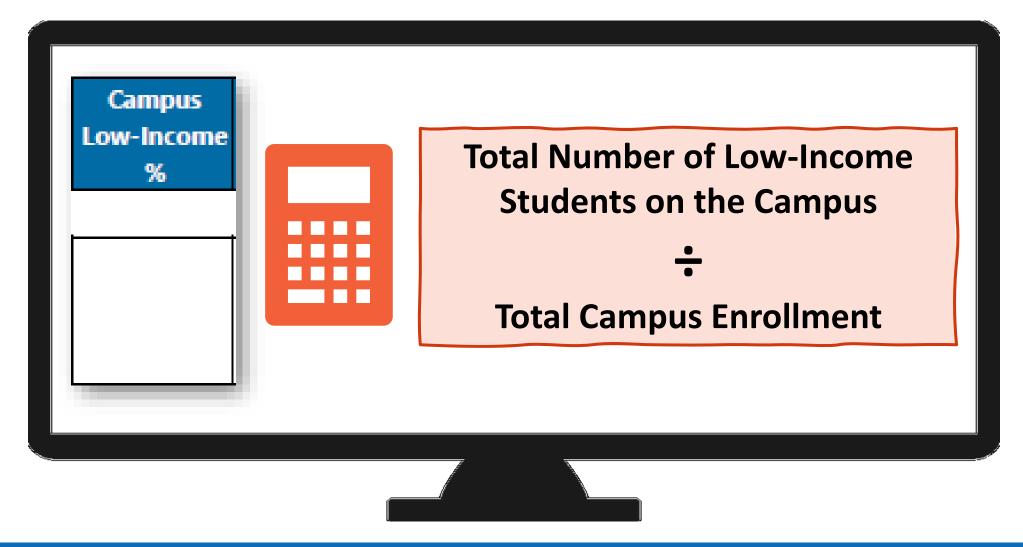






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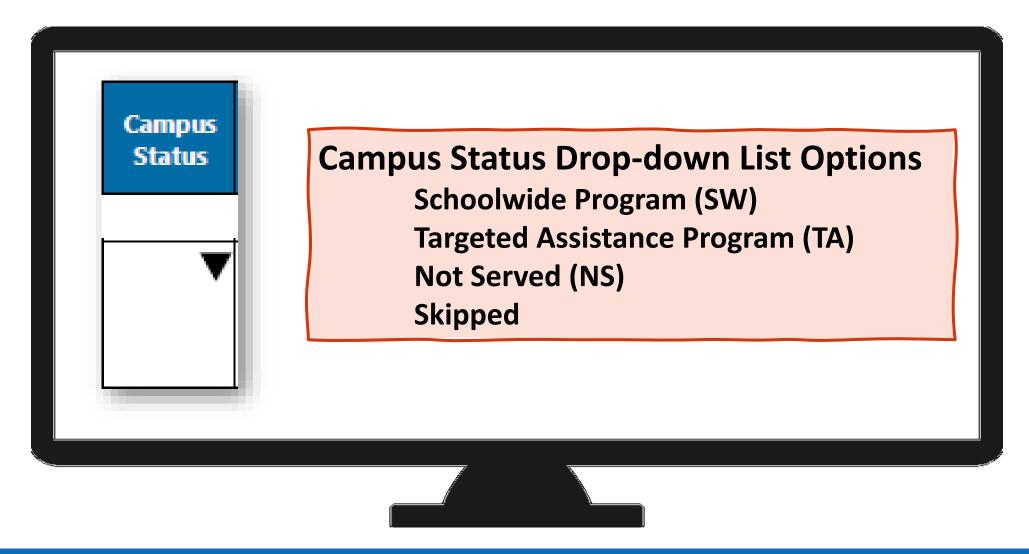




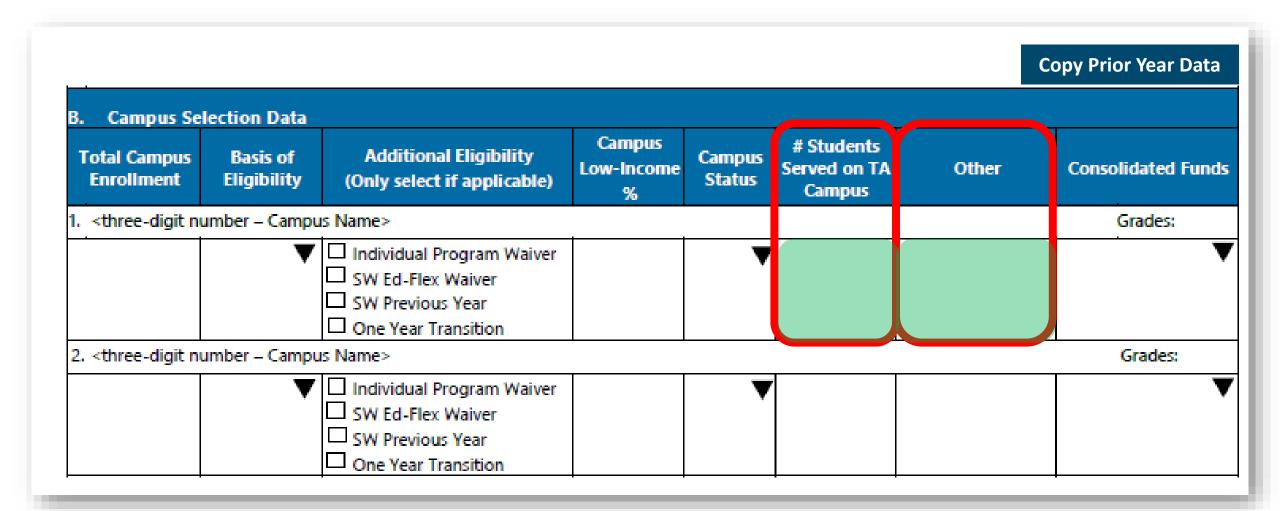


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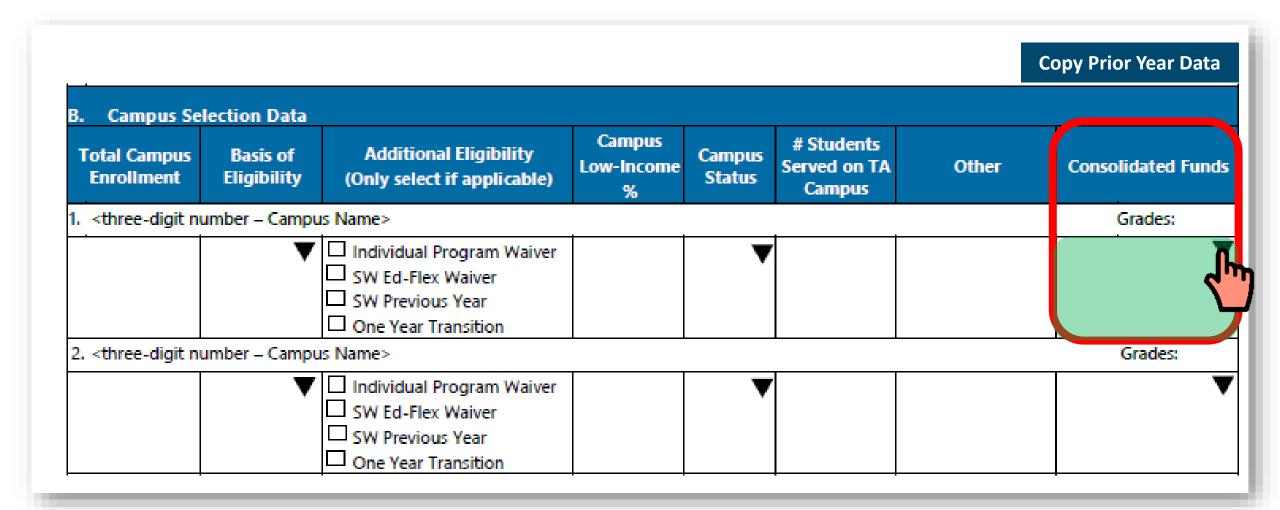




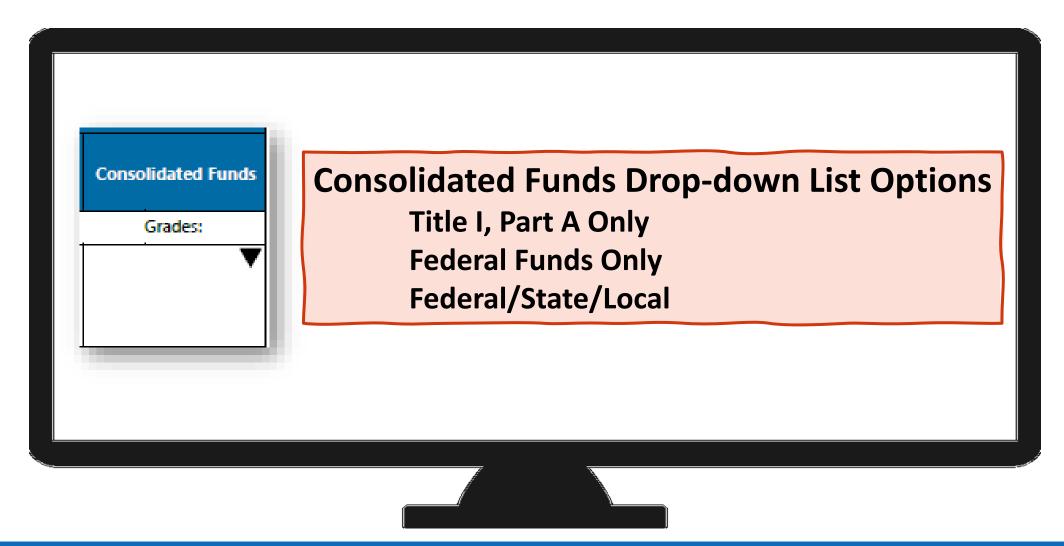












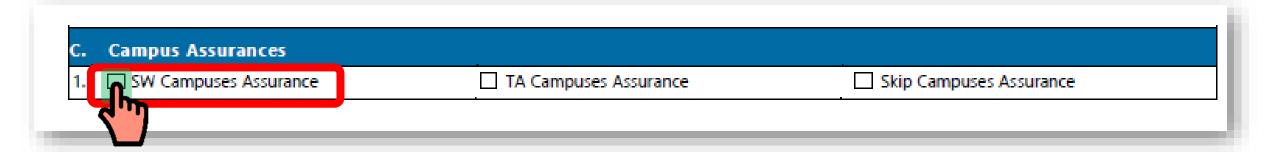




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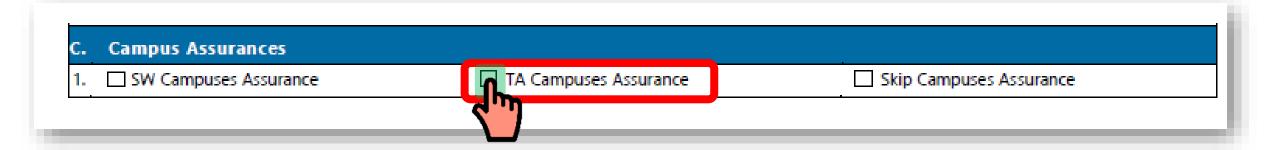
SC5000 Section C. Campus Assurances



By selecting Schoolwide Program (SW) for one or more campuses, the LEA is assuring that the campus planned for up to a year to be schoolwide and the elements of a schoolwide program are included in their schoolwide and/or campus improvement plan.



SC5000 Section C. Campus Assurances

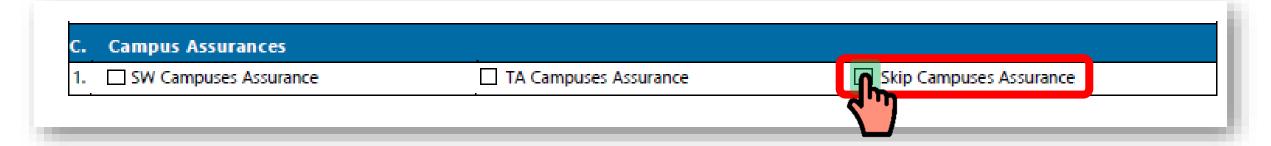


By selecting Targeted Assistance (TA) for one or more campuses, the LEA is assuring each of the following:

- LEA includes in the district improvement plan multiple, educationally related, objective criteria to identify students in greatest need (Campus may have supplemental criteria in campus improvement plan)
- LEA can only serve students identified as being in greatest need, not all students in a grade.



SC5000 Section C. Campus Assurances



By selecting Skip for one or more campuses, the LEA is assuring all of the following:

- Each "skipped" campus meets the comparability of services requirement.
- Each "skipped" campus receives supplemental funds from other state or local sources that are expended according to the requirements of a Targeted Assistance (section 1115) or a Schoolwide campus (section 1114).
- The funds expended from such other sources equal or exceeded the amount that would be provided to the campus under Title I, Part A.



Title I, Part A SC5000 Resources

SCHEDULE SC5000

TITLE I, PART A CAMPUS SELECTION

ESSA CONSOLIDATED FEDERAL GRANT APPLICATION
GUIDANCE

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TEA Grant Opportunities – ESSA Consolidated Federal Grant Application

Application and Support Information

Please note - This is ONLY a viewing copy of the application. If instruction above indicate that the application must be submitted electronically, the application will not be accepted by TEA via any other means.

Errata 1

General and Fiscal Guidelines

General Provisions and Assurances

Lobbying Certification

Debarment and Suspension Certification

ESSA Program Guidelines

ESSA Program Specific

PNP Equitable Svcs. Reservations

Sample Application

Schedule SC5000 Guidance

Eligibility List for Section 5211--REAP

Title I, Part A - Campus Listing by LEA

Title I, Part A - Campus Listing by Region



Title I, Part A SC5000 Resources

Schedule Instructions **eGrants**

SC5000 - Title I, Part A Campus Selection

This schedule is required if Title I, Part A, funds are budgeted on Schedule BS6001—Program Budget Summary.

Part A: LEA Data

SPECIFIC INSTRUCTIONS

Type the LEA Total Low-Income Percentage by calculating the total number residing in the entire LEA that meet low-income criteria and dividing that total by the total number residing. An alternate method is to substitute enrollment for the total number residing.

Part B: Campus Selection Data

Campus Selection Data is prefilled with each campus in your LEA as well as with each campus that is applying for Title I, Part A, as a member of your SSA.

All campuses operated by your organization should appear. Juvenile Justice Alternative Education Programs (JJAEP) are not operated by LEA's and should not be listed on the SC5000.

All SC5000 prefilled data is gathered from AskTED. All information must be correct in AskTED before it is corrected in the SC5000. (Some information, such as campus number, cannot be changed.)

If an LEA has changes to campuses (i.e., closed campus, new campus, grade span or name change), the LEA must correct AskTED first and then contact their regional negotiator. Charter schools must contact the Charter Schools Division at 512-463-9575 to make any changes to AskTED.

SPECIFIC INSTRUCTIONS

Copy Prior Year Data Button

 Selecting Copy Prior Year Data will populate the SC5000 with data from the latest valid submission of your LEAs prior year ESSA Consolidated Federal Grant Application.

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Instructions

Campus Selection SC5000 - Title I, Part A Campus Selection



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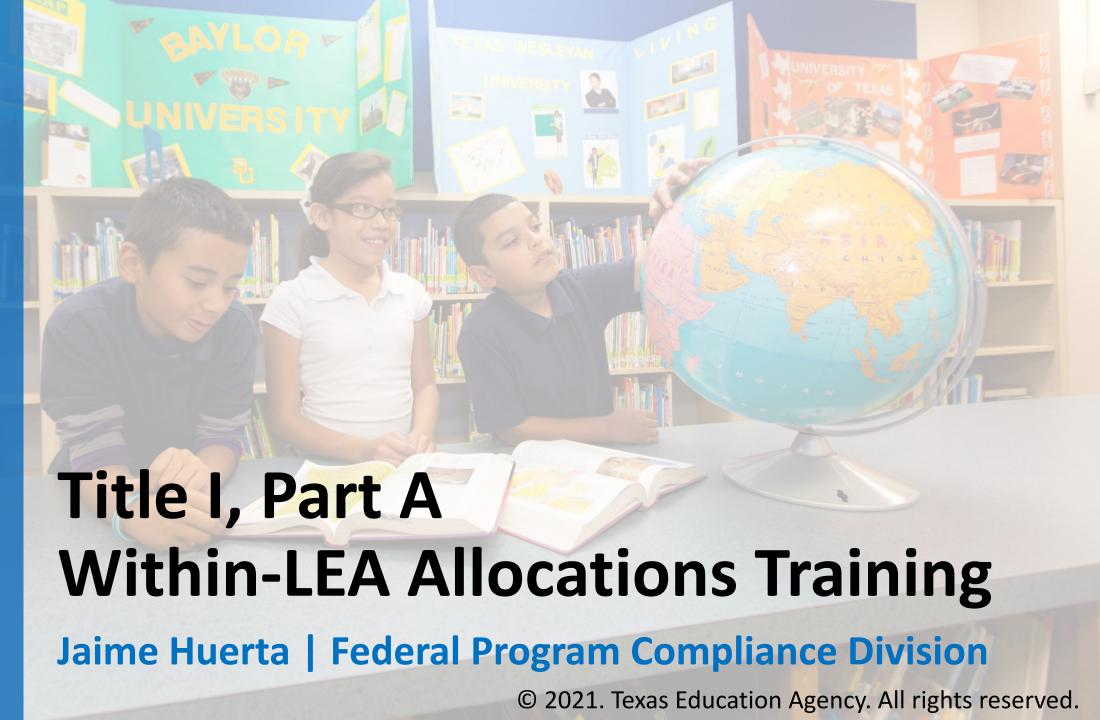
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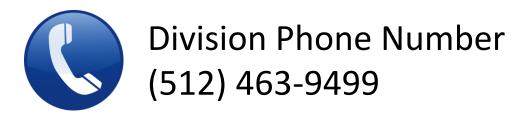


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Warning: Content Overload







Participants will gain a better understanding of...

- ✓ the factors determining the amount allocated to Title I, Part A campuses;
- ✓ the steps used to determine within-LEA

 Title I, Part A allocations; and
- ✓ the exceptions associated with allocating Title I, Part A funds to campuses.



TEA's Strategic Priorities and Enablers

Every child, prepared for success in college, a career or the military.

Strategic priorities

Enablers

RECRUIT SUPPORT RETAIN

Recruit, support and retain teachers and principals



Build a foundation of reading and math



Connect high school to career and college



Improve low-performing schools



Increase transparency, fairness and rigor in district and campus academic and financial performance



Ensure compliance, effectively implement legislation and inform policymakers



Strengthen organizational foundations (resource efficiency, culture, capabilities, partnerships)





TEA Training Resource





Title I, Part A Within-LEA Allocations Training **Companion Guide**

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Statewide ESSA Title I, Part A Capacity Building Initiative – **Education Service Center, Region 20**

https://www.esc20.net/apps/pages/ statewide-essa-title-i-part-a



TEA Within-LEA Allocations Training Source

WITHIN-DISTRICT ALLOCATIONS UNDER TITLE I, PART A OF THE ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY **EDUCATION ACT OF 1965,** AS AMENDED BY THE EVERY STUDENT SUCCEEDS ACT



Non-Regulatory Guidance

Draft for Public Comment

March 2020



U.S. Department of Education

This document combines existing information on within-district Title I, Part A allocations (that currently exists in multiple places) to make the information easier for States and LEAs to access and use.

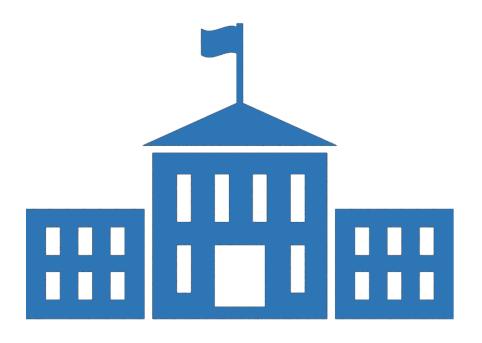
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Factors Determining the Amount Allocated to Title I, Part A Campuses

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- LEA's Title I, Part A Total Allocation
 - Entitlement; and
 - Transfers from Title II, Part A and Title IV, Part A under Funding Transferability only
 - LEAs transferring funds under the Rural Education
 Achievement Program (REAP) do not have to take the
 transferred funds into consideration when
 determining campus allocations.

LEA Reservations







LEA Title I, Part A Reservations

LEA Reservations

Required (must)

Authorized (may)



LEA Required (must) Reservations

1. Equitable
Services for Private
School Children
(PNP)

- Proportional Share
- Total Title I, Part A Allocation
- Prior to any expenditures or transfers
- 1% for Parent and Family Engagement activities for PNP parents & families

2. Parent and Family Engagement (PFE)

- Exceeds \$500,000
- At least 1% (includes PNP PFE activities)
- Distribute at least 90% to Title I, Part A Schools
- \$500,000 or less

3. Homeless Children and Youth; Children in Local Institutions for Neglected Children

- Services comparable to Title I, Part A
- Title I, Part A and non-Title I, Part A
- Based on a needs assessment
- Prior to any expenditures or transfers



LEA Authorized (may) Reservations

- Services to Students Residing in Local Facilities for delinquent children and neglected
- Administration of Title I, Part A Programs
 - Title I, Part A Program
 - Title I, Part A Programs for Eligible Private School Students
 - Title I, Part A Programs for Students at Facilities for Neglected and Delinquent
- Other Authorized Activities
 - Early Childhood Education
 - School Improvement
 - Coordinated Services



LEA Reservations Use of Funds





Campuses

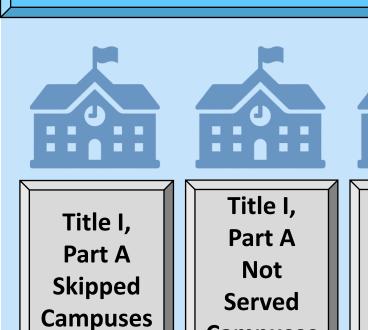






Schoolwide Program Campuses Targeted
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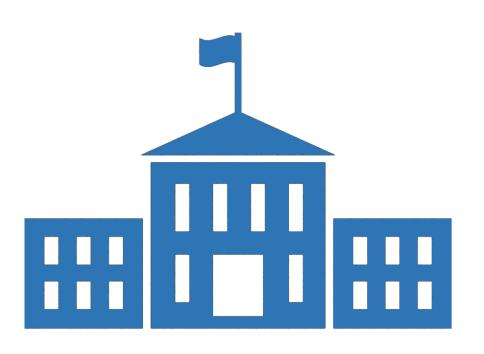
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Total Title I, Part A Allocation

- \$4,000,000 (Title I LEA Entitlement) +
- \$ 750,000 (transfer in from Title II, Part A) +
- \$ 250,000 (transfer in from Title IV, Part A)
- = \$5,000,000







Steps for Reserving LEA Title I, Part A Funds

Step 1: Private School Equitable Services					





Step 1 (Must) Private School Equitable Services LEA Reservation

■ 10 % of children from low-income families who reside in the LEA's Title I public school attendance areas attend private schools (proportional share).

Step	Activity	Basis	Amount	Amount of Allocation Remaining After Reservation
1	Equitable services and administration of equitable services	\$5,000,000 * 10 percent Equitable share calculation based on the LEA's total Title I Allocation	\$500,000 (includes \$5,000 to reflect the proportional share of the PFE reservation)	\$4,500,000



Steps for Reserving LEA Title I, Part A Funds

V	Step 1: Private School Equitable Services
	Step 2: Parent and Family Engagement





Step 2 (Must) Parent and Family Engagement LEA Reservation

Step	Activity	Basis	Amount	Amount of Allocation Remaining After Reservation
2	Parent and Family Engagement Activities	Statutory requirement that an LEA with an allocation that exceeds \$500,000 must reserve one percent or more of the LEA's total Title I allocation (less amount for families of private school children)	\$45,000 (based on 1% of \$5,000,000 less \$5,000 for families of private school children in Step 1)	After Step 1 = \$4,500,000 After Step 2 = \$4,455,000



Steps for Reserving LEA Title I, Part A Funds

V	Step 1: Private School Equitable Services

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Step 3a & 3b (Must) Homeless Children and Youth, Neglected

Step	Activity	Basis	Amount	Amount of Allocation Remaining After Reservation
3a	Homeless Children and Youth	Needs assessment and the LEA's total Title I allocation	\$525,000	After Step 2 = \$4,455,000 After Step 3a = \$3,930,000
3b	Children in Local Institutions for Neglected Children	Needs assessment and the LEA's total Title I allocation	\$325,000	After Step 3b = \$3,605,000



Steps for Reserving LEA Title I, Part A Funds

- Step 1: Private School Equitable Services
- Step 2: Parent and Family Engagement
- Step 3: Homeless, Neglected
- **Step 4: Other Authorized Reservations**







Step 4a & 4b (May) Other Authorized Reservations

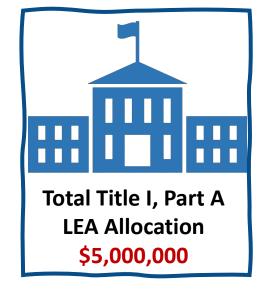
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4a	Preschool Programs	Statute and regulations	\$200,000	After Step 3b = \$3,605,000 After Step 4a = \$3,405,000
4b	Administration of Title I Programs	Statute and regulations	\$405,000	After Step 4b = \$3,000,000



Steps for Reserving LEA Title I, Part A Funds

- Step 1: Private School Equitable Services
- Step 2: Parent and Family Engagement
- Step 3: Homeless, Neglected
- **Step 4: Other Authorized Reservations**
- Step 5: Allocation to Title I, Part A Campuses





Step 5 Allocations to Title I, Part A Campuses

Step	Activity	Basis	Amount	Amount of Allocation Remaining
5	Allocations to schools with the required and authorized rese		\$3,000,000	After Step 4b = \$3,000,000 After Step 5 = \$0



Step	Activity	Basis	Amount	Amount of Allocation Remaining
1 (Must)	Equitable services and administration of equitable services	\$5,000,000 * 10 percent Equitable share calculation based on the LEA's total Title I Allocation	\$500,000 (includes \$5,000 to reflect the proportional share of the PFE reservation)	\$4,500,000
2 (Must)	Parent and Family Engagement Activities	Statutory requirement that an LEA with an allocation that exceeds \$500,000 must reserve one percent or more of the LEA's total Title I allocation (less amount for families of private school children)	\$45,000 (based on 1% of \$5,000,000 less \$5,000 for families of private school children in Step 1)	\$4,455,000
3a (Must)	Homeless Children and Youth	Needs assessment and the LEA's total Title I allocation	\$525,000	\$3,930,000
3b (Must)	Children in Local Institutions for Neglected Children	Needs assessment and the LEA's total Title I allocation	\$325,000	\$3,605,000
4a (May)	Preschool Programs	Statute and regulations	\$200,000	\$3,405,000
4b (May)	Administration of Title I, Part A Programs	Statute and regulations	\$405,000	\$3,000,000
5	Allocations to schools wanthorized reservations	vith the funds remaining after the required and	\$3,000,000	\$0



LEA Reservations Justification





Please note that in the example provided, the total LEA reservation exceeds 30% of the entitlement. If the total reservation exceeds 30% of the entitlement, TEA will contact you for a justification.

Steps for Reserving LEA Title I, Part A Funds



Step 1: Private School Equitable Services



Step 2: Parent and Family Engagement



Step 3: Homeless, Neglected



Step 4: Other Authorized Reservations



Step 5: Allocation to Title I, Part A Campuses





Title I, Part A Within-LEA Allocations



Within-LEA Allocations

Steps

S	tep 1:	Determining	Poverty	Counts
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- Step 2: Ranking & Identifying Eligible Campuses
- Step 3: Allocating Funds to Eligible Campuses



Within-LEA Allocations

Steps

Step 1: Determining Poverty Counts



Allocating Title I, Part A Funds to Public Schools

Basis of Eligibility

Residing (# of students residing in the attendance area)

Enrollment (# of students enrolled on a campus)

Note: The date used to determine the enrollment number must be the same for all campuses.

LEAs must use the same measure of poverty to:

Identify eligible school attendance areas and schools;

Rank areas and schools; and

Determine the allocation for each area and school.



Step 1: Determining Poverty Counts of Campuses

- LEAs with less than 1,000 students
 - An LEA with an enrollment of fewer than 1,000 students are exempt in statute from having to use the poverty measures to determine which of its schools receive Title I funds.
 - Such an LEA may use other criteria, such as academic performance or the grade span of its schools to determine which of its schools receive Title I funds, or it may choose to allocate Title I funds to all of its schools.



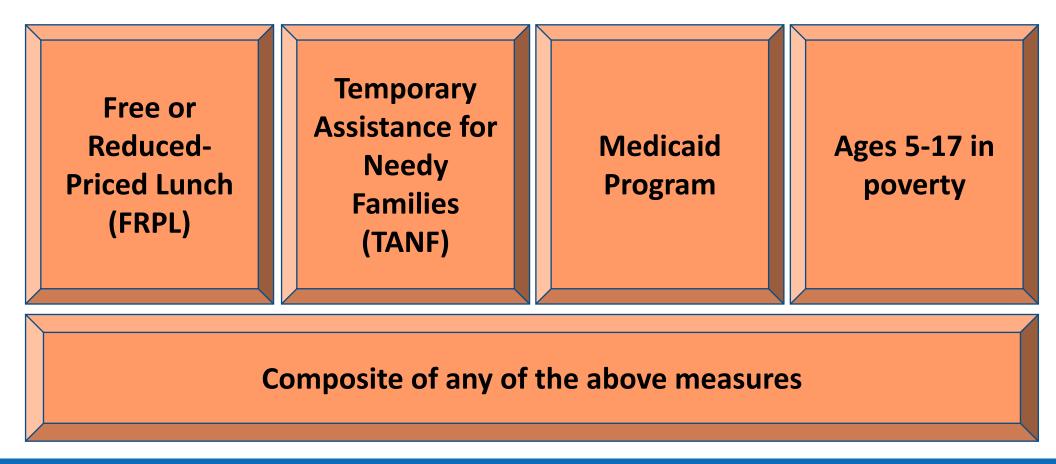
Previous Guidance - Single Attendance Area





Step 1: Determining Poverty Counts of Campuses

Poverty Measures





Step 1: Determining Poverty Counts of Campuses

- Year of data
 - Most recently available data
 - Previous school year in most cases
 - 2020-2021 school year
 - Data collected during the 2019-2020 school year

USDE Flexibility for 2021-2022



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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

OFFICE OF ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION

FACT SHEET January 4, 2021

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Impact: 2021-2022 Low-Income % for LEA and Campuses



USDE Flexibility for 2021-2022

Options for an LEA for SY 2021-2022

Medicaid
Program
SY 2020-2021
Data

Temporary
Assistance
for Needy
Families
SY 2020-2021
Data

Best
available
NSLP data,
which may
be from
SY 2019-2020

NSLP data from SY 2020-2021 that may be accessible (e.g. counts from Direct Certification)



Data from a poverty survey conducted by the LEA that replicate NSLP, Medicaid, or TANF data.

Composite of any of the above measures



Within-LEA Allocations

Steps

\checkmark	Step 1:	Determining	Poverty	Counts

	Step 2:	Ranking	&	Identifying	Eligible	Campuses
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Title I, Part A Eligibility

Schoolwide

Targeted Assistance



2a. Rank campuses in order of poverty without regard to the grade span they serve

2b. Identification of eligible campuses as per the 75% rule

2c. Option for Certain High Schools → 50%-75% poverty

2d. Options for serving remaining campuses



2a. Rank campuses in order of poverty without regard to the grade span they serve

Public School	Grades Served	Enrollment	Eligible for FRPL	Poverty Percentage
A	K-5	600	456	76.0%
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M	K-5	450	100	22.2%
L	K-5	425	75	17.6%
J	K-5	420	70	16.7%
K	K-5	395	65	16.5%
LEA Totals		11,065	3,762	34.0%





2a. Rank campuses in order of poverty without regard to the grade span they serve

2b. Identification of eligible campuses as per the 75% rule

Step 2: Ranking & Identifying Eligible Campuses (in order of poverty/75% rule)

Public School	Grades Served	Enrollment	Eligible for FRPL	Poverty Percentage
A	K-5	600	456	76.0%
G	K-5	425	200	47.1%
C	K-5	400	185	46.3%
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2c. Option for Certain High Schools → 50%-75% poverty

Options for serving remaining campuses 2d.



LEA Poverty Percentage

Grade-Span Grouping

Feeder Pattern

Optional Method

35% or Greater Poverty

One-Year Transition

Ed-Flex Individual Programmatic Waiver

Direct Certification



LEA Poverty Percentage

35% or Greater Poverty

A school is eligible for Title I funds if its poverty percentage is as high as the LEA's poverty percentage or, at the LEA's discretion, at least 35 percent.



LEA Poverty Percentage

= 30%

Any campus with at least 30% poverty is eligible

35% or Greater Poverty

LEA with a poverty percentage of 35% or greater

Campuses eligible are those with a poverty percentage that equals or exceeds the LEA's poverty percentage

Unless the LEA chooses to make eligible all campuses with a poverty percentage of 35 % or more.



Step 2: Ranking & Identifying Eligible Campuses (in order of poverty/75% rule)

Public School	Grades Served	Enrollment	Eligible for FRPL	Poverty Percentage
A	K-5	600	456	76.0%
G	K-5	425	200	47.1%
С	K-5	400	185	46.3%
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LEA Totals		11,065	3,762	34.0%



Step 2: Ranking & Identifying Eligible Campuses (in order of poverty/LEA Average)

Public School	Grades Served	Enrollment	Eligible for FRPL	Poverty Percentage
A	K-5	600	456	76.0%
G	K-5	425	200	47.1%
C	K-5	400	185	46.3%
D	K-5	450	190	42.2%
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K	K-5	395	65	16.5%
LEA Totals		11,065	4,003	36.2%



Grade-Span Grouping



LEA may use...

- District-wide percentage of poverty OR
- Percentage of poverty data of the relevant grade span(s)
 - If grade span average percentage is above 35%
 - Any school in the grade span with at least 35% is eligible

One school in a grade span?

That school is eligible provided that any school above
 75% poverty has received a Title I allocation



Step 2: Ranking & Identifying Eligible Campuses (in order of poverty/grade span)

High School Example – Only 1 School in Grade Span

Public School	Grades Served	Enrollment	Eligible for FRPL	Poverty Percentage
A	K-5	600	456	76.0%
G	K-5	425	200	47.1%
С	K-5	400	185	46.3%
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Step 2: Ranking & Identifying Eligible Campuses (in order of poverty/grade span)

Elementary Schools Example

Public School	Grades Served	Enrollment	Eligible for FRPL	Poverty Percentage
G	K-5	425	200	47.1%
C	K-5	400	185	46.3%
D	K-5	450	190	42.2%
В	K-5	500	195	39.0%
F	K-5	400	150	37.5%
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L	K-5	425	75	17.6%
J	K-5	420	70	16.7%
K	K-5	395	65	16.5%
Elementary School Totals		5,475	1,796	32.8%



Step 2: Ranking & Identifying Eligible Campuses (in order of poverty/grade span)

Middle Schools Example

Public School	Grades Served	Enrollment	Eligible for FRPL	Poverty Percentage
0	6-8	750	300	40.0%
N	6-8	800	260	32.5%
P	6-8	840	250	29.8%
Middle School Totals		2,390	810	33.9%



One-Year Transition



The one-year transition option allows a campus that was Title I served **in the previous year** but is no longer Title I Eligible to be eligible for a Title I, Part A campus allocation. This option may only be used in the year directly following Title I eligibility.

Feeder Pattern



This option can be used to establish a middle or high school campus's Title I, Part A eligibility by projection, based on the number of low-income students in the elementary school attendance area(s) that feed into that campus.

The LEA must maintain the following documentation for any campus whose eligibility is established via feeder pattern: Low-income numbers and enrollment from those campuses that comprise the feeder pattern for the campus in question.



Feeder Pattern



Before an LEA may use feeder patterns to determine the poverty percentage of **secondary schools**, the LEA must conduct outreach to its secondary schools to inform them of the option and a majority of its secondary schools must approve the use of feeder patterns.



Ed-Flex Individual Programmatic Waiver



This option can be used to establish Title I, Part A eligibility for a campus that does not meet the low-income criteria to be a Title I campus at all.



Additional Action Required: Apply and receive approval that involves review by the state's Ed-Flex Committee and approval by the Commissioner of Education.



Ed-Flex Individual Programmatic Waiver



TEA may only consider an LEA's request to waive the Title I, Part A campus eligibility requirements if the low-income percentage for the campus in question is within 10 percentage points of the lowest served campus that does meet the statutory eligibility requirements.



Ed-Flex Individual Programmatic Waiver



Waiver Application Process

- Waiver Application
- Public Comment
- Evaluation Requirements
- Site-based Decision-making Committee Review and Approval
- Campus Principal Approval
- Superintendent Approval
- Board of Trustees Approval
- Submission to TEA
- TEA Ed-Flex Committee Review
- TEA Commissioner of Education Review and Approval



Optional Method



For a campus that is unable to establish Title I, Part A eligibility using the number of students residing in its attendance area, the optional method may be selected if the percentage of enrolled low-income students is equal to or greater than the low-income percentage of a participating campus.



Direct Certification



This option may be used if an LEA is using Community Eligibility Provision or Department of Agriculture reported numbers and percentages. Identified students are eligible through the Richard B. Russell National School Lunch Act.



This option is selected only when the LEA is solely using direct certification data as a poverty measure. Keep in mind that the number of students directly certified is a subset of the total number of students eligible for free and reduced-priced meals.





2a. Rank schools in order of poverty without regard to the grade span they serve.



2b. Identification of eligible schools as per the 75% rule



2c. Option for Certain High Schools → 50%-75% poverty



2d. Options for serving remaining campuses

Within-LEA Allocations

Steps

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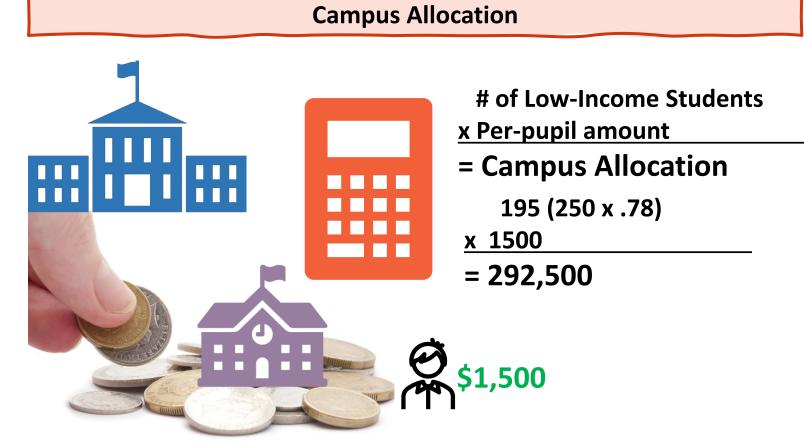


Step 3: Allocating Funds to Eligible Campuses

Per-Pupil Amount



Amount of funds per low-income student that an LEA will allocate to a campus

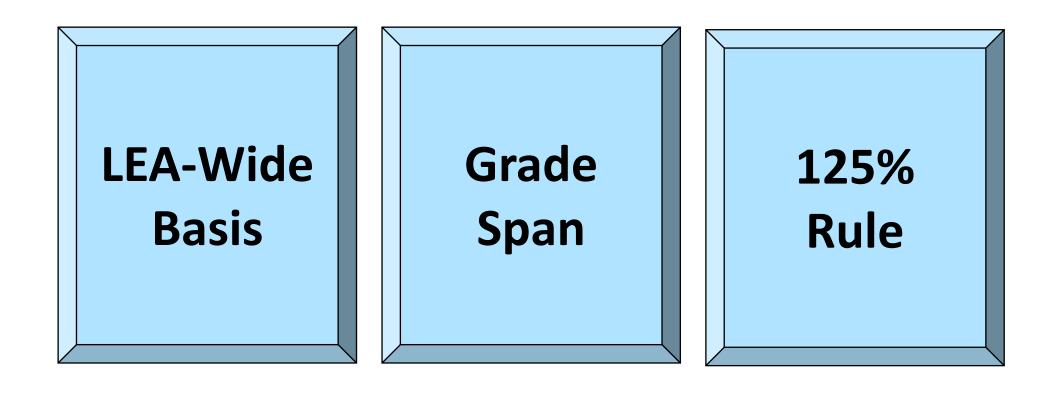


250 Total Students; 78% Low-Income



Step 3: Allocating Funds to Eligible Campuses

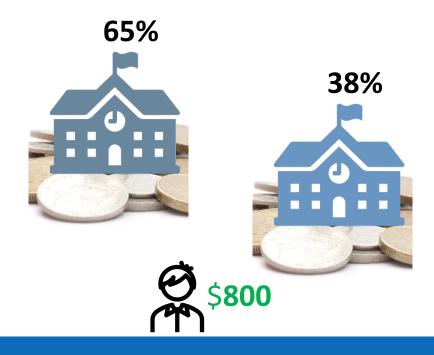
Determining Campus Allocations



78% \$1,500

Determining Campus Allocations on an LEA-wide Basis





Determining Allocations on an LEA-wide **Basis**

EXAMPLE

Column 1	Column 2	Column 3	Column 4	Column 5	Column 6
Public School	Grades Served	Enrollment	Eligible for FRPL	Poverty Percentage	Per-pupil Allocation Determined by LEA
A	K-5	600	456	76.0%	
G	K-5	425	200	47.1%	
C	K-5	400	185	46.3%	
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J	K-5	420	70	16.7%	
K	K-5	395	65	16.5%	
LEA Totals		11,065	4,003	36.2%	LEA Low-

LEA Low-Income %

Column 7

School Title I

Allocation

(Column 4 x

Column 6)



Determining Allocations on an LEA-wide Basis

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Column 1	Column 2	Column 3	Column 4	Column 5	Column 6	Column 7
Public School	Grades Served	Enrollment	Eligible for FRPL	Poverty Percentage	Per-pupil Allocation Determined by LEA	School Title I Allocation (Column 4 x Column 6)
A	K-5	600	456	76.0%	\$1,500.00	\$684,000
G	K-5	425	200	47.1%	\$1,101.83	\$220,366
С	K-5	400	185	46.3%	\$1,100.00	\$203,500
D	K-5	450	190	42.2%	\$1,100.00	\$209,000
O	6-8	750	300	40.0%	\$1,100.00	\$330,000
В	K-5	500	195	39.0%	\$1,100.00	\$214,500
F	K-5	400	150	37.5%	\$1,100.00	\$165,000
Q	9-12	2,600	941	36.2%	\$1,034.68	\$973,634
I	K-5	560	200	35.7%	\$0 (eligible, not served)	\$0
Е	K-5	450	160	35.6%	\$0 (eligible, not served)	\$0
Н	K-5	600	206	34.3%	Ineligible	\$0
N	6-8	800	260	32.5%	Ineligible	\$0
P	6-8	840	250	29.8%	Ineligible	\$0
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L	K-5	425	75	17.6%	Ineligible	\$0
J	K-5	420	70	16.7%	Ineligible	\$0
K	K-5	395	65	16.5%	Ineligible	\$0
LEA Totals		11,065	4,003	36.2%		\$3,000,000



Elementary Campuses

PK-5th









Middle School Campuses

6th - 8th







High School Campuses

9th - 12th





Elementary Campuses

PK-1st



2nd - 4th







Middle School Campuses

5th – 6th





7th – 8th



High School Campuses

9th



10th - 12th



Title I, Part A eligible; 75% or below poverty

Elementary Campuses













Middle School Campuses









High School Campuses









Title I, Part A eligible; 75% or below poverty

Above 75% poverty

Elementary Campuses











Middle School Campuses







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High School Campuses









Title I, Part A eligible; 75% or below poverty

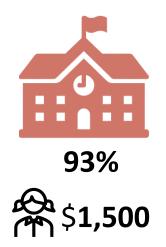
75% 60% 40% \$1,000 \$800

Middle

School

Campuses

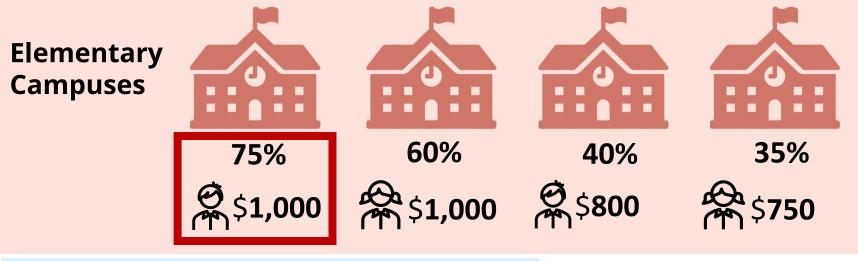
Campus above 75% poverty

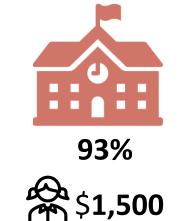


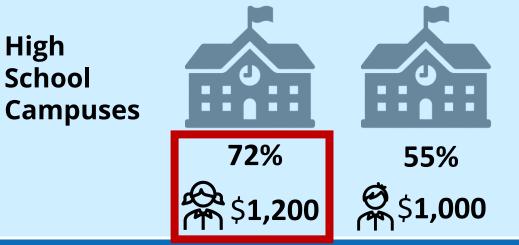
Determining Campus Allocations within Grade Spans

Title I, Part A eligible; 75% or below poverty











Determining Allocations within Grade Spans

EXAMPLE

Column 1	Column 2	Column 3	Column 4	Column 5	Column 6	Column 7
Public School	Grades Served	Enrollment	Eligible for FRPL	Poverty Percentage	Per-pupil Allocation Determined by LEA	School Title I Allocation (Column 4 x Column 6)

Schools Above 75 Percent Poverty: LEA must serve regardless of grade span before serving any school at 75 percent poverty or below

101	at 75 percent poverty or below						
A	K-5	600	456	76.0%	\$1,500.00	\$684,000	
	Elementary G	rade Span: LEA c	chooses to serve f	our schools in ran	k order of poverty	,	
G	K-5	425	200	47.1%	\$1,305.36	\$261,072	
С	K-5	400	185	46.3%	\$1,300.00	\$240,500	
D	K-5	450	190	42.2%	\$1,300.00	\$247,000	
В	K-5	500	195	39.0%	\$1,300.00	\$253,500	
F	K-5	400	150	37.5%	\$0 (eligible, not served)	\$0	
I	K-5	560	200	35.7%	\$0 (eligible, not served)	\$0	
Е	K-5	450	160	35.6%	\$0 (eligible, not served)	\$0	
Н	K-5	600	206	34.3%	\$0 (eligible, not served)	\$0	
M	K-5	450	100	22.2%	Ineligible	\$0	
L	K-5	425	75	17.6%	Ineligible	\$0	
J	K-5	420	70	16.7%	Ineligible	\$0	
K	K-5	395	65	16.5%	Ineligible	\$0	
Elementary School Totals (75 percent and below)		5,475	1,796	32.8%		\$1,002,068	



Determining
Allocations
within Grade
Spans

EXAMPLE

Table 7. Determining Allocations Within Grade Spans

Column 1	Column 2	Column 3	Column 4	Column 5	Column 6	Column 7
Public School	Grades Served	Enrollment	Eligible for FRPL	Poverty Percentage	Per-pupil Allocation Determined by LEA	School Title I Allocation (Column 4 x Column 6)

High School Grade Span: LEA chooses to serve its single high school

Q	9-12	2,600	941	36.2%	\$1,396.31	\$1,313,928
LEA Totals						\$3,000,000

Middle School Grade Span: LEA chooses to not serve any schools

О	6-8	750	300	40.0%	\$0 (eligible, not served)	\$0
N	6-8	800	260	32.5%	Ineligible	\$0
P	6-8	840	250	29.8%	Ineligible	\$0
Middle School Totals (75 percent and below)		2,390	810	33.9%		\$0



Determining Allocations within Grade **Spans**

EXAMPLE

Column 1	Column 2	Column 3	Column 4	Column 5	Column 6	Column 7
Public School	Grades Served	Enrollment	Eligible for FRPL	Poverty Percentage	Per-pupil Allocation Determined by LEA	School Title I Allocation (Column 4 x Column 6)

A	K-3	600	450	76.0%	\$1,500.00	5084,000
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G	K-5	425	200	47.1%	\$1,305.36	\$261,072
C	K-5	400	185	46.3%	\$1,300.00	\$240,500
D	K-5	450	190	42.2%	\$1,300.00	\$247,000
В	K-5	500	195	39.0%	\$1,300.00	\$253,500
	High School Grade Span: LEA chooses to			serve its single hi	igh school	
Q	9-12	2,600	941	36.2%	\$1,396.31	\$1,313,928
LEA Totals						\$3,000,000









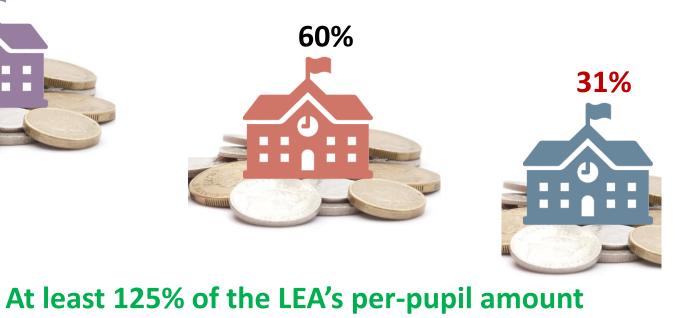
125% Rule 30% **78%**



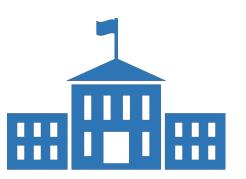




30% **78%**







Determining Campus Allocations – Applying the 125 % Rule



EA's allocation per low-income child



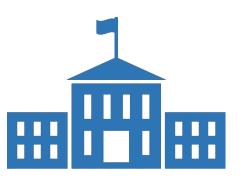


LEA's Total Title I, Part A Allocation (before any reservations) ÷
Number of Public School and Private School Low-Income Children



Per-pupil amount X 1.25





Determining Campus Allocations – Applying the 125 % Rule

Title I, Part A Allocation before Reservations = \$2,500,000 **Total Public and Private Children from Low-Income Families = 1,243**





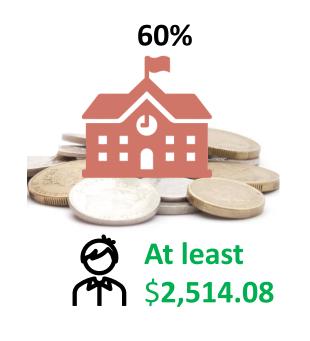
\$2,500,000 ÷ 1,243 = \$2,011.26



2 \$2,011.26 X 1.25 = 2 \$2,514.08



78% At least \$2,514.08







Determining
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EXAMPLE

Column 1	Column 2	Column 3	Column 4	Column 5	Column 6	Column 7
Public School	Grades Served	Enrollment	Eligible for FRPL	Poverty Percentage	Per-pupil Allocation Determined by LEA	School Title I Allocation (Column 4 x Column 6)
A	K-5	600	212	35.3%	\$2,514.08	\$532,985
В	K-5	425	100	23.5%	\$2,514.08	\$251,408
С	K-5	400	93	23.3%	\$2,514.08	\$233,809
D	K-5	450	95	21.1%	\$2 514 08	\$238.838
Е	K-5	560	112	20.0%	\$2,169.29	\$242,960
F	K-5	500	96	19.2%	\$0 (eligible, not served)	\$0
G	K-5	400	75	18.8%	\$0 (eligible, not served)	\$0
Н	K-5	450	80	17.8%	Ineligible	\$0
I	K-5	600	103	17.2%	Ineligible	\$0
J	K-5	450	50	11.1%	Ineligible	\$0
K	K-5	425	38	8.9%	Ineligible	\$0
L	K-5	420	35	8.3%	Ineligible	\$0
M	K-5	395	30	7.6%	Ineligible	\$0
LEA Totals		6,075	1,119	18.4%		\$1,500,000



Additional Allocation Flexibilities Provided by ESSA





Skipping

- Skipping is an exception to the requirements described with respect to allocating Title I funds to campuses in rank order of poverty. It permits an LEA to elect not to serve—i.e., "skip"—an eligible school that has a higher percentage of students from low-income families if:
 - 1. The school meets the comparability requirements in ESEA section 1118(c);
 - 2. The school receives supplemental funds from State or local sources that it spends according to the requirements in ESEA sections 1114 or 1115—i.e., on programs that meet the intent and purposes of Title I; and
 - 3. The supplemental funds the school spends from other sources equal or exceed the amount it would receive under Title I.

Intent and Purposes of the Title I, Part A Program

A program meets the intent and purposes of Title I if the program either—

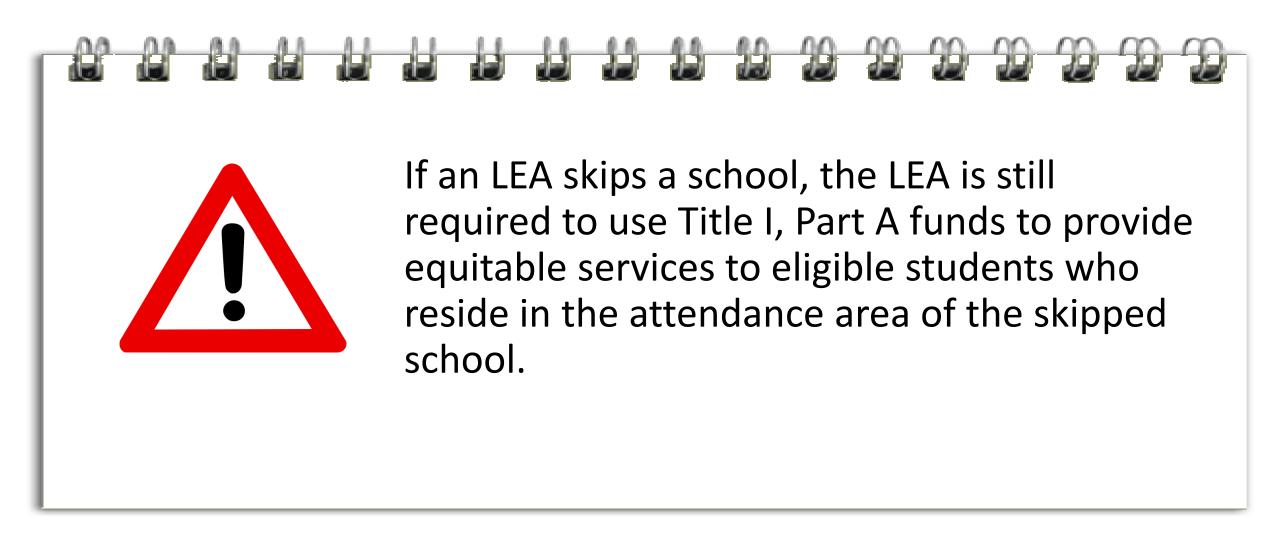
- 1. Is implemented in a school in which the percentage of children from low-income families is at least 40 percent;
- Is designed to promote schoolwide reform and upgrade the entire educational operation of the school to support students in their achievement toward meeting the challenging State academic standards that all students are expected to meet;
- 3. Is designed to meet the educational needs of all students in the school, particularly the needs of students who are failing, or are most at risk of failing, to meet the challenging State academic standards; and
- 4. Uses the State's assessment system to review the effectiveness of the program;

OR

- 1. Serves only students who are failing, or are most at risk of failing, to meet the challenging State academic standards;
- 2. Provides supplementary services designed to meet the special educational needs of participating students to support their achievement toward meeting the State's student academic achievement standards; and
- 3. Uses the State's assessment system to review the effectiveness of the program.



Private School Equitable Services (PNP)



Related Exception



There is a related exception that applies if the amount of supplemental State or local funds a campus receives is less than what it would receive under Title I, Part A.

ESSA also permits an LEA to reduce the amount of Title I, Part A funds allocated to a Title I campus by the amount of supplemental funds from State or local sources that it spends on programs that meet the intent and purpose of Title I.



Within-LEA Allocations

Steps

- **Step 1: Determining Poverty Counts**
- Step 2: Ranking & Identifying Eligible Campuses
- Step 3: Allocating Funds to Eligible Campuses



Title I, Part A Eligibility

Schoolwide

Targeted Assistance



Title I, Part A Campus Programs

Schoolwide

- Upgrade the entire education program to improve the achievement of the lowest achieving students
- Low-Income percentage of at least 40%
- Options for a low-income percentage of less than 40%
 - Ed-Flex Schoolwide Eligibility Waiver
 - Schoolwide Previous Year
 - Feeder Pattern

Targeted Assistance

- Services to eligible children identified as having the greatest need for special assistance.
- Ineligible for a schoolwide program or chose not to operate a schoolwide program
- Low-Income percentage of at least 35% or equal to or greater than the LEA low-income percentage



Title I, Part A Resources

TEA Title I, Part A – Improving Basic Programs Web Page - Resources



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Title I. Part A Use of Funds

Statutory Reference

Section 1118(b)(1) An LEA shall use Federal funds received under this part only to supplement the funds that would, in the absence of such Federal funds, be made available from State and local sources for the education of students participating in programs assisted under this part, and not to supplant such funds.

These are the steps and requirements for using Title I, Part A funds.

- 1. The campus in question must be a Title I, Part A campus.
- 2. LEAs must have a valid Supplement Not Supplant methodology for allocating State and local funds to campuses, or Statement of Exemption. [In both situations, the LEA must also ensure that State and local funds that are reserved at the LEA level are used to support activities that do not take the Title I status of campuses into account. Any Title I, Part A funds that are reserved at the LEA level must be used for activities that meet the intent and purpose of Title I, Part A as well as items 3-5. below.]
- 3. LEAs should ensure that activities and/or resources are:
- Identified in the Comprehensive Needs Assessments;
- · Included in the Campus Improvement Plan;
 - The plan addresses how the activity/resource identified will be evaluated; and
 - The plan addresses how the needs of students at risk of not meeting State Standards are being met.
- Reasonable;
- · Necessary to carry out the intent and purpose of the Title I, Part A program;
- Allocable; and
- Allowable under Title I. Part A
- 4. The LEA assures that the expenditure(s) meet all EDGAR requirements.
- 5. The LEA assures that all district policies and procedures were followed.

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Title I, Part A - Frequently Asked Questions

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May/June 2020

Questions and responses are organized by the following topic areas for May/June 2020:

- Campus Improvement Plan (CIP)/District Improvement Plan (DIP)
- Early Childhood Education
- ESSA Consolidated Federal Grant Application
- New Title I, Part A Campus Processes
- Stakeholders
- Targeted Assistance Program
- Use of Funds

Campus Improvement Plan (CIP)/District Improvement Plan (DIP)

- Q1: Our LEA is comprised of only three campuses: high school (not served), middle school (not served), and elementary (schoolwide). Can our CIP and DIP be one document? Are there any parameters?
- A1: It is acceptable for a small LEA or single campus LEA to have a document that consolidates the CIP and DIP into one document, but they must identify goals/activities separately for the district and campuses. For audit and/or random validation monitoring purposes, an LEA may be asked to identify specific goals/activities listed in their DIP and CIP to support the activity. If the expense is charged at the campus level, an auditor will want to see that activity identified in the CIP. Similarly, if the expense is charged at the LEA level, an auditor will want to see the activity identified in the DIP.

Although a Campus Improvement Plan is required for Title I, Part A campuses, state law requires all campuses to have a CIP and all LEAs to have a DIP. TEC 11.252 lists the state requirements for the DIP. But the LEA should also review the Title I, Part A provisions and assurances to see what assurances and descriptions are required to be included in the plan. (Likewise, for other federal grant programs the LEA participates in.) TEC 11.253 lists the state requirements for each CIP. If

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Participants will gain a better understanding of...

- ✓ the factors determining the amount allocated to Title I, Part A campuses;
- ✓ the steps used to determine within-LEA

 Title I, Part A allocations; and
- ✓ the exceptions associated with allocating Title I, Part A funds to campuses.

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