



**WILLOWS UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT
Office of the Superintendent**

Management Report

DATE: June 22, 2017

AGENDA TOPIC: 2017 CARS (Consolidated Application and Reporting System)* Spring collection

PRESENTER: Ellen Hamilton, Director of State & Federal Programs

BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

In the spring, each Local Educational Agency (LEA) must submit a CARS Spring collection to document participation in specified programs and provide assurances that the district will comply with the legal requirements of each program. Program entitlements are determined by formulas contained in the laws that created the programs. The documents included: 2015-16 Expenditure Reporting; 2016-17 End of Year Reporting; and 2017-18 Application for Funding.

**The new reporting system (Consolidated Application and Reporting System – CARS...formerly the ConApp), includes the submission of the reports in two parts: Winter and Spring.*

RECOMMENDATION:

Approval of the CARS Spring collection assures funding to the district and schools for supplemental programs/services to staff and students. Approval is recommended.

2017-18 Certification of Assurances

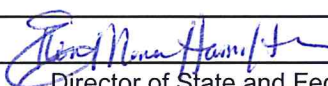
Submission of Certification of Assurances is required every fiscal year. A complete list of legal and program assurances for the fiscal year can be found at <http://www.cde.ca.gov/fg/aa/co/ca17asstoc.asp>.

CDE Program Contact:

Joy Paull, jpaull@cde.ca.gov, 916-319-0297

Consolidated Application Certification Statement

I hereby certify that all of the applicable state and federal rules and regulations will be observed by this applicant; that to the best of my knowledge the information contained in this application is correct and complete; and I agree to have the use of these funds reviewed and/or audited according to the standards and criteria set forth in the California Department of Education's Categorical Program Monitoring (CPM) Manual. Legal assurances for all programs are accepted as the basic legal condition for the operation of selected projects and programs and copies of assurances are retained on site. I certify that we accept all assurances except for those for which a waiver has been obtained or requested. A copy of all waivers or requests is on file. I certify that actual ink signatures for this form is on file.

Authorized Representative's Full Name	Ellen Moua Hamilton
Authorized Representative's Signature	
Authorized Representative's Title	Director of State and Federal Programs
Authorized Representative Signature Date	06/07/2017

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2017-18 Protected Prayer Certification

ESSA Section 8524 specifies federal requirements regarding constitutionally protected prayer in public elementary and secondary schools. This form meets the annual requirement and provides written certification.

CDE Program Contact:

Franco Rozic, Title I Monitoring and Support Office, frozic@cde.ca.gov, 916-319-0269

Mindi Yates, Title I Policy and Program Guidance Office, myates@cde.ca.gov, 916-319-0789

Protected Prayer Certification Statement

The LEA hereby assures and certifies to the California State Board of Education that the LEA has no policy that prevents, or otherwise denies participation in, constitutionally protected prayer in public schools as set forth in the "Guidance on Constitutionally Protected Prayer in Public Elementary and Secondary Schools."

The LEA hereby assures that this page has been printed and contains an ink signature. The ink signature copy shall be made available to the California Department of Education upon request or as part of an audit, a compliance review, or a complaint investigation.

The authorized representative agrees to the above statement	Yes
Authorized Representative's Full Name	Ellen Hamilton
Authorized Representative Title	Director of State & Federal Programs
Authorized Representative Signature Date	06/07/2017
Comment If the LEA is not able to certify at this time an explanation must be provided in the Comment field. (Maximum 500 characters)	

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2017-18 Application for Funding**CDE Program Contact:**Education Data Office, ConApp@cde.ca.gov, 916-319-0297**Local Governing Board Approval**

The LEA is required to review and receive approval of their Application for Funding selections with their local governing board.

Date of approval by local governing board	06/22/2017
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District English Learner Advisory Committee (DELAC) Review

Per Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations Section 11308, if your district has more than 50 English learners the district must establish a District English Learner Advisory Committee (DELAC) and involve them in the application for funding for programs that serve English learners.

DELAC representative's full name	Ellen Hamilton
DELAC review date	03/07/2017
Meeting minutes web address Please enter the Web address of DELAC review meeting minutes (format http://SomeWebsiteName.xxx). If a Web address is not available, the LEA must keep the minutes on file which indicates that the application is approved by the committee.	
DELAC comment If an advisory committee refused to review the application, or if DELAC review is not applicable, enter a comment. (Maximum 500 characters)	A DELAC Meeting was held on Tuesday, March 7, 2017, but no parent/community attendee came except for the host.

Application for Categorical Programs

To receive specific categorical funds for a school year the LEA must apply for the fund by selecting Yes. Only the categorical funds the LEA is eligible to receive are displayed.

Title I Part A (Basic Grant) ESSA Sec. 1111 et seq. SACS 3010	Yes
Title II Part A (Supporting Effective Instruction) ESEA Sec. 2104 SACS 4035	Yes
Title III Part A Immigrant ESEA Sec. 3102 SACS 4201	No
Title III Part A English Learner	Yes

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ESEA Sec. 3102 SACS 4203	
Title V, Part B Subpart 2 Rural and Low-Income Grant ESSA Sec. 5221 SACS 4126	Yes

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2017-18 Title III, Part A English Learner Student Program Subgrant Budget

The purpose of this report is to provide a proposed budget for 2017-18 English learner (EL) student program subgrant funds only per the Title III, Part A, English Learner Students Program requirements (ESSA, Title III, Part A, Sections 3114, 3115, & 3116).

CDE Program Contact:

Patty Stevens, Language Policy and Leadership Office, pstevens@cde.ca.gov, 916-323-5838
Geoffrey Ndirangu, Language Policy and Leadership Office, gndirang@cde.ca.gov, 916-323-5831

Estimated Entitlement Calculation

Note: If the estimated entitlement amount does not meet the minimum \$10,000 program eligibility criteria for direct funding status, further action may be required. To receive instructions regarding the consortium application process, please contact Patty Stevens by phone at 916-323-5838 or by e-mail at pstevens@cde.ca.gov.

Estimated English learner per student allocation	\$93.37
Estimated English learner student count	403
Estimated English learner entitlement amount	\$37,628

Budget

Professional development activities	\$0
Program and other authorized activities	\$0
English Proficiency and Academic Achievement	\$37,628
Parent, family, and community engagement	\$0
Direct administration costs (Amount cannot exceed 2% of the estimated entitlement)	\$0
Indirect costs (Amount should be calculated using the LEA's approved indirect cost rate)	\$0
Total allocation budget	\$37,628

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2017-18 Substitute System for Time Accounting

This certification may be used by auditors and by CDE oversight personnel when conducting audits and sub-recipient monitoring of the substitute time-and-effort system. Approval is automatically granted when the LEA submits and certifies this data collection.

CDE Program Contact:

Julie Brucklacher, Financial Accountability and Info Srv Office, jbruckla@cde.ca.gov, 916-327-0858

The LEA certifies that only eligible employees will participate in the substitute system and that the system used to document employee work schedules includes sufficient controls to ensure that the schedules are accurate. Additional information on the predetermined schedule substitute system of time accounting can be found at <http://www.cde.ca.gov/fg/ac/co/timeaccounting2013.asp>. Detailed information on documenting salaries and wages, including both substitute systems of time accounting, are described in Procedure 905 of the California School Accounting Manual posted on the Web at <http://www.cde.ca.gov/fg/ac/sa/>.

2017-18 Request for authorization	Yes
LEA certifies that the following is a full disclosure of any known deficiencies with the substitute system or known challenges with implementing the system (Maximum 500 characters)	LEA certifies that the following is a full disclosure of any known deficiencies with the substitute system or known challenges with implementing the system.

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Willows Unified (11 62661 0000000)

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2017-18 Nonprofit Private School Consultation

The LEA shall provide, on an equitable basis, special education services or other benefits to eligible children attending a nonprofit private school.

CDE Program Contact:

Sylvia Hanna, Title I Policy and Program Guidance Office, shanna@cde.ca.gov, 916-319-0948

The LEA must offer to provide equitable services that address the needs of eligible students attending nonprofit private school and staff under the programs listed below. The enrollment numbers are reported under penalty of perjury by each private school on its annual Private School Affidavit. The information field in the Private School Affidavit is not verified, and the CDE takes no position as to its accuracy. It is expected that districts engaged in private school consultation verify the accuracy of student enrollment data if it is being used for the purpose of providing equitable services.

Note:

The LEA of residence is responsible for providing Title I, Part A services to all eligible students who reside in the LEA's Title I attendance area but attend a nonprofit private school. This includes students who attend nonprofit private schools outside the LEA's boundaries

Results of Consultation Allowable Values

Y1: meaningful consultation occurred
Y2: timely and meaningful consultation did not occur
Y3: the program design is not equitable with respect to eligible private school children
Y4: timely and meaningful consultation did not occur and the program design is not equitable with respect to eligible private school children

School Name	School Code	Enrollment	Consultation Occurred	Was Consultation Agreement Met	Signed Written Affirmation on File	Results of Consultation	School Added
River Valley Christian	6900922	76	Y	N	Y	Y2	N

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2017-18 Other ESEA Nonprofit Private School Participation

The LEA must offer to provide equitable services that address the needs of nonprofit private school students, teachers and other educational personnel under the programs listed below.

CDE Program Contact:

Anie Wilson, Educator Excellence Office, awilson@cde.ca.gov, 916-445-5669
Patty Stevens, Language Policy and Leadership Office, pstevens@cde.ca.gov, 916-323-5838

Title II, Part A Supporting Effective Instruction

The LEA must offer to provide Title II, Part A equitable services that address the needs of nonprofit private school students, teachers and other educational personnel. The enrollment numbers are reported under penalty of perjury by each private school on its annual Private School Affidavit. The information filed in the Private School Affidavit is not verified and the CDE takes no position as to its accuracy. It is expected that districts engaged in private school consultation verify nonprofit status and the accuracy of student enrollment data if it is being used for the purpose of providing equitable services.

Title III, Part A Immigrant and English Learner Student Subgrant Program

On an annual basis, the LEA must consult with all nonprofit private schools within its boundaries, as to whether the private school students and teachers will participate in the Title III, Part A English Language Acquisition, Language Enhancement, and Academic Achievement Program. Consultation with appropriate nonprofit private school officials must be done during the design and development of programs and before decisions are made that affect the opportunities of students and teachers to participate. LEAs may not require documentation that poses an administrative barrier that is inconsistent to their responsibility to ensure equitable participation of private school students and teachers.

School Name	School Code	Enrollment	Title II, Part A Participation	Title III, Part A English Learner Participation	School Added
River Valley Christian	6900922	76			N

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2017-18 Title I, Part A Nonprofit Private School Participation

The LEA shall provide, on an equitable basis, special educational services or other benefits to nonprofit private school eligible children.

CDE Program Contact:

Sylvia Hanna, Title I Policy and Program Guidance Office, shanna@cde.ca.gov, 916-319-0948
Rina DeRose, Title I Policy and Program Guidance Office, RDeRose@cde.ca.gov, 916-323-0472

The LEA must offer to provide equitable services that address the needs of eligible students attending nonprofit private school and staff under the programs listed below. The enrollment numbers are reported under penalty of perjury by each private school on its annual Private School Affidavit. The information field in the Private School Affidavit is not verified, and the CDE takes no position as to its accuracy. It is expected that districts engaged in private school consultation verify the accuracy of student enrollment data if it is being used for the purpose of providing equitable services.

School Name	School Code	Enrollment	Participating	Low Income Student Count	Direct Services	Contract Services	School Added
River Valley Christian	6900922	76					N

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2017-18 Title I, Part A Planned School Allocations

Based on information provided in the School Student Counts data collection, the table below provides eligibility and ranking information. For school allocation planning, the LEA has indicated to which schools it intended to allocate Title I, Part A funds by entering a check in the Fund Flag column.

CDE Program Contact:

Lana Zhou, Title I Policy and Program Guidance Office, lzhou@cde.ca.gov, 916-319-0956
Mindi Yates, Title I Policy and Program Guidance Office, myates@cde.ca.gov, 916-319-0789

If an exception to funding is needed, enter an Exception Reason. Use lower case only.

Allowable Exception Reasons

- a - Meets 35% Low Income Requirement
- d - Desegregation Waiver on File
- e - Grandfather Provision
- f - Feeder Pattern
- g - Local Funded Charter Opted Out
- h - Local Funded Charter Opt In
- k - Funded with EIA/SCE

Low income measure	FRPM
Group Schools by Grade Span	Yes
District-wide Low Income %	62.36%
Grade Span 1 Low Income %	71.14%
Grade Span 2 Low Income %	65.12%
Grade Span 3 Low Income %	49.27%

School Name	School Code	Grade Span Group	Projected Enrollment	Projected Low Income Students	Low Income %	Eligible for Funding	Funding Required	Ranking	Fund Flag	Exception Reason
Murdock Elementary	6007603	1	603	429	71.14	Y	N	1	Y	
Willows Intermediate	6007611	2	344	224	65.12	Y	N	1	Y	f
Willows High	1132851	3	458	226	49.34	N	N	1	Y	f

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2017-18 Title I, Part A Planned School Allocations

Based on information provided in the School Student Counts data collection, the table below provides eligibility and ranking information. For school allocation planning, the LEA has indicated to which schools it intended to allocate Title I, Part A funds by entering a check in the Fund Flag column.

School Name	School Code	Grade Span Group	Projected Enrollment	Projected Low Income Students	Low Income %	Eligible for Funding	Funding Required	Ranking	Fund Flag	Exception Reason
Willows Community High	1130038	3	19	9	47.37	N	N	2	N	

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