

GRANT AWARD APPROVAL FORM

1. SOURCE OF GRANT FUNDS RECEIVED

Grant Criteria Approval (select type and add date)
SBE Approval Date: 6/18/13

Official Name Of Grant Program:

2014--2015 Great Start Readiness Program Grants
(year) (year) (title)

Grant Type: Initial Amendment Continuation Multiple Years: Year ____ of ____

Legislation Authorizing This Grant Program: Section 32d of Public Act 196 of 2014

Federal Grant: CFDA Number ____ State Aid Grant: Section Number 32d Other (specify) _____

2. SBE Priorities, Policies, and Programs that this Grant Supports:

The SBE has adopted two overarching priorities to ensure substantial and meaningful improvement in academic achievement in pursuit of its mission. Specifically, GSRP grants support Priority 2 (i.e., Advocate for and impact policies and legislation that address prek-12 education issues, including but not limited to educator evaluations, Common Core Standards and Assessments, Next Generation Science Standards, low performing schools and early learning).

MDE DISTRIBUTION OF GRANT FUNDS

3. Background/Purpose of Grant Program:

GSRP grants enable eligible recipients to establish or expand high-quality preschool programs designed to improve the readiness and subsequent achievement of children at risk of school failure. GSRP is in its 31st year; the first two years were pilots with funding at 1,000,000 per year. GSRP has served over 500,000 at-risk four year olds since its inception.

Type of Distribution: (check one)

- Competitive
 Formula
 Other: (specify below)

4. Target Population to be Served by Grant:

GSRP grants will serve four-year-old children with factors which may place them at risk of educational failure.

Type of Award: (check all applicable)

- Initial (Exhibit A)
 Revised (Exhibit A)
 Conditional (Exhibit A)
 Denial (Exhibit B)

5. Eligible Applicants:

Eligible applicants are intermediate school districts (ISDs) and consortia of ISDs.

Type of Notification: (check one)

- Letter
 Mail-merge Letter
 MEGS+
 Other: (specify below)

6. Award Information:

Original Award Date: <u>7/2/14</u>	Amendment Date(s): <u>7/24/15</u>	Amendment Amount(s): <u>\$(18,176,325)</u>	Total Recommended Award to Date:
Original Award Amount: <u>\$238,761,200</u>		\$ _____	<u>\$220,584,875</u>
		\$ _____	
		\$ _____	

7. Responsible Program Office:

<u>Office Name</u>	<u>Unit Name</u>	<u>Contact Name</u>	<u>Phone Number</u>
Office of Great Start	Preschool & Out-of-School Time Learning	Richard Lower	38512

This Form Was Prepared by: Jayne Klein

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8. OFFICE	Office Director Approval Signature: <u>Richard Lowan</u>	Date: <u>7-31-15</u>
	Phone: 38512	
	Comments:	
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Exhibit B Not Required because: All eligible applicants are funded.	
9. GRANTS OFFICE	Grants Office Approval Signature: <u>[Signature]</u>	Date: <u>8/7/15</u>
	Comments:	
10. DEPUTY SUPERINTENDENT	Deputy Superintendent Approval Signature: <u>[Signature]</u>	Date: <u>8/9/2015</u>
	Comments:	
11. SUPERINTENDENT	Superintendent Approval Signature: <u>[Signature]</u>	Date: <u>8/9/2015</u>
	Comments:	

INSTRUCTIONS

- A. Complete items 1-8 on this form. The Grants Coordination and School Support Unit in the Office of School Support Services will facilitate completion of items 9-11. Follow instructions in the checklist instructions for producing all parts of the Grant Award Approval request packet.
- B. Attach **two (2)** sets of Exhibits A and B (one original and 1 copy). Do not staple the pink form nor the originals of Exhibits A and B. Exhibit A is a list of applicants or agencies recommended for funding, and Exhibit B is a list of those Not recommended for funding.
- C. If notifying by letter, attach grant award letters for the Superintendent's signature, a Grant Award Notification form (yellow sheet) for each award, and any non-award letters prepared for the Program Area Director's signature. Provide these in the same order as in Exhibit A and/or B. If using MEGS+ to general grant award notifications, then no letters need be attached to the packet because they will be generated in MEGS+.
- D. Submit this Grant Award Approval form on pink paper, with all attachments, to the **Grants Coordination and School Support Unit**.

Note: The approval process takes, on average, one week to review and then receive all approvals after the packet is delivered to the Grants Unit. The time varies depending upon the number of corrections and revisions that are necessary and the availability of the signers. Reviews and approvals can take longer, up to two weeks, particularly around holiday times when signers may be out of the office.

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Applicants Recommended for Funding

Fiscal Agent	Previous Allocation	Amended Allocation	Total Recommended Allocation
Allegan Area ESA	2,295,200	(816,200)	1,479,000
Alpena-Montmorency-Alcona ESD	1,041,900	212,350	1,254,250
Barry ISD	664,400	(30,025)	634,375
Bay-Arenac ISD	3,140,800	480,575	3,621,375
Berrien RESA	2,733,100	7,400	2,740,500
Branch ISD	641,750	(177,750)	464,000
C.O.O.R. ISD	3,144,575	(1,176,200)	1,968,375
Calhoun ISD	6,096,625	(492,375)	5,604,250
Charlevoix-Emmet ISD	1,381,650	151,725	1,533,375
Cheboygan-Otsego-Presque Isle ESD	970,175	(45,800)	924,375
Clare-Gladwin RESD	1,981,875	(365,125)	1,616,750
Clinton County RESA	1,155,150	182,475	1,337,625
Copper Country ISD	943,750	(309,375)	634,375
Delta-Schoolcraft ISD	641,750	(264,750)	377,000
Dickinson-Iron ISD	464,325	(119,950)	344,375
Eastern Upper Peninsula ISD	1,094,750	18,125	1,112,875
Eaton ISD	1,804,450	(513,950)	1,290,500
Genesee ISD	19,324,225	(7,292,850)	12,031,375
Gogebic-Ontonagon ISD	332,200	(53,075)	279,125
Hillsdale ISD	1,185,350	315,400	1,500,750
Huron ISD	822,950	(76,200)	746,750
Ingham ISD	6,953,550	(464,800)	6,488,750
Ionia ISD	1,223,100	(48,600)	1,174,500
Iosco RESA	970,175	(190,800)	779,375
Jackson ISD	4,043,025	(196,900)	3,846,125
Kalamazoo RESA	7,304,625	362,250	7,666,875
Kent ISD	18,610,750	(2,624,500)	15,986,250
Lapeer ISD	736,125	108,500	844,625
Lenawee ISD	2,102,675	(337,300)	1,765,375
Lewis Cass ISD	906,000	(108,500)	797,500
Livingston ESA	3,035,100	(733,225)	2,301,875
Macomb ISD	8,622,100	128,650	8,750,750
Marquette-Alger RESA	894,675	(321,925)	572,750
Mecosta-Osceola ISD	1,872,400	(538,400)	1,334,000
Menominee ISD	543,600	(137,600)	406,000
Midland County ESA	9,841,425	(21,300)	9,820,125
Monroe ISD	2,253,675	(85,925)	2,167,750
Montcalm Area ISD	2,223,475	132,775	2,356,250
Muskegon Area ISD	5,862,575	(475,825)	5,386,750
Newaygo County RESA	3,567,375	(1,189,375)	2,378,000
Oakland Schools	18,025,625	2,136,625	20,162,250
Ottawa Area ISD	7,338,600	(1,795,975)	5,542,625
Sanilac ISD	1,449,600	(180,850)	1,268,750
Shiawassee RESD	1,872,400	335,225	2,207,625
St. Clair County RESA	3,208,750	(120,250)	3,088,500
St. Joseph County ISD	2,027,175	416,075	2,443,250
Traverse Bay Area ISD	4,114,750	(47,500)	4,067,250
Tuscola ISD	1,766,700	(95,575)	1,671,125
Van Buren ISD	2,174,400	392,100	2,566,500

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Washtenaw ISD	4,918,825	417,175	5,336,000
Wayne RESA	53,578,575	(1,954,950)	51,623,625
West Shore ESD	2,623,625	(274,625)	2,349,000
Wexford-Missaukee ISD	2,234,800	(295,425)	1,939,375
Totals	238,761,200	(18,176,325)	220,584,875