



STATE OF MICHIGAN
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BRIAN J. WHISTON
STATE SUPERINTENDENT

MEMORANDUM

DATE: November 1, 2016
TO: State Board of Education
FROM: Brian J. Whiston, Chairman 
SUBJECT: Approval of Criteria for Section 61a(4), Culinary Arts Program

The State School Aid Act provides \$79,000 to an eligible Michigan-approved 501(c)(3) organization for the purposes of teaching or training restaurant management and culinary arts for career and professional development. This organization will provide curriculum and training to state-approved career and technical education programs in the culinary arts category, and administer national certification for the purpose of restaurant management and culinary arts for career and professional development.

It is recommended that the State Board of Education approve the Criteria for Section 61a(4), Culinary Arts Program, as attached to the Superintendent's memorandum dated November 1, 2016.

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Criteria for Section 61a(4), Culinary Arts Program

The State Board of Education has adopted guiding principles and strategic goals for developing Michigan into a top 10 education state in 10 years.

To the extent possible, all grant criteria and grant awards will serve to further attain the above goals.

GUIDING PRINCIPLES AND STRATEGIC GOALS THIS CRITERIA SUPPORT

This grant supports the guiding principles and strategic goals of the State Board of Education (SBE) and Michigan Department of Education (MDE) for the following two goals: (3) Develop, support, and sustain a high-quality, prepared, and collaborative education workforce; and (4) Reduce the impact of high-risk factors, including poverty, and provide equitable resources to meet the needs of all students to ensure that they have access to quality educational opportunities.

PURPOSE / BACKGROUND OF GRANT

Type of Grant Program:

- New
- Continuing
- Formula
- Competitive
- Designated in Legislation or MDE Proposal

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CRITERIA

Date criteria were last approved: _____

Source of Criteria:

- Federal Law, Rules or Regulation
- State Law or Rules
- Proposed by Staff
- Defined in MDE's Approved Grant Proposal to the Funder

The eligible applicant will provide a restaurant management and culinary arts program that:

- Provides curriculum and training to state-approved career and technical education programs with classification of instructional programs codes in the 12.05XX category.

- Administers national certification for the purpose of restaurant management and culinary arts for career and professional development.

ELIGIBLE APPLICANTS AND TARGET POPULATION SERVED

The Michigan ProStart Program is the eligible entity.

The target population is students enrolled in the Michigan ProStart Program.

TOTAL FUNDS AVAILABLE

\$79,000

STATUTE

Section 61a(4) of the State School Aid Act, P.A. 94 of 1979

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