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MEMORANDUM

DATE: October 2, 2020

TO: Michigan Electronic Grants System (MEGS+) Authorized Officials and Consolidated Application Main Contacts

FROM: Dr. Paula Y. Daniels, Director 
Office of Educational Supports

SUBJECT: 2020-21 Final Allocations Available in Consolidated Application

The Michigan Department of Education is pleased to announce the 2020-21 final allocations are posted on the Office of Educational Supports' (OES) website, on the [Program Allocations](#) page under Tools & Resources and are available in the 2021 Consolidated Application in MEGS+ for the following grants:

- Title I, Part A – Improving Basic Programs
- Title I, Part C – Migratory Education Program
- Title I, Part D – Prevention/Intervention Programs
- Title II, Part A – Supporting Effective Instruction
- Title IV, Part A – Student Support and Academic Enrichment

The 2020-21 final allocations for the following grants are also posted on the OES website's [Program Allocations](#) page and are available in the 2021 Consolidated Application in MEGS+. The deadline is **January 15, 2021** to apply for these grants in order to receive the same obligation date as established for your Local Educational Agency's (LEA's) 2021 Consolidated Application:

- Title III, Part A – Language Instruction for Immigrant Students
- Title III, Part A – Language Instruction for English Learners
- Title V, Part B – Rural and Low-Income School Program

If the status of your LEA's 2021 Consolidated Application is *Application In Progress*, please complete the application and submit it as soon as possible in order to establish a date of obligation for 2020-21 program activities.

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If the status of your LEA's 2021 Consolidated Application is *Application Submitted*, *Modifications Submitted*, or *Review In Progress*, please communicate with your OES Regional Education Consultant to determine the timeline for approval.

If the status of your LEA's 2021 Consolidated Application is *Modifications Required* or *Modifications In Progress*, please budget all available grant funds and submit the modifications as soon as possible to allow your OES Regional Education Consultant to complete the review and approval process.

If your LEA's 2021 Consolidated Application is in *Program Office Review Complete*, you will need to wait until the status is changed to *Grant Funds Available* in order to initiate an amendment to apply for the final allocations and the 2019-20 carryover funds, if applicable. The deadline to submit an amendment to your LEA's 2021 Consolidated Application is **January 15, 2021**. The 2019-20 Final Expenditure Reports (FERs) must be certified in the Cash Management System (CMS) before available carryover will appear in the Consolidated Application Budget Summary screens. The due date for 2019-20 FERs is **November 29, 2020**.

Carryover limitation in section 1127(b) of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 (ESEA) for Federal fiscal year (FY) 2019 (SY 2019-20) Title I, Part A funds (i.e., the Title I, Part A funds that will become carryover funds on October 1, 2020): the requirement limits an SEA's ability to grant to its LEAs a waiver of the 15 percent Title I, Part A carryover limitation in section 1127(a) not more than once every three years. A waiver of this requirement was granted by Frank T. Brogan on April 21, 2020.

When applying for your LEA's Title I, Part A final allocation and available Title I, Part A carryover funds, if applicable, please remember to amend the 2021 Title I School Selection (TISS) Application to reflect any changes in available funds. If your LEA's TISS Application is not in *Plan Approved* status, you may need to contact your OES Regional Education Consultant to have the application returned for modifications.

Please direct Consolidated Application program questions to the OES Regional Education Consultant for your area or call 517-241-6970 to be directed to your consultant.

If your LEA chooses not to apply for one or more of these 2020-21 allocations, please complete the [Request to Relinquish Funds Form](#) posted on the OES website under Current Topics and submit per the instructions at the top of the form by **December 2, 2020**, to allow these funds to be reallocated to other eligible LEAs.

For questions regarding MEGS+, contact Judy Thelen at ThelenJ8@michigan.gov or 517-335-1266. You may also contact Tammy Franks at FranksT1@michigan.gov or 517-335-0352.

For questions regarding the final allocations for Title I, Part A; Title I, Part D; Title II, Part A; Title IV, Part A; and Title V, Part B; contact Johnson Samuel at SamuelJ2@michigan.gov or 517-241-5388.

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For questions regarding the final allocations for Title I, Part C – Migratory Education Program; Title III, Part A – Immigrant Students; and Title III, Part A – English Learners; please contact Tammy Franks at FranksT1@michigan.gov or 517-335-0352/517-599-1837.