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MEMORANDUM

DATE: November 12, 2020

TO: Local and Intermediate School District Superintendents
Public School Academy Directors

FROM: William A. Pearson, Ed.D., Interim Deputy Superintendent
Division of Educator, Student, and School Supports *WAP*

SUBJECT: The 2020-21 Grant Cycle for Identification and Recruitment Centers for
the Michigan Migrant Education Program

The Michigan Department of Education (MDE) is pleased to announce the availability of the migrant education program identification, recruitment and reporting center grant application for the new grant cycle covering fiscal year 2020-2021. This grant is funded under the federal Migrant Education Program, Title I, Part C of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act (ESEA), as amended by Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA).

The migrant education program grants are awarded to individual local educational agencies (LEAs), both traditional public schools and public school academies (PSAs), intermediate school districts (ISDs), and agencies receiving federal Title I, Part C funds.

Funds will be awarded on a competitive basis according to the criteria previously approved by the State Board of Education. The criteria and the application for funding are posted on the [Office of Educational Supports Migrant Education Program website](#). Applications must be submitted by 4 p.m. Friday, November 20, 2020, via email at OESSpecialPops@michigan.gov.

Please direct questions about the migrant education program grant or training to Michelle Mattson, migrant education consultant, in MDE's office of educational supports at 517-599-1008 or by email at OESSpecialPops@michigan.gov.

cc: Michigan Education Alliance
Confederation of Michigan Tribal Education Directors

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