



Federal Grants

for

Faith-based and Community Organizations



- FBCOs
- [grants.gov](https://www.grants.gov)
- ED grants process
- Sample grants
- Helpful hints



“The particular faith that motivates each of us can promote a greater good for all of us.”

--President Barack Obama



Types of Assistance

- Discretionary Programs
- Formula Programs
- Supplemental Services





www.grants.gov

Help Desk
1-800-518-Grants



Managed by the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services



e-GRANTS



<http://e-grants.ed.gov/egHome.asp?APP=>

GAPS Help Desk 1- 888-336-8936



3 Steps to prepare

- CCR Registration
- Authentication through [Grants.gov](https://www.grants.gov)
- Logging in!





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Data Systems Essential for Reform

Secretary Duncan called on state officials and researchers to deliver honest answers about school reforms in remarks at the annual Institute of Education Sciences conference.

- Press release
- Secretary's remarks
- How can educators use data?



Read our blog...

- Duncan Lauds State Standards Initiative
- Watch Webcast: Restoring American Leadership in Higher Ed
- Helping Low-Income Students Get College Credits, Workforce Training



States Open to Charters Start Fast in 'Race to Top'

"States that do not have public charter laws or put artificial caps on the growth of charter schools will jeopardize their applications under the Race to the Top Fund," Secretary Duncan said.

- Press release
- Transcript of conference call [MS Word, 92K]

Stabilization Fund

Connecticut's application has been approved, bringing to 31 the number of applications approved for funding under the State Fiscal Stabilization Fund.

- Applications

Roadmap to Recovery

The White House "Roadmap to Recovery" describes efforts to create and save 600,000 jobs in the next 100 days, including 135,000 jobs for teachers, ...

How do I find...?

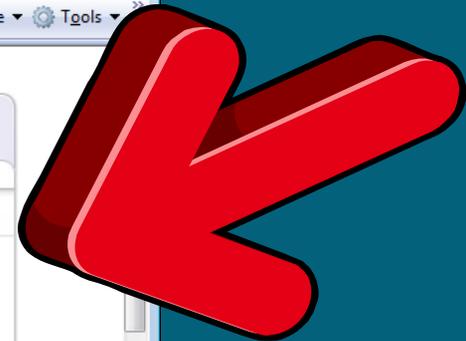
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- Money for college
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Information Centers:

- Grants & Contracts

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FY 2009 Discretionary Grant Application Packages

The following application packages are available for grant competitions that are currently open.

Applicants may wish to request an official copy of the package as important information may be scrambled when downloading the electronic version, and so that we may have a record of how to contact you in case there is a change in the competition. Instructions for obtaining a free printed copy are specified in the detailed information below about each open competition.

NOTE: Some ED competitions require applications to be submitted electronically through [Grants.gov](#).

List of Currently Open Grant Competitions (Latest Closing Dates appear at top of list.)

CFDA#	Closing Date	Program Name [and Principal Office]
84.371A	08/10/2009	Office of Elementary and Secondary Education; Overview Information; Striving Readers; Notice Inviting Applications for New Awards for Fiscal Year (FY) 2009, CFDA Number 84.371A [OESE] [OPE]
84.116W	08/04/2009	Fund for the Improvement of Postsecondary Education (FIPSE)--Special Focus Competition: Innovative Strategies in Community Colleges for Working Adults and Displaced Workers [OPE]

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ED.gov Recovery

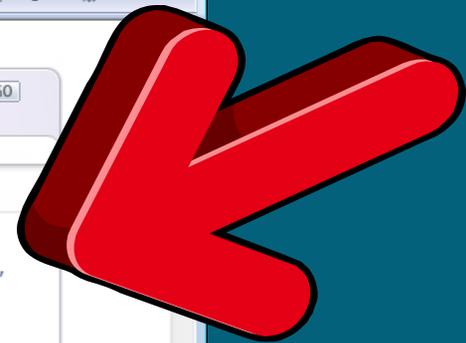
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Related Topics:

- Budget
- Policy & Guidance
- Programs

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Forecast of Funding

- Organized by principal office
- Grant info & deadline
- Includes contact information

www.ed.gov/fund/grant/find/edlite-forecast.html



ForeCast of Funding Opportunities

<http://www.ed.gov/fund/grant/find/edlite-forecast.html>

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FORECAST OF FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES UNDER THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION DISCRETIONARY GRANT PROGRAMS FOR FISCAL YEAR (FY) 2009

(As of June 4, 2009)

This document lists virtually all programs and competitions under which the Department (we) has invited or expects to invite applications for new awards and provides actual or estimated deadline dates for the transmittal of applications under these programs. The lists are in the form of charts -- organized according to the Department's principal program offices -- and include programs and competitions we have previously announced, as well as those we plan to announce at a later date.

Note: This document is advisory only and is not an official application notice of the Department of Education. We expect to provide updates to this document starting in the first week of November in a fiscal year and continuing through the following July.

Note on printing: For best results, print this document in landscape orientation.

ORGANIZATION OF THIS DOCUMENT

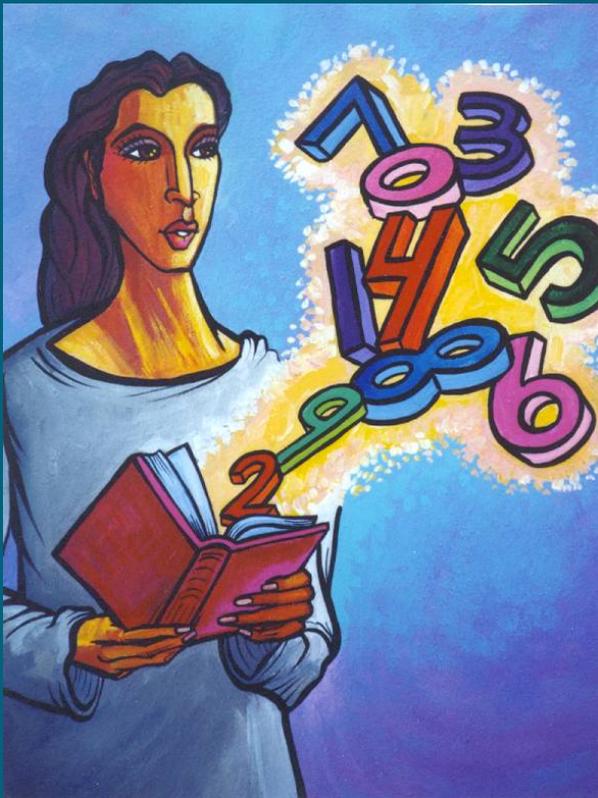
We have assigned to each principal office a separate chart as follows:

- [Chart 1 - Office of English Language Acquisition, Language Enhancement, and Academic Achievement for Limited English Proficient Students.](#)
- [Chart 2 - Institute of Education Sciences.](#)
- [Chart 3 - Office of Elementary and Secondary Education.](#)
- [Chart 4 - Office of Safe and Drug Free Schools.](#)

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Key Program Questions



- Who is eligible? (Applicant and participant)
- When is the deadline(s)?
- What is the CFDA number?
- What is the average dollar amount per grant?
- What is the anticipated number of funded projects?



Key Program Questions

Is there a matching requirement?

Where can I get the application?

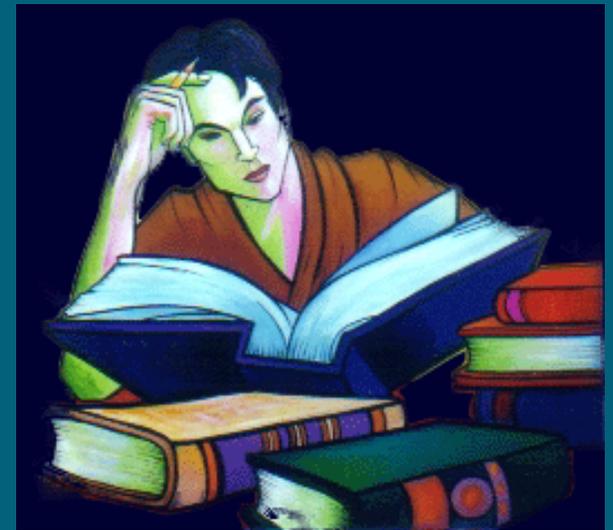
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Where do I submit the application?

Who is the program contact?





Sample grants

- 21st Century CLC
- Mentoring Programs
- Civic Education
- School Leadership Program
- Partnerships in Character Education





21st Century Community Learning Centers

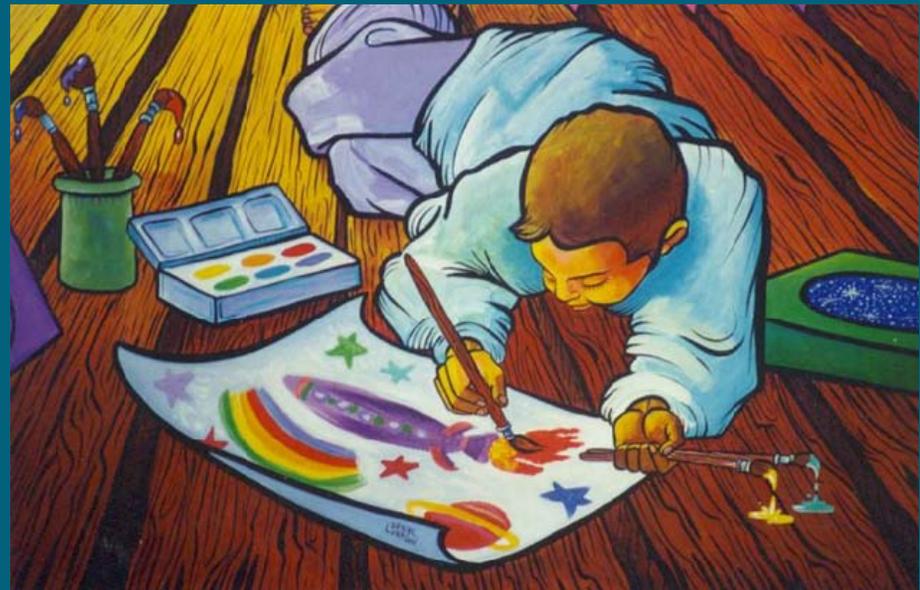


- Offers academic enrichment to core curricula
- Benefits both students and parents
- Targets poor and low performing schools



Examples:

- Arts, music, technology, drug and gang prevention
- Works in conjunction with other programs



www.ed.gov/21stcclc



21st Century Guidelines

- Review federal and state guidance to apply
- Matching requirement could exist
- Project period ranges from 3 to 5 years
- Funds must be used to supplement

www.ed.gov/21stCCIC/statecontacts.html



www.fns.usda.gov

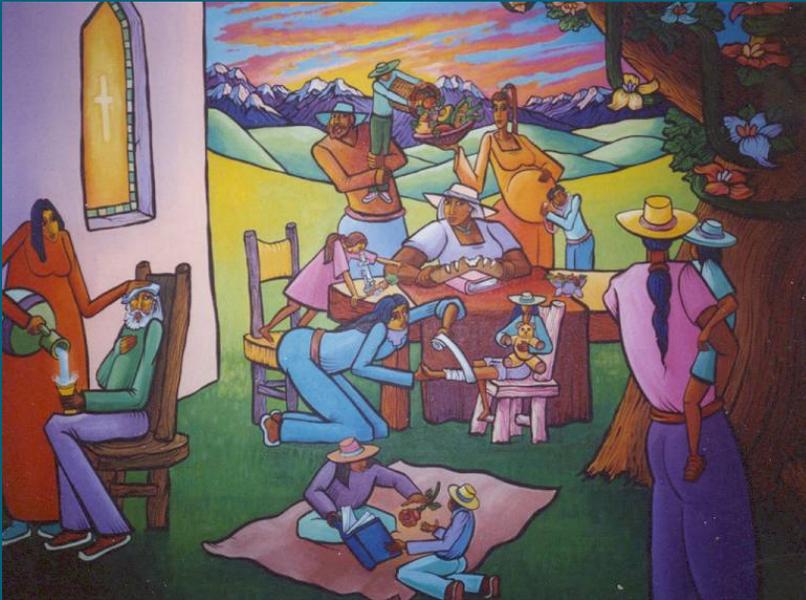


**USDA offers funding opportunities
Snacks and meals for
after school programs**

USDA United States Department of Agriculture
Food and Nutrition Service



Opportunities for Involvement



- Novice applicants
- Peer reviewers
- Mentoring

<http://www.ed.gov/about/inits/list/fbci/index.html>



Other grant opportunities



- Funded by ED
- Sub grants
- Google!?!

<http://councilforeconed.org/eee>



Supplemental Services

- Apply to the state education agency
- Each state has its own guidelines
- Record of effectiveness required
- Before applying have an established program or demonstrate that you will use proven methods



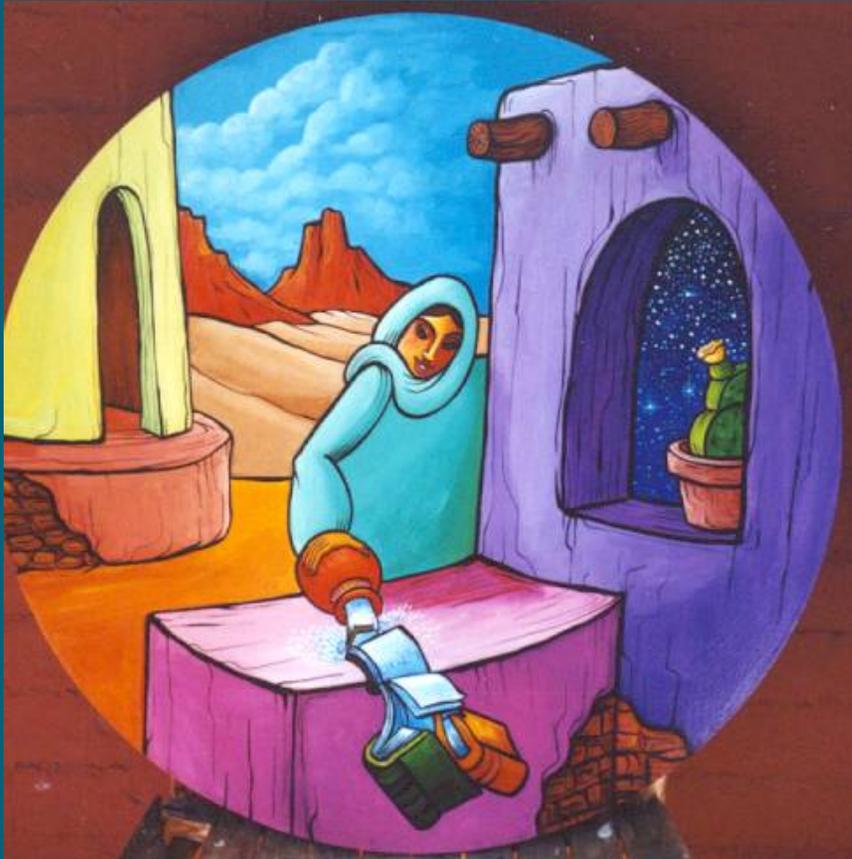
Winning reminders

- Demonstrate need
- Use proven methods
- Build partnerships





More Winning Reminders



- Ambitious goals
- Evaluate success
- Focus on results
- Record keeping
- Keep in contact

