

## Public Notice of Intent to Apply for Federal Grant Funds

In accordance with Board Policy CB Local, The District shall provide public notice of federal grant applications through an information item at a board meeting and by publishing information on the district's website. The District shall make available opportunities for public input as required by law or the granting agency.

Henderson ISD will apply for the ESSA grant for the 2026-2027 year. Henderson ISD plans to use these funds to support the intent and purpose of said grant.

### Intent to apply for ESSA Consolidated Grant includes:

Title Program	Intent and Purpose	Expected Entitlement
Title I, A	The purpose of Title I of ESSA is to provide all children significant opportunity to receive a fair, equitable, and high-quality education, and to close educational achievement gaps.	\$821,132
Title I, C (Migrant)	The purpose of the Migrant Education Program is to design and support programs that help migratory students overcome the challenges of mobility, cultural and language barriers, social isolation, and other difficulties associated with a migratory lifestyle. These efforts are aimed at helping migratory students succeed in school and successfully transition to postsecondary education and/or employment.	\$1,951
Title II, A	The purpose of Title II, Part A is to increase student achievement consistent with the challenging State academic standards; improve the quality and effectiveness of teachers, principals, and other school leaders; increase the number of effective teachers, principals, and other school leaders who are effective in improving student academic achievement in schools; and provide low-income and minority students greater access to effective teachers, principals, and other school leaders. The intent of the funding is to support educators in their work to improve the overall quality of instruction and ensure equity of educational opportunity for all students.	\$132,803
Title III, ELA	Title III, Part A of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act (ESEA), as reauthorized under the Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA), aims to ensure that English learners (ELs) and immigrant students attain English proficiency and develop high levels of academic achievement in English. Title III will also assist all English learners meet the same challenging State academic standards that all children are expected to meet.	\$55,156
Title IV	The overarching goal of Title IV, Part A, is to increase the capacity of state education agencies, local educational	\$64,460

	agencies (LEAs), campuses, and communities to meet the following three goals: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Provide all students access to a well-rounded education</li> <li>2. Improve academic outcomes by maintaining safe and healthy students</li> <li>3. Improve the use of technology to advance student academic achievement</li> </ol>	
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**Additional Federal and State Grant Opportunities**

In addition to the ESSA Consolidated Grant, Henderson Independent School District intends to apply for other federal and state grant opportunities for which the District is eligible during the 2026–2027 school year. These grants support student achievement, career readiness, special populations, school improvement, educator effectiveness, and other district priorities.

<b>Grant Program</b>	<b>Intent and Purpose</b>	<b>Estimated Funding</b>
<b>Perkins V: Strengthening Career and Technical Education for the 21st Century Act</b>	Provides funding to improve Career and Technical Education (CTE) programs by expanding high-quality career pathways, increasing industry certifications, supporting work-based learning opportunities, and ensuring students are prepared for postsecondary education and high-demand careers.	To Be Determined
<b>IDEA-B Formula Grant (Special Education)</b>	Supports the provision of a Free Appropriate Public Education (FAPE) for students with disabilities by assisting districts in providing special education and related services in accordance with the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA).	To Be Determined
<b>IDEA-B Preschool Grant</b>	Supports special education and related services for eligible children ages 3–5 with disabilities to ensure early intervention and school readiness.	To Be Determined

**LIFT Grant (Learning and Innovation for Texas)**

Supports innovative instructional practices, strategic staffing, educator development, and initiatives designed to improve student achievement and strengthen educational outcomes through programs approved by the Texas Education Agency.

To Be Determined

**Texas Education Agency Competitive Grants**

Henderson ISD may apply for additional competitive federal or state grants offered through the Texas Education Agency that align with district priorities and are intended to improve student outcomes, educator effectiveness, school safety, mental health services, college and career readiness, literacy, technology, or other instructional initiatives.

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