



Ocean Charter School

Spring 2023 Consolidated Application Reporting System (CARS) Data Collection

Board Summary

The Consolidated Application is used by the California Department of Education to distribute funds from various Federal programs to county offices, school districts, and charter schools throughout California. Every local educational agency (LEA) certifies the Spring Release data collections to document participation in Federal programs under the Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA) and provide assurances that the LEA will comply with the legal requirements of each program.

This spring data collection for the 2023-24 application must be submitted by August 31, 2023 to request or decline participation in the federal programs listed below.

The Winter Release of the application, to be certified in February 2024, will contain each school's FY23/24 entitlements for each funded program. Program entitlements are determined by formulas contained in the laws that created the programs.

Federal Program Descriptions

Title I Part A: Helping Disadvantaged Children – A federal program to ensure that all children have a fair, equal, and significant opportunity to obtain a high-quality education and reach, at a minimum, proficiency on challenging state academic achievement standards and state academic assessments.

Title II Part A: Teacher Quality – A federal program that increases student academic achievement through strategies such as improving teacher and principal quality and effectiveness, increasing the number of teachers and principals who are effective in improving student academic achievement in the classroom, and providing low-income and minority students greater access to effective teachers, principals, and school leaders.

Title III: Program for Immigrant Students – A federal program to provide supplementary programs and services to eligible immigrant students. The purpose of the subgrant is to assist immigrant students to acquire English and achieve grade-level and graduation standards.

Title III: Program for English Learner Students – A federal program to provide supplementary programs and services to English learners (ELs). The purpose of the subgrant is to assist EL students to achieve high levels in academic subjects and achieve academic standards; assist teachers, principals, and school leaders in developing and sustaining effective language instruction programs; promoting parental, family, and community participation in language instructional programs for families of English learners.

Title IV, Part A: Student Support and Academic Enrichment Grants – A federal program to provide all students access to a well-rounded education; improve school conditions for learning; and improve the use of technology in order to improve the academic achievement and digital literacy of all students.



2023/24 Funding Application

Certification of Assurances – Certifies that the school will observe all rules and regulations associated with federal funding.

Protected Prayer Certification – Certifies that the school has no policy that prevents or denies participation in constitutionally protected prayer in public school.

LCAP Federal Addendum Certification – Certifies that the board has approved the school’s LCAP Federal Addendum in order to meet Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA) Local Agency Plan requirements.

Application for Funding – Certifies that the board will approve the ConApp. Certifies that the ELAC (English Learner Advisory Committee) has reviewed and advised on the development of the application for funding programs that serve English learners. Requests or declines the various federal programs.

Substitute System for Time Accounting – If requesting authorization to use a substitute system for time accounting (recording time spent working on federal programs), certifies that only eligible employees will participate in the substitute system and that the system used to document employee work schedules includes sufficient controls to ensure that the schedules are accurate.

2021–22 Title II, Part A Fiscal Year Expenditure Report, 24 Months

A report of year-to-date expenditures by activity. Activity period covered is July 1, 2021 through June 30, 2023.

CDE Program Contact:

Alice Ng (Fiscal), Division Support Office, ANg@cde.ca.gov, 916-323-4636
 Lisa Fassett (Program), Professional Learning Support & Monitoring Office, LFassett@cde.ca.gov, 916-323-4963

2021–22 Title II, Part A allocation	\$8,908
Transferred–in amount	\$0
Transferred–out amount	\$0
2021–22 Total allocation	\$8,908

Professional Development Expenditures

Professional development for teachers	\$8,908
Professional development for administrators	\$0
Consulting/Professional services	\$0
Induction programs	\$0
Books and other supplies	\$0
Dues and membership	\$0
Travel and conferences	\$0

Personnel and Other Authorized Activities

Certificated personnel salaries	\$0
Classified personnel salaries	\$0
Employee benefits	\$0
Developing or improving an evaluation system	\$0
Recruitment activities	\$0
Retention activities	\$0
Class size reduction	\$0

Program Expenditures

Direct administrative costs	\$0
Indirect costs	\$0
Equitable services for nonprofit private schools	\$0
Total expenditures	\$8,908
2021–22 Unspent funds	\$0

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2023–24 Protected Prayer Certification

Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA) Section 8524 specifies federal requirements regarding constitutionally protected prayer in public elementary and secondary schools. This form meets the annual requirement and provides written certification.

CDE Program Contact:

Miguel Cordova, Title I Policy, Program, and Support Office, MCordova@cde.ca.gov, 916-319-0381

Protected Prayer Certification Statement

The local educational agency (LEA) hereby assures and certifies to the California State Board of Education that the LEA has no policy that prevents, or otherwise denies participation in, constitutionally protected prayer in public schools as set forth in the "Guidance on Constitutionally Protected Prayer in Public Elementary and Secondary Schools."

The LEA hereby assures that this page has been printed and contains an ink signature. The ink signature copy shall be made available to the California Department of Education upon request or as part of an audit, a compliance review, or a complaint investigation.

The authorized representative agrees to the above statement	Yes
Authorized Representative's Full Name	Kristy Mack-Fett
Authorized Representative's Title	Executive Director
Authorized Representative's Signature Date	08/17/2023
Comment	
If the LEA is not able to certify at this time, then an explanation must be provided in the comment field. (Maximum 500 characters)	

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2023–24 LCAP Federal Addendum Certification

CDE Program Contact:

Local Agency Systems Support Office, LCAPAddendum@cde.ca.gov, 916-323-5233

Initial Application

To receive initial funding under the Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA), a local educational agency (LEA) must have a plan approved by the State Educational Agency on file with the State. Within California, LEAs that apply for ESSA funds for the first time are required to complete the Local Control and Accountability Plan (LCAP), the LCAP Federal Addendum Template (Addendum), and the Consolidated Application (ConApp). The LCAP, in conjunction with the Addendum and the ConApp, serve to meet the requirements of the ESSA LEA Plan.

In order to initially apply for funds, the LEA must certify that the current LCAP has been approved by the local governing board or governing body of the LEA. As part of this certification, the LEA agrees to submit the LCAP Federal Addendum, that has been approved by the local governing board or governing body of the LEA, to the California Department of Education (CDE) and acknowledges that the LEA agrees to work with the CDE to ensure that the Addendum addresses all required provisions of the ESSA programs for which they are applying for federal education funds.

Returning Application

If the LEA certified a prior year LCAP Federal Addendum Certification data collection form in the Consolidated Application and Reporting System, then the LEA may use in this form the same original approval or adoption date used in the prior year form.

County Office of Education (COE) or District For a COE, enter the original approval date as the day the CDE approved the current LCAP. For a district, enter the original approval date as the day the COE approved the current LCAP	
Direct Funded Charter Enter the adoption date of the current LCAP	06/07/2018
Authorized Representative's Full Name	Kristy Mack-Fett
Authorized Representative's Title	Executive Director

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2023–24 Application for Funding

CDE Program Contact:

Consolidated Application Support Desk, Education Data Office, ConAppSupport@cde.ca.gov, 916-319-0297

Local Governing Board Approval

The local educational agency (LEA) is required to review and receive approval of their Application for Funding selections with their local governing board.

By checking this box the LEA certifies that the Local Board has approved the Application for Funding for the listed fiscal year	Yes
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District English Learner Advisory Committee Review

Per Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations Section 11308, if your LEA has more than 50 English learners, then the LEA must establish a District English Learner Advisory Committee (DELAC) which shall review and advise on the development of the application for funding programs that serve English learners.

By checking this box the LEA certifies that parent input has been received from the District English Learner Committee (if applicable) regarding the spending of Title III funds for the listed fiscal year	No
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Application for Categorical Programs

To receive specific categorical funds for a school year, the LEA must apply for the funds by selecting Yes below. Only the categorical funds that the LEA is eligible to receive are displayed.

Title I, Part A (Basic Grant) ESSA Sec. 1111 et seq. SACS 3010	Yes
Title II, Part A (Supporting Effective Instruction) ESEA Sec. 2104 SACS 4035	Yes
Title III English Learner ESEA Sec. 3102 SACS 4203	No
Title III Immigrant ESEA Sec. 3102 SACS 4201	No
Title IV, Part A (Student and School Support) ESSA Sec. 4101 SACS 4127	Yes

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2023–24 Substitute System for Time Accounting

This certification may be used by auditors and by California Department of Education oversight personnel when conducting audits and sub-recipient monitoring of the substitute time-and-effort system. Approval is automatically granted when the local educational agency (LEA) submits and certifies this data collection.

CDE Program Contact:

Hilary Thomson, Fiscal Oversight and Support Office, HThomson@cde.ca.gov, 916-323-0765

The LEA certifies that only eligible employees will participate in the substitute system and that the system used to document employee work schedules includes sufficient controls to ensure that the schedules are accurate.

Detailed information on documenting salaries and wages, including both substitute systems of time accounting, are described in Procedure 905 of the California School Accounting Manual posted on the web at <https://www.cde.ca.gov/fg/ac/sa/>.

2022–23 Request for authorization	No
LEA certifies that the following is a full disclosure of any known deficiencies with the substitute system or known challenges with implementing the system (Maximum 500 characters)	

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2022–23 Homeless Education Policy, Requirements, and Implementation

The purpose of this data collection is to meet federal requirements specified in 42 United States Code 11431 et seq. (Education for Homeless Children and Youths Act) and some federal requirements in Title I, Part A of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act (ESEA). This collection includes monitoring local educational agencies (LEAs) and their compliance with key provisions of the Education for Homeless Children and Youths Act including the collection of contact information for each required designated LEA’s homeless liaison.

CDE Program Contact:

Leanne Wheeler, Integrated Student Support and Programs Office, LWheeler@cde.ca.gov, 916-319-0383
 Karmina Barrales, Integrated Student Support and Programs Office, KBarrales@cde.ca.gov, 916-327-9692

Homeless Education Certification

The LEA hereby assures that the LEA has met the following requirements:

1. Designated a staff person as the liaison for homeless children and youths;
2. Developed a written policy that supports the enrollment and retention of homeless children and youths in schools of the LEA which:
 - a) Includes policies and practices to ensure that homeless children and youths are not stigmatized or segregated on the basis of their status as homeless;
 - b) Includes a dispute resolution process;
 - c) Ensures that transportation is provided for a homeless child or youth to and from the school of origin if requested by the parent, guardian or homeless liaison;
3. Disseminated public notice of the educational rights of homeless children and youths where such children and youths receive services under the provisions of the Education for Homeless Children and Youths Act.

Homeless Liaison Contact Information

Homeless liaison first name	Adam
Homeless liaison last name	Bruno
Homeless liaison title	Counselor
Homeless liaison email address (Format: abc@xyz.zyx)	adambruno@live.com
Homeless liaison telephone number (Format: 999-999-9999)	610-488-7721
Homeless liaison telephone extension	
Enter the full-time equivalent (FTE) for all personnel directly responsible for the implementation of homeless education (Format: 0.00)	0.05

Homeless Liaison Training Information

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Has the homeless liaison attended and/or participated in a homeless education liaison training within the last two years	Yes
Has the homeless liaison provided training to the following personnel:	
Principals and other school leaders	Yes
Attendance officers and registrars	Yes
Teachers and instructional assistants	No
School counselors	No

Homeless Education Policy and Requirements

Does the LEA have a written homeless education policy	Yes
No policy comment	
Provide an explanation why the LEA does not have a homeless education policy. (Maximum 500 characters)	
Date LEA's board approved the homeless education policy	02/07/2013
Does the LEA meet the above federal requirements	Yes
Compliance comment	
Provide an explanation why the LEA does not comply with federal requirements. (Maximum 500 characters)	

Housing Questionnaire Identifying Homeless Children

Does your LEA use a housing questionnaire to assist with the identification of homeless children and youth	No
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Title I, Part A Homeless Expenditures

2022–23 Title I, Part A LEA allocation	\$37,179
2022–23 Title I, Part A direct or indirect services to homeless children reservation	\$100
Amount of 2022–23 Title I, Part A funds expended or encumbered for direct or indirect services for homeless children	\$100
Homeless services provided (Maximum 500 characters)	Services such as transportation and tutoring provided upon request

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<p>No expenditures or encumbrances comment</p> <p>Provide an explanation why there are no Title I, Part A expenditures or encumbrances for homeless services. (Maximum 500 characters)</p>	
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