

**Topical Heading**

Special Education

**Program Title**

# Special Olympics Education Programs

**CFDA # (or ED #)**

84.380

**Administering Office**

Office of Special Education and Rehabilitative Services (OSERS)

**Who May Apply (by category)**

Nonprofit Organizations

**Who May Apply (specifically)**

The Special Olympics organization may apply.

**Current Competitions**

None. FY 2008 funds support noncompetitive awards.

**Type of Assistance (by category)**

Discretionary/Competitive Grants

**Type of Assistance (specifically)**

This is a noncompetitive grant to Special Olympics.

**Appropriations**

Fiscal Year 2006 \$0

Fiscal Year 2007 \$0

Fiscal Year 2008 \$11,790,360

Note: FY 2008 is the first year of funding.

**Fiscal Year 2008 Awards Information**

*Note: The Department is not bound by any estimates in this notice.*

Number of New Awards Anticipated: 2

Average New Award: \$5,895,180

Range of New Awards: \$4,421,385–\$7,368,975E

**Legislative Citation**

*Special Olympics Sport and Empowerment Act of 2004, Sec. 3(a)*

**Program Regulations**

*EDGAR*

**Program Description**

This program is intended to provide opportunities for individuals with intellectual disabilities to engage in sports training and competitive activities, leading to improvements in the quality of life.

**Types of Projects**

Types of projects are: (1) activities to promote the expansion of Special Olympics, including activities to increase the participation of individuals with intellectual disabilities and (2) the design and implementation of Special Olympics education programs, including character education and volunteer programs that support the purposes of the *Special Olympics Sport and Empowerment Act of 2004*, which can be integrated into classroom instruction and are consistent with academic content standards.

**Education Level (by category)**

K–12, Middle School, Postsecondary, Secondary

**Subject Index**

Disabilities, Physical Education, Special Education

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