

Topical Heading

School Improvement

Program Title

Close Up Fellowship Program

Also Known as

Formerly known as Ellender Fellowships

CFDA # (or ED #)

84.927A

Administering Office

Office of Innovation and Improvement (OII)

Who May Apply (specifically)

By law, a grant is made to the Close Up Foundation only.

Current Competitions

None. FY 2008 funds support a noncompetitive award.

Type of Assistance (by category)

Discretionary/Competitive Grants

Appropriations

Fiscal Year 2006 \$1,454,310

Fiscal Year 2007 \$1,454,310

Fiscal Year 2008 \$1,942,462

Fiscal Year 2008 Awards Information

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

Number of New Awards Anticipated: 1

Legislative Citation

Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 (ESEA), as amended, Title I, Part E, Sec. 1504; 20 U.S.C. 6494

Program Regulations

EDGAR

Program Description

This program provides financial aid to enable low-income students, their teachers, and recent immigrants to come to Washington, D.C., to study the operations of the three branches of the federal government.

Types of Projects

The Close Up Foundation administers the program. Participants consist of students, teachers, and recent immigrants, who attend seminars on government and current events and meet with leaders from the three branches of government.

Education Level (by category)

Adult, Middle School, Secondary

Education Level (specifically)

Grades 7–12

Subject Index

Civics, Government (Administrative Body), Immigrants, Migrants

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