

Topical Heading

Teacher and Principal Quality

Program Title

School Leadership Program

CFDA # (or ED #)

84.363A

Administering Office

Office of Innovation and Improvement (OII)

Who May Apply (by category)

Institutions of Higher Education (IHEs), Local Education Agencies (LEAs), Nonprofit Organizations

Who May Apply (specifically)

High-need LEAs, consortia of high-need LEAs, or partnerships that consist of at least one high-need LEA and at least one nonprofit organization (which may be a community- or faith-based organization) or IHE may apply.

Current Competitions

FY 2008 competition deadline: May 2, 2008.

Type of Assistance (by category)

Discretionary/Competitive Grants

Appropriations

Fiscal Year 2006 \$14,731,200

Fiscal Year 2007 \$14,731,200

Fiscal Year 2008 \$14,473,650

Fiscal Year 2008 Awards Information

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

Number of New Awards Anticipated: 26

Average New Award: \$548,000

Range of New Awards: \$250,000–\$750,000

Number of Continuation Awards: 0

Legislative Citation

Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 (ESEA), as amended, Title II, Part A, Subpart 5, Sec. 2151(b); 20 U.S.C. 2151(b)

Program Regulations

EDGAR

Program Description

This program provides grants to support the development, enhancement, or expansion of innovative programs to recruit, train, and mentor principals (including assistant principals) for high-need LEAs.

Types of Projects

Programs and projects assisted under this section may include the following activities:

- Providing financial incentives to aspiring new principals;
- Providing stipends to principals who mentor new principals;
- Carrying out professional development programs in instructional leadership and management; and
- Providing incentives that are appropriate for teachers or individuals from other fields who want to become principals and that are effective in retaining new principals.

Education Level (by category)

K–12

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Disadvantaged Schools, Principals

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Links to Related Web Sites

<http://www.ed.gov/programs/leadership/index.html>