

Topical Heading

Disadvantaged Persons

Program Title

Advanced Placement Incentive Program

Also Known as

AP Incentive Program; API Program

CFDA # (or ED #)

84.330C

Administering Office

Office of Elementary and Secondary Education (OESE)

Who May Apply (by category)

Local Education Agencies (LEAs), Nonprofit Organizations, State Education Agencies (SEAs)

Who May Apply (specifically)

National nonprofit education organizations with expertise in advanced placement (AP) services, in addition to LEAs and state education agencies (SEAs), may apply.

Current Competitions

FY 2008 application deadline: July 8, 2008.

Type of Assistance (by category)

Discretionary/Competitive Grants

Appropriations

Fiscal Year 2006 \$26,113,699

Fiscal Year 2007 \$27,701,191

Fiscal Year 2008 \$31,798,501

Fiscal Year 2008 Awards Information

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

Number of New Awards Anticipated: 21

Average New Award: \$590,476

Range of New Awards: \$93,040-\$975,163

Number of Continuation Awards: 33

Average Continuation Award: \$571,776

Legislative Citation

Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 (ESEA), as amended, Title I, Part G

Program Regulations

EDGAR; 34 CFR 75, 77, 79, 80, 81, 82, 85, 86, 97, 98, and 99

Program Description

This program provides grants to eligible entities to enable them to increase the participation of low-income students in both pre-AP and AP courses and tests.

Types of Projects

Awards support activities to increase the participation of low-income students in both pre-AP and AP courses and tests. Grants support the development, enhancement, or expansion of AP courses, including pre-AP courses aligned with AP courses in mathematics, science, English, and other subject areas. Allowable activities include: (1) professional development for teachers; (2) curriculum development; (3) the purchase of books and supplies; and (4) other activities directly related to expanding access to and participation in AP courses and tests for low-income students.

Education Level (by category)

Middle School, Secondary

Education Level (specifically)

Grades 6–12

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Academic Achievement, Advanced Placement

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