

Title III

Changes in Title III Funding for the 2017-2018 School Year

Office of English Language Acquisition Services

Practitioners of English Language Learning (PELL) Meeting
September 8, 2017

Session Topics

- Parent Engagement Requirement
- Integrated Action Plans
- Pre-Award Costs
- Deadlines

PARENT ENGAGEMENT

Federal Level Changes

Required LEA Activities

BOTH NCLB AND ESSA

Provide language instruction educational programs (LIEPs) designed to increase the English language proficiency and academic achievement of ELs

Provide effective professional development to classroom teachers designed to increase the knowledge and skills of teachers who serve ELs

NEW TO ESSA

Provide and implement other effective activities and strategies that enhance or supplement LIEPs for ELs, which shall include **parent, family, and community engagement activities**

Where can I find this new ESSA information?

SEC. 3115(c) REQUIRED SUBGRANTEE ACTIVITIES. (1) – (3)

Parent Involvement Translation/Interpretation

No changes to federal laws regarding parent communication

Parent Involvement

Translation/Interpretation

- Title III funds are allowed for translating:
 - supplemental EL events that support specific Title III-funded activities



- Title III funds are **not** allowed for translating:
 - required documents
 - information LEAs communicate to all parents
 - events including parents of non-EL students



Parent Involvement

Translation/Interpretation Examples

NOT ALLOWABLE: Handbook with district/school calendar, staff directory, district programs, EL program info, etc.

NOT ALLOWABLE: Parent-Teacher Conferences

NOT ALLOWABLE: Schoolwide Curriculum Nights, Meet the Teacher Night, etc.

ALLOWABLE: EL Parent Night designed to teach instructional strategies to parents of ELs for home practice with ELs

All activities must still meet the supplement, not supplant provision.

Cracking the Code

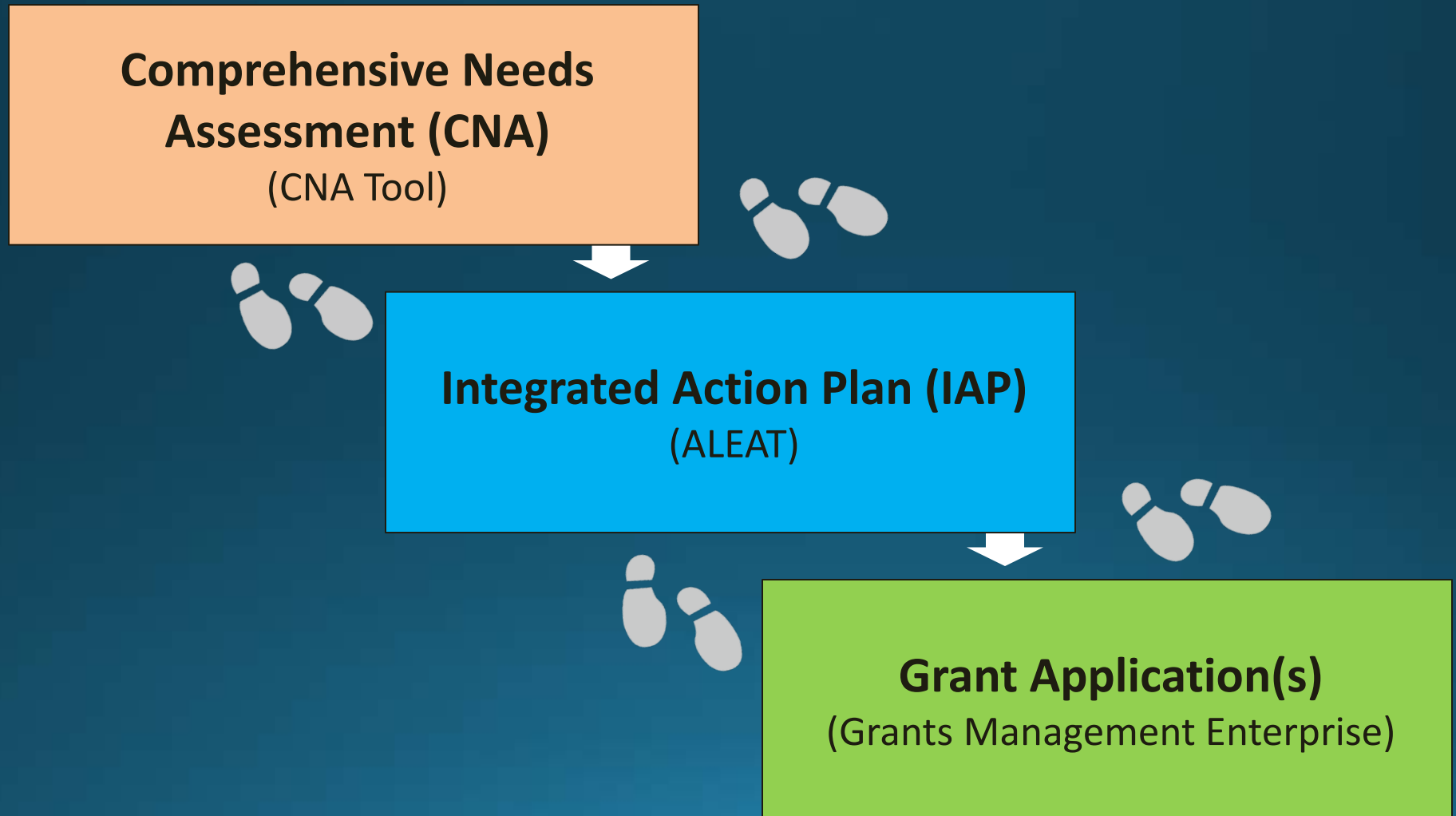
Parent Involvement

- **YES:** Student Support Services
Function 2100, 2200, 2600, 2900
- **NO:** Community Services Operations
Function 3300
- **MAYBE:** General Support Services
Function 2300, 2400, 2500, 2900



INTEGRATED ACTION PLAN

Planning for Funding



State Level Changes

Local Plan Requirements

SAME: Each eligible entity desiring a subgrant shall submit a plan to the State educational agency

SAME: LEA plans shall contain information which

1. describes its language instruction educational programs,
2. ensures it is assisting ELs to achieve English proficiency and meet challenging academic standards,
3. describes its intent to promote parental and community involvement in the education of English learners, and
4. identifies Title III funded programs/activities (**Title III tag**).

NEW: Plan information will be entered in the new **Integrated Action Plan** which will replace the Continuous Improvement Plan in ALEAT.

Where can I find this new ESSA information?
SEC. 3116(a) PLAN REQUIRED.

Integrated Action Plan

Principles

- Identify the principle where a primary need, or a required grant activity, will be addressed

Strategies

- Create a strategy and desired outcome aligned to the Principle to address your primary need or required grant activity

Action Steps

- Identify activities in support of the created strategy to achieve the desired outcome
- Tag activities based on the funding source to be used to support the activities and/or program connection

ALEAT Tags

Funding Tags (Title III)

- ✓ Required
- ✓ Associated with grant programs participating in the IAP Pilot for FY18
- ✓ Have expenses accounted for in the grant application associated with that tag



Program Tags (ELL)

- ✓ Optional
- ✓ Indicate how activities may impact different programs and/or student populations
- ✓ Are not necessarily associated with a specific funding source



PRE-AWARD COSTS

Pre-Award Costs

34 CFR 76.708

When certain subgrantees may begin to obligate funds.


- (a) If the authorizing statute for a program requires a State to make subgrants on the basis of a formula (see §76.5), the State may not authorize an applicant for a subgrant to obligate funds until the later of the following two dates:
- (1) The date that the State may begin to obligate funds under §76.703; or
 - (2) The date that the applicants submits its application to the State in substantially approvable form.


Obligating Funds

Type of Cost	Obligation Date
Purchase of supplies	Date when written commitment is made (i.e., Purchase Order)
Services by an employee	Date when services are performed
Services by a contractor	Date when written commitment is made (i.e., Purchase Order)
Travel	Date of travel

Pre-Award Costs for FY18

Pre-Award Cost Approval Notice

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Related Documents

School District Public District - FY 2018 - Title III LEP - Rev 0 - Title III LEP

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Optional Documents		
Type	Document Template	Document/Link
Capital Outlay Worksheet	 Capital Outlay Worksheet	
Other	N/A	
Pre-Award Cost Request Form [Upload up to 1 document(s)]	 Pre-Award Cost Request Form	

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Pre-Award Costs for FY18



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Pre-Award Cost Request Form

2 CFR §200.458 allows for the approval of pre-award costs prior to the effective date of the award where such costs are necessary for efficient and timely performance of the scope of work; to the extent that the costs would have been allowed if incurred after the date of the Federal award and only with written approval.

Entity Name:		CTDS #:		Date:	
Grant Name:					
<input type="checkbox"/> I assure all pre-award expenditures were in accordance to applicable Federal Uniform Grant Guidance, as well as specific guidance related to the grant listed above.					
<input type="checkbox"/> I assure pre-award obligations for this grant will be proportionate to the award amount and time period of the grant funds.					
LEA Business Manager Print:				Date:	
LEA Business Manager Signature:					

DEADLINES

Title III

Due Dates and Deadlines

FY 2017 Title III Applications

November 13, 2017

Completion Report Submission Deadline

FY 2018 Title III Applications

October 1, 2017

Submission deadline for Original Applications
Submission deadline for Integrated Action Plan

December 31, 2017

Approval deadline for Original Applications

September 30, 2018

Project end date

Approval deadline for Application Revisions

Last day to submit Reimbursement Requests

December 29, 2018

Completion Report submission deadline

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