EANS I Financial Reimbursement Webinar

Federal Programs Monitoring and Support June 16, 2021



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Welcome and Introductions

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EANS I Overview

NCDPI EANS Website Link-Click Here

Submit All Reimbursement/Financial Documents to EANSDocuments@dpi.nc.gov

Submit all general EANS questions to EANS@dpi.nc.gov

What

The Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act (CRRSA) of 2021 established a program for nonpublic schools within the Governors Emergency Education Relief Fund (GEER II). This new program, called the Emergency Assistance for Nonpublic Schools (EANS) program, provides funding for services or assistance to eligible nonpublic schools to address educational disruptions caused by COVID-19.

Who

The EANS program is administered by the Office of the Governor, in conjunction with the NC Department of Instruction (DPI). This is not a grant program for nonpublic schools; the purpose of the EANS program is to provide nonpublic schools with funding for eligible services and assistance. DPI retains control of funds and title to materials and equipment.

EANS I Allowable Uses



Eligible Services and Assistance

A nonpublic school may apply to receive services or assistance to address educational disruptions resulting from COVID-19 for:

- Supplies to sanitize, disinfect, and clean school facilities
- Personal Protective Equipment (PPE)
- Improving ventilation systems, including windows or portable air purification systems

- Training and professional development for staff on sanitation, the use of PPE, and minimizing the spread of infectious diseases
- Physical barriers to facilitate social distancing
- COVID-19 testing and tracing
- Educational technology
- Redeveloping instructional plans for remote or hybrid learning or to address learning loss

- Leasing sites or spaces to ensure social distancing
- Reasonable transportation costs
- Other materials, supplies, or equipment recommended by the CDC for reopening and operation of school facilities to effectively maintain health and safety
- Initiating and maintaining education and support services or assistance for remote or hybrid learning or to address learning loss

- Reimbursement for any services or assistance described above incurred on or after 3/13/20, except for:
 - improvements to ventilation systems and windows (except for portable air purification systems)
 - any expenses reimbursed through PPP
 - training and development on sanitation, use of PPE, and minimizing spread of COVID-19
 - development of instructional plans and curriculum development
 - initiating education and support services for remote or hybrid learning or to address earning loss.

Step 1: W-9 and Vendor Form

Submit to Sue.Kearney@dpi.nc.gov

NC W-9 Form

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NC Office of the
State Controller
(IRS Form W-9 will not be
accepted in lieu of this form)
*Denotes a Required Field

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA SUBSTITUTE W-9 FORM Request for Taxpayer Identification Number



	*1. Social Security Number (SSN),	Please select the appropriate Taxpayer Identification Number (EIN, SSN,	
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	OR	or ITIN) type and enter your 9-digit ID number. The U.S. Taxpayer	
	Employer Identification Number (EIN),	Identification Number is being requested per U.S. Tax Law. Failure to	
	OR	provide this information in a timely manner could prevent or delay	
	Individual Taxpayer Identification Number (ITIN)	payment to you or require The State of NC to withhold 24% for backup	
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	(PRESS THE TAB KEY TO ENTER EACH NUMBER)		
	*4. Legal Name (as shown on your income tax return):	3. Dunn & Bradstreet Universal Numbering System (DUNS) (see	
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	5. Business Name/DBA/Disregarded Entity Name, if different from		
	Legal Name:		
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Vendor Electronic Payment Form

Office of the State Controller

Return to: OSC Support Services Center Address: 1410 Mail Service Center

Address: 1410 Mail Service Center Raleigh, NC 27699-1410

Email: osc.support.services@osc.nc.gov

Telephone: 919-707-0795

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Vendor Electronic Payment Form

- New Add Request
- Change/Update Existing Account
- ☐ Inactivate Existing Account

*Denotes a required field

The State of North Carolina offers payees the opportunity to receive payments electronically through U.S. based banks. In addition to having the funds deposited electronically, you will also receive remittance information by e-mail.

We require you to submit a copy of a voided check, bank statement, or a bank authorization letter on bank letterhead signed by a bank representative for account verification. *TAX ID # or SSN *PAYEE NAME *REMITTANCE ADDRESS (AS PRINTED ON STREET SUITE/ROOM # YOUR INVOICE) CITY STATE ZIP CODE *CONTACT NAME & TITLE PHONE NUMBER **NEW FINANCIAL INFORMATION** *FINANCIAL INSTITUTION NAME: *NAME ON ACCOUNT: *NEW ROUTING NUMBER: *NEW ACCOUNT NUMBER: *ACCT TYPE: Checking Savings

New add requests MUST include contact information for the state agency with which you are doing business.

*North Carolina Agency Name:	*North Carolina Agency Contact Name:
*North Carolina Agency Contact Email Address:	*North Carolina Agency Contact Phone Number:

- Agency Name NC Dept of Public Instruction
- Contact Name Sue Kearney
- Contact Email <u>sue.kearney@dpi.nc.gov</u>
- Contact Phone 984-236-2352

Step 2: Reimbursement Process

Submit to EANSDocuments@dpi.nc.gov

- EANS Reimbursement Information for Approved Non-Public Schools
- Instructions for Completing EANS Reimbursement Form
- EANS Asset Attestation Form
- EANS Reimbursement Form
- EANS School ID (6-9-2021) RPT

• To obtain reimbursement for allowable expenditures under the EANS program, a non-public school must provide supporting documentation such as invoices, receipts, etc. to substantiate the expenditures, and complete the "EANS Reimbursement Form" to provide the information needed for DPI to successfully and efficiently evaluate whether an expenditure is eligible for reimbursement.

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• <u>Step 1</u> – Provide the DPI-created School ID number for your non-public school in Cell 1B, and the name of the school in Cell 2B. School ID numbers can be found on the DPI website at https://www.dpi.nc.gov/districts-schools/federal-program-monitoring/emergency-assistance-nonpublic-schools-eans.

• Step 2 – If your school is seeking reimbursement for any items that are allowable under the EANS program, but which do not qualify as educational technology OR which had a purchase price of less than \$2,500, then information pertaining to the items must be entered into the reimbursement form in the section "Reimbursement Request for Allowable Non-Inventory Items." For purchases that include multiples of the same items, including large numbers of the same items, only a single row should be utilized for all items, provided that they were obtained from the same vendor through the same purchase (Note: Do not combine purchases that are reflected in more than one invoice).



- The following information must be provided to allow for efficient evaluation of the reimbursement request:
- Category Using the drop-down list, your school should select the category of the allowable uses of EANS funds under which the non-inventory items being requested for reimbursement qualify. The categories include:
 - Sanitization and cleaning supplies
 - Personal protective equipment (PPE)
 - Portable air purification systems
 - COVID Testing Kits
 - Physical barriers for social distancing
- Other materials, supplies, or equipment recommended by the CDC for reopening and operation of school facilities ("Other Items") – Please use "Other Items" only where none of the other categories are suitable.

- Company/Vendor Name Your school should note the vendor and/or company name; the school should provide both the company and vendor names if the vendor is not the manufacturer of the items. The school should ensure that the name of the vendor corresponds with the name on the invoice provided as supporting documentation for the reimbursement.
- Item Name/Description (Per Invoice) Your school should provide a name or description for the item. Examples of acceptable information include Laptop Computer, Face Masks, iPad tablet, etc. The school should ensure that sufficient information is provided to allow for DPI to identify the items on the provided invoices and understand the nature of the item(s) being reimbursed.

- Number of Items Your school should note the number of identical items obtained through the reimbursable purchase. This information should be verifiable from the invoices provided as supporting documents.
- Amount (Per Invoice) Your school should provide the exact amount for each item or group of items (depending on invoice) that corresponds to the amounts listed on the invoices provided as supporting documents. Your school should provide the exact amount for the corresponding items if it can be determined; please do not round up or down.

- Intended Use To allow DPI to ensure that the purchases represent allowable expenditures under the program, your school should provide a brief description of how the items were or are to be used, why the purchase was made, etc.
- Invoice Identification The school should note which of the supporting documents provided serves as the invoice for the specific items for which reimbursement is being requested. When including this information in the table, please utilize the naming conventions outlined in the below section "Instructions for Document Naming Conventions."

 An invoice must be provided for each item for reimbursement that corroborates (to the extent applicable) the information provided in the table. No reimbursements will be processed without an accompanying invoice or other supporting documentation. Any questions about supporting documentation required should be directed to EANSdocuments@dpi.nc.gov.



Step 3 – If your school is seeking reimbursement of items that are educational technology OR which have a per unit purchase price of greater than \$2,500, information for reimbursement of those items must be provided in the section of the table titled "Reimbursement Request for Allowable Inventory Items." This table should be completed in the same manner as the table for non-inventory items described in Step 2 above. Categories for Inventory Items include the above list, as well as educational technology.

In addition, in order to be reimbursed for allowable inventory items, a non-public school must complete and submit an "Asset Listing" for all inventory items to reimbursed using EANS funds.

The non-public school should ensure that the following information is provided on the Asset Listing:

The non-public school should ensure that the following information is provided on the Asset Listing:

- Serial Number
- Company/Vendor
- Item Description
- Model Information
- Location or Individual Assigned
- Intended Use

Step 4 – If your school is submitting a request for reimbursement of either inventory or non-inventory, your school must also submit a signed copy of the EANS Asset Attestation Letter. The template for the EANS Attestation Letter may be found on the DPI website at https://www.dpi.nc.gov/districts- schools/federal-program-monitoring/emergencyassistance-nonpublic-schools-eans. The EANS Asset Attestation Letter must be submitted alongside the Reimbursement Form and Asset Listing prior to receiving reimbursement; no reimbursements for inventory or non-inventory items can be processed without a completed EANS Asset Attestation Letter.



Step 5 – If your school is submitting a request for reimbursement for contracted services, you must complete the section of the Reimbursement Form titled "Reimbursement for Allowable Services (Including Space Leases)." As with reimbursements for inventory and noninventory items, your school must provide an invoice, contract, and/or other supporting documentation as evidence of the expenditure prior to reimbursement.

The following information must be provided through the Reimbursement Form to allow for efficient evaluation of the reimbursement request:

- Category
- CompanyVendor Name
- Services Provided
- Duraion/Frequency of Services
- Amount of Reimbursement
- Reason for Obtaining Services
- Invoice Identification

- Per U.S. Department of Education guidance, the following categories of services <u>ARE NOT</u> eligible for reimbursement:
- Improvements to ventilation systems (including windows)
- Staff training and professional development on sanitization, the use of PPE, and minimizing the spread of COVID-19
- Redeveloping instructional plans, including curriculum development, for remote or hybrid learning or to address learning loss
- Initiating and maintaining education and support services or assistance for remote learning or to address learning loss

 No reimbursement requests will be approved for the above categories of services. If such services are requested, your school must utilize DPI's EANS procurement process (instructions to be provided separately) to obtain the services.

Reimbursement Requests are due by July 31, 2021

 Is there a deadline by which an SEA must obligate EANS funds for services or assistance for nonpublic schools? (Updated March 19, 2021) Under section 312(d)(2)(B)(iii), the Governor of each State must provide assurance to the Department that the SEA will provide services or assistance to eligible non-public schools. Related to this requirement, under section 312(d)(2)(B)(v), the Governor of each State also must provide assurance that the SEA will obligate funds for services or assistance requested by eligible non-public schools within six months of receiving its funds. https://oese.ed.gov/files/2021/03/Einal-EANS-EAO-2 0funds. https://oese.ed.gov/files/2021/03/Final-EANS-FAQ-2.0-3.19.21.pdf

EANS Asset Attestation Form

EANS Attestation Form - Click Here

EANS Asset Attestation

Introduction

Under Section 312(d)(7) of the Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations (CRRSA) Act of 2021, title to materials, equipment, and property purchased with funds from the Emergency Assistance to Non-Public Schools (EANS) shall be in a public agency. Accordingly, any equipment, materials, or supplies that are either procured by the North Carolina Department of Public Instruction (NC DPI), or for which a non-public school is reimbursed by NC DPI, using EANS funds shall become the property of NC DPI.

EANS Reimbursement Form

EANS Reimbursement Form - Click Here

School ID	126					
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			TOTAL REIMBURSEMENT REQUEST	\$0.00		

EANS Reimbursement Form

- Submit Email with Reimbursement Requests to <u>EANSDocuments@dpi.nc.gov</u>.
- EANS Specialist will reply to acknowledge receipt for processing.
- EANS Specialists are processing requests daily with a weekly file being submitted to Finance.
- Accounts Payable is processing the approvals weekly.

EANS School ID Information

EANS School IDs-Click Here

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	School	Mailing	Approved
ID ▽	Name	Address	On ▼
040	Jackson Springs Treatment Facility	778 Hoffman RdWest End, NC27376	04/08/2021
263	Quality Education Institute	800 Elmira AveDurham, NC 27707	05/23/2021
316	Covenant Day School	800 Fullwood RoadMatthews, NC 28105	05/28/2021
173	An-Noor School	808 Atwater StreetRaleigh, NC 27607	04/21/2021
045	St. Michael the Archangel Cath School	810 High House Road, Cary, NC, 27513	03/26/2021
248	Fletcher School	8500 Sardis RoadCharlotte, NC 28270	05/20/2021
312	Cedarwood Academy	8611 Concord Mills Blvd, Ste 425 Concord, NC 28027	05/28/2021
297	United Faith Christian Academy	8617 Providence Rd., Charlotte, NC 28277	05/28/2021
034	Charlotte Leadership Academy	8727 Oak Drive NECharlotte, NC 28269	04/07/2021
168	Tillery Christian Academy	873 Pee Dee Avenue, Norwood, North Carolina 28128	04/20/2021
090	Greensboro Islamic Academy	900 16th street Greensboro NC 27405	04/08/2021
157	Lucy Daniels Center	9003 Weston ParkwayCary, NC 27513	04/15/2021
236	Faith Christian Academy (Cabarrus)	904 Chipola StreetKannapolis, NC 28083	05/15/2021
076	St. Thomas More Catholic School	920 Carmichael StreetChapel Hill, NC 27514	03/30/2021
146	Charlotte Latin School	9502 Providence Road, Charlotte, NC 28277	04/13/2021
163	Omni Montessori School	9536 Blakeney Heath RoadCharlotte, NC 28277	04/19/2021
022	High Point Christian Academy	High Point Christian Academy800 Phillips Ave. High Point, NC 27262	04/08/2021
144	Southeastern Autism Academy	OASIS NC3114-4 Randall Parkway Wilmington, NC 28403	04/13/2021
186	Nehemiah Enrichment Academy	P.O. Box 620155Charlotte, NC 28262	04/30/2021
318	Academy of Coastal Carolina	Po Box 1988, Shallotte, NC 28459	05/30/2021
197	Captain Gilmer Christian School	PO Box 5338, Fletcher, NC 28732	05/03/2021
199	Fletcher Academy (Henderson)	PO Box 5440, Fletcher, NC 28732	05/03/2021
119	Forsyth Country Day School	PO Box 5495501 Shallowford RoadLewisville, NC 27023	04/08/2021
020	Dynamic Opportunities	PO Box 753Rolesville, NC 27571	03/26/2021
203	Alamance Christian School	PO Box 8381336 Town Branch Rd.Graham, NC 27253	05/05/2021
106	Trinity Episcopal School	Trinity Episcopal School750 E 9th StCharlotte, NC 28202	04/14/2021

US Dept. Of Educaton Guidance

US Dept. Of Ed Guidance Document - Click Here

Frequently Asked Questions

Emergency Assistance to Non-Public Schools (EANS) Program

as authorized by the

Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act, 2021 (CRRSA Act)

Next Steps: Procurement Process

Procurement Process

- NCDPI will provide procurement procedures and materials in the next phase.
- Vendors will be selected by NCDPI. Nonpublic schools will not submit vendor information for items or services to be procured via EANS funds.

EANS I Timeline



EANS I Program Timeline

- Application Period
 - Opened March 25-Closed May 31, 2021
- EANS Technical Assistance Webinars
 - March 25-26, 2021
 - June 16, 2021
- Reimbursement Phase
 - May 24-July 31, 2021
 - Email Notifications May 24, 2021/June 11, 2021
- Procurement Phase
 - July 2021-2023

EANS I Reimbursement Weekly Office Hour Support

- Weekly Office Hour Support
 - Every Wednesday 3:00-4:00pm
 - June 23 through July 21, 2021

https://ncgov.webex.com/ncgov/j.php?MTID=m091f7cd0261dc794bb6d5c72e47c43c0

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Questions

