

Emergency Assistance for Non-Public Schools (EANS) Application

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Program Overview

- The Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act, 2021 (CRRSA Act) provides \$2.75 billion for the Emergency Assistance for Non-Public Schools (EANS) program, which is part of the Governor's Emergency Education Relief Fund.
- NC will receive \$84,824,393 for distribution.



Program Overview

- Though the Governor must apply for EANS funds, the statute requires that State educational agencies (SEAs) administer the program
- In accepting an EANS award, the Governor automatically designates the SEA to administer the EANS program.



Program Program Partners

- Office of the Governor
- NC State Educational Assistance Authority (SEAA)
- NC Department of Administration-Division of Non-Public Education
- NC Pandemic Recovery Office (NC PRO)



Program Overview

- Governor's Application approved 2/25
- 30-day window to open application to approximately 700 eligible schools*
- 6 months to allot funds
- Funds not allotted may be then used for public schools.
- Period of availability will be through 9/30/2023.



Allotment Methodology

- "Base Amount"- flat foundation provided to each eligible school
- "Enrollment Share" based on enrollment for all students regardless of income.
- "Low Income Status"
 - (1) the share of Title I funds directed toward the school district in which the school is physically located
 - (2) the number of Opportunity Scholarship recipients attending the school



Allotment Methodology

Element	Share %
Base Amount	10%
Enrollment Share	40%
Low Income – Service Area	25%
Low Income – Opportunity Enrollment	25%
	100%



Application Overview

- Template provided by US Department of Education
- Custom built survey solution built by NCDPI IT



Next Steps

- Solidify application and program processes with our project partners
- Launch application for non-public schools for after SBE review and approval





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Questions

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