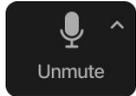
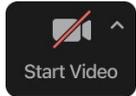


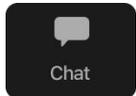
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Federal Support and Grantee Relations Monthly Call



February 19, 2025

Agenda

- I. 2027 Super App
- II. Federal Programs
 - Equitable Services Updates/Reminders
 - McKinney Vento RFA Webinar
- III. Grants Management
 - BESE Board Docs
 - FY26 Year-End Deadlines
 - Federal Grants Management Training
 - Recently Released Applications
- IV. Questions & Answers
- V. Reminder/Updates

Suggested participants for this call:

- Federal Program Supervisors
- IDEA Supervisors
- Business Managers

Please contact LDOE.GrantsHelpdesk@la.gov



2026-2027 Super App



2026-2027 Super App

School systems that have met all applicable approval and funding criteria through the 2026-2027 Super App will receive an Approval, Funding, and Implementation (AFI) Summary document via email prior to April BESE.

The purpose of this AFI Summary document is to:

- Share the results of the LDOE's review of the proposed CIR/UIR strategy and requests for competitive funds,
- Identify eligible expenditures for any awarded funds, and
- Identify recommended steps for the implementation of an approved CIR/UIR strategy.

The 2026-2027 Super App allocations are scheduled to go to April BESE. All award amounts included in the AFI document are subject to BESE approval.

Please contact LDOEOperations@la.gov with questions.



School System Planning Key Dates

Date	Item
February - March	LDOE reviews competitive Super App submissions and provides feedback on plans and budgets
February - March	School systems conduct nonpublic school consultations
April	Super App competitive allocations sent to BESE for approval
May 1	BESE Approved Competitive and Estimated Formula Allocations for 2026-2027 loaded in Super App
May 1	Deadline to submit CSI/TSI plan in eGMS
June 30	Deadline to submit 2026-2027 Super App Amendment 1
July 1	2026-2027 Super App grant period begins; Systems begin implementing 2026-2027 School System Plan



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Federal Programs



Equitable Services Updates and Reminders



Equitable Services Updates and Reminders

Nonpublic textbooks:

- Orders for textbooks, etc. must be delivered to (and received by) the eligible nonpublic school during the period of July 1, 2025 to June 30, 2026, in order to be eligible for reimbursement.
- The allocation is based on the number of (K-12) nonpublic students enrolled in academically approved and Brumfield v. Dodd approved nonpublic schools for the 2025-2026 school year.
- School systems are encouraged to meet with qualifying nonpublic schools early in the school year to discuss placing orders in a timely manner.
- For guidelines please contact: nonpublicschoolfinancehelpdesk@la.gov



Equitable Services Updates and Reminders

- Vendor and purchasing information:
<https://www.louisianabelieves.com/resources/library/curricular-resources>
- The web page, in the “**Instructional Materials Contract Pricing**” box, are price lists or State MOUs for many types of materials.
- If a school is requesting an item that is not on this list, the school should reach out to the vendor to request the vendor try to get it added to the contract.
- For additional questions regarding contracting and vendors, please reach out to louisianacurriculumreview@la.gov



Equitable Services Updates and Reminders

- **In no event may these funds be distributed directly to nonpublic schools.**
- All textbooks must be purchased through the local school system for each eligible nonpublic school in their area.
- **If materials of instruction are included in purchase orders, it will be the responsibility of the local school system to conduct audits to ensure that the materials are thoroughly screened, reviewed and approved** as to their content by SBESE and the applicable local parish or city school board.
- The LEA is the governing authority of a public elementary or secondary school to purchase textbooks and other instructional materials

Per RS:17:351.1 and Bulletin 741, §1703

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Equitable Services Updates and Reminders

- State funds allocated for buying textbooks shall be **used to buy secular books** and academically related ancillary materials aligned with requirements for nonpublic school approval.
- Schools must maintain a record of such purchases and shall provide a written assurance each year attesting to meeting the requirements.
- The department may audit such records and require repayment of funds as necessary to determine compliance with this section.
- A record of all state-purchased textbooks and instructional materials purchased with state funds shall be kept.
- This include textbooks on hand at the beginning of the session, those added, and those lost or worn-out.



Equitable Services Updates and Reminders

- **Reimbursement requests** for nonpublic textbooks and textbook administrative costs are **submitted through eGMS**.
- Reimbursements are made to local school districts for purchases of secular books for nonpublic school students at a per pupil rate.



Equitable Services Updates and Reminders

SEA Titles II and IV:

- Check the SEA eGMS checklist to see if you need to make any updates, changes, and reach out to the State Ombudsman if needed.
- All nonpublic schools must have a Needs Assessment/plan of action for expending the SEA Titles II and IV allocations.
- Allow updates/addendums if needed.
- The goal is to have all allocations expended.
- ***If you have nonpublic schools that have not submitted a Needs Assessment/Plan or used any of their allocation please email the State Ombudsman.***

LDOE appreciates your support!

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Equitable Services Updates and Reminders

- Thanks for submitting the documentation to Tisha McKinney regarding the delivery of the nonpublic SEA Title IV drones and robots/coding car kits for your nonpublic schools.
- *Please follow the directions regarding the packing slips and email Tisha.McKinney@la.gov if you have any questions.*
- *It is very important that the directions are followed as stated to expedite the payment for the SEA fiscal records.*
- Be sure to document the delivery/receipt of the items as well and keep it on file with the copies of the signed packing slips, etc.



Equitable Services Updates and Reminders

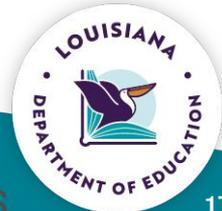
IT'S TIME TO REGISTER!



- Non-profit BESE Approved Nonpublic School free **registration opened on February 9th**
- All nonpublic administrative and instructional educators may attend
- Travel cost is a great way to use carryover, LEA, and SEA allocations.

For information/questions, please contact:
doeevents@la.gov.

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Equitable Services Updates and Reminders

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BIG IDEAS
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TEACHER LEADER SUMMIT

MAY 26-28, 2026 • NEW ORLEANS, LA

Non-profit BESE approved Nonpublic school members and representatives are encouraged to attend the 2026 Teacher Leader Summit—we value your voices and look forward to your participation!

Non-public attendees should use this special registration link to attend at no cost. →

To learn more about the Teacher Leader Summit, visit us online at doe.louisiana.gov/educators/professional-development/teacher-leader-summit.

For questions or more information, please reach out to us at ldoeevents@la.gov.

REGISTER HERE
STARTING FEBRUARY 9

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- Only use the nonpublic QR Code which connects to the free registration.
- Travel cost is a great way to use carryover, LEA, and SEA allocations.
- *For Profit and nonpublic/private schools not approved by BESE may register and fee to attend the conference.*
- If any non-profit BESE approved nonpublic/private schools paid the registration fee please have them email TLS team.
- **For information/questions, please contact: doeevents@la.gov.**
Thanks for your support!

This is the updated flyer and Nonpublic QR Code Feb. 19, 2026



Equitable Services Updates and Reminders



The LDOE is excited to present the next, SEA Titles II and IV Nonpublic Educator Collaborative

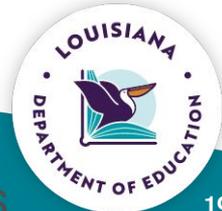
Blended Learning for Educators

Friday, February 27, 2026

9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Hosted by: *Step Up Tech, LLC*

Location: Natchitoches Parish School Board
Technology Center
310 Royal Street
Natchitoches, LA 71457



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Nonpublic Equitable Services Support and Technical Assistance

Please feel free to contact the State Ombudsman for any technical support or clarification regarding the non-public equitable services program.

When in doubt reach out.

“KEEP SOARING and Remember... Ongoing Consultation and Documentation are the KEYS to a Successful Non-public Equitable Services Program.”

Please contact Daphne.Flentroy@la.gov

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McKinney Vento Request for Applications

2026-2029 MV Cohort



McKinney Vento RFA Webinar

The Request for Applications (RFA) will be available on the [website](#) for LEAs who serve homeless children and youth on February 24, 2026. The grant will provide resources to improve the identification of homeless children and youth (including preschool-aged homeless children) and enable such children and youths to enroll in, attend, and succeed in school. There will be a webinar on Tuesday, February 24, 2026 at 1:00pm to review the application and discuss details.

All LEAs must submit applications to LDOE.GrantsHelpdesk@la.gov by **Tuesday, March 31, 2026 by noon**. In the subject line of the email please utilize the following format for the title: **2026-2029 EHCY Grant Application for (LEA name)**.

Webinar details:

Tuesday, February 24, 2026

1:00pm-2:00pm

Zoom link: <https://ldoe.zoom.us/j/95402365136>

Meeting ID: 954 0236 5136

1-470-250-9358

PIN: 95402365136



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Thank You!

Questions:

Dr. Antiqua Hunter

State Homeless Coordinator

antiqua.hunter@la.gov



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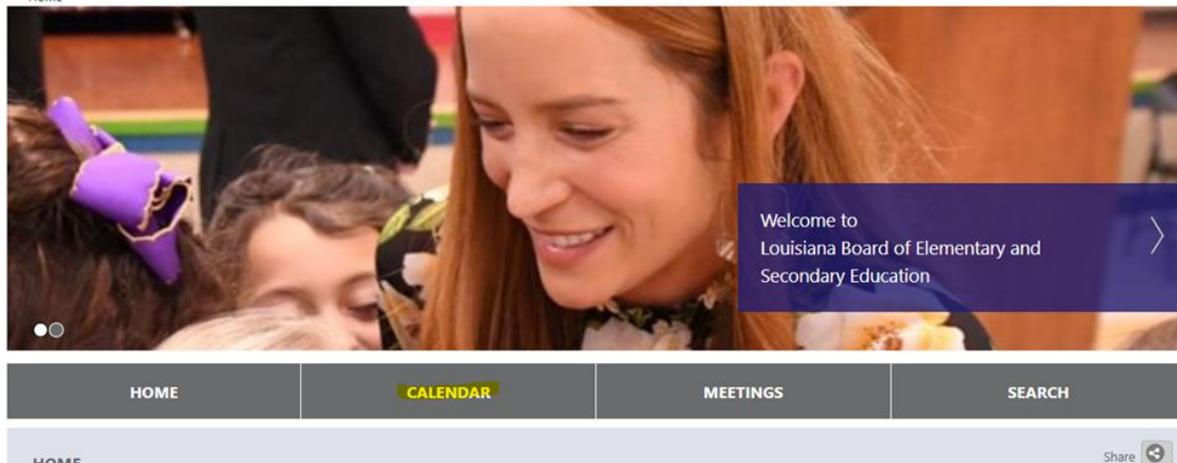
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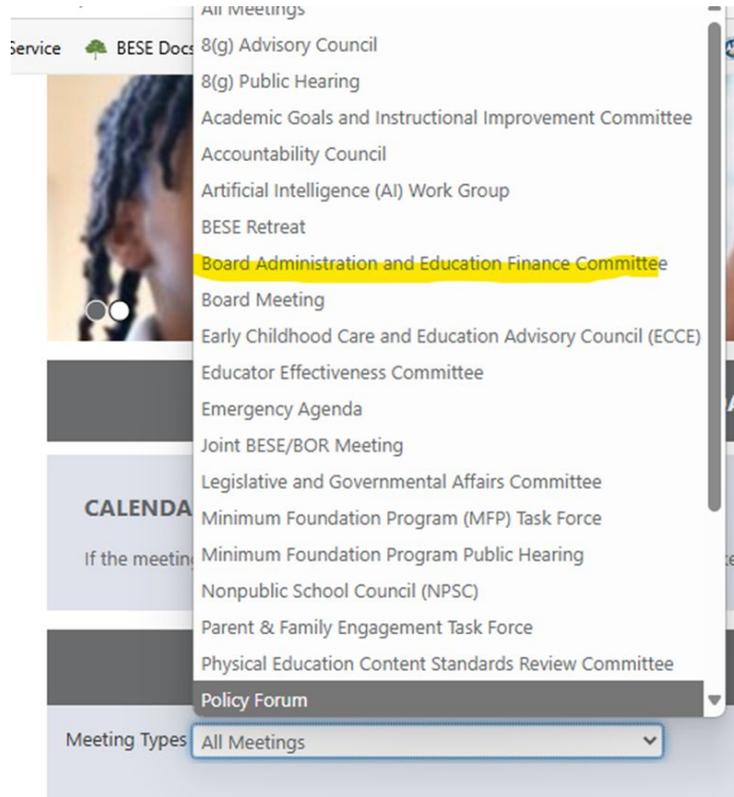
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MEETINGS CALENDAR

Meeting Types: Board Administration and Education Finance Commi

January 2026

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Ways to Access

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- 5.3 [Consideration of contracts \\$50,000 or less approved by the State Superintendent of Education](#) 
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- 5.4 [Consideration of federal/state grants and allocations to LEAs, Type 2 charters, Type 5 charters, approved nonpublic schools, and community-based organizations \(competitive and other\)](#) 
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- [School Innovation and Turnaround Committee - Jan 29 2026](#)
- [Legislative and Governmental Affairs Committee - Jan 29 2026](#)
- [Board Administration and Education Finance Committee - Jan 29 2026](#)
- [Nonpublic School Council \(NPSC\) - Jan 20 2026](#)
- [Minimum Foundation Program \(MFP\) Task Force - Jan 14 2026](#)
- [Board Meeting - Jan 14 2026](#)
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2026 BESE Meeting Schedule

- **January:** Committee (13), Board (14)
- **March:** Committee (10), Board (11)
- **April:** Committee (14), Board (15)
- **June:** Committee (9), Joint/Board (10)
- **August:** Retreat (17), Committee (18), Board (19)
- **October:** Committee (13), Board (14)
- **December:** Committee (8), Joint/Board (9) 



2026-27 Property Threshold



2026-27 Property Threshold

- The Property Threshold will be increased to \$10,000 beginning July 1, 2026.
- Items with a unit cost of \$10,000 or more per unit, will be coded to Object Code 700.
- LEAs have the ability to set a lower threshold.
 - If you LEA sets a lower property threshold, please indicate the threshold amount in your budget description.
 - If a lower threshold is not identified, reviewers will apply the \$10,000 threshold when reviewing.



FY26 Year-End Deadlines



FY26 Year-End Deadlines

The deadlines noted below have been established by the Department to ensure it uses all of its FY26 funding. **Failure to meet these deadlines risks funding availability.** The Department cannot guarantee the payment of late claims, invoices, or travel. We appreciate your cooperation and thank you for helping us be good stewards of our funds.

June 18	All 8g claims are due in eGMS.
July 6	All Carl Perkins claims are due in eGMS
July 15	All other state and federal awards (excluding 8g or Carl Perkins) ending June 30, 2026, claims are due in eGMS.

Spring Federal Grants Management Training



Spring 2026 Federal Grants Management Training

[Registration](#) is open for the virtual Federal Grants Management Training held by the BruMan Group on behalf of the Louisiana Community and Technical College System (LCTCS). This event is designed to support subrecipients in administering federal funds across CTE and Adult Education programs. The Federal Grant Management exam will be administered after the training.

- **When:** April 29-30
- **Where:** Virtual
- **Audience:** all programmatic and fiscal Personnel

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Recently Released Applications



Recently Released Applications

- EC Literacy Initiative

Reminder: Please make sure you have completed the Contact and Assurance tabs for these applications to make them visible to create.



Question & Answer



Important Reminders/Call Summary



Call Summary

Month	Key Deadlines	Support and Resources
Feb.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">•	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• PER Instructions• FSGR Resources
March	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• March 2: Documentation Deadline for 2nd Quarter Monitoring	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• March 19, 2026, FSGR Monthly Call



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