

Board Report
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Consolidated Plan

The district's submission of the Consolidated Federal and State Grant Application (CFSGA) has preliminary approval for Title I-A. I will be working with the SDE to gain preliminary approval of all awards by the end of the month. This application outlined our planned use of federal and state dollars for the coming year. A large portion of each program is dedicated to staffing classified and certified staff within the three buildings.

Our preliminary grant awards:

Title I-A, Basic Program - \$275,890

Title I-C, Migrant Program - \$111,276

Title II-A, Teacher & Principal Quality - \$56,016

Title III, Language Instruction for English Learners & Immigrant Students - \$19,610

State English Learner Program - \$26,334

Final figures are typically available in October.

Federal Programs Director's Meeting

Meetings will be held in Boise September 22nd and 23rd to discuss changes to the federal programs. Some of the names of programs have changed slightly due to the Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA). I will be learning more about these changes along with the impacts they will have on our district during the next few months.

Migrant Summer School

Homedale/ Marsing Joint Summer School was a success again this year. We had over 80 students ranging from 3 years of age to 6th grade participate in the program. This year's theme was Science Camp and students had opportunities to build in robotics class, learn about various topics from Deer Flat's Traveling Trunk program, and participated in STEM projects.