



Board of Education

ACTION

TITLE: Consider Approval of the 2026-2027 Title I Part C Migrant Education Grant Assurances

DATE: May 18, 2026

RESPONSIBLE ADMINISTRATOR: Dr. Kellie Minton
Assistant Superintendent of Curriculum and Instruction

BACKGROUND/CONSIDERATIONS:

This is an annual compliance item.

The Fort Smith Public Schools Migrant Education Program provides supplemental academic and supportive services to the children of families who migrate to find work in the agricultural and fishing industries. The program is designed to help migrant children who are uniquely affected by the combined influences of poverty, language, cultural barriers and the migratory lifestyle to meet the same challenging academic content and student academic achievement standards that are expected of all children.

The Arkansas Department of Education requires local school boards approve the assurances to be eligible for grant funding.

RECOMMENDATION:

The administration recommends that the Board approve the 2026-2027 Title I Part C Migrant Education Grant Assurances.

If the Board agrees, the motion would read: **Move to approve the Title I Part C 2026-2027 Migrant Education Grant Assurances.**