

## STATE FUNDS; FEDERAL FUNDS

Each year, when it is believed that the school district is eligible for federal and/or state assistance under the provisions of public laws, application for said assistance may be submitted so long as acceptance of the funds does not include conditions contrary to the policies of the board of education. The chief school administrator shall inform the board about specific assurances which may be required in addition to those addressed in this policy, and will provide the required language for board adoption.

When the law requires the development and implementation of administrative procedures for submitting state and federal financial reports, with specified time schedules, the chief school administrator and board secretary shall ensure that the staff has properly completed the reports and that in each instance the reports have been submitted within the specified time.

The regular operating budget must include amounts anticipated to be received from state and/or federal sources, and a listing of projects describing how this money will be spent. These recommendations for expenditures will be approved by the board before projects are submitted.

If additional amounts become available during the year, additional projects will be recommended to the board and, with its approval, added to the budget.

### Maintenance of Effort

The board of education will maintain a combined fiscal effort per pupil or aggregate expenditures of state and local funds with respect to the provision of the public education for the preceding fiscal year that is not less than the required amount of the combined fiscal effort per pupil or the aggregate expenditures for the second preceding fiscal year.

### Equivalence

To be in compliance with the requirements of federal law, the board of education directs the chief school administrator to assign staff and distribute curriculum materials and instructional supplies to the schools in such a way that equivalence of personnel and materials is ensured among the schools.

### Supplement not Supplant

Federal funds shall be used for supplementary services only and shall not be used to replace services that the district would supply eligible pupils, if state and federal funds were not available.

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## Parent/Guardian Participation

The district shall implement parent/guardian consultation and participation, advisory councils, etc., as mandated for the specific program.

### Legal References:

<u>N.J.S.A.</u> 18A:6-67	Funds and grants; contracting for, receiving and administration (educational services commissions)
<u>N.J.S.A.</u> 18A:7A	Public School Education Act of 1975
<u>See particularly:</u>	
<u>N.J.S.A.</u> 18A:7A-17, -19, -26	
<u>N.J.S.A.</u> 18A:11-1	General mandatory powers and duties
<u>N.J.S.A.</u> 18A:34-1	Textbooks; selection; furnished free with supplies; appropriations
<u>N.J.S.A.</u> 18A:38-7.7 <u>et seq</u>	Legislative findings and declarations ...(regarding impact aid)
<u>N.J.S.A.</u> 18A:54-20	Powers of board (county vocational schools)
<u>N.J.S.A.</u> 18A:58-1 <u>et seq.</u>	State School Aid Law
<u>See particularly:</u>	
<u>N.J.S.A.</u> 18A:58-6, -7, -7.1, -7.2, -11, -11.1, -15	
<u>N.J.S.A.</u> 18A:58-25 through -33.5	School Building Aid Law
<u>N.J.S.A.</u> 18A:58-33.6 through -33.21	Additional State School Building Aid Act of 1970
<u>N.J.S.A.</u> 18A:58-37.1 through -37.7	Textbook aid to public and nonpublic schools
<u>N.J.S.A.</u> 18A:59-1 thru -3	Federal aid
<u>N.J.S.A.</u> 6:8-4.3(a) 7i, 7ii, 7iii	Evaluation of elements and standards (mandated programs)
<u>N.J.A.C.</u> 6:8-4.3(a)10ii, 10vi	Evaluation of elements and standards (financial)
<u>N.J.A.C.</u> 6:8-6.3(a)8	State compensatory education preventive and remedial programs
<u>N.J.A.C.</u> 6:20-5	State aid
<u>N.J.A.C.</u> 6:28	Special education
<u>See particularly:</u>	
<u>N.J.A.C.</u> 6:28-6.3, -7.7, -8.5, -9.2(b)4	
<u>N.J.A.C.</u> 6:46	Local area vocational school districts and private vocational schools

Hawkins-Stafford Elementary and Secondary School Improvement Amendments of 1988 (P.L. 100-97)

Education for All Handicapped Children Act, 20 U.S.C. 1400 et seq.  
 Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, 29 U.S.C.A. 794 et seq.

Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988

34 CFR Part 85, Governmentwide Debarment and Suspension (non-procurement) and Governmentwide Requirements for Drug-Free Workplace (Grants)

34 CFR Parts 200 and 204

Manual for the Evaluation of Local School Districts (P.T.M. No. 700.7, revised July 1988)

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