

BATH COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD

AGENDA ITEM: INFORMATION { } ACTION { X } CLOSED MEETING { }

SUBJECT: **SUPERINTENDENT’S REPORT - ACTION**

Approval to Submit Title III-A Application for Immigrant and Youth Award

BACKGROUND: **Superintendent’s Memo #309-11 (November 18, 2011) announced that Bath County Public Schools was eligible for an Immigrant and Youth award of \$3,353.33 due to a significant increase in LEP and Immigrant students.**

We have previously submitted an application as a member of a consortium for the 2011-2012 LEP award of \$1,119.18 because our grant award is less than \$10,000. Rockingham County Public Schools serves as the consortium grantee.

A separate grant application must now be submitted for the IY funds. Board approval is required to submit the application.

RECOMMENDATION: **Recommend approval.**

Superintendent's Memo #309-11**COMMONWEALTH of VIRGINIA
Department of Education**

November 18, 2011

TO: Division Superintendents

FROM: Patricia I. Wright, Superintendent of Public Instruction

SUBJECT: 2011-2012 Title III, Part A, Allocations under Provisions of the *No Child Left Behind Act of 2001* (NCLB), Public Law 107-110

Attached are the 2011-2012 Title III, Part A, federal allocations for school divisions that qualify based on the fall 2010 enrollment of Limited English Proficient (LEP) students and/or Immigrant and Youth (IY) students.

The total amount of the allocation was available through the reimbursement process to school divisions as of July 1, 2011, or upon receipt of an application submitted through the Online Management of Education Grant Awards (OMEGA) system. School divisions that receive less than \$10,000 through the LEP grant award allocation must apply in a consortium with one or more school divisions to be eligible to receive the award. This limitation does not apply for the IY award.

Upon final approval of a school division or consortium application by the Virginia Department of Education, the subgrantee will receive an e-mail with instructions to log on to the OMEGA system to review the grant award notification and to distribute the budgets to the object code level. Questions regarding this process should be sent to OMEGA SUPPORT at omega.support@doe.virginia.gov or call (804) 371-0993.

If you have already submitted a 2011-2012 Title III application, an amendment to the application reflecting the 2011-2012 grant award amount must be submitted.

If you have questions, please contact Stacy Freeman, ESL specialist, at (804) 371-0778, or Stacy.Freeman@doe.virginia.gov.

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Attachment:

- a. [No Child Left Behind Act, P.L. 107-110, Title III, Part A, Language Instruction for Limited English Proficient and Immigrant Students 2011-2012 Grant Allocations](#) (PDF)



**Virginia Department of Education
Office of Program Administration and Accountability
P. O. Box 2120
Richmond, Virginia 23218-2120**

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Title III, Part A, Language Instruction for Limited
English Proficient and Immigrant Students

2011-2012 Individual Program Application

Under the *No Child Left Behind Act of 2001*, Public Law 107-110

To be Completed by School Division

Applicant (Legal Name of Agency) BATH COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS		Division Number 009	Title III Coordinator Jane Hall	
Mailing Address (Street, City or Town, Zip Code) 12145 Sam Snead Highway, P.O. Box 67, Warm Springs, Virginia 24484		Mailing Address same as applicant address 12145 Sam Snead Highway, P.O. Box 67, Warm Springs, Virginia 24484		
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E-mail:		janeh@bath.k12.va.us		

2011-2012 Title III, Part A Allocation	3,353.33	LEP Award Amount:		I/Y Award Amount:	3,353.33
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Please check here if you are the Consortium Lead School Division

LOCAL EDUCATIONAL AGENCY CERTIFICATION

Use of Funds: The applicant designated above applies for an allocation of Title III, Part A, assistance as appropriated under the *No Child Left Behind Act of 2001*. Funds are available to support local education reform efforts that are consistent with statewide education reform efforts to: 1) provide funding to implement promising education reform programs and school improvement programs based on scientifically-based research; 2) provide a continuing source of innovative and educational improvement; 3) meet the educational needs of all students; and 4) develop and implement education programs to improve student achievement and teacher performance. Specific uses of funds for this application are found in the "Guidelines, Instructions, and Assurances" document located on the Department of Education's Web site at:

http://www.doe.virginia.gov/federal_programs/esea/applications/title3/title3_part-a_app_guidelines.pdf

Assurances: The local educational agency assures that the Title III, Part A, program will be administered and implemented in compliance with all applicable statutes, regulations, policies, program plans, and applications. **Additionally, the local educational agency agrees by signing below to implement the general and program specific assurances located in the "Application Guidelines, Instructions, and Assurances" document. The assurances and signed cover page are to be retained at the division level.**

Certification: We hereby certify that, to the best of our knowledge, the information contained in this application is correct. The agency named above has authorized us as its representatives to file this application, and such action is recorded in the minutes of the School Board meeting held

on February 7, 2012.

Superintendent's Signature

Mrs. Sue Hirsh

Superintendent's Name

Date

Board Chairperson's Signature

Mrs. Amy Gwin

Board Chairperson's Name

Date

Application Submission, Approval, and LEA Expenditure of Funds: In order for the funds to be expendable by July 1, 2011, the electronic application must be received at the Virginia Department of Education by July 1, 2011, using the file submission process of the Online Management of Education Grant Awards (OMEGA) system.

An Award Notification is issued by the Virginia Department of Education through OMEGA once an application is fully approved and the allocation is available.