



**ARIZONA DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION
FUND ALERT
For Public Review of Grant Information**

A. GRANT INFORMATION	
Grant Name	For Fiscal Year Ending:
Character Education Matching Grant - Year 1	24
Program Area	Funding Type
School Safety	State
CFDA Number	Authorizing Statute
N/A	ARS 15-154.01
PROJECT PERIOD	
<i>Project Begin Date</i>	<i>Project End Date</i>
07/01/23	06/30/24

B. GRANT ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS AND CRITERIA		
Eligible Subgrantee(s) Type: (Select all that apply)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> School Districts	<input type="checkbox"/> Community College/University
	<input type="checkbox"/> Charter School	<input type="checkbox"/> Child/Day Care Center
	<input type="checkbox"/> State Agency	<input type="checkbox"/> Private Schools
	<input type="checkbox"/> Community Organization	<input type="checkbox"/> Other
Comments:		
Criteria and Process used to evaluate all applications:	<p>All complete applications will be reviewed and approved by a technical evaluation team. Complete requests that meet the grant requirements in this document will be awarded funding if the amounts of these requests are within the available funding level. Should eligible requests exceed the available funding level, the evaluation team will rank order applications and funding will be awarded to those with the highest likelihood of achieving desired outcomes.</p> <p>Requirements per statute are:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Programs must demonstrate proven and effective curriculum and training to receive grant funds, and 2. Schools must provide matching monies from any lawful source in an amount that is equal to or greater than the amount of grant funds requested. <p>Curriculum, programs or strategies that can be supported under this grant are those that are determined to be effective for character education that teaches, enforces, and models intellectual and civic skills with the intent to positively impact student motivation, academic success, and leadership skills. A list of pre-approved program providers can be found on the ADE website:</p> <p>Character Education Matching Grant Pre-Approved Providers and Programs. Selected programs may need to be supplemented with additional information or activities to meet the requirements in A.R.S. 15-154.01 that are addressed in the Narrative Questions portion of the Local education agencies (LEAs) must agree to have their awarded schools fully participate in program evaluation conducted by the ADE.</p>	

C. GRANT APPLICATION DETAILS, TERMS, and PROCESS		
Application Opens:	03/01/23	
Application Due:	04/15/23	
Process:	Competitive	
Spending Term:	12	
Range of Award:	Lower Limit:	Upper Limit:
	\$ \$ 100.00	\$ \$ 100,000.00
<p>Disclaimer: Upon applying, Grantees acknowledge and agree that the Arizona Department of Education's award and/or payment of funds under this agreement is contingent upon ADE receiving funds from Federal, State, or other funding sources to support the grant. Notwithstanding any other provisions of this agreement, in the event that ADE funding is reduced or rescinded by Federal, State, or other funding sources, ADE may immediately reduce the amount of funds awarded or terminate this agreement by written notice to the Grantee.</p>		

D. GRANT OBJECTIVES		
Applicable Goals:	<input type="checkbox"/>	Provide leadership by initiating and advancing improvements to public education.
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Offer support to public schools and providers for exemplary performance.
	<input type="checkbox"/>	Ensure maximum academic and financial accountability in public education.
	<input type="checkbox"/>	Deliver high quality customer service.

E. CURRENT YEAR ALLOCATION AWARD	
Current Year Allocation:	\$ \$ 248,984.00
Historical Awards:	
Comments:	

F. KEY LEGISLATION AND GUIDANCE

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G. SUMMARY OF ALLOCATION METHODOLOGY

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Awarded schools may receive grant funding for up to three years if compliant with program requirements and with approval of a continuation application for the second and third years.

H. KEY DECISION POINTS AND FLEXIBILITIES

No additional decision points or flexibility/
discretion

I. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

For additional information on this grant/fund alert, please contact:

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Link to official grant Website (if applicable):	
Related Documents Folder in GME:	

J. FLOW OF FUNDS CHART (Click below to upload image)

