

American Recovery & Reinvestment Act of 2009

Education-related
Stimulus Opportunities

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Where are the opportunities?

- Companies that offer help and materials for special education and for struggling schools could benefit the most, since special education and Title I programs are getting a combined \$15 billion nationally from the stimulus (\$492 million in Indiana)
- Because most school districts are expected to spend their funding within the next 6-8 months, existing companies with solid track records may prevail over start-ups.

Where are the opportunities?

- Companies in search of education-related opportunities are focusing on 3 main areas:
 - *Products that are good candidates for one-time funding* (such as technology, computers, data systems)
 - *Services* (such as how to use stimulus funding to turn around a failing school)
 - *Consulting* (how to get even more stimulus dollars)

Some things you want to know about ARRA...

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One Hundred Eleventh Congress
of the
United States of America

AT THE FIRST SESSION

*Begun and held at the City of Washington on Tuesday,
the sixth day of January, two thousand and nine*

An Act

Making supplemental appropriations for job preservation and creation, infrastructure investment, energy efficiency and science, assistance to the unemployed, and State and local fiscal stabilization, for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2009, and for other purposes.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,

SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.

This Act may be cited as the "American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009".

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- A. When will the money begin flowing?
- B. Who is eligible to receive education stimulus funds?
- C. How do I get my share of the stimulus money?

\$44 Billion Available in April

- **State Stabilization** - \$32.5 billion (67%)
- **IDEA, Parts B & C** - \$6.1 billion (50%)
- **Title I, Part A** - \$5 billion (50%)
- **Vocational Rehabilitation** - \$270 million (50%)
- **Independent Living** - \$52.5 million (100% of formula monies; \$87.5 million in competitive grants to follow)
- **Homeless Youth** - \$70 million (100%)
- **Impact Aid** - \$40 million (100% of formula monies; \$60 million in competitive grants to follow)

Additional \$49 Billion Available Later in 2009

- **Pell & Work Study** - \$17.3 billion (100%)
- **State Stabilization** - \$16.1 billion (33%)
- **IDEA , Parts B & C** - \$6.1 billion (50%)
- **Title I, Part A** - \$5 billion (50%)
- **Title I School Improvement** - \$3 billion (100%)
- **Enhancing Education through Technology** - \$650 million (100%)
- **Vocational Rehabilitation** - \$270 million (50%)
- **Statewide Data Systems** - \$250 million (100%)
- **Teacher Incentive Fund** - \$200 million (100%)
- **Teacher Quality Enhancement** - \$100 million (100%)

What is Indiana getting?

- **State Stabilization** - \$1 billion
- **IDEA** - \$271 million
- **Title I** - \$221 million
- **Vocational Rehabilitation & Independent living** - \$15 million
- **Homeless Youth** - \$1 million
- **Federal Work-Study** - \$4 million
- **Educational Technology** - \$10.9 million

Stabilization Funds

- **State Fiscal Stabilization**
 - Education Fund
 - Government Services Fund
- **What Works & Innovation Fund**
- **Race to the Top Grants**

State Fiscal Stabilization Fund

- **How much?** Indiana's share - \$1 billion
 - Education – 81.8%
 - Government Services – 18.2%
- **Purpose:** Restoring state support for education and other government services; saving & creating jobs
- **Feds approved release of \$765 million yesterday; add'l \$242 million available in fall.**

What Works & Innovation Fund

- **How much?** \$650 million nationwide competitive grants
- **Purpose:** “Scale up” promising programs to close achievement gap; evaluate new initiatives; support district-level interventions to increase student achievement
- **Awards:** Local schools, including collaborations with nonprofits

Race to the Top Grants

- **How much?** \$4.35 billion nationwide competitive grants
- **Purpose:** Support teacher effectiveness; rigorous standards and assessments; targeted support and interventions for struggling schools; and pre-K-through-college-and-career data systems.
- **Awards:** States must allocate 50% to LEAs based on Title I formula

Title I

- **Grants to high-need schools**
- **School improvement grants**

Title I Grants to Local Schools

- **How much?** Indiana's share - \$169 million
- **Purpose:** Help children in poverty meet challenging state academic standards
- **Timeline:** 2009-2011 school years
- **Eligible grantees:** Local schools

Title I Grants to Local Schools

- Fort Wayne Community Schools - \$8.7 million
- East Allen County Schools - \$1.7 million
- Northwest Allen County Schools - \$215,000
- Southwest Allen County Schools - \$0

Title I School Improvement

- **How much?** Indiana's share - \$51.8 million
- **Purpose:** Assist schools identified for improvement, corrective action, and restructuring under NCLB
- **Eligible grantees:** Formula grant to states/local schools. ED is developing grant application

Special Education (IDEA)

- **K-12 grants**
- **Preschool grants**
- **Infant & Families grants**

IDEA, K-12 grants

- **How much?** Indiana's share = \$253 million
- **Purpose:** To assist States to provide special education and related services to children with disabilities
- **Timelines:** 2009-2011 school years
- **Eligible grantees:** States & local schools

IDEA, K-12 grants

- Fort Wayne Community Schools - \$9.2 million
- East Allen County Schools - \$2.5 million
- Northwest Allen County Schools - \$1.3 million
- Southwest Allen County Schools - \$1.4 million

IDEA, Preschool Grants

- **How much?** Indiana's share = \$9.2 million
- **Purpose:** To provide special education and related services to preschool age children with disabilities
- **Timelines:** 2009-2011 school years
- **Eligible grantees:** States & local schools

IDEA, Preschool Grants

- Fort Wayne Community Schools - \$342,378
- East Allen County Schools - \$93,175
- Northwest Allen County Schools - \$47,304
- Southwest Allen County Schools - \$51,940

IDEA, Infants & Families

- **How much?** Indiana's share = \$8.6 million
- **Purpose:** To provide early intervention services for infants and toddlers with disabilities and their families
- **Timelines:** 2009-2011 school years
- **Eligible grantees:** States

Miscellaneous

- **Education Technology**
- **Homeless Student Assistance**
- **Teacher Incentive Fund**

Education Technology

- **How much?** Indiana's share - \$10.9 million
- **Purpose:** Improve student academic achievement through technology
- **Eligible grantees:** States retain 5%; will distribute half of the remaining amount to local schools based on Title I formula, with the remainder awarded to local schools on a competitive basis

Homeless Assistance

- **How much?** Indiana's share - \$959,295
- **Purpose:** Mitigate the effects of the economic crisis on homeless youth
- **Timeline:** 2009-2011 school years
- **Eligible grantees:** States (with subgrants to local schools)

Teacher Incentive Fund

- **How much?** \$200 million nationwide - competitive grants
- **Purpose:** To develop and implement performance-based teacher and principal compensation systems in high-need schools
- **Eligible grantees:** States & local schools, & partnerships with schools & nonprofits

Higher Education

- **Work-Study**
- **Student Aid Administration**
- **Academic Research
Facilities**

Work-Study

- **How much?** Indiana's share - \$4 million
- **Purpose:** Assist needy students in financing post-secondary education through part-time employment
- **Timing:** 2009-2011 school years
- **Eligible grantees:** Higher ed institutions

Student Aid Administration

- **How much?** \$52 million for loan servicing; \$8 million for National Student Loan Data System contract
- **Purpose:** Increase the number of Title IV student loan participants and improve data collection and delivery
- **Recipients:** Specialized groups (health professionals, veterans, students); for-profit organizations

Academic Research Facilities

- National Science Foundation: \$200 million for modernization of academic research facilities
- National Institutes of Health: \$1 billion for construction and renovation of biomedical and behavioral health facilities at non-federal research institutions, including colleges & universities.
- National Institutes of Standards & Technology: \$180 million for competitive construction grant program

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