

## Eligibility

LEAs or Bureau of Indian Education schools:

# of American Indian/Alaska Native children

**≥ 10** or **≥ 25%**  
 of total enrollment

**exempt:** LEAs in Alaska, California, and Oklahoma, and those located on or near reservations

Indian tribes, Indian organizations, or Indian community-based organizations:

# of American Indian/Alaska Native children

**≥ 50%**  
 of total enrollment

in the schools of an LEA that does not apply for funding

Note: LEAs may form a consortium for the purpose of obtaining grants under this program.

## Formula Allocation

# of Indian children in an LEA × greater of average per pupil expenditure (APPE) in the LEA's state or 80% of the US APPE = grant award\*

minimum allocation for an LEA: \$3,000

\* ratable reductions—if the sums appropriated for any fiscal year are insufficient to pay in full the amounts determined for LEAs according to the formula, then each of those amounts must be ratably reduced

## STATE FORMULA-ALLOCATED GRANT PROGRAM



### application and comprehensive plan:

each applicant must annually develop and submit to the Secretary of Education\* a comprehensive plan for meeting the needs of Indian children. Each applicant must develop this plan in collaboration with a local committee comprised primarily of parents and family members of Indian children and must include student performance goals, an explanation of how it will assess and report on students' progress toward meeting these goals, and a description of proposed professional development activities.

\* before submitting an application to the Secretary, an LEA must submit the application to the SEA, which may comment on the application.



current funding

**\$105.4** million  
 FY 2018

**purpose:** to provide assistance to elementary and secondary schools for programs serving Indian students, including preschool children, that are designed to help meet the unique cultural, language, and educational needs of such students and ensure that all students meet the challenging State academic standards.

