



Arizona Department of Education
Office of English Language Acquisition Services

June 30, 2021

The Honorable Karen Fann
President of the Senate
Arizona State Senate
1700 West Washington
Phoenix, Arizona 85007

The Honorable Russell Bowers
Speaker of the House of Representatives
Arizona House of Representatives
1700 West Washington
Phoenix, Arizona 85007

Dear President Fann and Speaker Bowers:

A.R.S. §15-756.03 (C) requires the Arizona Department of Education to collect all school district and charter school budget requests and submit them to the Legislature for funding from the Arizona Structured English Immersion (SEI) fund established in A.R.S. §15-756.04.

The department has reviewed all school year 2020-2021 and 2021-2022 submitted budget requests for accuracy and compliance and has prepared the attached summary of the requests that met the criteria for approval.

The total of approved requests with no federal offsets applied for 2020-2021 is \$9,001,919.72, which includes prior year remaining unallocated monies. The total of approved requests with no federal offsets applied for 2021-2022 is \$4,956,784.24. Please do not hesitate to contact my office if you require further information.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Laura Alvarez".

Laura Alvarez, M.Ed.
Deputy Associate Superintendent
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SEI Budget Requests
2021 Funded Fiscal Year

APPROVED Requests		APPROVED Requests after State Offsets Only (Group B for ELL and/or Desegregation Funding)	
DISTRICTS APPROVED (46)	\$14,342,067.68	DISTRICTS APPROVED (46)	\$9,243,376.12
CHARTERS APPROVED (65)	\$4,102,421.50	CHARTERS APPROVED (65)	\$2,521,515.07
TOTAL Approved LEAs (111)	\$18,444,489.18	TOTAL Approved LEAs (111)	\$11,764,891.19
TOTAL Awarded at ~ 77% LEAs (111)	\$9,001,919.72		

SEI Budget Requests
2022 Funded Fiscal Year

APPROVED Requests		APPROVED Requests after State Offsets Only (Group B for ELL and/or Desegregation Funding)	
DISTRICTS APPROVED (50)	\$14,087,645.00	DISTRICTS APPROVED (50)	\$8,324,875.87
CHARTERS APPROVED (88)	\$4,718,350.00	CHARTERS APPROVED (88)	\$2,914,997.68
TOTAL Approved LEAs (138)	\$18,805,995.00	TOTAL Approved LEAs (138)	\$11,239,873.55
TOTAL Awarded at ~ 44% LEAs (138)	\$4,956,784.24		