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CONTINUATION APPLICATION CHANGES

Cover Page

- More contact information added
- All Superintendents must sign (Albert Sanchez for CPS)
- Community partner, if any, must sign
- Fiscal Agent must sign

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Attachment #2

- No changes
- Make sure all applicant names are listed
- The funds in B must match your allocation letter
- End dates: June 30, 2012 or August 31, 2012
- The number of community partners in D should be the same amount of partners listed in F.

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Attachments 3 & 4

- Attachment 3 did not change
- Attachment 4 include the amount budgeted per site
- Wording added for clarification

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Attachment 5, 6 & 7

- Attachment 5 All boxes should be marked
- Wording updated due to the new processes implemented last year
- #10 on Attachment 5 All corrective Action plans submitted to ISBE have been fully implemented.
- #4 on Attachment 7 How do your programs for 2011-2012 incorporate innovative best practices?

BUDGET



New Reimbursement Model

- http://www.isbe.net/funding/default.htm
- Funding is generated by your expenditure reports that are submitted once the budget is approved

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Budgets Attachments 8 & 9

- Budgets receive a date stamp
- Funds can be expended from the date stamped on the substantially approvable budget received by ISBE or July 1 whichever is later.
- Budgets received by ISBE must have the appropriate original signatures to be considered.



Budget Narrative

The following are examples of how to complete the budget narrative portion of the budget.

Instructional Salaries, 1000, 100

- Positions here MUST spend majority of their time in <u>direct instruction</u> of students.
- Employees of the Fiscal Agent
 - Teachers
 - Teacher aides
 - Tutors
 - Others who may teach or lead activities

Budget Salaries, 100 examples

10 teachers (5 math, 5 reading) X \$25 hr X2 hrs/wk X 28 wks--\$70,000

5 math tutors X \$10/hr X 2hrs/wk/28 wks= \$2800

5 recreation leaders X \$15 hr X 1hr/wkX28 wk= \$2100

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Benefits Examples, 200 & 300

- **200**
 - □ 10 teachers TRS
 - □ 5 tutors IMRF
 - □ 5 recreation FICA

- 300-- (Considered employers' insurance)
 - □ 5 Rec Leaders Workers' comp
 - □ 5 Rec Leaders Unemployment comp

Purchased Services 1000, 300

- Workers' compensation
- Unemployment compensation
- Fees for presentations to students
- Field trip entrance fees
- Software license fees
- Salaries of those not employed by fiscal agent
 - Agencies who provide instruction
 - □ Teachers, tutors, etc
 - □ Rec Leaders from YMCA



Supplies and Materials 1000, 400

- It is not enough to put supplies and materials on the budget and provide a total amount
- Examples must be given—supplementary reading books, folders, flip charts, art supplies, educational software
- Equipment and technology purchases must be preapproved by ISBE and shown to be for educational purposes (core academics)
- Incentives—(must include what is to be used) these must be educational

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Capital Outlay (1000/2220/2230/3000 - 500)

 Newly opened cells for equipment purchases when items > than \$500 per unit

Non-Capitalized Equipment

(1000/2220/2230/3000 - 700)

If entity has an entity-wide, board approved capitalization threshold, then those items under that amount, yet > \$500 go in 1000,700

Pre-Approval for Equipment and Technology

Provide ISBE with a written plan for utilizing the technology or equipment, prior to budget submission, that includes how the requested items will be used for direct instruction of students (preferably in core academic subjects) or direct instruction of parents

Pre-Approval for Equipment and Technology

- Provide ISBE with a current inventory of all equipment and technology
- All future purchases of equipment and technology must be inventoried
- Class sets of equipment and technology will only be approved once during the life of the grant

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Guidance Services, 2120

- 100—Guidance salaries for fiscal agent employees
- 200—benefits except unemployment and workers' compensation
- 300—unemployment and workers' compensation
- 400—guidance supplies (list examples)



Improvement of Instruction, 2210 (Professional Development)

- 100--Stipends for those attending professional development outside regular work hours
- 100—Substitute teachers' fees (if PD held during regular work hours)
- **200--**Benefits on stipends
- 300--Fees for conferences (list conference if known), per diem, hotel expenses, consultant fees*
 Out of state travel must receive approval by ISBE
- 400—books and journals for those attending professional development training

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Assessment and Testing, 2230

- 100--Salary paid specifically for someone who performs testing (employee of fiscal agent)
- 200—Benefits on salary (always list separately)
- 300—Salary for contracted assessment; unemployment and/or workers' comp
- 400—ACT/PSAE test prep materials or other pre/post assessments

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General Administration, 2300

- Administrative Positions
 - □ Project Director
 - □ Project Coordinator
 - □ Grants Coordinator
- No teaching salaries, site coordinators, unless they are administrators serving as site coordinators
- Administration costs are limited to 5% of budget total, which includes indirect costs

Administrative Examples

- 100 -- Salaries
 - □ 100--Project Director--.25 FTE= \$15,000
 - □ Project Coordinator -- .5 FTE=\$15,000
- 200 --Benefits for these positions (list)
- 300-- Workers comp, unemployment comp, postage, travel costs between projects, audit (prorated)
- 400—Supplies—general office supplies

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Operations and Maintenance, 2540

- 100--Janitor salary for cleaning after school areas used (employee of fiscal agent)
- 200--Associated benefits (list)
- 300—Workers' comp; rent for use of a site to provide instruction, if not housing the fiscal agent
- 400—General cleaning supplies

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Pupil Transportation, 2550

- 100--Bus drivers' salaries
- 200--Benefits—list each out separately
- 300-- Benefits for own workers or contractual bus service
 - 150 days at \$200 per day= \$30,000
- 400-- Gas, oil = \$4000 (if grantee is paying; usually included in a contract)

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Food Services, 2560

- 100—Cafeteria workers salaries to serve snacks
 - 2 workersX\$10/hrX5hrs/wkX 28wks=\$2800
- 200—IMRF, insurance
- 300—WC; UC



Planning, Research and Evaluation, 2620

- 100—If employees of fiscal agent do this internally
- 200 and/or 300—benefits--list
- 300--Contractual Evaluation
 - ☐ —(if this is paid to other governmental units, it goes in 4000, 300)

2900-- Support Services

Site Coordinators Salaries go here

- 100— Salaries--.4 FTE=\$15,000 or by hour, if so paid, using same example as for instructional salaries
- 200—benefits—list each separately with percents that apply and total
- 300—if applies
- 400—General office supplies=file folders, ink cartridges, paper, markers

3000--Community Services

- All payments related to parents/community
- 100 salaries paid for adult education by employees of fiscal agent; parent liaison
- 200/300--Benefits—list
- 300—Contractual programs for adults
 - □ Drug awareness counselor
 - □ Contractual instruction programs
- Supplies—art and craft supplies, books on parenting, take home reading kits, food for parent meetings (not to exceed \$10 per person)



Indirect Costs

- May not be used on initial budget <u>unless</u> applicant is a <u>university</u>
- University uses 8%
- May not be used if anything is budgeted in 2520, 2570, 2640 and 2660.
- Also excludes all capital outlay and non capitalized equipment
- Indirect costs will be allowed on final budgets



How to Calculate Indirect Cost

Description 1. Total Allocation	Code AL	Amount \$43,994
Capital Outlay – objects 500 & 700 (AL-CO)	СО	5,450
3. Total Allocation Minus Nonallowable Costs	A	(43,994 - 5,450) 38,544
4. Indirect Cost Rate	R	5% or .05
5. Formula	<u>(R) (A)</u> 1+R	<u>(.05) (38,544)</u> 1.05
6. Allowable Indirect Cost		1,835



Common Errors

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- Not enough detail
- Using zeroes, decimals, etc.
- Not receiving prior approval for out of state travel and overnight travel for students
- Not budgeting for professional development or evaluation
- Not putting workers' comp in Object 300

More Common Errors

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- Not delineating supplies
- Categorizing workers' salaries in wrong place
- 2210—salary cannot be for time with student contact
- 4000, 300—not putting payments to other governmental units, LEAs, ROEs and Universities regardless of service provided



- Not having original signatures on budgets and grant agreements
- Indirect cost rates
 - □ Using wrong rates
 - Using budgeted costs that are considered part of indirect costs
 - Calculating indirect cost amount incorrectly
- Not establishing correct end date





More Common Errors

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- Not submitting an original budget because believing continuation means automatic renewal
- Not keeping copies of the final approved budget which may have changes made by ISBE

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Non Allowable Costs

- non educational incentives and field trips
- non educational equipment
- memberships
- snacks/meals for students or professional development
- Furniture, clothing, promotional items
- Capital improvements
- Classes for credit recovery previously offered and paid for by the District
- Supplanting

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Amendments

- When a budget cell changes by 20% or \$1,000 whichever is greater
- Adding a new expenditure (cell) on the budget
- End date changes
- Scope of the program changes
- Form is on our website
- SUBMIT AMENDMENTS PRIOR TO MAKING THE CHANGE

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Attachments 10 -17

- No Changes
- Attachment 10 Amounts to be paid to subcontractors should match the budget narrative.
- Attachment 11 non public sign offs
- Attachment 17 Describe the steps that will be taken to overcome barriers to equitable program participation of students, teachers, and other beneficiaries with special needs.

FFATA – Attachment 18

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FISCAL YEAR	SOURCE OF FUNDS CODE 4421-10	PROGRAM NAME	

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Resources

www.isbe.net/funding/pdf/fiscal_procedure_handbk.pdf

Fiscal Policies and Procedures Handbook

www.isbe.net/21cclc

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