

Grants at a Glance

At a Glance: **EETT (Enhancing Education Through Technology)**

School Year 2007-2008:

Funding for School Year 2007-2008:	\$272,250,000 (Approximate)
Number of Awards (Approximate):	57 (Awards for U. S. states, as well as the District of Columbia, Puerto Rico, American Samoa, Northern Mariana Islands, Guam, Virgin Islands, and the Bureau of Indian Affairs.)
Program Type:	Formula Grants
Additional Information:	List of state-by-state EETT contacts: http://www.ed.gov/programs/edtech/contacts.html
Helpful Links:	The Department of Education: http://www.ed.gov The Office of Educational Technology: http://www.ed.gov/about/offices/list/os/technology/edgrants.html

School Year 2008-2009:

Funding for School Year 2008-2009:	\$267,494,000 (Anticipated)
Program Type:	Formula Grants
Eligible Applicants:	State education agencies (Local educational agencies may apply to SEA's for subgrants)
Application Availability and Deadline:	Dates will vary from state to state if this grant program is funded for school year 2008-2009. Contact your state EETT representative.
Additional Information:	List of state-by-state EETT contacts that can provide application and deadline information: http://www.ed.gov/programs/edtech/contacts.html
Helpful Links:	The Department of Education: http://www.ed.gov The Office of Educational Technology: http://www.ed.gov/about/offices/list/os/technology/edgrants.html
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At a Glance: **E-Rate: The Schools and Libraries Program of the Universal Service Fund**

School Year 2007-2008:

Funding for School Year 2007-2008: Cumulative national fiscal year 2007 funding is currently \$1.94 billion.

Program Description: National Award Program administered by the Universal Service Administrative Company (USAC) under the direction of the Federal Communications Commission (FCC).

Eligible Applicants: • Public Schools, Including Charter Schools • Non-profit Private Schools • Public Libraries, School Libraries
Application Availability and Deadline: For information regarding E-rate applications and deadlines, contact the Universal Service Administration Company.

Additional Information: The Universal Service Administration Company website: <http://www.universalservice.org/sl/>

Helpful Links: Department of Education's E-Rate program description: <http://www.ed.gov/about/offices/list/oii/nonpublic/erate.html>
E-Rate Central: <http://www.e-ratecentral.com/>

School Year 2008-2009:

Funding for School Year 2008-2009: To be Announced.

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Additional Information: The Universal Service Administration Company website: <http://www.universalservice.org/sl/>

Helpful Links: Department of Education's E-Rate program description: <http://www.ed.gov/about/offices/list/oii/nonpublic/erate.html>
E-Rate Central: <http://www.e-ratecentral.com/>

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At a Glance: **21st Century Community Learning Centers**

School Year 2007-2008:

Funding for School Year 2007-2008:	\$981,179,904 (Approximate)
Number of Awards (Approximate):	57 (Awards for U. S. states, the District of Columbia, and outlying areas.)
Program Type:	Formula Grants
Additional Information:	Contact info for 21st Century Community Learning Centers: http://www.ed.gov/programs/21stcclc/contacts.html
Helpful Links:	21st Century Community Learning Centers Gateways: http://www.learningpt.org/gateway/ 21st Century Community Learning Centers Policy Guidance: http://www.ed.gov/programs/21stcclc/guidance2003.doc

School Year 2008-2009:

Funding for School Year 2008-2009:	\$981,161,000 (Anticipated)
Program Type:	Formula Grants
Eligible Applicants:	State educational agencies (Local education agencies and nonprofit organizations may apply to states for subgrants.)
Application Availability and Deadline:	Dates will vary from state to state if this grant program is funded for school year 2008-2009. Contact your state 21st Century Community Learning Centers representative.
Additional Information:	Contact info for 21st Century Community Learning Centers: http://www.ed.gov/programs/21stcclc/contacts.html
Helpful Links:	21st Century Community Learning Centers Gateways: http://www.learningpt.org/gateway/ 21st Century Community Learning Centers Policy Guidance: http://www.ed.gov/programs/21stcclc/guidance2003.doc
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At a Glance: **Assistive Technology State Grant Program**

School Year 2007-2008:

Funding for School Year 2007-2008: **\$25,058,000** (Approximate)

Number of Awards (Approximate): **56** (U.S. States, District of Columbia, and outlying areas.)

Program Type: **Formula Grants**

Additional Information: The Administering Office for the Assistive Technology State Grant Program:

<http://www.ed.gov/programs/atsg/contacts.html>

Helpful Links: National Public Website on Assistive Technology:
<http://www.assistivetech.net/>

School Year 2008-2009:

Funding for School Year 2008-2009: **\$24,620,237**
(Anticipated)

Program Type: **Formula Grants**

Eligible Applicants: The governor designates a lead agency in each state to develop, administer, and monitor projects.

Application Availability and Deadline: Dates will vary from state to state if this grant program is funded for school year 2008-2009. Contact the Administering Office for the Assistive Technology State Grant Program to get further information

Additional Information: The Administering Office for the Assistive Technology State Grant Program:

<http://www.ed.gov/programs/atsg/contacts.html>

Helpful Links: National Public Website on Assistive Technology:
<http://www.assistivetech.net/>

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At a Glance: **Credit Enhancement for Charter School Facilities Program**

School Year 2007-2008:

Funding for School Year 2007-2008: **\$36,531,346** (Approximate)

Number of Awards (Approximate): **0** (New Awards)
4 (Continuation Awards)

Program Type: **Discretionary/Competitive Grants**

Additional Information: Contact information for the U. S. Department of Education's Charter School Liaison:
<http://www.ed.gov/programs/charterfacilities/contacts.html>

Helpful Links: Credit Enhancement for Charter School Facilities resources:
<http://www.ed.gov/programs/charterfacilities/resources.html>
Credit Enhancement for Charter School Facilities Program Guidance Policy:
<http://www.ed.gov/programs/charterfacilities/facilitiesguidance.doc>

School Year 2008-2009:

Funding for School Year 2008-2009: **\$21,031,000**
(Of this anticipated amount, a yet undetermined portion will be distributed to the State Charter School Facilities Incentive Grants Program.)

Program Type: **Discretionary/Competitive Grants**

Eligible Applicants: • State education agencies • Local education agencies • Nonprofit organizations

Application Availability and Deadline: For information about dates and applications, contact the U. S. Department of Education's Charter School Liaison.

Additional Information: Contact information for the U. S. Department of Education's Charter School Liaison:
<http://www.ed.gov/programs/charterfacilities/contacts.html>

Helpful Links: Credit Enhancement for Charter School Facilities resources:
<http://www.ed.gov/programs/charterfacilities/resources.html>
Credit Enhancement for Charter School Facilities Program Guidance Policy:
<http://www.ed.gov/programs/charterfacilities/facilitiesguidance.doc>

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At a Glance: **State Charter School Facilities Incentive Grants**

School Year 2007-2008:

Funding for School Year 2007-2008: **\$14,782,480** (Approximate)

Number of Awards (Approximate): **4** (continuations)

Program Type: **Discretionary/Competitive Grants**

Additional Information: Contact information for the U. S. Department of Education's Charter School Liaison:
<http://www.ed.gov/programs/statecharter/contacts.html>

Helpful Links: State Charter School Facilities Incentive Grants program resources:
<http://www.ed.gov/programs/statecharter/resources.html>

School Year 2008-2009:

Funding for School Year 2008-2009: **\$21,031,000**
(Of this anticipated amount, a yet undetermined portion will be distributed to the Credit Enhancement for Charter School Facilities Program.)

Program Type: **Discretionary/Competitive Grants**

Eligible Applicants: State education agencies in states that have enacted a law authorizing per-pupil facilities aid for charter schools.

Application Availability and Deadline: For information about dates and applications, contact the U. S. Department of Education's Charter School Liaison.

Additional Information: Contact information for the U.S. Department of Education's Charter School Liaison:
<http://www.ed.gov/programs/statecharter/contacts.html>

Helpful Links: State Charter School Facilities Incentive Grants program resources:
<http://www.ed.gov/programs/statecharter/resources.html>

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At a Glance: **Improving Teacher Quality State Grants**

School Year 2007-2008:

Funding for School Year 2007-2008: **\$2,887,438,950** (Approximate)

Number of Awards (Approximate): **52**

Program Type: **Formula Grants**

Additional Information: Contact information for Improving Teacher Quality State Grants:

<http://www.ed.gov/programs/teacherqual/contacts.html>

Helpful Links: Improving Teacher Quality State Grants resources:
<http://www.ed.gov/programs/teacherqual/resources.html>

School Year 2008-2009:

Funding for School Year 2008- **\$2,935,249,000**
(Anticipated)

2009:

Program Type:	Formula Grants
Eligible Applicants:	State educational agencies (SEAs make formula subgrants to Local education agencies.) State agencies for higher education (SAHEs) also receive a (separate) formula grant. SAHEs, in turn, award competitive grants to institutions of higher education and nonprofit organizations.
Application Availability and Deadline:	Dates will vary from state to state if this grant program is funded for school year 2008-2009. Contact your state Improving Teacher Quality State Grants program representative.
Additional Information:	Contact information for Improving Teacher Quality State Grants: http://www.ed.gov/programs/teacherqual/contacts.html
Helpful Links:	Improving Teacher Quality State Grants resources: http://www.ed.gov/programs/teacherqual/resources.html
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At a Glance: **Innovative Programs**

School Year 2007-2008:

Funding for School Year 2007-2008:	\$99,000,000 (Approximate)
Number of Awards (Approximate):	56 (Awards for U. S. states, as well as the District of Columbia, Puerto Rico, American Samoa, Northern Mariana Islands, Guam, Virgin Islands)
Program Type:	Formula Grants
Additional Information:	List of state-by-state Innovative Programs contacts: http://www.ed.gov/programs/innovative/statecontacts.doc
Helpful Links:	Innovative Programs Resources: http://www.ed.gov/programs/innovative/resources.html

School Year 2008-2009:

Funding for School Year 2008-2009:	\$0 (Anticipated)
Program Type:	Formula Grants
Eligible Applicants:	State educational agencies (Local Educational Agencies may apply to SEA's for subgrants)
Application Availability and Deadline:	Dates will vary from state to state if this grant program is funded for school year 2008-2009. Contact your state Innovative Programs representative.

Additional Information: List of state-by-state Innovative Programs contacts:
<http://www.ed.gov/programs/innovative/statecontacts.doc>
Helpful Links: Innovative Programs Resources:
<http://www.ed.gov/programs/innovative/resources.html>
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At a Glance: **Ready-to-Teach Program**

School Year 2007-2008:

Funding for School Year 2007-2008: \$10,890,000 (Approximate)

Number of Awards 4 (Continuation Awards)

(Approximate):

Program Type: Discretionary/Competitive Grants

Additional Information: The Department of Education's Ready-to-Teach website:
<http://www.ed.gov/programs/readyteach/index.html>

Helpful Links: Ready-to-Teach Program Frequently Asked Questions:
<http://www.ed.gov/programs/readyteach/faq.html>

School Year 2008-2009:

Funding for School Year 2008-2009: \$10,700,000 (Anticipated)

Program Type: Discretionary/Competitive Grants
Eligible Applicants: Non-profit Organizations

Application Availability and Deadline: Dates will be announced on the Department of Education's Ready-to-Teach website, if this grant program is funded for school year 2008-2009.

Additional Information: The Department of Education's Ready-to-Teach website:
<http://www.ed.gov/programs/readyteach/index.html>

Helpful Links: Ready-to-Teach Program Frequently Asked Questions:
<http://www.ed.gov/programs/readyteach/faq.html>

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At a Glance: **Special Education Grants to States**

School Year 2007-2008:

Funding for School Year 2007-2008: \$10,782,961,000 (Approximate)

Number of 60 (Awards for U. S. states, the District of Columbia, Puerto

Awards (Approximate): Rico, the secretary of the interior, freely associated states, and outlying areas.)

Program Type: **Formula Grants**

Additional Information: Contact information for Special Education Grants to States: <http://www.ed.gov/programs/osepgts/contacts.html>

Helpful Links: Office of Special Education and Rehabilitative Services: <http://www.ed.gov/about/offices/list/osers/osep/index.html>

School Year 2008-2009:

Funding for School Year 2008-2009: **\$10,947,512,000** (Anticipated)

Program Type: **Formula Grants**

Eligible Applicants: State educational agencies

Application Availability and Deadline: Dates will vary from state to state if this grant program is funded for school year 2008-2009. Contact your state Innovative Programs representative.

Additional Information: Contact information for Special Education Grants to States: <http://www.ed.gov/programs/osepgts/contacts.html>

Helpful Links: Office of Special Education and Rehabilitative Services: <http://www.ed.gov/about/offices/list/osers/osep/index.html>
Special Education Grants to States program description: <http://www.ed.gov/programs/osepgts/index.html>

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At a Glance: **Star Schools Program**

School Year 2007-2008:

Funding for School Year 2007-2008: **\$11,513,000** (Approximate)

Number of Awards (Approximate): **6** (Continuation Awards)

Program Type: **Discretionary/Competitive Grants**

Additional Information: Contact information for Star Schools Program: <http://www.ed.gov/programs/starschools/contacts.html>

Helpful Links: Star Schools Program Description: <http://www.learningpt.org/gateway/>

School Year 2008-2009:

Funding for School Year 2008-2009: **\$0** (Anticipated)

Program Type: **Discretionary/Competitive Grants**

Eligible Applicants:

1. A public agency or corporation that develops and operates telecommunications networks to enhance educational opportunities.
2. A partnership that will provide telecommunications

services and that includes three or more of the following entities (at least one of which must be a LEA).

- a. A Local educational agency.
- b. A State educational agency.
- c. An adult and family education program.
- d. An institution of higher education or a State higher education agency.
- e. A teacher-training center or academy that receives Federal financial assistance or has been approved by a State agency.
- f. A public or private entity with experience and expertise in the planning and operation of a telecommunications network.
- g. A public or private elementary or secondary school.

Application Availability and Deadline:	Application information will be announced on the Department of Education's Star School website, if this grant program is funded for school year 2008-2009.
Additional Information:	The Department of Education's Star School website: http://www.ed.gov/programs/starschools/index.html
Helpful Links:	Star Schools Program Frequently Asked Questions: http://www.ed.gov/programs/starschools/faq.html
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