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Dear Superintendents and BOCES directors,

Today I am sharing the following updates:

- Update on federal grant award notices
- <u>US Department of Education (ED) letter on ESEA flexibilities</u>

Update on federal grant award notices

To date, we have received the following grant award notices and state-level allocation amounts:

- Title I-C: \$7,086,995
 Title II-A: \$25,320,773
 Title III-A: \$10,707,771
 Title IV-A: \$13,423,568
- Adult Education and Family Literacy: \$8,517,479

As a reminder, substantial approval and completed assurances in GAINS are required before obligating or spending Consolidated Title funds. Reimbursements cannot be issued until FINAL approval is granted in GAINS and the GAL is received.

US Department of Education (ED) letter on ESEA flexibilities

Last week ED sent out a Dear Colleague Letter on existing statutory flexibilities in the Elementary and Secondary Education Act (ESEA). The <u>full letter and press release</u> are available on ED's website.

Warm Regards,

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