



COMPETITIVE GRANTS 2021-22 RENEWAL RECOMMENDATIONS

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COMPETITIVE GRANTS RENEWAL

2021-22



Agenda

- Renewal Timeline & Structure
- Submissions & Proposals
- Recommendations
- Discussion



2021-22 RENEWAL TIMELINE & STRUCTURE





COMPETITIVE GRANTS RENEWAL TIMELINE

2021-22



Activity	Date
Grants Renewal Workshop 1	March 2021
Individual Applicant Support Meetings (Negotiation)	March/April 2021
Grants Renewal Workshop II	April 2021
Release Renewal Application	April 2021
Renewal Applications Due	April 2021
Review Applications w/Renewal Committee	April 2021
Request Board Renewal Approval	May 2021
Notify Applicants	May 2021
Applicants Notify Respective Boards	May/June 2021
SY2021-22 contracts begin	July 2021




2021-22 GRANT RENEWAL STRUCTURE



Grant Renewal 2021-22

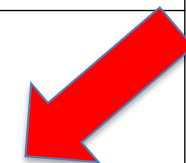
Grants Cycle 3
High Quality Early Learning Program
1-year grant
Award based on individual school(s)
Replication or HQ early learning program components
School budget(s)
NIEER 15 Essential Elements for Pre-K
Select from prioritized, HQ early learning components
Eligible entities: 2020-21 Awardees (Public/charter and private/parochial schools)

PRE-K 4 SA 2021 RENEWAL

HQIP	HQ Preschool Essential Elements	2020 Competitive Grants Investments
TIER 1 Program Features, Staff Qualifications & Systems Development	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Political will 2 Compelling vision and strong leadership from early learning leaders 3 Well-educated and well-compensated teachers 4 Adult-child ratio of at least 1:11 5 Two+ teaching staff in each classroom 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Teacher assistants • Child Development Associate Credential (CDA) • <i>Systems Development Consult (Support with developing EL Mission/Vision/Strategic Planning)</i> • PK4SA Early Learning Leadership Overview • Early Learning Institute for Elementary Leaders (ELIEL)-<i>High Quality Early Learning</i> (Year 2) • Early Learning Institute for Elementary Leaders (ELIEL)-<i>Communities of Practice</i> (Year 3) 

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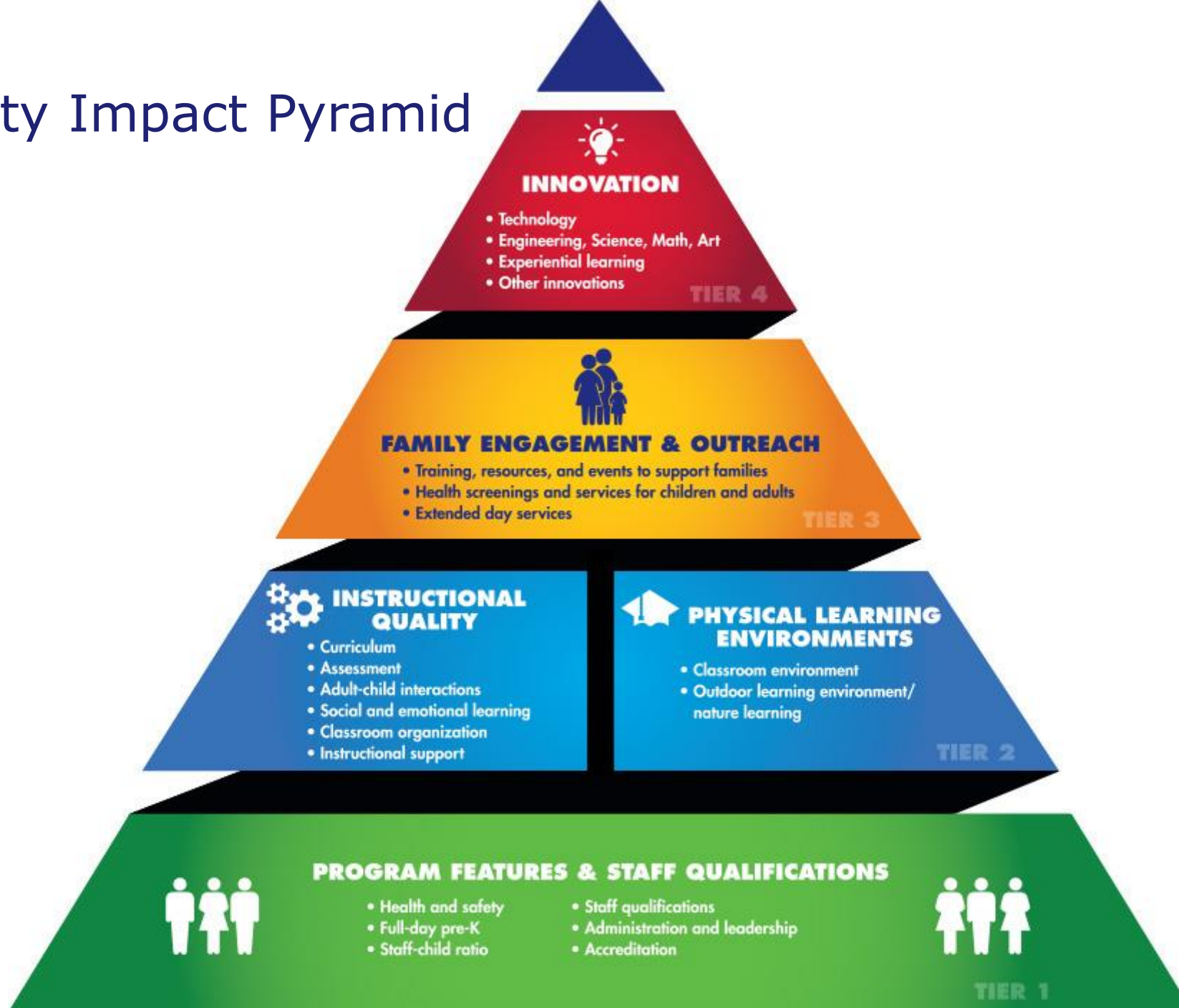
HQIP	HQ Preschool Essential Elements	2020 Competitive Grants Investments
TIER 2 Instructional Quality Physical Learning Environments	7 Appropriate early learning standards 8 Effective curriculum	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • HighScope curriculum • HighScope instructional support • Classroom environment: materials/furniture • Outdoor learning environments
	11 High quality teaching 14 Professional learning (PD)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pre-K instructional specialists • Professional learning • Substitute teachers/teacher stipends • Pre-K Professional Learning Communities (PLC)
	12 Useful child assessments 13 Data-driven decision making	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Classroom Assessment Scoring System (CLASS) • Teaching Strategies GOLD • Teaching Strategies GOLD technical support



PRE-K 4 SA 2021 RENEWAL

HQIP	HQ Preschool Essential Elements	2020 Competitive Grants Investments
TIER 3 Family Engagement & Outreach	11 High quality teaching	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Parent liaison• Parent café• Family engagement curriculum (PUENTES)
TIER 4 Innovations	8 Effective curriculum	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Arts infusion (Wolf Trap)• Technology (Coding)• Health & wellness (CHEF)• Loose Parts Educational Framework

High Quality Impact Pyramid Tool



NIEER QUALITY STANDARDS

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A close-up photograph of a person's hands holding two large, fresh orange carrots with their green leafy tops. The person is wearing a blue patterned shirt. The background is blurred, showing more of the person and some greenery.

GRANT RENEWAL SUBMISSIONS & PROPOSALS





2021-22 GRANT RENEWAL RECOMMENDATIONS



BUILDING STRONG & SUSTAINABLE EARLY LEARNING SYSTEMS

- District Leaders
- School Leaders
- Teacher Leaders
- Teachers
- Instructional Support
- Infrastructure



STRONG VISION, MISSION & STRATEGIC PLAN FOR EARLY LEARNING



A school's and district's beliefs about how children develop and learn form the basis for decisions on teaching and learning practices and programs.



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EAST CENTRAL ISD PROPOSED PROJECTS

Grant Investments

- Instructional Assistants
- CDA
- Early Learning PLCs
- Systems Development
- HighScope
- Pre-K Specialists (2)
- CLASS
- Early Learning Leadership
- Outdoor Learning
- GOLD
- PUENTES
- CHEF

Agency	Requested Award	Recommended Award
East Central ISD	\$924,224	\$665,257





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EDGEWOOD ISD PROPOSED PROJECTS

Grant Investments

- Gardendale Elementary Full Replication Site
- Perales: Outdoor Learning, HighScope

Agency	Requested Award	Recommended Award
Edgewood ISD	\$ 862,710	\$ 547,509





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HARLANDALE ISD PROPOSED PROJECTS

Grant Investments

- Systems Development
- Early Learning Leadership
- CLASS
- Professional Learning
- CHEF

Agency	Requested Award	Recommended Award
Harlandale ISD	\$ 246,005	\$ 196,005





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SOUTHWEST ISD PROPOSED PROJECTS

Grant Investments

- Systems Development
- Early Learning Leadership
- Pre-K Instructional Specialists (2)
- CLASS

Agency	Requested Award	Recommended Award
Southwest ISD	\$363,770	\$247,770





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NORTH EAST ISD PROPOSED PROJECTS

Grant Investments

- Early Learning PLCs
- Pre-K Instructional Specialists (2)
- CLASS
- CHEF
- Loose Parts Framework



Agency	Requested Award	Recommended Award
North East ISD	\$ 228,787	\$ 219,062





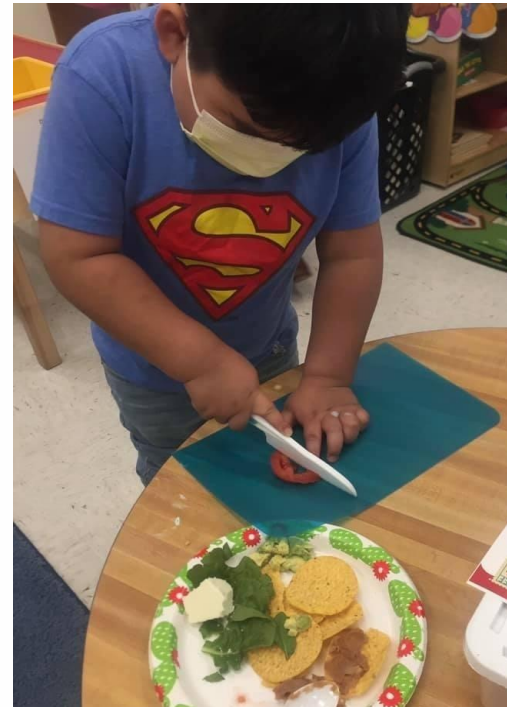
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SAN ANTONIO ISD PROPOSED PROJECTS

Grant Investments

- Early Learning Leadership
- Wolf Trap
- CHEF

Agency	Requested Award	Recommended Award
San Antonio ISD	\$ 128,362	\$ 71,862





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SOUTH SAN ANTONIO ISD

Grant Investments

- Outdoor Learning
- Professional Learning

Agency	Requested Award	Recommended Award
South San Antonio ISD	\$ 168,000	\$ 168,000





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ST. MARY MAGDALEN

Grant Investments

- Early Learning PLCs
- Pre-K Instructional Specialists (1)
- Early Learning Leadership
- Instructional Assistants
- Systems Development
- Family Involvement
- HighScope

Agency	Requested Award	Recommended Award
St. Mary Magdalen	\$ 177,200	\$ 185,075





COMPETITIVE GRANTS RFP

BLESSED SACRAMENT

Grant Investments

- Early Learning PLCs
- Pre-K Instructional Specialists (1)
- Early Learning Leadership
- Instructional Assistants
- CDA
- Systems Development
- Family Involvement
- HighScope
- CLASS
- CHEF

Agency	Requested Award	Recommended Award
Blessed Sacrament	\$ 149,635	\$ 149,460





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Agency	SY2021 Award	Requested Award	Recommended Award
East Central ISD	\$ 371,682	\$ 924,224	\$ 665,257
Edgewood ISD	\$ 567,547	\$ 862,710	\$ 547,509
Harlandale ISD	\$ 230,093	\$ 246,005	\$ 196,005
Jubilee Academies	\$ 32,724	\$ 136,122	\$ 0
North East ISD	\$ 270,349	\$ 228,787	\$ 219,062
San Antonio ISD	\$ 229,780	\$ 128,362	\$ 71,862
Southwest ISD	\$ 341,045	\$ 363,770	\$ 247,770
Blessed Sacrament Catholic School	\$ 162,573	\$ 149,635	\$ 149,460
St. Mary Magdalen Catholic School	\$ 178,342	\$ 177,200	\$ 185,075
South San Antonio ISD	\$ 250,000	\$ 168,000	\$ 168,000
Total	\$ 2,634,135	\$ 3,384,815	\$ 2,450,000



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Agency	Schools	Classrooms	Students Served
Blessed Sacrament	1	2	30
East Central ISD	7	24	480
Edgewood ISD	2	6	132
Harlandale ISD	13	47	813
North East ISD	5	24	440
San Antonio ISD	5	69	792
South San Antonio ISD	10	27	540
Southwest ISD	10	11	220
St. Mary Magdalen	1	8	117
Total	54	149	3,564

High Quality Impact Pyramid Funding Distribution

Recommendation



TIER 4

\$100,184 4%

TIER 3

\$77,000 3%

TIER 2

\$1,594,716 65%

TIER 1

\$678,100 28%

\$ 2,450,000



COMPETITIVE GRANTS RFP

2020-21

2020-21 Pre-K 4 SA Grants & PL Estimated Total Value

Agency	Year 1 Award	In-Kind Value (Professional Learning)	Year 2 Award	In-Kind Value (Professional Learning)
Competitive Grants	\$ 2,384,495	-	\$ 2,450,000	-
Reading Academies (ECISD, EISD, HISD, SSAISD, & SWISD)	-	\$ 212,500	-	\$ 580,400
Pre-K 4 SA Professional Learning	-	\$ 675,000	-	\$ 675,000
Shared Services Alliance	\$ 250,000	-	\$ 250,000	-
Total	\$ 2,634,495	\$ 887,500	\$ 2,700,000	\$ 1,255,400



STAFF RECOMMENDATION

Board Approval Request

Staff recommend the Board approve amending the Competitive Education Grant contracts to extend the contracts for one additional year, and increase the contract value by up to \$2,700,000.00 for a total amount not to exceed \$5,400,000.00.

DISCUSSION

