

§ 611.50 What are a grantee's reporting responsibilities?

(a) Within 30 days of the beginning of the teacher preparation program's academic term or within 30 days of the execution of any scholarship agreement, whichever is later, the grantee must provide to the Department the following information:

- (1) The identity of each scholarship recipient.
- (2) The amount of the scholarship provided with program funds to each recipient.
- (3) The full-time equivalency, over each academic year, of each recipient's enrollment in the teacher training program for which he or she receives scholarship assistance.
- (4) Other information as the Secretary may require.

(b) Within 30 days of a scholarship recipient's graduation or withdrawal from the teacher preparation program, the grantee must provide to the Department the following information:

- (1) The date of the recipient's graduation or withdrawal.
- (2) The total amount of program funds the grantee awarded as a scholarship to the recipient.
- (3) The original of any scholarship agreement executed by the scholarship recipient and the grantee (or its partnering IHE if the grantee is not an IHE) before the recipient was awarded a scholarship with program funds.
- (4) A statement of whether the institution has withdrawn scholarship support because of the recipient's failure to maintain good academic standing.
- (5) Other information as the Secretary may require.

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§ 611.51 How does a grantee ensure that a scholarship recipient understands the terms and conditions of the scholarship before the recipient leaves the teacher preparation program?

(a) An institution that provides a scholarship with funds provided under this part must conduct an exit conference with each scholarship recipient before that individual leaves the institution. During the exit conference the

institution must give the recipient a copy of any scholarship agreement the recipient has executed.

(b) The institution also must review with the recipient the terms and conditions of the scholarship, including—

- (1) The recipient's service obligation;
- (2) How the recipient can confirm whether a school and LEA in which he or she would teach will satisfy the service obligation;
- (3) Information that the recipient will need to have the LEA provide to the Department to enable the Secretary to confirm that the recipient is meeting the service obligation;
- (4) How the recipient may request a deferment of the service obligation, and information that the recipient should provide the Department in any deferment request;
- (5) The consequences of failing to meet the service obligation including, at a minimum, the amount of the recipient's potential indebtedness; the possible referral of the indebtedness to a collection firm, reporting it to a credit bureau, and litigation; and the availability of a monthly payment schedule;
- (6) The amount of scholarship assistance and interest charges that the recipient must repay for failing to meet the service obligation; and
- (7) The recipient's responsibility to ensure that the Department has a home address and telephone number, and a work address and telephone number until the Secretary has determined that the recipient has fulfilled the service obligation or the recipient's debt has been paid or discharged; and
- (8) The follow-up services that the institution will provide the student during his or her first three years of teaching in a high-need school of a high-need LEA.

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§ 611.52 What are a grantee's programmatic responsibilities for ensuring that scholarship recipients become successful teachers in high-need schools?

In implementing its approved project, the grantee must—

- (a) Provide scholarship recipients both before and after graduation with appropriate support services, including

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academic assistance, job counseling, placement assistance, and teaching support that will help to ensure that—

(1) Upon graduation, scholarship recipients are able to secure teaching positions in high-need schools of high-need LEAs; and

(2) After beginning to teach in a high-need school of a high-need LEA, former scholarship recipients have appropriate follow-up services and assistance during their first three years of teaching;

(b) Provide LEAs with which the grantees collaborate in teacher recruitment activities with information and other assistance they need to recruit highly-qualified teachers effectively; and

(c) Work with the high-need LEAs participating in its project to ensure that scholarship recipients are placed, to the extent possible, in highest-need schools of those LEAs.

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Subpart F—Other Grant Conditions

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§611.61 What is the maximum indirect cost rate that applies to a recipient's use of program funds?

Notwithstanding 34 CFR 75.560–75.562 and 34 CFR 80.22, the maximum indirect cost rate that any recipient of funds under the Teacher Quality Enhancement Grants Program may use to charge indirect costs to these funds is the lesser of—

(a) The rate established by the negotiated indirect cost agreement; or

(b) Eight percent.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1021 *et seq.*)

§611.62 What are a grantee's matching requirements?

(a)(1) Each State receiving a grant under the State Grants Program or Teacher Recruitment Grants Program must provide, from non-federal sources, an amount equal to 50 percent of the amount of the grant to carry out the activities supported by the grant.

(2) The 50 percent match required by paragraph (a)(1) of this section must be made annually during the project pe-

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riod, with respect to each grant award the State receives.

(b) Each partnership receiving a grant under the Partnership Grant Program or the Teacher Recruitment Grant Program must provide, from non-federal sources, an amount equal to—

(1) 25 percent of the grant award for the first year of the grant;

(2) 35 percent of the grant award for the second year of the grant; and

(3) 50 percent of the grant award for each succeeding year of the grant.

(c) The match from non-federal sources required by paragraphs (a) and (b) of this section may be made in cash or in kind.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1021 *et seq.*)

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§614.1 What is the purpose of the Preparing Tomorrow's Teachers to Use Technology program?

(a) This program provides grants to help future teachers become proficient in the use of modern learning technologies and to support training for pre-service teachers.