2024-25 Title I, 1003 School Improvement Grant (SIG) Resource Allocation Review (RAR) Pilot

Full RFP

The online application is available to LEAs through the <u>NYSED Business Portal</u>. Select the survey titled "2024-25 Title I School Improvement Grant 1003 (Resource Allocation Review)."

Project Purpose

For the 2024-25 school year, the New York State Education Department (NYSED or "the Department") is providing a pilot program to eligible Target Districts to promote the equitable distribution of resources and support the Department's understanding of how best to support districts with fulfilling federal requirements regarding resource equity.

The 2024-25 Title I, 1003 School Improvement Grant (SIG) Resource Allocation Review (RAR) funds will be provided to support school improvement in districts that have a significant number of schools identified for receiving additional supports: Targeted Support and Improvement (TSI), Additional Targeted Support and Improvement (ATSI) and Comprehensive Support and Improvement (CSI). These funds are separate from the 2024-25 Title I, 1003 SIG (Basic) funds that districts are currently using to advance their improvement initiatives.

Eligibility

Target Districts must have completed the pilot program planning activities **AND** had their Resource Equity Plan approved by their NYSED Liaison.

Funding

The Department is providing **up to \$400,000** in 2024-25 Title I, 1003 SIG RAR funds to support the RAR dimension activities and initiatives planned.

Allowable Uses of Funds

There are three different ways these funds may be used:

- 1. To support implementing the activities identified in the 2024-25 Resource Equity Plan.
- 2. To support activities that the district pursues in 2024-25 designed to create and strengthen structures intended to ensure sustainability beyond 2024-25.
- 3. To support activities designed to monitor and assess the implementation of the activities identified in the 2024-25 Resource Allocation plan.

Each eligible Target District must complete an FS-

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SIG Resource Allocation Review funds cannot be used to support the purchase of any office equipment and/or furniture, general office supplies, and/or food/light refreshments within the district. If the district wishes to fund an expense that would support schools in the CSI, ATSI, or TSI support models, SIG BasicB