## 2009-10 Library Services & Technology Act (LSTA) Grant Program: Information Literacy

<u>Grant Overview</u>: The Office of Commonwealth Libraries is accepting applications for Library Services and Technology Act (LSTA) grants for a wireless laptop lab, with a rechargeable cart and LCD projector, for the purpose of information literacy instruction in collaboration with classroom teachers.

The administration will be working with the Library Curriculum Coordinator to develop a project application focused on Warren Area High School.

Amount of Award: \$35,000.

<u>Due Date/Notification of Award</u>: Applications are due on September 5, 2009. Awards should be known by early March, 2010.

<u>Alternatives if not Awarded</u>: The proposal will not move forward without LSTA funding.

<u>WCSD Resources Required</u>: Grantees must add their holdings to the Access Pennsylvania Database and update those holdings for five years after the close of the grant. LSTA recipients are required to comply with the Children's Internet Protection Act (CIPA), and are expected to share results of their program with other libraries.

<u>Administrative Recommendation</u>: That the Board of School Directors instructs the administration to apply for an LSTA Information Literacy Grant in an amount of up to \$35,000 for Warren Area High School.