

2013-14 Title II, Part A Plan

Grant Overview: Title II, Part A, is a 100% Federally-funded supplemental educational program that provides financial assistance to improve the skills of teachers and the quality of instruction in core academic subjects. The Warren County School District used its 2012-13 Title II allocation to train administrators and teacher leaders on the inclusionary model, as well as to support conferences relevant to teachers' areas of expertise to insure that they remain current in their content areas. Title II monies were also used to pay teachers for time spent on locally-important trainings on Common Core Standards, data analysis, etc.

The Pennsylvania Department of Education has released preliminary allocations of \$292,972 for 2013-14 Title II, Part A .

In addition to the professional development activities, the district expects to provide two teacher-coaches and one-half of the cyber-school liaison position.

Amount of Award: preliminary allocation \$292,972

Due Date/Notification of Award: Due July 1, 2013.

Alternatives if not Awarded: This is a formula grant. Funds are awarded upon successful completion of the district application.

WCSD Resources Required: None.

Administrative Recommendation: That the Board of School Directors instructs the administration to develop and submit a Title II, Part A application to the Pennsylvania Department of Education to provide a variety of professional development activities for district staff during the 2013-14 school year.