

MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

Criteria for Section 97

The State Board of Education has adopted Michigan's Top 10 Strategic Education Plan, which includes guiding principles, goals, metrics, and contributions to enhance the mission to support learning and learners.

To the extent possible, all grant criteria and grant awards will serve to further attain the above goals.

GUIDING PRINCIPLES AND STRATEGIC GOALS THESE CRITERIA SUPPORT

This grant supports Michigan's Strategic Education Plan of the State Board of Education (SBE) and Michigan Department of Education (MDE) goal number 3 by working to improve the health, safety, and wellness of learners.

PURPOSE / BACKGROUND OF GRANT

Type of Grant Program:

- New Continuing Formula
 Competitive Designated in Legislation or MDE Proposal

The grant funds under section 97 are for the purpose of improving student safety. Funding under this section may be used for, but are not limited to, the following:

- Coordination with local law enforcement.
- Training for school staff on threat assessment.
- Training for school staff and students on threat response.
- Training for school staff on crisis communication.
- Safety infrastructure, including, but not limited to, cameras, door blocks, hardened vestibules, window screening, and technology necessary to operate buzzer systems. This may also include firearm detection software that integrates to existing security cameras to detect and alert school personnel and first responders to visible firearms on school property. The software described in the immediately preceding sentence must be organically developed and proprietary to the company it is purchased from and should not include any third-party or open-source data.
- Age-appropriate training for students and families on responsible gun ownership.
- Providing professional development to school resource officers that includes training on the best practices for serving in a school setting.
- Any other school safety service or product necessary to improve or maintain security in buildings.

CRITERIA

Date criteria were last approved: _____ n/a _____

Source of Criteria:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Federal Law, Rules or Regulation | <input type="checkbox"/> Proposed by Staff |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> State Law or Rules | <input type="checkbox"/> Defined in MDE's Approved Grant Proposal to the Funder |

Grant funding is based on the following requirements:

- To receive funding under this section, districts and nonpublic schools must apply for the funding in a form and manner prescribed by the department. As part of the application process described in this subsection, districts and nonpublic schools must document how they will use community input to guide the expenditure of these funds and must commit to hosting at least 1 community conversation about school safety and student mental health.
- From the state school aid fund money allocated in subsection (1), the department shall make payments to districts in an equal amount per pupil based on the total number of pupils in membership in each district. From the general fund money allocated in subsection (1), the department shall make payments to nonpublic schools in an equal amount per pupil, using pupil counts determined by the department. The department shall ensure that the amount per pupil paid to nonpublic schools does not exceed the amount per pupil paid to districts.
- If funding remains after the distribution of funds described in subsection (2) of section 97, the department may provide additional per-pupil allocations to allocate remaining funding, using for those calculations the same requirements described in subsection (2) of section 97.

ELIGIBLE APPLICANTS AND TARGET POPULATION SERVED

Eligible applicants are Michigan districts and nonpublic schools.

The target population is Michigan students.

TOTAL FUNDS AVAILABLE

\$168,000,000

STATUTE

Section 97, PA 144 of 2022

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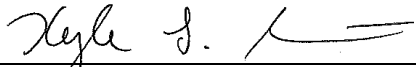
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