



Karnes City
Independent School District

Summary of Federal Programs 2026-2027

Public Notice: Karnes City ISD 2026-2027 ESSA Federal Grant Application

Karnes City Independent School District hereby gives public notice of its intent to submit an application for the 2026-2027 Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA) Federal Grant with the Texas Education Agency. Based on our analysis of prior year programs and current needs assessment data, Karnes City ISD plans to allocate these funds to support the core intents and purposes of the grant programs.

The following outlines our planned expenditures, which are based on the Texas Education Agency's planning amounts. Please note that these plans are subject to slight modifications, should revised grant amounts be awarded or if our needs assessment data indicates new challenges. Any such changes will be thoroughly documented in the district's comprehensive needs assessment and district improvement plan. These planned expenditures, upon approval, will form the basis of our ESSA grant application for the 2026-2027 school year, to be completed on or before August 1, 2026.

We invite any questions or comments regarding the proposed use of these funds for the 2026-2027 ESSA Federal Grant. Please email Molly Kollodziej, Federal and Special Programs Coordinator, at mkollodziej@kcisd.net on or before **Friday, July 24, 2026**.



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Karnes City ISD's planned expenditures are based on the Texas Education Agency's planning amounts. These plans may be slightly modified if revised grant allocations are received or if updated needs assessment data identifies new challenges. The planned expenditures outlined here form the basis of our 2026-2027 ESSA grant application. The funds received from this federal grant are utilized at Karnes City Primary, Karnes City Elementary, and Karnes City Junior High.

PROGRAM: Title I, Part A

Anticipated Allocation: \$539,677

Program Intent: To improve academic achievement for all students by providing equitable access to high-quality instruction, evidence-based interventions, and family engagement opportunities that support student success and help close achievement gaps.

Proposed Uses: Professional salaries, educational resources, software & site licenses, professional development, and student services.

ESSA Title II, Part A and Title IV, Part A Consolidation Notice:

After reviewing district and campus needs, the district has decided to consolidate available Title II, Part A and Title IV, Part A funds into the Title I, Part A Schoolwide Program. This decision allows the campus to maximize resources and provide greater flexibility in supporting comprehensive schoolwide initiatives that improve academic achievement for all students. By consolidating these federal funds, the campus can better address identified needs through high-quality instruction, evidence-based interventions, professional development, and family engagement activities that support student success and help close achievement gaps.

KCISD has historically operated these federal programs separately and has not previously consolidated Title II and Title IV funds into Title I; however, for the 2026–2027 school year, the district has chosen to consolidate these funds to more effectively align resources with identified campus needs and priorities.



ESSA Program Title	Anticipated Allocation
Title I, Part A	\$457,203
Title II, Part A	\$45,705
Title IV, Part A	\$36,769
TOTAL Combined Allocation	\$539,677

