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Stevens Amendment Information for Fiscal Year 2027

The Stevens Amendment requires school districts to inform the public about the use of Federal funds. Below is a summary of the federal funding that School District 81 anticipates receiving for Fiscal Year 2025 and how the funds will be used in the school district.

Title I: SD81 will receive approximately $322,089 dollars in Title I funding. This money is allocated through the Every Students Succeeds Act (ESSA). These funds are used to support the educational programs in SD81, including our 1:1 Learning Environment with iPads, educational technology licenses, Math and Reading curriculum materials, and professional development and tuition reimbursement.

Title IIA: SD81 will receive approximately $43,772 in Title II funding. This money is allocated through the Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA). These funds are used to impact student achievement through professional development for teachers, including in-service trainings, conferences and tuition reimbursement.

Title III Language Instruction Education Program: SD81 will receive approximately $41,325 (prorated at 65%) for the Title III grant. This funding is used to support bilingual and English learners through paraprofessional salaries and benefits and professional development.

Title IVA: SD81 will receive $21,259.. This funding is used to provide student support services and academic enrichment to students, including paying for after school activity stipends for teachers/sponsors.

IDEA Part B Flow Through: SD81 will receive approximately $318,861 for the IDEA Part B Flow Through grant. The District will use these funds to support the school district's special education program.

IDEA Preschool: SD81 will receive approximately $5,668 for the IDEA Preschool grant. This money is used for supporting the school district's preschool special education program.

Miscellaneous Federal Funds: In addition to the above, the District will receive approximately $725,000 in National School Lunch Program to offset the District's costs of providing a hot lunch program. The District also anticipates about $230,000 in Medicaid Matching Funds to help pay the cost of educating our special education students.