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# **IDEA Preschool Funding**

#### Source of Funds

The Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA), Federal Preschool Grant funds are specifically allocated for special education and services to children with disabilities for preschool children ages three, four, and five.

#### **Funding Allocation**

The Fresno County SELPA allocates IDEA - Preschool funds using the following categories:

- **IDEA Preschool Grant**. It is allocated by the Member's prior year special education preschool pupil count
- **IDEA Preschool CEIS**. It is allocated based on a percentage factor, if applicable: <u>https://www2.ed.gov/policy/speced/guid/idea/ceis\_pg2.html</u>

Learn more about the SELPA's funding allocations here: (updates pending)

### Accounting

- IDEA Preschool
  - Revenue Transfer: 0100-33200-0-5730-0000-818200. Cash is disbursed upon the receipt of funds from CDE, after the approval of expenditure claims.
  - Expenditures: 0100-33200-0-5730-XXXX-XXXXXX
- IDEA Preschool Carryover
  - Revenue Transfer: 0100-33200-0-5730-0000-818200. Cash is disbursed upon the receipt of funds from CDE, after the approval of expenditure claims.
  - Expenditures: 0100-33200-X-5730-XXXX-XXXXXX
- IDEA Preschool CEIS

- Revenue Transfer: 0100-33150-0-5730-0000-818200. Cash is disbursed upon the receipt of funds from CDE, after the approval of expenditure claims.
- LEA Contribution from: 0100-33150-0-5730-0000-8990XX
- LEA Contribution to: 0100-33180-0-XXXX-0000-8990XX
- Expenditures: 0100-33180-0-XXXX-XXXX-XXXXXX

### **Use of Funds**

- IDEA Preschool
  - Funds are to be used specifically for special education and related services for preschool children ages three, four, and five.
  - Federal Preschool Allowable Use of Funds, v. 8.2.pdf
- IDEA Preschool CEIS
  - Funds are to be used for coordinated, early intervening services for preschool children ages three, four, and five. More information can be found here: <a href="https://www2.ed.gov/policy/speced/guid/idea/ceis\_pg2.html">https://www2.ed.gov/policy/speced/guid/idea/ceis\_pg2.html</a>
  - CEIS Practice Guide.pdf

## **Financial Reporting**

- Maintenance of Effort (MOE) (links pending)
- Excess Costs (links pending)
- Federal IDEA Expenditure Reports (links pending)
- Private School Proportionate Share (links pending)