

October 10, 2001

Federal Programs and Grants Administration  
John Johnson II, Deputy Superintendent

**SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR AUTHORIZATION TO ACCEPT A GRANT AWARD FROM THE FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION FOR FUNDING UNDER THE IMPROVING AMERICA'S SCHOOLS ACT OF 1994, TITLE VII, PART C: FEDERAL EMERGENCY IMMIGRANT EDUCATION PROGRAM; PROJECT CYCLE: OCTOBER 1, 2001 THROUGH SEPTEMBER 30, 2002**

The Florida Department of Education (FDOE) has issued a grant award to the Miami-Dade County Public Schools under the Improving America's Schools Act of 1994, Title VII, Part C: Federal Emergency Immigrant Education Program. Funds received under the Federal Emergency Immigrant Education Program grant are used to enhance instructional opportunities for eligible immigrant students.

For the purpose of this program the term "immigrant" means a student, age 3-21, who:

- was not born in any state, U.S. territory or U.S. possession;
- has attended school in one or more states for less than three complete academic years; and
- was enrolled during the 200-2001 school year in a public school under the jurisdiction of the district or in a nonprofit private school within the district.

The project is a districtwide initiative comprised of the following components: technology, reading, parental involvement, tutoring, and mentoring. The general goal of the project is to accelerate the process of preparing limited English proficient students to function effectively and successfully in mainstream classes.

The current project, based upon a student count of 37,245 is funded in the amount of \$6,362,709 for the period of October 1, 2000, through September 30, 2001. Funding for the 2001-02 school year is in the amount of \$7,652,368, based upon a student count of 49,984. Funds will be used for personnel, inservice training, consultant fees, supplies/materials, equipment, and to supplement the instruction of language arts for eligible students at the secondary level.

No local funds are required.

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**RECOMMENDED:** That The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, authorize the Superintendent to:

1. accept a grant award from the Florida Department of Education, in the amount of \$7,652,368, for funding under the Improving America's Schools Act of 1994, Title VII, Part C: Federal Emergency Immigrant Education Program; Project Cycle: October 1, 2001 through September 30, 2002;
2. extend this grant award, at no additional cost, for up to one year, as authorized through official notification from the granting agency, if deemed necessary, in order to fully expend the grant award and thus complete the scope of the project; and
3. Financial Affairs to establish appropriations in the amounts approved by the granting agency; such appropriations to be reported periodically to the Board.

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THE SCHOOL BOARD OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA

BUDGET SUMMARY FORM



Yes  No  
Are there any in-kind or matching funds required?

Entitlement Grant  Non-Entitlement/Contract

GRANT/PROGRAM NAME: EIEP 2001-02

Grant Period Beginning October 1, 2001 Ending September 30, 2002  
(Date) (Date)

FUNCTION	Total Budget	Salaries (51XX)	Employee Benefits (52XX)	Purchased Services (53XX)	Energy Services (54XX)	Materials and Supplies (55XX)	Capital Outlay (56XX)	Other Expense (57XX)
INSTRUCTION SERVICES	4,000,000	3,414,426	585,574					
SUPPORT SERVICES:								
Pupil Personnel Services	6100							
Instructional Media Services	6200							
Instruction & Curriculum Development	6300							
Instructional Staff Training	6400	1,284,595	294,920	161,000		120,000	1,336,214	5,000
Board of Education	7100							
General Administration	7200	246,039*						246,039*
School Administration	7300							
Facilities Acquisitions & Construction	7400							
Fiscal Services	7500							
Food Services	7600							
Central Services	7700	36,400	8,200	10,000				
Transportation Services	7800			150,000				
Operation of Plant	7900							
Maintenance of Plant	8100							
Community Services	9100							
Debt	9200							
TOTAL INSTRUCTION AND SUPPORT SERVICES	7,652,368	4,735,421	888,694	321,000		120,000	1,336,214	251,039

\* Includes Federal Indirect Costs of 246,039

Submitted for Board Approval/Authorization:

Reviewed By [Signature]  
Division of Budget

Agenda Item F-3 Board Meeting of October 24, 2001  
(Number) (Date)

