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MEMORANDUM NO. 2016-053

TO: School District Superintendents
School Principals

FROM: Brent Young, Chief Policy Officer

DATE: April 4, 2016

SUBJECT: Wyoming Dual Language Immersion Program Application

APPLICATION FOR DUAL LANGUAGE IMMERSION PROGRAM GRANT AVAILABLE

The Wyoming Department of Education (WDE) is offering a grant award to initiate a Dual Language Immersion Program within schools. This grant is funded through the Wyoming Legislature, and enabled by the 2014 Session Laws of Wyoming.

This grant distributes funds to school districts for the provision of Dual Language Immersion Programs, and requires the use of a target foreign language for at least 50% of student-teacher contact time during each school day.

Priority in funding is given to :

- School districts or charter schools new to Dual Language Immersion programs
- New languages being added to current Dual Language Immersion programs
- School Districts that are expanding their Dual Language Immersion program opportunities

Districts and schools wishing to apply for these funds must complete the application and submit it to the WDE by June 30, 2016. Chosen schools will receive funding by August 15, 2016.

For more information, please contact Robin Holbrook, Foreign Languages Consultant, at robin.holbrook@wyo.gov or 307-777-5217.

Attachment:
Application