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FOR STUDENTS TO
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SUBJECT: Literacy Needs Assessment Survey



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LITERACY NEEDS ASSESSMENT

The Wyoming Department of Education (WDE) will apply for the federal Comprehensive Literacy State Development Grant. If funded, the award will go toward programs that foster literacy initiatives in Wyoming. A Literacy Needs Assessment is an integral part of identifying state need and in drafting the grant application. The Comprehensive Literacy State Development Grant could provide funding in the following areas, based on needs identified through the survey:

- Professional development.
- Statewide coordination for resources.
- Family literacy engagement.
- Create and integrate a state literacy team.
- Provide literacy training to sub grantees in order to provide quality literacy instruction.

Complete the short survey [here](#).



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The survey closes on March 31, 2020.

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