

McKinney-Vento Application Overview & Deadlines

APPLICATION OVERVIEW

The McKinney-Vento Homeless Education program, Title VII-B as amended by ESSA,

- provides federal funding to states and local educational agencies to support the unique needs and challenges that homeless children and youth face when enrolling, attending, and succeeding in school.
- States must ensure that all homeless children and youth have access to a free and appropriate public education and opportunity to succeed at the same levels as all other children.
- States must award subgrants to local educational agencies (LEAs) on a competitive basis.

STATE PRIORITIES AND PROGRAM OBJECTIVES

For 2022-2025, the Indiana Department of Education has set the following goals for the McKinney-Vento Education for Homeless Children and Youth program:

1. Promote full compliance with McKinney-Vento law
2. Increase awareness of homelessness and its effects on schools and communities
3. Improve quality and accuracy of data collection and reporting
4. Increase and promote effective practices among stakeholders

INDIVIDUAL APPLICATION

- One (1) year funding will be awarded to individual LEA applicants based upon the proposal requirements.
- Applicants utilizing this method will receive a grant up to one year in length.
- Individual applicants are not required to partner with other LEAs but will still be required to partner with homeless-serving organizations in their LEA (e.g. social services agencies).

CONSORTIUM APPLICATION

Consortium Applicants: One (1) year grant funding will be awarded to regional LEA consortia. Each consortia application must identify a Lead LEA and partner with an appropriate number of partner LEAs that would benefit from participating in the consortium. Lead LEAs are encouraged to partner with neighboring LEAs that:

- Utilize the same homeless-serving organizations (e.g. social services agencies)
- Located in the same county, or congressional district
- Frequently transfer students, regardless of homeless status, to/from the Lead LEA
- Maintain a cooperative relationship and would benefit from shared services (e.g. Lead and Partner LEAs both already coordinate via other methods like Special Education, CTE, or professional development events)

SUBMISSION LINK & DEADLINES

Where can I find more information?

<https://www.in.gov/doi/home/mckinney-vento-homeless>

When is the application due?

Due Date: 4 pm ET, Wednesday, August 24, 2022

Where do I submit the application?

Submission Portal:

<https://form.iotform.com/221653480301951>

IDOE CONTACT INFORMATION

- **Email Your IDOE Homeless Education Team With Any Questions**
- **McKinneyVentopoc@doe.in.gov**
- **Ms. Flora Jones, Director of Student Pathways & Opportunities**



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