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Department of Education, selected discretionary programs								
<i>New in FY 2026: "K-12 Simplified Funding Program" replacing and cutting funding by 69% for K-12 programs in grey</i>					6.535	2.000	-4.535	-69.4%
Title I, Education for the Disadvantaged****								
Title I grants to local educational agencies.....	16.537	17.537	18.387	18.407	18.407	18.407	0.000	0.0%
Comprehensive literacy development grants (previously striving readers)	0.192	0.192	0.194	0.194		0.000	-0.194	-100.0%
Innovative approaches to literacy	0.028	0.029	0.030	0.030		0.000	-0.030	-100.0%
State agency program: Migrant.....	0.376	0.376	0.376	0.376		0.000	-0.376	-100.0%
State agency: Neglected & delinquent	0.048	0.048	0.049	0.049		0.000	-0.049	-100.0%
Special programs for migrant students (HEP/CAMP)	0.046	0.048	0.052	0.052	0.052	0.000	-0.052	-100.0%
Total.....	17.227	18.230	19.088	19.108	19.108	18.407	-0.701	-3.7%
Impact Aid	1.501	1.557	1.618	1.625	1.625	1.625	0.000	0.0%
School Improvement Programs								
Title II - Supporting effective instruction state grants	2.143	2.170	2.190	2.190		0.000	-2.190	-100.0%
Nita M. Lowey 21st century community learning centers	1.260	1.290	1.330	1.330	1.330	0.000	-1.330	-100.0%
State assessments	0.378	0.390	0.390	0.380	0.380	0.000	-0.380	-100.0%
Education for homeless children and youths	0.107	0.114	0.129	0.129		0.000	-0.129	-100.0%
Native Hawaiian education	0.037	0.039	0.046	0.046	0.046	0.000	-0.046	-100.0%
Alaska Native education	0.036	0.038	0.045	0.045	0.045	0.000	-0.045	-100.0%
Training and advisory services	0.007	0.007	0.007	0.007		0.000	-0.007	-1.000
Rural education	0.188	0.195	0.215	0.220	0.220	0.000	-0.220	-100.0%
Supplemental education grants (Compact of Free Association Act)**	0.017	0.020	0.024	0.000	0.000			
Comprehensive centers	0.052	0.054	0.055	0.050	0.050	0.000	-0.050	-1.000
Title IV-A - Student support and academic enrichment grants	1.220	1.280	1.380	1.380	1.380	0.000	-1.380	-100.0%
Total, including advance funding.....	5.444	5.596	5.811	5.776	5.776			
Safe Schools and Citizenship Education								
School safety national activities**	0.106	0.201	0.216	0.216	0.216	0.000	-0.216	-100.0%
Promise neighborhoods	0.081	0.085	0.091	0.091	0.091	0.000	-0.091	-100.0%
Full-service community schools	0.030	0.075	0.150	0.150	0.150	0.000	-0.150	-1.000
Total	0.217	0.361	0.457	0.457	0.457	0.000	-0.457	-1.000
Indian Education	0.181	0.189	0.195	0.195	0.195	0.195	0.000	0.0%



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Innovation and Improvement****								
Education innovation and research	0.194	0.234	0.284	0.259	0.259	0.000	-0.259	-1.000
Teacher and school leader incentive grants (ED withdrew the FY 2024 funding) ..	0.200	0.173	0.173	0.060		0.000	-0.060	-1.000
American history and civics academies and national activities	0.005	0.008	0.023	0.023		0.000	-0.023	-100.0%
Supporting effective educator development (SEED) (ED withdrew FY24 funding) .	0.080	0.085	0.090	0.090		0.000	-0.090	-1.000
Charter schools grants	0.440	0.440	0.440	0.440		0.500	0.060	13.6%
Magnet schools assistance	0.109	0.124	0.139	0.139		0.000	-0.139	-100.0%
Ready to learn programming	0.030	0.031	0.031	0.031		0.000	-0.031	-1.000
Arts in education	0.031	0.037	0.037	0.037		0.000	-0.037	-100.0%
Javits gifted and talented students.....	0.014	0.015	0.017	0.017		0.000	-0.017	-100.0%
Statewide family engagement centers	0.013	0.015	0.020	0.020		0.000	-0.020	-100.0%
Community Project Funding/Congressionally Directed Spending (eliminated in FY'25 CR) ..		0.140	0.200	0.088	0.000	0.000	-0.088	-100.0%
Total	1.114	1.160	1.253	1.203	1.115	0.500	-0.703	-58.4%
English Language Acquisition	0.797	0.831	0.890	0.890	0.890	0.000	-0.890	-100.0%
Special Education (Individuals with Disabilities Education Act)								
New in FY 2026: "Special Education Simplified Funding Program" consolidates 7 IDEA programs						15.467		
State grants:								
Grants to States	12.937	13.344	14.194	14.214		14.891	0.677	4.8%
Preschool grants	0.398	0.410	0.420	0.420		0.000	-0.420	-100.0%
Grants for infants and families	0.482	0.496	0.540	0.540		0.540	0.000	0.0%
Subtotal, State grants	13.817	14.250	15.154	15.174		15.431	0.257	1.7%
State personnel development	0.039	0.039	0.039	0.039		0.000	-0.039	-100.0%
Technical assistance and dissemination	0.044	0.044	0.045	0.039		0.000	-0.039	-100.0%
Special Olympics education	0.024	0.031	0.036	0.036		0.036	0.000	0.0%
Personnel preparation	0.090	0.095	0.115	0.115		0.000	-0.115	-100.0%
Parent information centers	0.027	0.030	0.033	0.033		0.000	-0.033	-100.0%
Educational technology, media, and materials	0.030	0.030	0.031	0.031		0.000	-0.031	-100.0%
Total, Appropriation.....	14.071	14.519	15.453	15.467	15.467	15.467	0.000	0.0%
Career and technical education								
State grants.....	1.335	1.380	1.430	1.440		1.440	0.000	0%
National programs.....	0.007	0.007	0.032	0.012		0.010	-0.002	-17.9%



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Adult education								
Adult basic and literacy state grants	0.675	0.690	0.715	0.715		0.000	-0.715	-100.0%
National leadership activities	0.014	0.014	0.014	0.014	0.014	0.000	-0.014	-100.0%
Total, Adult and Career and Technical Education.....	2.031	2.091	2.191	2.181	2.181	1.450	-0.731	-33.5%
Postsecondary education***								
Discretionary Pell grants	22.475	22.475	22.475	22.475	22.475	22.475		
Rescission of previously appropriated Pell Grant funding *	-0.500	-1.050	-0.360	0.000	0.000			
<i>Maximum grant including mandatory-funded portion, in actual dollars</i>	<i>\$ 6,495</i>	<i>\$ 6,895</i>	<i>\$ 7,395</i>	<i>\$ 7,395</i>	<i>\$ 7,395</i>	<i>\$ 5,710</i>	<i>-\$1,685</i>	<i>-22.8%</i>
Campus-based programs:								
Federal supplemental educational opportunity grants (SEOG)	0.880	0.895	0.910	0.910	0.910	0.000	-0.910	-100.0%
Federal work-study	1.190	1.210	1.230	1.230	1.230	0.250	-0.980	-79.7%
Temporary Expanded Public Service Loan Forgiveness	0.050	0.025	0.000	0.000		0.000		
Aid for institutional development:								
Strengthening institutions	0.109	0.110	0.122	0.112		0.000	-0.112	-100.0%
Strengthening tribally controlled colleges and universities	0.038	0.044	0.052	0.052		0.052	0.000	0%
Strengthening Alaska Native & Native Hawaiian-serving institutions	0.019	0.021	0.024	0.025		0.025	0.000	0%
Strengthening HBCUs	0.338	0.363	0.396	0.401		0.401	0.000	0%
Strengthening historically black graduate institutions	0.087	0.093	0.101	0.101		0.101	0.000	0%
Strengthening HBCU masters programs	0.011	0.015	0.020	0.020		0.020	0.000	0%
Strengthening predominantly black institutions	0.014	0.018	0.022	0.022		0.022	0.000	0%
Strengthening Asian American- & Native American Pacific Islander-serving insts.	0.005	0.011	0.019	0.019		0.019	0.000	0%
Strengthening Native American-serving nontribal institutions	0.005	0.008	0.011	0.011		0.011	0.000	0%
Minority science and engineering improvement	0.013	0.015	0.016	0.016		0.016	0.000	0%
Aid for Hispanic-serving institutions (Title V, Parts A & B).....	0.163	0.203	0.255	0.256		0.256	0.000	0%
International education and foreign language studies	0.078	0.082	0.086	0.086		0.000	-0.086	-100.0%
Transition programs for students with intellectual disabilities	0.014	0.014	0.014	0.014		0.014	0.000	0%
Tribally controlled postsecondary career & technical institutions	0.011	0.011	0.012	0.012		0.012	0.000	0%
Assistance for students:								
Federal TRIO programs	1.097	1.137	1.191	1.191		0.000	-1.191	-100.0%
Gaining early awareness & readiness for undergrad programs (GEAR UP).....	0.368	0.378	0.388	0.388		0.000	-0.388	-100.0%
Graduate assistance in areas of national need	0.024	0.024	0.024	0.024		0.000	-0.024	-100.0%
Child care access means parents in school	0.055	0.065	0.075	0.075		0.000	-0.075	-100.0%



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Fund for the Improvement of Postsecondary Education (FIPSE) (non-earmark)	0.041	0.068	0.184	0.171		0.000	-0.171	-100.0%
Community Project Funding within FIPSE (eliminated in FY'25 CR).....		0.249	0.430	0.202	0.000	0.000	-0.202	-100.0%
Hawkins Centers of Excellence (funded in FIPSE's total in 2022).....		0.008	0.015	0.015		0.000	-0.015	-100.0%
Teacher quality partnerships (ED withdrew FY24 funding)	0.052	0.059	0.070	0.070		0.000	-0.070	-100.0%
<i>Institute of Education Sciences</i> (on March 11, ED fired almost all IES staff)								
Research, development, and dissemination	0.198	0.205	0.245	0.245		0.000	-0.245	-100.0%
Statistics	0.112	0.112	0.122	0.122		0.000	-0.122	-100.0%
Regional educational laboratories	0.057	0.059	0.059	0.054		0.000	-0.054	-100.0%
Assessment	0.173	0.188	0.193	0.193		0.137	-0.056	-29.0%
Research in special education	0.059	0.060	0.064	0.064		0.000	-0.064	-100.0%
Statewide longitudinal data systems	0.034	0.034	0.039	0.029		0.000	-0.029	-100.0%
Special education studies and evaluations	0.011	0.013	0.013	0.013		0.000	-0.013	-100.0%
Program administration.....		0.067	0.074	0.074		0.000	-0.074	-100.0%
New in 2026: unallocated funding to meet statutory requirements.....						0.124	0.124	
Total	0.642	0.737	0.808	0.793	0.793	0.261	-0.532	-67.1%
<i>Program Administration</i>	0.430	0.395	0.427	0.420	0.420	0.293	-0.127	-30.2%
<i>Student Aid Administration</i>	1.854	2.034	2.034	2.059	2.059	2.059	0.000	0.0%
<i>Office for Civil Rights</i>	0.131	0.136	0.140	0.140	0.140	0.091	-0.049	-35.0%
DISCRETIONARY APPROPRIATION*	*73.037	*75.374	*79.233	79.052	78.762	66.702	-12.350	-15.6%
Other related programs, not in the Department of Education								
<i>Head Start, including Early Head Start</i>	10.748	11.037	11.997	12.272	12.272	12.272	0.000	0%
<i>Child Care and Development Block Grant</i>	5.911	6.165	8.021	8.746	8.746	8.746	0.000	0%
<i>Preschool Development Grants</i>	0.275	0.290	0.315	0.315	0.315	0.000	-0.315	-100.0%
<i>Library Services Technology Act</i> (Executive Order of 3/14/25 eliminates IMLS)	0.195	0.197	0.211	0.211		0.000	-0.211	-100.0%
<i>Museum Services Act & museum grants</i> (Executive Order of 3/14/25 eliminates IMLS)	0.041	0.048	0.055	0.055		0.000	-0.055	-100.0%

* 2021, 2022, and 2023 totals for the Education Department reflect rescissions of previously appropriated funding for Pell Grants.

** Starting in 2022, mental health services grants here get an additional \$100 million in mandatory funding each year under the Bipartisan Safer Communities Act.

***The The underflying FY 2024 appropriations bill specifies a total for higher education and for student financial assistance, but not for individual programs.

****The underflying FY 2024 appropriations bill text specifies totals for several groups of programs (highlighted), but not for each program separately.