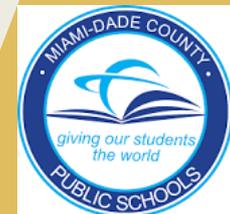


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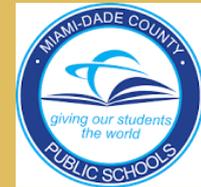


Updates to the GEER Summer Recovery and ESSER CARES Act Grants



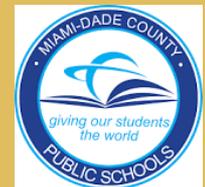
GEER Update- Two Program Adjustments

1. Deadline for use of funds will be extended from August 31 to October 31, 2020.
2. LEAs may deploy innovative instructional models, where a minimum of 75% of the time of the program is conducted face-to-face with students and may include extended learning options, where services can be offered on Saturdays or afterschool.



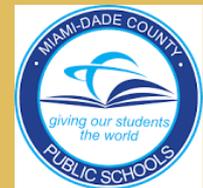
GEER Update- Transportation/Meals

Non-public schools: Transportation and meals are required if identified through consultation.



ESSER and GEER Allocation Update

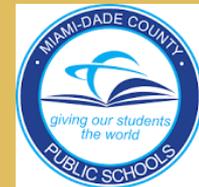
- GEER approximately \$28.00 per student
- ESSER approximately \$289.00 per student



GEER Update- Targeted Students

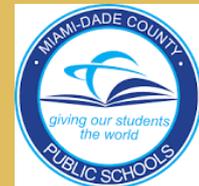
Assurance 1, Defines the targeted students with the most significant academic need as:

- Students who have been disconnected or hard to reach via distance learning.
- K-3 students in the 2019-20 school year with a substantial deficiency in reading who may be at risk for retention, prioritizing grade 3 students.
- Grade 4 or 5 students who scored a level 1 or 2 on the most recent FSA and are served in a L300 or D or F school.



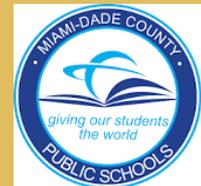
GEER Update- Secondary Students

- Middle and high school students who have been disconnected or hard to reach via distance learning can be served in the summer recovery program (per the first bullet of Assurance 1).



GEER and ESSER Update- Assurances for Private Schools

It is not the responsibility of the LEAs to ensure that the *private school's program* meets assurances; rather, it is the responsibility of the LEA to ensure that the *equitable services provided by the LEA* are comparable to the services the LEA provides to the public school students. The needs of the private school students should be identified in consultation.

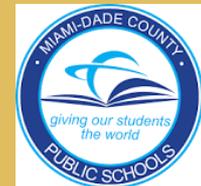


GEER and ESSER Update- Reimbursement to a Private School

Question 5 of the U.S. Department of Education’s guidance dated April 30, 2020, titled, “Providing Equitable Services to Students and Teachers in Non-Public Schools Under the CARES Act Programs,” states as follows:

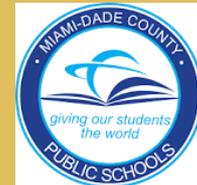
- **5. Must an LEA or another public agency maintain control of CARES Act funds used to provide equitable services?** Yes. Control of funds for services and assistance provided to non-public school students and teachers under the CARES Act programs, and title to materials, equipment and property purchased with such funds, must be in a public agency, and a public agency must administer such funds, materials, equipment, and property. In other words, no funds may go directly to a non-public school. In addition, services for non-public school students and teachers must be provided by a public agency directly or through contract with another public or private entity. (Section 18005(b) of the CARES Act).

Based on this guidance, the Department would be unable to authorize any reimbursement directly to a non-public school.



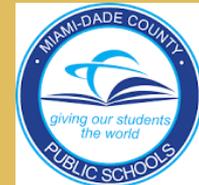
Application Process ESSER

- Non-Public School completes the Application which includes the following:
 - Plan, Parts 1 and 2
 - Budget
- Non-Public School submits the ESSER Application and any supporting documentation via email with SUBJECT line ESSER FUND REVISED by July 10, 2020 to mcervantes@dadeschools.net



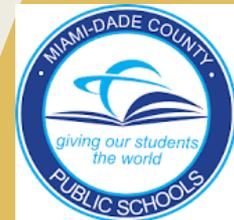
Application Process GEER

- Non-Public School completes the GEER Summer Application which includes the following:
 - Plan
 - Budget
- Non-Public School submits the GEER Summer Application and any supporting documents via e-mail with the SUBJECT line GEER SUMMER RECOVERY SERVICES REVISED to mcervantes@dadeschools.net by July 10, 2020.





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