

2021 Learning Acceleration Grants Overview

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Objectives

- Review legislative language
 - AB 130 (Section 152)
 - AB 167 — updated Trailer Bill language
- Solicit input on learning acceleration grants
- Walk through process, timelines, and additional input opportunities

Evidence-based Learning Acceleration

Statute: [AB 130](#) (Sec. 152), Ch. 10, Statutes of 2021

→ Proposed amendments in 2021 Omnibus Trailer Bill ([AB 167](#))

Funding: \$50M from General Fund to SSPI to allocate to CCEE

Overview: CCEE to administer, in partnership with selected COE(s), evidence-based professional education for educators that can support learning acceleration in mathematics, literacy, and language development

Available: On or before December 1, 2021

Learning Acceleration Strategies

Learning acceleration strategies are those designed to meet pupils where they are in their learning and use **evidence-based approaches** to enable pupils to make strong and rapid progress in their **mastery of knowledge and skills**.

These strategies may include individual or small group tutoring or whole class instruction using well-grounded methods with **scaffolding and differentiation** that meet pupils' specific needs

Content Areas

Professional learning to support the implementation of strategies addressing pupils' learning needs by accelerating progress in the areas of:



Mathematics



Literacy



Language
Development

Structural Considerations

- In-person vs. virtual learning opportunities
- Regional/local context vs. statewide “center”
- Short-term vs. long-term commitments
- Certificated vs. classified staff
- Other

Learning Supports

- Job-embedded
- Single vs. multiple content areas
- Structures/supports for ongoing coaching
- Equity-oriented
- Other

LCFF/High-Need Student Groups

- Students with disabilities
- English learners; long-term English learners (LTEL)
- Low-income pupils
- Students experiencing homelessness/in the foster care system
- Other

Next Steps

- [Learning Acceleration Grants RFP page](#) will be continually updated
- Survey will be posted on the [Learning Acceleration Grants RFP page](#) next Monday, September 13 and will be open until the end of the month

Questions?

Thank You!