Associated Talmud Torahs

Government Programs Liaison to Federal & State Programs

Hierarchy of Federal Education Programs

Federal Government U.S. Dept. of Education

Illinois State Board of Education (ISBE)

Local Educational Agency (LEA)
Chicago Public Schools (CPS)

Nonpublic School Affiliates (ATT is in this group)

Nonpublic School Affiliates

- · Office of Catholic Schools (42.57%)
- Independent Schools (45.98%)
- Associated Talmud Torahs (5.98%)
- Lutheran Schools (2.43%)
- Christian Schools (3.04%)

Monthly Consultation Meetings



Illinois Coalition of Nonpublic Schools (ICNS)

- · ATT has been a member since 1970
- ATT has been on its Executive Board since 1990



Currently meets 4 times per year

Schools Represented by the ATT to CPS

Elementary

- Akiba Schechter
- Cheder Lubavitch (Chicago girls school)
- Joan Dachs Bais Yaakov - Yeshivas Tiferes Tzvi
- Pathway Academy for Special Education
- · Shaarei Chinuch
- · Yeshiva Ohr Boruch

All Skokie/suburban schools are represented for Title I if they educate Chicago students

High Schools

- · Bais Yaakov High School
- Hanna Sacks Bais Yaakov
- Lubavitch Girls High School
- Lubavitch Mesivta of Chicago
- · Telshe High School
- Yeshiva Derech HaTorah
- Yeshiva Gedolah of the Midwest - Eitz Chaim
- Yeshivas Kesser Yonah

Title I

- Funds are used for math and reading remediation for eligible students, academic coaching, school counseling, professional development, fine arts, family engagement, ACT/SAT college prep.
- The ATT was instrumental in getting the alternative method of poverty data collection (i.e. proportionality) approved by CPS which brought Title I to our Chicago and Skokie/suburban elementary and high schools.
- The ATT was also instrumental in getting the Solomon School district in Peterson Park eligible for Title I Services.

FY 24 Dollars (Services) Allocated to Title I -- all ATT/Jewish schools

 Remedial Instructional Services directly to ATT/Jewish Schools (including Skokie for the Chicago students) \$1,071,375 (Provided by Catapult Learning, Msquared Learning, and Fran Center)

From Pooled Nonpublic Dollars:

- Professional Development: \$627,162
- Academic Coaching: \$639,220
- · School Counseling: \$443,250
- · Family Engagement: \$114,008
- Fine Arts: \$79,918

Individuals with Disabilities in Education Act (IDEA)

- Funds are used for special education services for eligible students.
- The ATT was instrumental in improving the multi-step eligibility process.

FY 24 Dollars (Services) Allocated to IDEA proportionate share - all ATT/Jewish Chicago schools

 Special Education services and materials for eligible students

\$241,663

Skokie elementary schools receive services from NTDSE - Niles Township District of Special Education - high schools meet with District 219 ATT is present at these consultation meetings

Title IIA (Professional Development)

Funds are used by ATT/Jewish schools for attendance at professional development conferences, for in-school workshops, and to pay consultants who give in-services in the core-curricular subject areas.

FY 24 Dollars (Services) Allocated to Title IIA -- all ATT/Jewish Chicago schools

· Professional development in the core curriculum subjects

\$205,692

Skokie schools receive their funding from their local LEA's.

Title III (Limited English Proficient Programs)

Funds are used in improving the teaching of <u>English</u> to foreign students. Foreign students are identified as being in the U.S. less than 3 years and in grades K-12. There was no special funding for immigrant students this year.

FY 24 Dollars (Services) Allocated to Title III -- all ATT/Jewish Chicago schools

 Limited English proficient (based on CPS testing) programs and materials

\$24,962

Immigrant student programs and materials

Title IV (Student Support and Academic Enrichment)

Funds are used by ATT/Jewish schools for student support and academic enrichment programs, social-emotional support of students, safe and healthy school environments, and technology infrastructure/enhancement.

FY 24 Dollars (Services) Allocated to Title IV -- all ATT/Jewish Chicago schools

 Student Support and Academic Enrichment

\$179,281

Skokie schools receive their funding from their local LEA's.

ATT'S Role in ESSA

- Mandatory consultation with the LEA
- · Liaison to individual nonpublic schools
- Processing the large volume of required paperwork and documentation

ATT's Role in State Programs

Liaison to individual nonpublic schools

- ISBE Recognition Process
- On planning team for annual state nonpublic conference when it occurs

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