

Virginia Association of Federal Education Program Administrators An Affiliate of the National Association of Federal Education Program Administrators

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TO: Federal Program Coordinators

FROM: Jennifer Hurt, Scholarship Chairperson

Virginia Association of Federal Education Program Administrators

SUBJECT: 2016 VAFEPA George H. Irby, Sr. Incentive Grants

The Virginia Association of Federal Education Program Administrators (VAFEPA) will be awarding \$500.00 incentive grants this spring. These awards are given annually in honor of Mr. George H. Irby, Sr., a former Virginia Department of Education Director of Compensatory Programs.

One grant application from a Title I school in each of the eight superintendents' regions will be selected. A committee of VAFEPA representatives will review the incentive grant applications. As indicated on the application form, these funds must be used to support the academic achievement of students receiving Title I services and/or to enhance the involvement of their parents/families in the academic process. Attached is a summary of the grants awarded in 2015.

Grant award recipients will be notified in June of 2016, a check will be sent to the winning school, and winning entries will be highlighted on our website, www.vafepa.org. Please complete the attached application and return it electronically to

Jennifer Hurt, <u>jhurt@bvps.org</u>. If you've won in the past, please do not submit the same grant again. All applications are due by April 10, 2016.

Thank you for all that you do to support quality educational opportunities for all children. If you have any questions regarding this process, please feel free to contact me at jhurt@bvps.org.

Attachment: Application

2015 Summary

Submitted By:	Date:
Position/Title:	
Email:	
School:	
School Address:	School Division:
School Principal's Name:	
Superintendent's State Region Number:12 (Please check your Region)	_345678
School Phone Number:	FAX Number:
Complete Each Section Below	
Project Title:	
Project Summary:	
Expected Results: Specify the objectives of the incentive grant and how it will be used to support student achievement.	
Budget Breakdown: Describe exactly how the grant will be spent.	
Research Based: Site the research that supports your project.	
Evaluation: Describe the criteria to be used for evaluating the success of the incentive grant.	
All Completed Applications MUST be submitted by April 10, 2016 to Jennifer Hurt, jhurt@bvps.org.	