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Dear Applicants for After School Education and Safety Universal Program:

The Expanded Learning Division is pleased to announce the posting of the [Intent to Award for the After School Education and Safety \(ASES\) Program](#).

All awards are made contingent upon the availability of funds. If the Legislature takes action to reduce or defer the funding upon which this award is based, then this award will be amended accordingly. The estimated ASES grant awards are based on the Free and Reduced-Price Meals (FRPM) percentage of the applicant sites. For this intent to award, the lowest FRPM percentage of the funded sites was 76.37 percent.

Applicants who wish to appeal a grant award decision must submit a Letter of Appeal to the California Department of Education (CDE). ***Appeals are limited to the grounds that the CDE failed to correctly apply the standards for reviewing the application as specified in the Request for Applications (RFA).***

The appellant must file a full and complete appeal in writing containing the following information:

- Describe the issue(s) in dispute;
- State the legal authority or other basis for the appeal; and
- State the remedy that is sought.

The appeal letter must be signed by the Authorized Signatory or the Designee that signed the original application. The Letter of Appeal must be sent to the address below within 10 calendar days of the posting of the Intent to Award. Hand-delivered appeal letters must be received at the CDE by 5 p.m. on or before the required date.

ASES Universal Appeals
Expanded Learning Division
California Department of Education
1430 N Street, Suite 3400
Sacramento, CA 95814-5901

Please note: The Intent to Award list may change after the grant award appeal period is complete. The final awards will be posted on the CDE web site when all data is verified and appeals are decided.

To help implement a successful, high-quality program, please access the CDE web pages below:

- [ASES Frequently Asked Questions](#)
- [ASES Reporting Due Dates](#)
- [Policy Guidance](#)
- [ASES Universal RFA](#)
- [ASES Education Code](#)

- [Continuous Quality Improvement](#)

If your program needs any support, please contact your [System of Support for Expanded Learning contact](#).

Congratulations to all award winners, and best wishes for your program in 2019–20!

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