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**Arkansas Public District and School
 General Description for the use of State Categorical Funding**

District	Omaha	LEA #	504000
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Introduction

Act 841 of 2015 established that each district and school will develop and submit to the ADE a general description for the use of state categorical funds. This general description, the list of allowable expenditures found in Special Needs Funding rules, and the related detail in APSCN will be utilized by legislative audit to determine the appropriateness of expenditures. Thus, with the general description of a specific program, it is important to clarify how the funds are being utilized to meet the established intent of the funding, how the expenditure is supplementing above state requirements (except PD), and how the effectiveness of the program activities will be evaluated to determine future continuance or discontinuance of the program, position, or supplemental service.

The team developing the ACSIP plan should consider at a minimum the following rules:

[Student Special Needs Funding Rules](#)

[ACTAAP Rules](#)

In addition to reviewing the rules, the following statutes are applicable to the ACSIP development:

Statute		
A.C.A. § 6-15-425	A.C.A. § 6-15-2106	A.C.A. § 6-17-2402
A.C.A. § 6-15-426	A.C.A. § 6-15-2201	A.C.A. § 6-20-2303
A.C.A. § 6-15-431	A.C.A. § 6-15-2202	A.C.A. § 6-20-2305

Directions:

1. Enter your responses.
2. Click "Save" at the bottom of the form to save your responses.
3. To submit your report, return to the Statewide Field Test Dashboard, go to the Required Reports section, and click the Student Special Needs Funding General Description Report "submit" button.

Note: Please review your responses if you are copying and pasting from word. There may be some compatibility issues that will need to be edited. If you must copy and paste, please copy into notepad first.

2015-16 General Description Report for ALE- State 275

District:	Omaha	LEA #	504000
Revenue:	32370	Source of Funds:	275
Date of modifications:	9/14/2015		

Please provide a general description including the purpose and program evaluation of the ALE programs, positions, and other expenditures.

The ALE funds are used at the high school building level

2015-16 General Description Report for ELL- State 276

District:		LEA #	
Revenue:	32371	Source of Funds:	276
Date of modifications:			

Please provide a general description including the purpose and program evaluation of the ELL programs, positions, and other expenditures.

2015-16 General Description Report for NSLA- State 281

District:	Omaha	LEA #	504000
Revenue:	32381	Source of Funds:	281

Date of modifications:	9/14/2015		
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Please provide a general description including the purpose and program evaluation of the NSLA programs, positions, and other expenditures.

The Omaha School District will employ a licensed staff member to assist with curriculum and instruction, this includes professional development and collaboration with teachers on curriculum and instruction. All other funds are allocated at the building levels.

2015-16 General Description Report for PD- State 223

District:	Omaha	LEA #	504000
Revenue:	32256	Source of Funds:	223
Date of modifications:	9/14/2015		

Please provide a general description including the purpose and program evaluation of the PD programs, positions, and other expenditures.

Professional development, above the required 36 hours, will be utilized to support the increase of student achievement and support curricular programs. Specifically, for the use of improving literacy, mathematics, and science with an emphasis on using technology. This also includes the cost of travel and supplies associated with the trainings. Student data and teacher evaluation data will be reviewed annually to provide a needs assessment for professional development.