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TO: Educational Service District Superintendents
School District Superintendents
School District Business Managers
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FROM: Chris Reykdal, Superintendent of Public Instruction

RE: Grant Opportunity–Reimagine Education Project

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PURPOSE

This grant opportunity provides funding to:

- Investigate an innovative approach to learning in an in-person setting, or
- Investigate instructional and/or social emotional practices in Alternative Learning Experience (ALE) and online settings.

BACKGROUND

More students than ever are continuing to request alternative learning models and stakeholders are pressing for in person learning to look different than the traditional pre-pandemic model, yet we lack evidence on effective practices in these non-traditional settings and systems to support educator-led innovation at the district level. OSPI wants to capitalize on the significant latitude educators from all settings have been given this past two years to accelerate learning recovery and rethink what works in education.

Grant funds will financially support local pilots, provide regular professional learning and networking, collect evidence on successful practices, and lead to the development of a menu of innovative practices to support continued transformation of our education system and inform future policy and funding decisions.

DETAILS

- Grant applications are currently being accepted through the [Reimagine Education Project Application form](#). Applications are accepted through two methods:
 - Complete a traditional written application.
 - Provide some brief details and request a short (no more than 20 minute) virtual conversation with the review team.
- A rolling review of applications will begin on January 12, 2022. Applications for this grant program will be accepted until all funds are allocated.
- If you are interested in this grant program, visit the [Reimagine Education Project website](#) for more information.
- Questions? Contact the Alternative Learning Department at ALDInfo@k12.wa.us.

INFORMATION AND ASSISTANCE

For questions regarding this bulletin, please contact Anissa Sharratt, ALE Program Manager, at 360-485-3758 or email anissa.sharratt@k12.wa.us or Hilary Seidel, Statewide Recognition Coordinator, at 360-725-6117 or email hilary.seidel@k12.wa.us. The OSPI TTY number is 360-664-3631.

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