



# Innovative Services for Students with Autism Grant Award Program

Question and Answer

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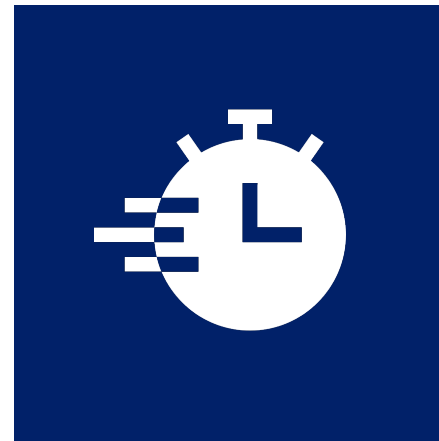
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# Webinar Norms

- Use the Q&A feature for any questions.
- Use the Chat feature for any technical support issues (e.g., audio, video).



# Grant Overview

## Who is eligible to apply?

- All Texas local education agencies (LEAs) are eligible to apply for grant funding.
- LEAs may apply individually or in collaboration with other districts or open-enrollment charter schools. Prioritization of funding is given to collaborative applications.



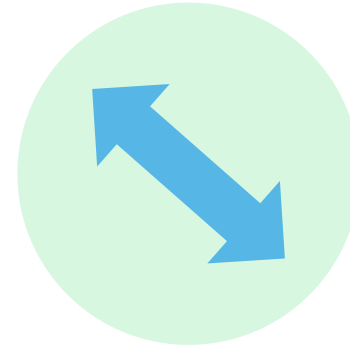


# Grant Overview

## Purpose of the Grant



To increase the LEA's capacity to implement innovative programs that effectively serve students with autism ages three through 21.



To result in effective, scalable models that can be replicated in other areas of the state.

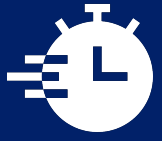


# Application Process

**To be eligible for a grant award, the LEA's application must incorporate:**

- Evidence-based practices
- Data collection on student achievement and improvement
- Parental support and collaboration
- Use of technology, which may include interactive technology
- Meaningful inclusion
- Ability to replicate the program for students statewide





# Website Walk-through

<https://go.esc13.net/autism-grant-award-program/>

- Apply – Coming Soon!
- Important Dates
- Application Preview
- Allowable and non-allowable expenditures
- Autism Grant FAQ

**Coming Soon: Application (2/1/2022)**



# Contact for Information

**Have questions?**

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