



State of Arizona
Department of Education

SCHOOL FINANCE MEMORANDUM 17-020

TO: County School Superintendents and County Treasurers
FROM: Lyle Friesen, Deputy Associate Superintendent of School Finance
DATE: September 27, 2016
SUBJECT: FY 2017 County Small Schools Education Services Program

Pursuant to A.R.S. §15-365, the county school superintendent may establish special small district service programs designed to meet the special needs of school districts with a total student count of fewer than six hundred in such areas as administrative assistance and specialized services. The intent of the small district service program statute is to provide additional monies to county offices to assist their small districts in accomplishing administrative and other special service activities.

Pursuant to A.R.S. §15-365(K), various costs are defined as:

- “Central administrative costs” are only those costs which are incurred by the county school superintendent in administering any service program which benefits all the school districts in the program and which are shared on a user basis and budgeted and paid as contract costs by districts.
- “General service costs” are those costs which are directly related to each of the service programs, which are shared on a user basis and which are budgeted and paid as contract costs by districts.
- “Service programs” means those programs which can be accomplished more efficiently and economically as multidistrict or multicounty operations.

The small district service program funding consists of a base amount of \$60,586.32 per program, where multicounty programs share this base amount, plus a per district amount of \$5,452.27. The following report indicates the FY 2017 Small District Service Program Funding calculated for each county.

The county school superintendent must submit its claim for payment to the state superintendent of public instruction (ADE) by **October 14, 2016**. Please download and print a copy of the county’s specific claim form from the ADE School Finance website, click [here](#).

1. Print name, sign and date the printed copy of the claim form.
2. Scan a copy of the signed and dated claim form.
3. Attach the scanned claim form to an email and submit to the School Finance payments inbox at sfpaymentteam@azed.gov. Please include the reference of FY 2017 County Small Schools Funding, and the county’s name, in the subject line of the county’s email to School Finance.

FY 2017 Small District Service Program Funding Report

County/District Count	EntityID	District Name	County Total
01	4161	Alpine Elementary District	
	4160	Concho Elementary District	
	4163	Mcrary Elementary District	
	4162	Vernon Elementary District	
01 District Count	4	Apache County	\$ 52,102.24
02	4178	Apache Elementary District	
	4187	Ash Creek Elementary District	
	4169	Bisbee Unified District	
	4171	Bowie Unified District	
	4177	Cochise Elementary District	
	4179	Double Adobe Elementary District	
	4185	Elfrida Elementary District	
	4181	McNeal Elementary District	
	4176	Naco Elementary District	
	4186	Pearce Elementary District	
	4188	Pomerene Elementary District	
	4172	San Simon Unified District	
	4173	St David Unified District	
	4190	Valley Union High School District	
02 District Count	14	Cochise County	\$ 136,918.10
03	4198	Chevelon Butte School District	
	10386	Coconino County Accommodation School District	
	4195	Fredonia-Moccasin Unified District	
	4194	Grand Canyon Unified District	
	4199	Maine Consolidated School District	
	4193	Williams Unified District	
03 District Count	6	Coconino County	\$ 69,065.41
04	87600	Gila County Regional School District	
	4212	Hayden-Winkelman Unified District	
	4214	Pine Strawberry Elementary District	
	4215	Tonto Basin Elementary District	
	4213	Young Elementary District	
04 District Count	5	Gila County	\$ 57,554.51
05	4224	Bonita Elementary District	
	4221	Fort Thomas Unified District	
	4222	Solomon Elementary District	
05 District Count	3	Graham County	\$ 34,532.71
06	4231	Blue Elementary District	
	4228	Duncan Unified District	
06 District Count	2	Greenlee County	\$ 23,021.80
15	4515	Bicentennial Union High School District	
	4513	Bouse Elementary District	

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County/District Count	EntityID	District Name	County Total
	4511	Quartzsite Elementary District	
	4514	Salome Consolidated Elementary District	
	4512	Wenden Elementary District	
15 District Count	5	La Paz County	\$ 60,920.42
07	4249	Aguila Elementary District	
	4274	Arlington Elementary District	
	4238	Gila Bend Unified District	
	4234	Maricopa County Regional District	
	4253	Mobile Elementary District	
	4251	Morristown Elementary District	
	4275	Palo Verde Elementary District	
	4255	Paloma School District	
	4250	Sentinel Elementary District	
07 District Count	9	Maricopa County	\$ 109,656.75
08	4370	Colorado City Unified District	
	4371	Hackberry School District	
	4374	Littlefield Unified District	
	4373	Owens School District No.6	
	4369	Peach Springs Unified District	
	4376	Topock Elementary District	
	4380	Valentine Elementary District	
	4377	Yucca Elementary District	
08 District Count	8	Mohave County	\$ 104,204.48
09	4395	Cedar Unified District	
	4392	Heber-Overgaard Unified District	
	4388	Joseph City Unified District	
	4386	Navajo County Accommodation District #99	
09 District Count	4	Navajo County	\$ 52,102.24
10	4409	Ajo Unified District	
	4418	Altar Valley Elementary District	
	4416	Continental Elementary District	
	4415	Empire Elementary District	
	4401	Pima Accommodation District	
	4417	Redington Elementary District	
	4414	San Fernando Elementary District	
10 District Count	7	Pima County	\$ 98,752.21
11	4435	Mary C O'Brien Accommodation District	
	4444	Oracle Elementary District	
	4452	Picacho Elementary District	
	4438	Ray Unified District	
	4447	Red Rock Elementary District	
	4449	Sacaton Elementary District	

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	4454	Santa Cruz Valley Union High School District	
	4451	Stanfield Elementary District	
	4440	Superior Unified School District	
11 District Count	9	Pinal County	\$ 109,656.75
12	4460	Patagonia Elementary District	
	4462	Patagonia Union High School District	
	4459	Santa Cruz Elementary District	
	4461	Sonoita Elementary District	
12 District Count	4	Santa Cruz County	\$ 48,736.33
13	4471	Ash Fork Joint Unified District	
	4468	Bagdad Unified District	
	4481	Beaver Creek Elementary District	
	4484	Canon Elementary District	
	4486	Clarkdale-Jerome Elementary District	
	4479	Congress Elementary District	
	4482	Hillside Elementary District	
	4480	Kirkland Elementary District	
	4473	Mayer Unified School District	
	4472	Seligman Unified District	
	4478	Skull Valley Elementary District	
	4475	Williamson Valley Elementary School District	
	4485	Yarnell Elementary District	
	79379	Yavapai Accommodation School District	
13 District Count	14	Yavapai County	\$ 136,918.10
14	4506	Antelope Union High School District	
	4502	Hyder Elementary District	
	4503	Mohawk Valley Elementary District	
	4504	Wellton Elementary District	
14 District Count	4	Yuma County	\$ 46,043.61
District Count Total	98	All County Funding Total	\$ 1,140,185.66