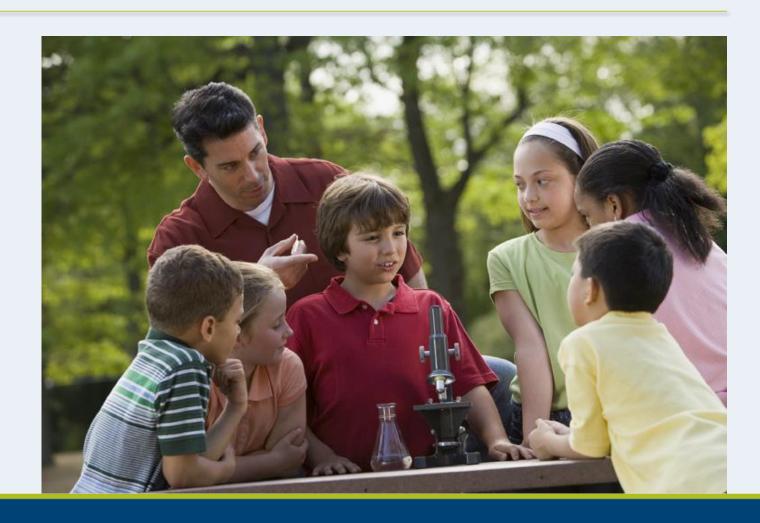
Extended Learning and Integrated Student Supports (ELISS) Competitive Grant Program Reporting Requirements

Technical Assistance Webinar November 4, 2020

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Housekeeping

- How to ask questions
- Recording and presentation slides available via email



Agenda

- Required Federal DUNS/SAM & State NCGrants Reporting
- Monthly Report Feedback
- Walk through of Virtual Desk Review Protocol
- How to Submit a Budget Amendment 209
- Walk through of End-of-Grant Subgrantee Reporting Template
- Q&A for Monthly and Final Reporting

ELISS Program DUNS and SAM Compliance

What is the mandating authority for the DUNS number and SAM registration requirement?

Code of Federal Regulations (2CFR Subtitle A, Chapter 1, and Part 25.105 & 25.305)

What is the actual requirement regarding DUNS number and SAM registration?

In order to receive Federal Funds, including "other types of Federal financial assistance" an organization must have a DUNS number and maintain current registration in the SAM database. A valid DUNS number is needed to register/revalidate with SAM.

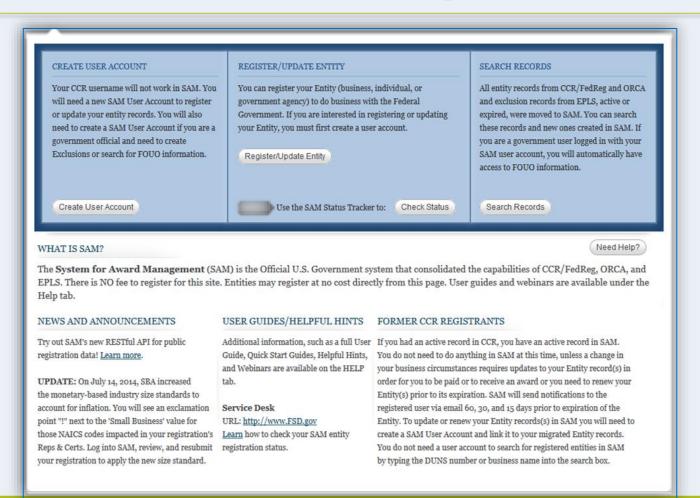
ELISS Program DUNS and SAM Compliance (continued)

How do I register with the System Award Management (SAM) system once I have my organization's DUNS number?

- 1. Go to www.sam.gov
- 2. Create an Individual User Account and Login
- 3. Click "Register New Entity" under "Register/Update Entity" on your "My SAM" page
- 4. Select your type of Entity
- 5. Select "No" to "Do you wish to bid on contracts?"
- 6. Select "Yes" to "Do you want to be eligible for grants and other Federal assistance?"
- 7. Complete "Core Data" (TIN, business type, executive compensation, etc.)
- 8. Complete "Points of Contact"
- 9. Your entity registration will become active after 3-5 days when the IRS validates your EIN information.

If you have any difficulty the telephone number of the Federal Service Desk is 866-606-8220 or access the Federal Service Desk website: www.fsd.gov.

ELISS Program DUNS and SAM Compliance (continued)



ELISS Program DUNS and SAM Compliance (continued)

What happens if my organization fails to receive a DUNS number and register in the SAM system?

The organization will not be eligible to receive any Federal allotment/s or reimbursement funds.

What happens if my organization does not maintain a current SAM registration?

If the organization fails to renew their registration in a timely manner, all Federal Funds will be frozen. Funds will be released once the registration is renewed.

ELISS ProgramRequired NCGrants Reporting

 North Carolina General Statute (G.S. 143C-6-23) requires every nongovernmental entity that receives State or Federal pass-through grant funds directly from a State agency to file annual reports on how those grant funds were used. There are three (3) reporting levels which are determined by the total direct grant receipts from all State agencies in your fiscal year.

- Key Elements
 - State agency disbursing grant funds to nongovernmental organization initiates reporting requirement (in this case, NCDPI, use this <u>LINK</u> to provide information requested)
 - Reporting and due dates based on funding levels (see chart)
 - Reports submitted by organizations are reviewed for accuracy and completeness
 - Submit reports to NCGrants@dpi.nc.gov

Total Funds	Reports Due	Reports
from All State Agencies	Submit all reports to NCGrants@dpi.nc.gov .	Due Date
Level 1 \$1 - \$24,999	 Certification State Grants Compliance Reporting Receipt of < \$25,000. 	Within 3 months of entity's fiscal year end
Level 2 \$25,000 - \$749,999	 Certification State Grants Compliance Reporting Receipt of >= \$25,000 Schedule of Receipts and Expenditures Program Activities and Accomplishments 	Within 3 months of entity's fiscal year end
Level 3 \$750,000 or more	 Certification State Grants Compliance Reporting Receipt of >= \$25,000 Audit [Single Audit if >= \$750,000 in federal funds or Yellow Book Audit] Schedule of Federal and State Awards (May be included in the audit) Program Activities and Accomplishments 	Within 9 months of entity's fiscal year end

A subgrantee's reporting threshold may change from year to year. A
subgrantee's reporting date is determined by its fiscal year end and the
total funding received directly from all State agencies. Grantee Forms for
Reporting on State or Federal Pass-through Grants may be downloaded
from the website for completion. Submit all reports to

NCGrants@dpi.nc.gov.

Reporting Forms for NC Grants

Level 1 NGO State Grants Compliance Reporting Less than 25K 2019 WORD PDF

Level 2 NGO Schedule of Receipts and Expenditures 2019 $\underline{\text{WORD}} \ \square$

NGO 0008 State Grant Certification-No Overdue Tax Debt WORD 🗵 PDF 🗵

NGO Program Activities and Accomplishments 2019 WORD

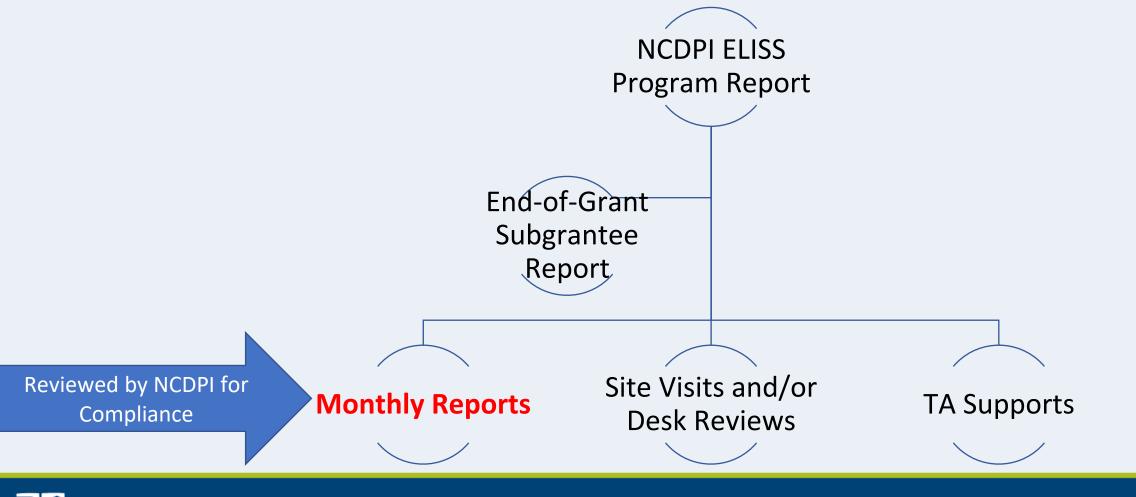
NGO State Grant Certification and Sworn Statement 2019 WORD
PDF

NGO State Grants Compliance Form Level 2 or 3 WORD ☑

• Reporting thresholds pursuant to <u>G.S. 143C-6-23</u>. Information in the table is based on the NC Office of State Budget and Management's manual, Reporting Policies and Guidelines, section 8.6.2.

 NOTE: Failure to comply with reporting requirements will place the subgrantee's ELISS grant funds in suspension.

ELISS Monthly Reports



September Report Feedback

Successes:

- No technical issues
- Subgrantees reached out for clarifications when needed
- Details provided to inform final report and desk reviews:
 - multiple strategies for identifying at-risk students
 - # low-performing schools and total # of schools served
 - successes/challenges of collaboration with district/schools
 - proposed matched funds

September Report Feedback

Needs Improvement:

- Proposed matched funds
 - grants received under the program shall be matched on the basis of three dollars (\$3.00) in grant funds for every one dollar (\$1.00) in non-grant funds
 - matching funds may include in-kind contributions for up to fifty percent (50%) of the required match
- Average # of contact hours ELISS participants received to-date
 - ✓ Convert days to hours
 - ✓ Include only ELISS-funded participants
 - Count all student served with ELISS funds even if they only attended a few days
 - ✓ Identify the start date of your program and report cumulative counts from that date forward

October Monthly Report

- Guidance to help calculate average # of contact hours ELISS participants have received to-date (How you calculate? Challenging?)
- Did your organization use ELISS dollars to support summer programming?
- If face-to-face services provided, what is the site name and hours of operation?
- If virtual services provided, what are the days/duration/frequency of services?
- COVID-19 specific items:
 - What ways has ELISS funding helped to mitigate negative impacts of COVID-19?
 - Which factor contributes most to your organization's decisions to strengthen or relax mitigation strategies over time?
 - Impact of COVID-19 mitigation strategies and/or positive cases on staffing and/or student attendance/participation?

ELISS Monthly Reporting

Date Link Sent to Subgrantees	Monthly Report Due Date
September 30	October 7
October 30	November 6 Monthly Reports Primarily Used
November 30	December 7 for Compliance Monitoring
December 15	December 22

ELISS Desk Review Protocol

- Notification Letter sent to grantees 30 days prior to scheduled date of monitoring
- Lead Monitor will follow up via email to arrange the time of day for the virtual WebEx meeting interviews
- Prior to date of interview, Lead Monitor will review previously submitted monthly report(s), submitted Logic Model, and submitted budget to add comments to the Desk Review Instrument
- Virtual Interviews can add context and clarify any remaining questions
- Completed Desk Review Report will be sent to grantees within 10 days of the date of monitoring

Desk Review Instrument Updates

Added in "Sample Evidences" for each compliance strand

Also added in checkboxes for each Indicator to denote whether the program "Meets Requirements," "Meets Requirements with Recommendation(s)," or has a "Finding(s)".

ELISS Compliance Categories											
PART A: Pro	ogram In	nplementation									
ELISS programs must be managed as described in the approved project focusing on serving (i) at-risk students not performing at grade level as demonstrated by								monstrated by			
statewide as	sessmen	ts or not on-track to	meet year-end expe	ctations as	of March	16, 2020, as demonst	trated by existing ind	icators, includ	ing tea	cher identification,	
(ii) students	at risk of	dropout, and (iii) st	udents at risk of scho	ool displace	ment due	to suspension or exp	ulsion as a result of a	ntisocial beha	viors.	(Section 3.3(18))	
Sample Evide	ences:										
Proposed Feeder School Enrollment Documented Approved Programmat								Programmatic			
and Low-Perf	forming	Forms/Attendance	Submitted Monthly	Logic N	/lodels	Approved Application Communication with P		Programm	atic	Schedule with Student	
Status Docu	ıment	Records	Reports			Addendums	Feeder Schools	Amendments		Contact Hours	
Indicator	Description	on			Comment	5			Final F	Final Ratina	
									_	s Requirements	
A.1	Grantee	focuses services and prog	rams in schools that are de	esignated as					□Meet	s Requirements with	
A.1	Low-Perf	orming, pursuant to G.S.	115C-105.37.						_	mmendation(s)	
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	Grantee i	implements the program	type (Extended Learning, Ir	ntegrated					_	s Requirements s Requirements with	
A.2	Student S	Supports, or Both) as desc	ribed in approved applicat	ion addendum						mmendation(s)	
	or most r	recent approved program	matic amendment.						□Findir	ng(s)	
										s Requirements	
A.3	Program	targets and enrolls stude	nts defined as at-risk per th	ne legislation.						s Requirements with	
			,						Findir	mmendation(s)	
										s Requirements	
A.4	Program	serves projected number	of students and/or average	e number of	1					Meets Requirements with	
A.4	contact h	nours according to the des	scription in the approved p	roject.					Reco	Recommendation(s)	
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	<u> </u>	to the COVID-19 Pa									
			led funds were used t	-	_				COVID	-19; specifically, to	
serve studen	ts whose	e learning has been i	negative impacted by	the COVID	-19 pande	mic. (Section 4201(a))(2); Section 4204(b)(2))			
Sample Evide	ences:										
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Approved Budg	·	Approved Budget		Suppor	rting	Monthly Reports	COVID-19 Collaboration	Equipment Inventor		Samples of Time and	
Form and Narrative Amendment 209 Submissions Doc		Documen	nentation Form					Effort Documentation			
Indicator	Description	on			Comments			Final Rating			
									ı	s Requirements	
B.1	Program uses grant funds for necessary expenditures incurred due to the						☐ Meets Requirements with				
	public he	alth emergency with resp	ect to COVID-19.						Recommendation(s) ☐Finding(s)		
Linuing(s)											

ELISS Desk Review Interview Protocol

ELISS Desk Review Interview Protocol

<u>Informal/Semi-structured Interviews</u> are conducted with 1-4 pre-selected Key Staff implementing the program on the ground (e/g., after school site director, ISS Program Director, CIS staff in a sample school, Fiscal Agent or Finance Officer)

Purpose

Review project operations, activities, enrollment, changes, expenditures, etc. to provided additional context to evidences reviewed to demonstrate compliance on the ELISS Desk Review Instrument and Feedback Report (hereafter, the Report) template. Program Administrators will ask semi-structured questions about their Program Implementation, Response to the COVID-19 Pandemic, and the organization's ELISS Services and Key Impacts on Students.

Output

Brief notes on pages below of what was learned from interview(s), which remain an internal file. Condensed notes can then be added to the ELISS Report in the comments section if needed to demonstrate compliance. Additionally, information from the interviews can be referenced in the Commendations, Recommendations, or Findings narrative section of the final Report which is provided to ELISS grantees.

ELISS Desk Review Interview Protocol

C. ELISS SERVICES RECEIVED AND KEY IMPACTS ON STUDENTS

Question	Additional Questions Asked/Notes
C.1 Program Services	
a. In addition to the key services	
described above (i.e., in A.2.a), what	
other types of activities, programs,	
or services are offered by your ELISS	
program? How do they assist	
students whose learning has been	
negatively impacted by the COVID-	
19 pandemic?	
b. What specific things are you	
doing to improve students'	
academic outcomes (e.g., grades,	
demonstrating proficiency of	
standards, etc.)? What are you	
learning in doing this?	
c. What specific things are you doing	
to improve students' behavioral	
outcomes (e.g., school attendance,	
attitudes, engagement, socio-	
emotional development, etc.)?	
What are you learning in doing this?	

Desk Review Feedback Report Narrative

Extended Learning and Integrated Student Supports (ELISS) – 2020 COVID-19 Recovery Act

Desk Review Instrument and Feedback Report

ELISS Report Narrative:

Each indicator rated as Finding(s) outlines specific areas of noncompliance and provides the Action Required to meet compliance. Indicators rated as Meets Requirements with Recommendation(s) outline how basic compliance is met but provides recommendations for improvement. Responses from subgrantees are NOT required for indicators rated as Meets Requirements with Recommendation(s).

Commendations:

Recommendations:

Strand X, Indicator XX- Description

Meets Requirements with Recommendation(s):

Actions Required: NO RESPONSE IS REQUIRED

Findings:

Strand X, Indicator XX- Description

Finding(s):

Actions Required:

1.

Documentation must be received in ten business days of receiving the report.



How Compliance is Achieved

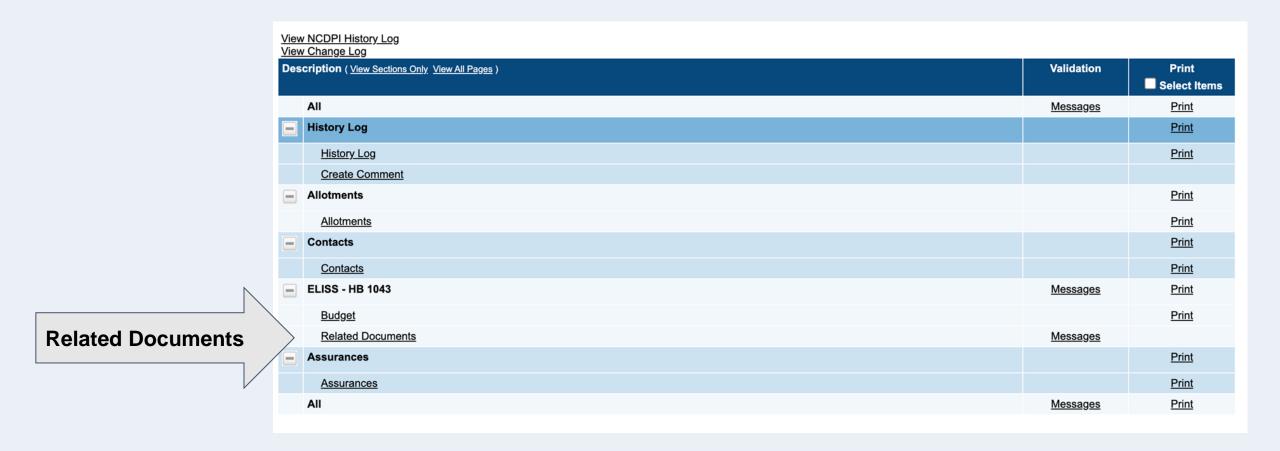
- NCDPI Program Administrator can ensure a Grantee has achieved Compliance in each of the Strands via:
 - Review of Submitted Documentation
 - Observation
 - Interview Confirmation (questions now sent to grantees PRIOR to date of desk review for preparation)
- If there are no Compliance Findings, a Closing Letter will be included with the Report within 10 business days from the date of the review

How to Respond to Findings

- The organization must respond in writing to each item marked as Finding(s) within ten (10) business days of receipt of the report.
- The organization's response must:
 - 1) demonstrate the required action has already been addressed by including supporting documentation with the response, or
 - 2) describe a specific action plan for completing the required action with a detailed timeline and persons responsible.

Then, a Final Closing Letter will be sent after Findings are resolved.

Budget Amendment 209 Protocol



Budget Amendment 209 Protocol

Budget Amendment 209 template found on the Related Document Section under the Optional Document:

Optional Documents					
Туре	Document Template	Document/Link			
Organization's Written Fiscal Procedures - TEMPLATE NOT PROVIDED [Upload up to 1 document(s)]	N/A	Fiscal Policies			
ELISS Partnership Agreement with LEAs (Only for non-profits working in collaboration with LEAs) [Upload up to 1 document(s)]	ELISS Partnership Agreements with LEAs - SAMPLE PROVIDED				
ELISS Contracted Services - TEMPLATE NOT PROVIDED	N/A	 Independent Evaluation Contract ACHIEVE 3000 Contract 			
ELISS Other Collaborative Agreements - TEMPLATE NOT PROVIDED [Upload up to 5 document(s)]	N/A	Independent Evaluation Statement of Work			
ELISS Programmatic Amendment Form [Upload up to 4 document(s)]	FLISS Programmatic Amendment Form				
ELISS Budget Amendment Form FPD 209 [Upload up to 4 document(s)]	ELISS Budget Amendment Form FPD 209				
ELISS Voluntary Termination or Reduction Form [Upload up to 1 document(s)]	ELISS Voluntary Termination or Reduction Form				

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION Extended Learning and Integrated Student Supports (ELISS) Program Form 209 - AMENDMENT REQUEST (Revised August 3, 2020) Organization Name (enter in shaded cell below): Unit Number Cohort # Project Period Beginning **Budget Award Previously Approved** Revised Account Classification Codes Decreases Increases_ Amount Budget 🔽 Social Work & Attendance - Salary - Instruct. Support I - Reg. \$0.00 5320-133-131 Social Work & Attendance - Salary - Specialist (School-Based) \$0.00 5320-133-146 \$0.00 Social Work & Attendance - Staff Dev. Participant Pay 5320-133-196 Social Work & Attendance - Staff Development Instructor 5320-133-197 \$0.00 Social Work & Attendance - Employer's Soc Sec - Regular 5320-133-211

5320-133-221

5320-133-229

5320-133-231

5320-133-232

5320-133-233

5320-133-234

5320-133-235

Any adjustments made to previously approved line-items must equal out at the end of the template (increases must equal decreases!)

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Transportation - Pupil Transportation - Contract	6550-133-331		3000		\$3,000.00
Transportation - Gas/Diesel Fuel	6550-133-423		2535		\$2,535.00
		\$161,392.00	\$ 7,860.00	\$ 7,860.000	\$161,392.00
		\$101,392.00	\$ 7,860.00	\$ 7,860.000	\$161,3

Social Work & Attendance - Employer's Retirement - Regular

Social Work & Attendance - Employer's Hospitalization Ins

Social Work & Attendance - Employer's Workers' Comp Ins

Social Work & Attendance - Employer's Unemployment Ins

Social Work & Attendance - Employer's Life Insurance Cost

Social Work & Attendance - Employer's Dental Ins Cost

Social Work & Attendance - Other Retirement Cost

Budget Amendment 209 Narrative

Each line-item that is increased or decreased should include a narrative justification (example below):

5350-133-121 Extended Day/Year Instr-Salary Teacher \$100,800 Decrease \$7,860

The Extended Learning program supported our Remote Learners that qualified through school recommendation. This program operated from 7:45 to 3:00pm with an option of after school through 5:30pm Wilson County Elementary Schools returned to 4 days each week of face-to-face instruction on October 22, 2020. The Extended Learning after school program will operate from 2:30-6:00pm (5) days each week. The qualified Extended Learning middle school student have remained in Remote Learning. The number of hours for ELISS teachers has decreased from 35 hours each week to 15-18 hours each week during after school 2:30-6:00pm. Decreasing our expenses by \$7,860

Budget Amendment 209 Protocol

Submission Steps:

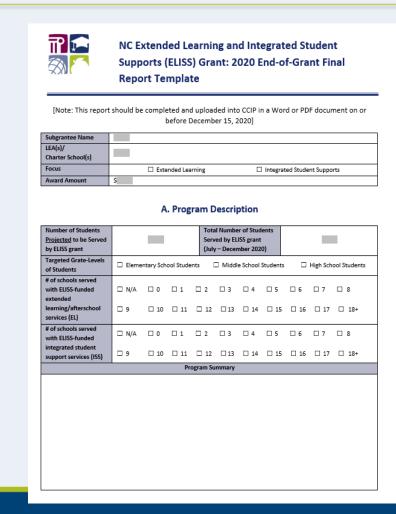
Change Status to "Revision Started"

Application Status: NCDPI ELISS - HB 1043 Division Administrator Approved

Change Status To: Revision Started

- 2. Upload the Budget 209 template/narrative
- 3. Change Status to "Revision Completed"
- 4. Change Status through "Fiscal Representative Approved" and "Chief Administrator Approved"
- 5. NCDPI Program Administrator Reviewed and denotes approval in the History Log
- 6. NCDPI Division Approval

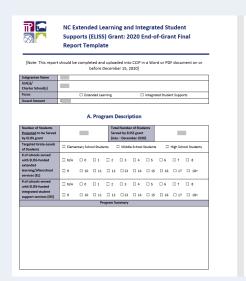


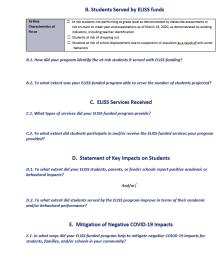


B. Students Served by ELISS funds At risk students not performing at grade level as demonstrated by statewide assessments or not on-track to meet year-end expectations as of March 16, 2020, as demonstrated by existing indicators, including teacher identification ☐ Students at risk of dropping out ☐ Students at risk of school displacement due to suspension or expulsion as a result of anti-social B.1. How did your program identify the at-risk students it served with ELISS-funding? B.2. To what extent was your ELISS-funded program able to serve the number of students projected? C. ELISS Services Received C.1. What types of services did your ELISS-funded program provide? C.2. To what extent did students participate in and/or receive the ELISS-funded services your program provided? D. Statement of Key Impacts on Students D.1. To what extent did your ELISS students, parents, or feeder schools report positive academic or behavioral impacts? And/or D.2. To what extent did students served by the ELISS program improve in terms of their academic and/or behavioral performance? E. Mitigation of Negative COVID-19 Impacts E.1. In what ways did your ELISS-funded program help to mitigate negative COVID-19 impacts for students, families, and/or schools in your community?

Planning considerations:

- What is the timeline for your data collection efforts?
- How do I summarize data across sites?
- Who is responsible for completing the report?
- What do I do if I have questions about the reporting process?





Top Section:

- Subgrantee Name
- LEA(s)/Charter School(s)
- EL, ISS, or EL + ISS
- Award Amount



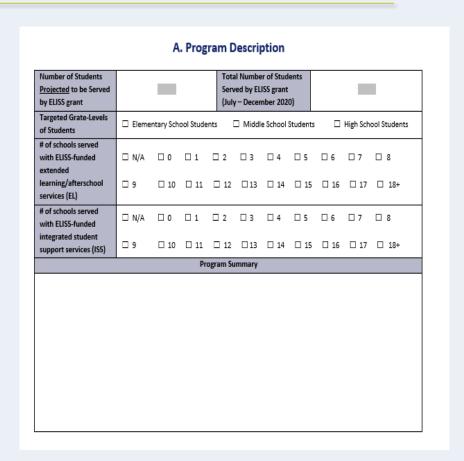
NC Extended Learning and Integrated Student Supports (ELISS) Grant: 2020 End-of-Grant Final Report Template

[Note: This report should be completed and uploaded into CCIP in a Word or PDF document on or before December 15, 2020]

Subgrantee Name		
LEA(s)/		
Charter School(s)		
Focus	☐ Extended Learning	☐ Integrated Student Supports
Award Amount	\$	

Section A. Program Description:

- Number of students proposed to be served
- Total number of students served
- Targeted grade-levels of students
- Number of schools served (EL and ISS)
- Program Summary



Section B. Students Served by ELISS Funds:

- Which "at-risk characteristic" was the focus of your ELISS grant?
- How did your program identify the at-risk students it served with ELISS funding?
- To what extent was your ELISS-funded program able to serve the number of students projected?

B. Students Served by ELISS funds At-Risk At risk students not performing at grade level as demonstrated by statewide assessments or Characteristics of not on-track to meet year-end expectations as of March 16, 2020, as demonstrated by existing Focus indicators, including teacher identification Students at risk of dropping out Students at risk of school displacement due to suspension or expulsion as a result of anti-social

B.1. How did your program identify the at-risk students it served with ELISS-funding?

Section C. ELISS Services Received:

- What types of services did your ELISS-funded program provide?
- To what extent did students participate in and/or receive the ELISS-funded services your program provided?

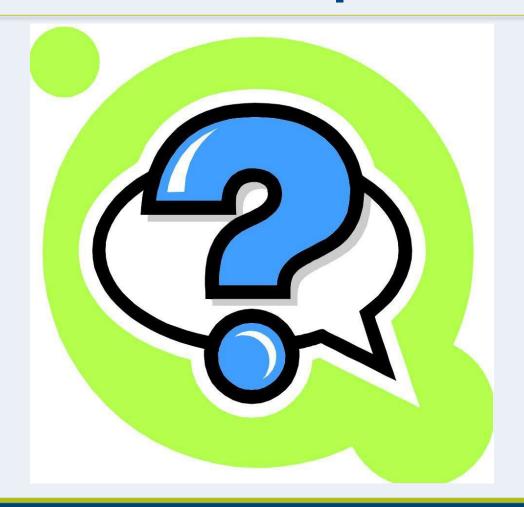
Section D. Statement of Key Impacts on Students:

- To what extent did your ELISS students, parents, or feeder schools report positive academic or behavioral impacts?
 and/or
- To what extent did students served by the ELISS program improve in terms of their academic and/or behavioral performance?

Section E. Mitigation of Negative COVID-19 Impacts:

 In what ways did your ELISS-funded program help to mitigate COVID-19 impacts for students, families, and/or schools in your community?

Final End-of-Grant Report Questions?



Key Dates...

- November 18, 2020- ELISS TA Virtual Office Hours 1pm-2pm
- December 2, 2020- ELISS TA Webinar End-of-Grant Sub-grantee Report
- December 9, 2020- ELISS TA Virtual Office Hours 1pm-2pm
- December 15, 2020 Evaluation Report Due to NCDPI
- December 30, 2020 Cut off for Expenditures Related to the ELISS Program
- January 13, 2021- Final Date to make a Reimbursement Submission for expenditures incurred PRIOR to December 30th in the ERaCA system; AND supporting financial Documentation due on the SAME DAY

Remaining Questions?



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