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DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

A Memo from the New Jersey Department of Education

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To: Chief School Administrators
Route To: School Business Administrators, School Facilities Managers, Grants Managers
From: Kevin Dehmer, Assistant Commissioner/Chief Financial Officer
Division of Finance and Business Services
Deadline: February 14, 2022

Second Round of Securing Our Children's Future Bond Act Career and Technical Education Expansion Grant Applications Open

The New Jersey Department of Education (NJDOE) is pleased to announce the opening of the second round of applications for the Securing Our Children's Future Bond Act (SOCFBA) Career and Technical Education (CTE) Expansion Grant to county vocational school districts.

Key steps/actions

Applications must be submitted using the grant application form and required uploads through the [SOCFBA CTE Expansion Grant system](#) on [NJDOE Homeroom](#). Grant applications and eligible work must comply with the [CTE Expansion Grant Final Guidelines](#) and the regulations at [N.J.A.C. 6A:26A-3.2](#). **Grant applications are due on February 14, 2022.**

The SOCFBA implementing [regulations](#) set limits on the number and amount of CTE expansion grants to county vocational school districts. District application eligibility in the second round will be limited based on the substantially approved grants in the first round and the regulatory requirements as set forth on the [CTE Grant Second Round Eligibility](#) document posted on the [School Facilities webpage](#).

Contact information

Questions regarding the application should be sent to CTEGrant@doe.nj.gov.

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