



FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

From applicants for Student Success Act (SSA) Program grants

I applied for an Early Learning Division program grant (Preschool Promise, Oregon Pre-Kindergarten, and/or Equity Fund) but was not awarded. Can I appeal?

Yes. An applicant not receiving funding may appeal for review to the Early Learning Council. An appeal must be received by the Council in writing within 15 calendar days (July 17) of the notice of non-funding. Appeals must be sent to 700 Summer St NE, Salem, OR, 97301 or early.learning@state.or.us.

Can I appeal if I did not receive the full funding amount I requested?

Yes. The appeal process for partial funding is the same as the appeal process for a grant denial.

I received an intent to award notification, but I have decided I don't want the funding. What should I do?

Please notify the ELD at early.learning@state.or.us of your decision to decline funding.

When will I receive my grant agreement?

We anticipate grant agreements will be sent in August, but following the close of the appeals and the Early Learning Council's action on appeals.

Because of COVID-19, the delay in award notifications, or etc. my ability to start my program may be delayed. Will this impact my grant?

The ELD recognizes that the timeline for grant deliverables may need to be adjusted due to these unusual circumstances. Grantees will still be able to seek reimbursement for expenses beginning July 1, 2020.

My question wasn't answered here. Who do I contact?

Preschool Promise: PSPRFA@ode.state.or.us

Oregon Pre-Kindergarten: OPKRFA@ode.state.or.us

Early Childhood Equity Fund: ECEFRFA@ode.state.or.us

Is there a list of who received funding in my region or statewide?

Funding decisions are posted on the ELD website: <https://oregonearlylearning.com/>.