



## Requester Information

**Legislator Name:** Fillmore, Lincoln

**Created Date:** January 14th 2025

**Submitted Date:** January 22nd 2025

## Section 1: Requester Details

### Description:

The School Readiness Grant Program is the states high-quality preschool program targeted at students who are economically disadvantaged, English language learners, or in foster care. Demand for the program is higher than funds allow. Last year there were over \$24.4 million in requests from programs meeting the high-quality eligibility requirements, yet there was only \$12 million to disburse.

### Legislative designee contact information:

**Name:** Elizabeth Garbe

**Organization:** United Way of Salt Lake

**Position:** VP of Public Policy

## Section 2: Funding Information

### How will the appropriation be used?

Category	One-time		Ongoing
Personnel Services	2025:	\$0.00	\$0.00
	2026:	\$0.00	
In-State Travel	2025:	\$0.00	\$0.00
	2026:	\$0.00	
Out-of-State Travel	2025:	\$0.00	\$0.00
	2026:	\$0.00	
Supplies and Equipment	2025:	\$0.00	\$0.00
	2026:	\$0.00	



# School Readiness Grant Program

Public Education

Category	One-time		Ongoing
Technology Purchases	2025:	\$0.00	\$0.00
	2026:	\$0.00	
Infrastructure/Capital Investments	2025:	\$0.00	\$0.00
	2026:	\$0.00	
Other Charges/Pass Thru	2025:	\$0.00	\$5,000,000.00
	2026:	\$0.00	

## Expenditure Total

One-time 2025	One-time 2026	Ongoing 2026
\$0.00	\$0.00	\$5,000,000.00

## Funding Sources:

### Income Tax Fund

Amount Requested:

2025 (One-time)	\$0.00
2026 (One-time)	\$0.00
2026 (Ongoing)	\$5,000,000.00

## Revenue Total

One-time 2025	One-time 2026	Ongoing 2026
\$0.00	\$0.00	\$5,000,000.00

## Is this a multi-year project?

Yes



**Is this project scalable if the Legislature does not fund the full requested amount?**

Yes

**A short explanation describing how the project might be scaled?**

The program currently exists, though it would not be able to serve more students without additional funds. The program is already serving less students because of rising costs and no additional funding.

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## Section 3: Agency Information

**Subjects:**

Education and Research

**Agency:**

400 / State Board of Education

**Type of entity to receive pass-through funding:**

Government Not For Profit

**Grant recipient**

No

**Requested Direct Award Grant Recipient**

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## Section 4: Performance Outcome Measurement

**Who would benefit the most from this request (who is the target audience)?**

Three and four year olds who are low-income, English language learners, or in foster care.

**What is this project or program intended to accomplish?**

Help prepare students for K-12 education.



**How will the Legislature know whether the project or program achieved its intended purpose?**

The program measures quality of the program and growth in educational outcomes of the students.

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## **Section 5: Other Supporting Documents**

**Intent Language Documents**

**Previous Funding Documents**

**Full Time Employees**

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