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of North America

**U.S. Department of Education  
FY 2009 Proposed Budget for Selected Line Items**

<b>Program Name</b>	<b>FY 2007 CR Operating Plan</b>	<b>FY 2008 Appropriation</b>	<b>FY 2009 President's Request</b>	<b>Dollar/Percent Change from FY08 to FY09</b>
Title I Basic Grants to school districts, including advance funding	\$6.8 b	\$6.59 b	\$6.59 b	-0-
Title I Targeted Grants	\$2.33 b	\$2.9 b	\$3.3 b	+\$406m/13.7%
Title I Education Finance Incentive Grants	\$2.33 b	\$2.96 b	\$2.96 b	-0-
Title I School Improvement	\$125 m	\$491 m	\$491 m	-0-
<b>Title I Total</b>	<b>\$12.8 b</b>	<b>\$13.9 b</b>	<b>\$14.3 b</b>	<b>+\$406 m/2.9%</b>
School Improvement	\$125,000	\$491,000	\$491,000	-0-
Even Start	\$82,000	\$66,000	-0-	-\$66,000/100%
Literacy Learning Through Libraries	\$194,000	\$191,000	\$191,000	-0-
Reading First	\$1.29 b	\$393 m	\$1 b	+\$607 m/154%
Striving Readers	\$31.87 m	\$35.37 m	\$100 m	+\$64,63/183%
Pell Grants for Kids (New)	-0-	-0-	\$300,000	+\$300,000
Title II – Improving Teacher Quality state grants	\$2.87 b	\$2.935 b	\$2.83 b	-\$100,000/3.4%

*Lucy Gettman, director of government relations, RRCNA, February 6, 2008*

Title III – English language Acquisition	\$669,007	\$700,395	\$730,000	+\$29,605/4.2%
Title V – Innovative Programs	\$99,000	-0-	-0-	-0-
Special Education Part B Grants to States	\$10.8 b	\$10.9 b	\$11.3 b	+331 m/2.9%
21st Century Community Learning Centers* *proposal includes changing program from a formula to a competitive program outside of public schools.	\$981.2 m	\$1,081 m	\$800,000 b	-\$281,000/26%
Fund for Improvement of Education (FIE)* *This line item frequently contains earmarks. The President’s proposal does not include any funds for earmarks from the FY 2008 bill. However it does include \$15 m for early literacy for infants and preschool programs.	\$16 m	\$121 m	\$52.3 m	\$69,634/57%*