



Commonwealth of Virginia Virginia Department of Education Superintendent's Memo #183-22

DATE: August 19, 2022

TO: Division Superintendents

FROM: Jillian Balow, Superintendent of Public Instruction

SUBJECT: Federal Funding Accountability and Transparency Act

The Federal Funding Accountability and Transparency Act (FFATA) is designed to increase transparency and improve the public's access to federal government information. FFATA requires that subgrant data be reported for all new federal grants funded at or greater than \$30,000 that meet the reporting conditions as set forth in the grant award terms and that are awarded on or after October 1, 2010. Subgrant data and executive compensation data for sub-recipients must be reported by the prime awardee. Only subgrants made by the prime awardee to first-tier sub-recipients are reportable in accordance with FFATA.

In an effort to consolidate reporting for school divisions, we are requesting one certification per state fiscal year (FY) that will cover all subgrant awards funded by the U.S. Department of Education or other federal agencies and awarded to your school division by the Virginia Department of Education.

The Reporting Subgrant Data and Executive Compensation Data for Sub-recipients as required under FFATA, completed in <u>Attachment B - FFATA Reporting</u>, describes the requirements and includes instructions to complete the annual certification for federal awards made to your

school division in state FY 2023. School divisions must complete and return this document by September 16, 2022 to:

Virginia Department of Education ATTN: Office of Finance PO Box 2120 Richmond VA 23218-2120

For more information

Please contact Annette Sherrill, Assistant Superintendent for Budget and Finance, at Annette.Sherrill@doe.virginia.gov should you have any questions.

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