



FY20 TEACH INFRASTRUCTURE GRANT LISTENING SESSION





FY20 TEACH TECHNOLOGY INFORMATION INFRASTRUCTURE GRANT

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WELCOME

- FY20 Infrastructure grants can now be awarded to eligible school districts **and** public libraries to purchase eligible infrastructure.
- Public school districts and libraries must demonstrate readiness to use purchased infrastructure.
- \$3M is available in FY20.



PUBLIC SCHOOLS ELIGIBILITY

PUBLIC SCHOOLS

- Public school districts must meet the following criteria:
 - District must have 16 or fewer students per square mile
 - Membership is fewer than 750 pupils, \$30,000.
 - Membership is 750 pupils to 1,500 pupils, \$40 multiplied by the school district's membership.
 - Membership is more than 1,500 pupils, \$60,000.



PUBLIC LIBRARY ELIGIBILITY

PUBLIC LIBRARIES

- Public libraries or branches must meet the following criteria:
 - Location of public library or branch is in a rural territory as defined by the U.S. Bureau of Census.
 - Population of the public library or branch municipality is 20,000 or less.



MAXIMUM AWARDS*

During a fiscal biennium (FY20 & FY21) a Public Library's Maximum Award may not exceed:

- If the population of the public library's municipality is 2,000 or less: **\$5,000.**
 - If the population of the public library's municipality is 2,001 – 4,999: **\$7,500.**
 - If the population of the public library's municipality is 5,000 – 20,000: **\$10,000.**
- See *Elig Libraries* list at teach.wi.gov.



**Eligibility data compiled by DPI.*



FY20 LIST OF ELIGIBLE EQUIPMENT & SERVICES

Purchase Period: July 1, 2019 – March 15 2022

LIST A

Reimbursement: 100% less E-Rate Discount Rate

(See Instructions tab of Application for details.)

Access Points
Antennas
Basic Maintenance of Internal Connections
Cabling
Caching Equipment & Services
Connectors
Fees, Taxes, etc.
Firewall Services & Components
Installation, Activation, & Initial Configuration of List A Items
LAN Controllers
Managed Services
Operating System Software Supporting Components on List A
Racks & Cabinets
Routers
Switches
UPS/Battery Backups
Wireless Controllers & Wireless Control Systems

LIST B

Reimbursement: 100%

Cyber Security
Assessments Data
Security Assessments
Network Assessments
Portable Devices/Hotspots **(This does NOT include service or data.)**
(for wireless Internet Coverage on buses and for library check-out.)
Installation of List B Portable Devices/Hotspots. **(This does NOT include service or data.)**



**** 2 years from FY20 TEACH Infrastructure Grant Award. Exact date will be shared with grantees.**



ELIGIBLE INFRASTRUCTURE – LIST A

LIST A

Reimbursement: 100% less E-Rate Discount Rate (%)

Access Points
Antennas
Basic Maintenance of Internal Connections
Cabling
Caching Equipment
Caching Service
Connectors
Fees, Taxes, etc.
Firewall Services & Components
Installation, Activation, & Initial Configuration (List A)
LAN Controllers
Managed Services
Operating System Software of Eligible Equipment
Racks & Cabinets
Routers
Software Supporting Components on List A
Switches
UPS/Battery Backups
Wireless Controllers & Wireless Control Systems



ELIGIBLE INFRASTRUCTURE – LIST B

LIST B

Reimbursement: 100%

Cyber Security Assessments

Data Security Assessments

Network Assessments

*Portable Devices (Hotspots) for Wireless Internet

Coverage, including on buses and for library check-out.

Installation of List B Portable Devices (Hotspots)

** Does not include service plans.*



TEACH REIMBURSEMENT AMOUNTS

- List A Items – Reimbursed at 100% less E-Rate Discount Rate
 - Regardless of whether applied for E-Rate funds or not.
 - This is the TEACH Reimbursement Rate for List A in **all** cases.
- List B Items – 100% Reimbursement



TEACH REIMBURSEMENT EXAMPLE

A public library has a 60% E-Rate Discount Rate, what would their TEACH reimbursement rates be?

- List A TEACH Reimbursement Rate
 - 100%, less E-Rate Discount Rate = 40%
 - TEACH would reimburse 40% of eligible approved infrastructure costs
 - Regardless of whether applied for E-Rate funds or not.
- List B TEACH Reimbursement Rate
 - TEACH would reimburse 100% of eligible approved infrastructure costs.



HOTSPOTS

- **Purchase** and **Installation** costs for hotspots are eligible for TEACH reimbursement.
- Service plan costs are NOT eligible for TEACH reimbursement.
- Hotspots that include “free” or “no cost” data plans are not eligible for TEACH reimbursement.
- Maximum TEACH reimbursement for hotspots:
 - Portable hotspot: \$151/each
 - Bus hotspot: \$995/each
- Temporary patron check-out to individuals.



INELIGIBLE COSTS

- Items not on the FY20 List.
- Items purchased prior to July 1, 2019.
- Items purchased after March 15, 2022.

*(** 2 years from FY20 TEACH Infrastructure Grant Award for Libraries. Exact date will be shared with public library grantees.)*

- **Service plans for hotspots/portable devices.**

(Wis. Stat 16.9945 stipulates purchase and installation costs for hotspots are eligible. This does not include service plans.)



PRORATION

- FY20 INFRASTRUCTURE GRANT
 - \$3.0M Available
 - Proration is a possibility.



APPLICATION PROCESS

- Complete the FY20 Library Application (Excel Workbook) located at [FY20 Infrastructure Grants](https://teach.wi.gov) (teach.wi.gov)
 - See *Instructions* Tab for application instructions.
 - Complete *FY20 Application* Tab
 - Complete *Library/district Info* Tab
- Application deadline: **Friday, December 13, 2019 by 11:59 pm.**



INSTRUCTIONS TAB



FY20 TEACH Information Technology Infrastructure Grant

School District Application Instructions



Complete the yellow highlighted sections on the tabs of the FY20 Infrastructure Grant Application - (Excel Workbook): FY20 Application and School District Info.

Note:

The "FY20 List" tab has the complete list of eligible infrastructure and services for the FY20 TEACH Information Technology Infrastructure Grant.

The "School District Data" tab includes the following: eligible districts; Free or Reduced Priced Lunch Percentage; E-Rate Discount Percentage and maximum funding amount.

FY20 Application Tab:

1. Answer questions concerning infrastructure insufficiencies you are experiencing in your district.
2. List at least one and up to 3 infrastructure goal(s) that would assist with insufficiencies identified in Question 1.
3. Enter information on your district's current bandwidth and available providers, *if known*.
- 4a. Items from List A - Reimbursement Rate is 100% minus E-Rate Discount Rate (%)
- 4b. Items from List B - 100% Reimbursement Rate.

Purchase Period: July 1, 2019 – March 15, 2022



READINESS RUBRIC

Patron Benefit Date	0 - 3 months	Most Ready
	3 - 6 months	
	6 - 9 months	Ready
	9 - 12 months	
	12 - 18 months	Less Ready
18 months - 2 years		
> 2 years	Not Ready	



LIBRARY/SCHOOL INFO TAB

Library Name:	<input type="text"/>	
Street Address, City & Zip:	<input type="text"/>	
Grant Contact Person's Name:	<input type="text"/>	
Grant Contact Person's Title:	<input type="text"/>	
Grant Contact Person's Email:	<input type="text"/>	
Grant Contact Person's Phone:	<input type="text" value="()"/>	
Total Library Request:		
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text" value="-"/>
Total Cost List A	Total Cost List B	Total Equipment Cost
Library E-Rate Discount Percentage (See chart on "Eligible Libraries" tab.):	X	<input type="text"/>
TEACH List A Reimbursement Percentage (autopopulates):		<input type="text" value="100%"/>
Total Grant Request (autopopulates):	\$	<input type="text" value="-"/>
Maximum Funding Amount (See chart on "Eligible Libraries" tab.):	<input type="text"/>	
Library Administrator Name:	<input type="text"/>	
Library Administrator Signature: (Original Signature Required)	<input type="text"/>	



SUBMIT APPLICATION

- **Submit application via:**
 - **Email (preferred)** - teach@wisconsin.gov
 - Mail – DOA TEACH Program
PO Box 7844
Madison, WI 53707-7844



APPLICATION DEADLINE

All FY20 TEACH Technology Information Infrastructure Grants are due by

- **11:59 pm on Friday, December 13, 2019.**
- No late applications will be accepted.



NEXT STEPS

- Application Review
- Grant awards emailed by Friday, January 17, 2020.
- Grant agreements, budgets and reimbursement process emailed to grantees.
- Grant agreement execution.
- Infrastructure grant period: July 1, 2019 – March 15, 2022
- Submit Reimbursement Claim Forms.
- TEACH reimburses for eligible approved infrastructure.

Note: Reimbursement Schedule and Reimbursement Claim Forms will be delivered with grant agreements.



TEACH CONTACT INFORMATION

- TEACH by Email TEACH@Wisconsin.gov
- TEACH by Phone (608)261-5054
- THANKS for Watching!

