

Program Name	Safe and Drug-Free Schools and Communities Act: National Programs
Program Description	<p>This program is a companion to the Drug-Violence Prevention: State Program. National Programs, through grants, contracts, and interagency agreements, support a variety of initiatives designed to create safe and drug-free learning environments and promote. Special programs and initiatives include:</p> <p><u>Health, Mental Health, Environmental Health, and Physical Education</u> <u>Drug-Violence Prevention - State Programs</u> <u>Drug-Violence Prevention - National Programs</u> <u>Character and Civic Education</u> <u>Policy and Cross-Cutting Programs</u> <u>Safe and Drug-Free Schools and Communities Advisory Committee</u></p>
Federal Agency	Department of Education
Federal Office	Office of Safe and Drug Free Schools
Authorization	No Child Left Behind Act, Title IV, Part A, Subpart 2, Sections 4121-4141, as amended, P.L. 103-382, 20 U.S.C. 7131-7133.
Funding Type	Discretionary/Project Grant
Uses of Funds	Projects funded under this program support drug and violence prevention and education activities, and may be required to address specific priorities identified in the Federal Register notice of funds availability.
Initial Recipients	Community-Based Organization Local Government School Tribe
Applicant Eligibility	Public and private individuals and entities are eligible to apply. Entities eligible for discretionary grants vary by competition and are

	announced in the Federal Register notice governing the competition.
Application Process	Submit applications in accordance with applicable program announcements (see URL below). A peer review panel selects application finalists. The Department of Education makes the final decision on the approval and funding of applications.
Flow of Funds	Funds flow directly to grantees.
Funding History	(Grants) FY 05: \$234,580,000; FY 06 est: \$222,234,000; and FY 07 est: \$215,992,000.
Matching Requirements	This program has no statutory formula. Contact the Headquarters Office for matching requirements (if any).
Web Site Link	http://www.ed.gov/about/offices/list/osdfs/programs.html#state
Potential Partners	Community-based organizations; institutions of higher education; and local educational agencies.
Funding Categories	<p>Academic Enrichment Delinquency Prevention Evaluation Health and Mental Health Independent Living Mentoring Parenting Education Planning and Evaluation Substance Abuse & Violence Prevention System Building Technical Assistance</p>