

Special Education Small and Rural Schools

Evaluation Certification Reimbursement Program

You may be eligible to receive up to \$6,000/year in reimbursement!

The Evaluation Certification Reimbursement Program (ECRP)

The ECRP provides funding for current school staff members to further their education to become an Educational Diagnostician or a School Psychologist. Upon completion of the certification program, participants must commit to provide a minimum of 3 years of evaluation service in a small and/or rural LEA in Texas.

ECRP Eligibility Criteria

To be eligible for the ECRP, you must currently be working in:

 A "small" LEA with a K-12 population of 700 or less

OR

 A "rural" LEA, 60 or more miles from the nearest Education Service Center (ESC)

AND

 Currently enrolled in an Educational Diagnostician or a School Psychology certification program

Eligible Reimbursements

Program participants receive reimbursement in the spring, summer, and fall for qualifying expenses.



Upcoming application windows during which you may apply:

October 1-14, 2025 April 1-14, 2026

The application will be available here during each application window.

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