

EPICTeacher and School Leader (TSL) Grant

US Department of Education

Principals and Assistant Principals

EPIC principals and assistant principals who meet the eligibility requirements and who are allotted by the school system will be considered for the bonus if their school meets or exceeds growth. Interim principals or assistant principals who meet the other eligibility requirements are eligible.

If the school meets or exceeds growth, principals and assistant principals in our EPIC schools will be eligible to receive PBC based on a combination of 1) NCEES Standards from the school year; 2) the ESSA Accountability School Performance Grade from the school year; and 3) the school-wide growth EVAAS score from the school year.

NCEES evaluations will be reviewed to determine an overall score for principals and assistant principals based on the seven standards and their rankings of "Developing," "Proficient," "Accomplished," and "Distinguished." Principals and assistant principals will be assigned a score of 0, 1, 2, or 3 for each of the seven standards. To be eligible for compensation, a principal or assistant principal must not have "Not Demonstrated" on NCEES. The principal and assistant principal can then earn points based on their ESSA Accountability School Performance Grade. Additional points are earned for school accountability growth.

Principal and Assistant Principal PBC points								
School Meets or Exceeds Growth	Standards?	NCEES Score (sum of assigned points for each standard) Divided by Two	School Performance		Add NCEES, ESSA Accountability School Performance	Refer to Principal and		
		Not Demonstrated or Developing = 0 Proficient = 1 Accomplished = 2 Distinguished = 3	A=4 B=3 C=2 D=1 F=0	Not Met=0	Grade, and Accountability Growth Scores to determine PBC Points			
✓	✓	N	G	А	(N/2) + G + A = PBC Points			

A calculation of points earned through NCEES standards, the ESSA Accountability School Performance Grade, and total School Accountability Growth results in PBC through EPIC:

Principal and Assistant Principal Compensation Amounts						
	Principal	Assistant Principal				
PBC Points	Compensation Amount					
2.0-7.5	\$4,000	\$3,000				
8-11.5	\$6,000	\$5,000				
12-16.5	\$8,000	\$7,000				

If a school does not meet or exceed growth, the principal and assistant principal are not eligible for the compensation listed above. However, if the school does not meet or exceed growth but increases by one ESSA Accountability School Performance Grade Score from the previous school year, the principal will be eligible for a \$1,500 award and the assistant principal(s) a \$750 award.