Consolidated Grant Fiscal Brief February 27, 2024

Dear Consolidated Grant Fiscal Contacts,

Fiscal briefs are sent periodically to keep you up to date. I will keep things short and sweet with just two items this week!

Additional Date Added for Fiscal Contact Virtual Collaboration

Due to popular demand, I have added an additional session. We have had over 40 people register for our session on March 27! I am trying to keep the numbers manageable so that everyone gets enough airtime and will cap the original meeting at 45. The "encore" meeting will take place on April 2, 2024, via TEAMS. Register via the <u>TEAMS link: Fiscal Contact Virtual Gathering</u>

Fiscal Update

Please find a link to the <u>fiscal update presentation</u> from the Connecticut State Department of Education (CSDE). This update explains how the special education excess cost grant is calculated, clarifies terminology and grant balance statuses for both ESSER II and ARP ESSER funds, and briefly discusses the fund request process through EGMS. If you have any questions, please contact Ajit Gopalakrishnan at <u>ajit.gopalakrishnan@ct.gov</u> or Roger Persson at <u>roger.persson@ct.gov</u>.

The above is information from the <u>Superintendent's Digest</u> which is pertinent to your role as a fiscal contact.

Thanks for reading this far, and I look forward to connecting soon! -Jen