**Title III *—* Intent to Apply Form**

**SY 2020-2021**

The general purpose of Title III

The purpose of Title III subgrants is to help ensure that English learners (ELs) attain English language proficiency and meet the same state standards that all children are expected to meet *(ESEA as amended by ESSA, Sec. 3102)*. A Title III subgrant is supplemental federal funding to increase the effectiveness of a district/state charter school’s required EL program.

Planning allocation

The 2020-2021 Title III planning allocation for a district or state charter school is calculated using the average of the 80th and 120th day EL student count as submitted in STARS for the 2019-2020 school year. In the past few years, the Title III planning allocations have averaged approximately $75 per EL student.

Minimum threshold requirement

Title III subgrants have a minimum threshold requirement of $10,000. Districts/state charter schools, who do not meet this threshold requirement, can enter into a Title III consortium agreement with other districts/state charter schools. The combined planning allocation of the Title III consortium must meet the Title III subgrant threshold of $10,000.

If your district/state charter school did not apply for a Title III subgrant for SY 2019-2020 and is interested and intends to apply for a Title III subgrant for the 2020-2021 school year, please complete the information below and submit this form directly to leah.jimenez@state.nm.us **by February 28, 2020**.

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Date:

District or State Charter School Name:

Superintendent:

Title III Director:

Title III Director email and phone:

Current number of EL students:

Please complete the following tentative Title III Consortium information if applicable

Fiscal Agent:

Consortium Member(s):