

ARIZONA

As a result of the "fiscal cliff" deal (American Taxpayer Relief Act of 2012) reached at the beginning of the year, sequestration, or automatic, across-the-board budget cuts, was postponed by two months. Absent any agreement to replace sequestration, budget cuts will be uniformly applied to almost all federal programs beginning on March 1, 2013. Due to the delay, however, the total amount of the cut in fiscal year 2013 has been lessened by

\$24 billion, from \$109.3 billion to \$85.3 billion. An analysis by the Center on Budget and Policy Priorities (CBPP) indicates that nonexempt, nondefense discretionary programs would be cut by 5.1 percent; and a cut of 5.3 percent would be applied to nonexempt, nondefense mandatory programs. Since Congress has not yet completed work on appropriations for fiscal year 2013, the estimated cuts by education program presented here assume the same rate of operations as in fiscal year 2012. Actual cuts could differ once appropriations are enacted for 2013.

FISCAL YEAR 2013

Selected Program	Applying CBPP's Estimate		
	Funding Cut (\$000)	Students Affected	Potential Job Losses
Grants to Local Educational Agencies (ESEA Title I, Part A)	15,788	17,720	245
School Improvement State Grants (ESEA section 1003(g))	535	210	8
Migrant (ESEA I-C) and Neglected and Delinquent (ESEA I-D)	434	850	7
Impact Aid Basic Support Payments (ESEA VIII section 8003(b))	8,937	2,260	139
Improving Teacher Quality State Grants (ESEA II, Part A)	1,954	---	30
21st Century Community Learning Centers (ESEA IV-B)	1,234	2,390	30
Education for Homeless Children and Youths (MVHAA Title VII-B)	68	450	1
Rural Education (ESEA VI-B)	202	3,625	3
English Language Acquisition (ESEA III, Part A)	940	4,690	15
Special Education Grants to States (IDEA-B-611)	9,615	5,730	149
Preschool grants (IDEA-B-619)	267	780	4
Grants for infants and families (IDEA-C)	479	260	7
Vocational Rehabilitation State Grants (RA Title I-A and Title I-C)	3,555	555	20
Career and Technical Education State Grants (Carl D. Perkins CTEA Title I)	1,009	11,685	15
Adult Basic and Literacy Education State Grants (AEFLA & WIA section 503)	607	1,160	11
Federal Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grants (HEA IV-A-3)	924	42,100	9
Federal Work-Study (HEA IV-C)	596	5,770	6
Federal TRIO Programs (HEA IV-A-2, Chapter 1)	504	475	5
Head Start (HSA section 639)	6,231	710	303

Source: NEA calculations using federal agency budget data and based on an analysis by the Center on Budget and Policy Priorities, Here's How the March 1 Sequester Would Work, January 22, 2013. For more information, contact Tom Zembar at 202.822.7109 or TZembar@nea.org. As of February 5, 2013.