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## President's Bush FY06 Budget Request Eliminates 48 Education Programs

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Administrations often justify proposed eliminations by saying programs either a) have achieved their original purpose; b) duplicate other programs; c) may be carried out with flexible State formula grant funds; or d) involve activities that are better or more appropriately supported through state, local, or private resources.

President Bush's Administration has an additional tool at their disposal: the Office of Management and Budget's new government-wide Program Assessment Rating Tool (PART), which evaluates program effectiveness and informs the Administration's budget decisions. President Bush's FY2006 budget request proposes eliminating 150 programs government-wide, including the 48 education programs listed below.

For more information on PART or particular programs evaluations, contact Lyndsay Pinkus at lpinkus@wpllc.net.

Alcohol Abuse Reduction	Migrant and Seasonal Farmworkers
Arts in Education	National Writing Project
B.J. Stupak Olympic Scholarships	Occupational and Employment Information
Byrd Honors Scholarships	Parental Information and Resource Centers
Civic Education	Projects With Industry
Close Up Fellowships	Ready to Teach
Community Technology Centers	Recreational Programs
Comprehensive School Reform	Regional Educational Laboratories
Demonstration Projects for Students with Disabilities	Safe and Drug-Free Schools and Communities State Grants
Educational Technology State Grants	School Dropout Prevention
Elementary and Secondary School Counseling	School Leadership
Even Start	Smaller Learning Communities
Excellence in Economic Education	Star Schools
Exchanges with Historic Whaling and Trading Partners	State Grants for Incarcerated Youth Offenders
Federal Perkins Loans Cancellations	Supported Employment State Grants
Foreign Language Assistance	Teacher Quality Enhancement
Foundations for Learning	Tech-Prep Demonstration
Gaining Early Awareness and Readiness for Undergraduate Programs	Tech-Prep Education State Grants
Interest Subsidy Grants	Thurgood Marshall Legal Educational Opportunity Program
Javits Gifted and Talented Education	TRIO Talent Search
Leveraging Educational Assistance Partnerships	TRIO Upward Bound
Literacy Programs for Prisoners	Underground Railroad Program
Mental Health Integration in Schools	Vocational Education National Programs
	Vocational Education State Grants
	Women's Educational Equity