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§400.1 What is the purpose of the Vocational and Applied Technology Education Programs?

(a) The purpose of the Vocational and Applied Technology Education Programs is to make the United States more competitive in the world economy by developing more fully the academic and occupational skills of all segments of the population.

(b) The purpose will be achieved principally through concentrating resources on improving educational programs leading to academic and occupational skill competencies needed to work in a technologically advanced society.

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§400.2 What programs are governed by these regulations?

The regulations in this part apply to the Vocational and Applied Technology Education Programs as follows:

- (a) *State-administered programs.* (1) State Vocational and Applied Technology Education Program (34 CFR part 403).
- (2) State-Administered Tech-Prep Education Program (34 CFR part 406).
- (3) Supplementary State Grants Program (34 CFR part 407).
- (b) *National discretionary programs.* (1) Indian Vocational Education Program (34 CFR part 401).
- (2) Native Hawaiian Vocational Education Program (34 CFR part 402).
- (3) National Tech-Prep Education Program (34 CFR part 405).
- (4) Community Education Employment Centers Program (34 CFR part 408).
- (5) Vocational Education Lighthouse Schools Program (34 CFR part 409).
- (6) Tribally Controlled Postsecondary Vocational Institutions Program (34 CFR part 410).
- (7) Vocational Education Research Program (34 CFR part 411).
- (8) National Network for Curriculum Coordination in Vocational and Technical Education (34 CFR part 412).
- (9) National Center or Centers for Research in Vocational Education (34 CFR part 413).
- (10) Materials Development in Telecommunications Program (34 CFR part 414).
- (11) Demonstration Centers for the Training of Dislocated Workers Program (34 CFR part 415).
- (12) Vocational Education Training and Study Grants Program (34 CFR part 416).
- (13) Vocational Education Leadership Development Awards Program (34 CFR part 417).
- (14) Vocational Educator Training Fellowships Program (34 CFR part 418).
- (15) Internships for Gifted and Talented Vocational Education Students Program (34 CFR part 419).
- (16) Business and Education Standards Program (34 CFR part 421).
- (17) Educational Programs for Federal Correctional Institutions (34 CFR part 422).

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- (18) Vocational Education Dropout Prevention Program (34 CFR part 423).
- (19) Model Centers of Regional Training for Skilled Trades Program (34 CFR part 424).
- (20) Demonstration Projects for the Integration of Vocational and Academic Learning Program (34 CFR part 425).
- (21) Cooperative Demonstration Programs (34 CFR part 426).
- (22) Bilingual Vocational Training Program (34 CFR part 427).
- (23) Bilingual Vocational Instructor Training Program (34 CFR part 428).
- (24) Bilingual Materials, Methods, and Techniques Program (34 CFR part 429).

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§ 400.3 What other regulations apply to the Vocational and Applied Technology Education Programs?

The following regulations apply to the Vocational and Applied Technology Education Programs:

- (a) The Education Department General Administrative Regulations (EDGAR) as follows:
- (1) 34 CFR part 74 (Administration of Grants to Institutions of Higher Education, Hospitals, and Nonprofit Organizations).
- (2) 34 CFR part 75 (Direct Grant Programs) (applicable to parts 401, 402, 405, 408, 409, 410, 411, 412, 413, 414, 415, 416, 417, 418, 419, 421, 422, 423, 424, 425, 426, 427, 428, and 429 except that 34 CFR 75.720(b) does not apply to performance reports under parts 401, 402, 405, 408, 409, 412, 413, 415, 416, 417, 419, 422, 423, 424, 425, 426, 427, and 428, and to financial reports under parts 412 and 413).
- (3) 34 CFR part 76 (State-Administered Programs) (applicable to parts 403, 406, and 407).
- (4) 34 CFR part 77 (Definitions that Apply to Department Regulations).
- (5) 34 CFR part 79 (Intergovernmental Review of Department of Education Programs and Activities) (not applicable to parts 401, 410, 411, 413, 418, and 419).
- (6) 34 CFR part 80 (Uniform Administrative Requirements for Grants and Cooperative Agreements to State and Local Governments).
- (7) 34 CFR part 81 (General Education Provisions Act—Enforcement).

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- (8) 34 CFR part 82 (New Restrictions on Lobbying) (not applicable to parts 401 and 410).
- (9) 34 CFR part 85 (Governmentwide Debarment and Suspension (Nonprocurement) and Governmentwide Requirements for Drug-Free Workplace (Grants)).
- (10) 34 CFR part 86 (Drug-Free Schools and Campuses).
- (b) The Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR) in 48 CFR chapter 1 and the Education Department Acquisition Regulation (EDAR) in 48 CFR chapter 34 (applicable to contracts under parts 401, 402, 411, 412, 426, 427, 428, and 429).
- (c) The regulations in this part 400.
- (d) The regulations in 34 CFR parts 401, 402, 403, 405, 406, 407, 408, 409, 410, 411, 412, 413, 414, 415, 416, 417, 418, 419, 421, 422, 423, 424, 425, 426, 427, 428, and 429.

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§ 400.4 What definitions apply to the Vocational and Applied Technology Education Programs?

- (a) *Definitions in EDGAR.* The following terms used in regulations for the Vocational and Applied Technology Education Programs are defined in 34 CFR 77.1:

Acquisition
Applicant
Application
Award
Budget
Contract
Department
EDGAR
Elementary school
Facilities
Federally recognized Indian tribal government
Fiscal year
Grant
Grantee
Grant period
Nonprofit
Private
Project
Public
Recipient
Secondary school
Secretary
State educational agency
Subgrant
Subgrantee
Supplies