



**STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA**  
**DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION**

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*STATE SUPERINTENDENT OF EDUCATION*

**MEMORANDUM**

**TO:** District Superintendents

**FROM:** John R. Payne, Director, Office of Special Education Services  
Roy Stehle, Director, Office of Federal and State Accountability

**DATE:** March 15, 2016

**RE:** Continued Guidance regarding Using Federal Funds for Summer Reading Camps

This memorandum is to provide continued guidance with regards to the use of federal funds for summer reading camps. In a memorandum dated April 7, 2015, the South Carolina Department of Education (SCDE) issued guidance related to the use of federal funds for summer reading camps, as outlined in Proviso 1.67 (previously Proviso 1.79 of the 2014–15 Appropriations Act; and Proviso 1.84 of the 2013–14 Appropriations Act). The guidance provided in the April 7, 2015, memorandum (attached) remains in effect for the use of federal funds.

Contingent upon any language change to future provisos, changes to federal or state statutes or regulations governing the use of federal funds, the information contained in the April 7, 2015, memorandum remains in effect. Should any information or requirements change, the SCDE will notify District Superintendents with updated guidance.

Should you have any questions regarding this, please contact John Payne in the Office of Special Education Services at (803) 734-8224, or [jrpayne@ed.sc.gov](mailto:jrpayne@ed.sc.gov); or Roy Stehle in the Office of Federal and State Accountability at (803) 734-8118, or [rstehle@ed.sc.gov](mailto:rstehle@ed.sc.gov).

cc: District Directors of Special Education  
District Directors of Federal Programs