**Strengthening Career and Technical Education for the 21st Century,
Advancing Career and Technical Education through
Entrepreneurship Education and Training (EET) Grant
2021-2022 Request for Proposal (RFP)
Questions and Answers
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(Week 1)**

Question #1: Is an agency eligible to apply for the EET Grant if they have a program, they would like to implement for 5th graders?

Answer #1: This would be permissible if 5th graders are enrolled in middle grades CTE courses identified in the Course Code Directory.

Question #2: If an agency is planning to provide a certificate in Entrepreneurship on Start-up Venture, can the agency use grant funds to pay for the tuition of participants? Is this an allowable expense?

Answer #2: No, an eligible agency cannot use grant funds to pay for tuition and fees for students.

Question #3: Is an agency eligible to use grant funds to pay College students to mentor high school students?

Answer #3: No. Agencies are allowed to use Perkins V funds to hire Career Technical Education (CTE) program instructional staff.

Question #4: Are stipends for students allowed?

Answer #4: No, Perkins V funds cannot be used to pay stipends to mentors.

Question #5: Is an agency eligible to use grant funds to pay for tuition and fees for students?

Answer #5: No, an eligible agency cannot use grant funds to pay for tuition and fees for students.

Question #6: Can grant funds be used to pay for books (instructional materials)?

Answer #6: Yes, Perkins V funds can be used to pay for instructional materials related to an approved CTE program.

Question #7: Can a proposal from an eligible agency include activities and events that target secondary and post-secondary students?

Answer #7: Yes.

Question #8: If an eligible agency developed EET activities primarily geared toward currently enrolled CTE students, would the agency be allowed to make the activities available to other students and community members, with the intention that this could spur recruitment for future enrollment in qualified CTE courses and certificate programs?

We are thinking of developing an entrepreneurship "Bootcamp" but would like the opportunity to include those who might not be currently enrolled in a CTE program.

Answer #8: It would be permissive to include students not currently enrolled in CTE coursework if space permits. Please note it is the intention of this grant to scale entrepreneurial mindsets and capabilities in secondary and postsecondary CTE students and activities wholly targeted at non-CTE students is not permissive.