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TOPICS:	Louisiana Early Start Program – 2012-2013

Please be advised that at the present time, funding for the Louisiana Early Start Program, as currently administered by the Louisiana Office of Student Financial Assistance, was **not** included in Governor Bobby Jindal's Executive Budget for the 2012-13 fiscal year that begins July 1, 2012.

Funding for TOPS Tech Early Start did remain in the Executive Budget for LOSFA. We encourage you to examine this as an alternative for eligible students.

We will notify you if anything changes as a result of the Legislative Session. Keep in mind, however, that any changes that occur would not be official until the end of the session, which will be after the end of this school year.

Please assist our office by notifying those who may have an interest in this information.