

APPENDIX 3

HIGH-NEED LOCAL EDUCATIONAL AGENCY- The term high-need local educational agency means a local educational agency:

- (A)(i) that serves not fewer than 10,000 children from families with incomes below the poverty line; or
- (ii) for which not less than 20 percent of the children served by the agency are from families with incomes below the poverty line;

AND

- (B)(i) for which there is a high percentage of teachers not teaching in the academic subjects or grade levels that the teachers were trained to teach; or
- (ii) for which there is a high percentage of teachers with emergency, provisional, or temporary certification or licensing.

The United States Department of Education requires states to use U.S. Bureau of the Census data to determine poverty. The Nebraska Department of Education provided a list of all public school districts that meet the poverty criterion defined above as well as a list of public school districts with teachers who are teaching subjects other than those for which they are endorsed. Districts that meet both criteria, based on the most recent data available, are listed below.

School District	County (District Office)
Arnold Public Schools	Custer
Banner County Public Schools	Banner (Harrisburg)
Bayard Public Schools	Morrill
Chambers Public Schools	Holt
Crawford Public Schools	Dawes
Creighton Public Schools	Knox
Elba Public Schools	Howard
Ewing Public Schools	Holt
Garden County Schools	Garden (Oshkosh)
Gordon-Rushville Public Schools	Sheridan
Greeley-Wolbach Public Schools	Greeley
Hayes Center Public Schools	Hayes
Hyannis Area Schools	Grant
Keya Paha County Schools	Keya Paha (Springview)
Loup County Public Schools	Loup (Taylor)
Maxwell Public Schools	Lincoln
McPherson County Schools	McPherson (Tryon)
Minatare Public Schools	Scottsbluff
Niobrara Public Schools	Knox
North Loup Scotia Public Schools	Valley, Greeley (Scotia)
Omaha Public Schools	Douglas
Overton Public Schools	Dawson
Paxton Consolidated Schools	Keith
Rock County Public Schools	Rock (Bassett)

Sandhills Public Schools	Blaine (Dunning)
Santee Community Schools	Knox
Scottsbluff Public Schools	Scottsbluff
Shelton Public Schools	Buffalo
Sioux County Public Schools	Sioux (Harrison)
Southern Valley Schools	Furnas, Harlan (Oxford)
Spalding Public Schools	Greeley
Stapleton Public Schools	Logan
Theford Public Schools	Thomas
Umo N Ho N Nation	Thurston (Macy)
Walthill Public Schools	Thurston (Macy)
Wauneta-Palisade	Hayes, Chase, Hitchcock
Wausa Public Schools	Knox
West Holt Public Schools	Holt (Atkinson)
Wheeler Central Schools	Wheeler (Bartlett)
Winnebago Public Schools	Thurston

NOTE: many schools, especially those that are "county" or "consolidated" schools, serve several communities as well as a large number of rural areas

To obtain additional information on the individual districts, see the Nebraska Department of Education's web site: <http://www.nde.state.ne.us> (State of the Schools Report).