

# Federal Programs Focus

JUNE 2026 EDITION

"Great things grow in every season. Summer gives us the opportunity to reflect, recharge, and prepare for another year of student success."



## Important Dates

**September 30, 2026**

**FY24 and FY25 Obligation Deadline**

**FY26 Titles I and V Obligation Deadline for Titles I and V (85%)**

**June 23–26, 2026**

**MAFEPD Conference**

**Sheraton Refuge**

**Flowood, MS**

# Stronger Together

Summer is an important time for reflection, planning, and collaboration. As districts prepare for the upcoming school year, strong partnerships between district administrators, school leaders, and the Federal Programs Director are essential to ensuring student success.

Federal programs provide valuable resources that support students, teachers, and schools. When district and school leaders work closely with the Federal Programs Director, these resources can be aligned to district goals, school needs, and student outcomes. Collaboration helps ensure that funding decisions are strategic, meaningful, and focused on improving teaching and learning.

School leaders bring firsthand knowledge of student and staff needs, while Federal Programs Directors provide expertise in program requirements, compliance, and funding opportunities. Together, they create a shared vision that maximizes resources and supports continuous improvement.

As plans for the new school year take shape, let us continue working together to strengthen schools, support educators, and provide every student with the opportunity to succeed.