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(Wyo.)- Wyoming Getting \$1.1M From Feds For Schools In Most Need



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CHEYENNE, Wyo. (AP) - Wyoming is getting more money from the federal government to improve its lowest-achieving schools.

U.S. Secretary of Education Arne Duncan announced Monday that Wyoming will get \$1.1 million in 2013. It's the third year the state has gotten a grant from the department's School Improvement Grant Program.

Nine other states, including Colorado, are also getting money. Texas is getting the most at \$49.7 million.

The department says states will distribute the money to school districts that demonstrate the greatest need for it and show a strong commitment to using it to improve student performance.