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## **MEMORANDUM**

**TO:** Chief Academic Officers  
Directors, Exceptional Children Programs  
District MTSS Coordinators  
District PBIS Coordinators  
Charter School Directors

**FROM:** Amy Jablonski, Ph.D., Director *AJ*  
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**RE:** Training Allotments for Tiered Behavior Support-Program Report Code (PRC) 29 Funds

Historically, there has been the opportunity to apply, and if approved, access funding through Program Report Code (PRC) 118 funding to implement and sustain Positive Behavior Intervention and Support (PBIS) training efforts with your district's PBIS initiative.

The Integrated Academic and Behavior Systems (IABS) Division is pleased to announce the opportunity to request funds for your efforts with implementation of a Multi-Tiered System of Support (MTSS), specifically around building capacity of Tiered Behavior Support through Program Report Code (PRC) 29. If the application is approved, these funds can be utilized to build prevention and intervention supports at the district and school level in this area.

This opportunity for PRC 29 funds is separate and apart from funds already requested through the EC Division to support students with significant behavioral issues. Funding allocations should not be combined, as they have been designated for two different purposes. The intent of the [option for PRC 29 funds for general education](#) is to support work towards building capacity for tiered behavior support and other specific supports, as outlined in the provided application, within an MTSS.

As noted in the application, funds may **only** be used to support professional development expenses and may **not** be used to fund positions. If you have carryover PBIS PRC 118 funds that were requested to support attendance at state sponsored PBIS training over the last two fiscal years, these funds may be spent as follows: (1) travel related to attending the 2018 PBIS Recognition Ceremony, and/or (2) Multi-tiered System of Support (MTSS) module training related to tiered behavior support.

[The Tiered Behavior Support PRC 29 Request for Funds](#) must be submitted to the IABS Division by **November 1, 2018**. If you have questions/concerns, please feel free to contact [Amy Jablonski](#).

c: Dave Machado, Director of Office of Charter Schools  
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## **INTEGRATED ACADEMIC AND BEHAVIOR SYSTEMS**

MTSS-MULTI TIERED SYSTEM OF SUPPORT

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