

Dear Parents

This letter provides information about the ESU 9 Title 1C Migrant Education Program (MEP) and its role in serving the region's students, families, and schools. The MEP operates in 18 counties: Blaine, Loup, Garfield, Wheeler, Custer, Valley, Greeley, Sherman, Howard, Dawson (with the exception of Lexington Public Schools), Buffalo, Hall (with the exception of Grand Island Public Schools and Doniphan Trumbull Public Schools), Hamilton, Gosper, Phelps, Kearney, Furnas, and Harlan. We aim to ensure equal access to education for children and youth from mobile, agricultural families, helping them achieve a high school diploma or equivalent.

We leverage our resources to provide customized educational and support services to accomplish this. All students in the MEP receive free meals, and they may also qualify for additional assistance such as homework help, tutoring, academic enrichment activities, and personalized instruction tailored to their specific needs. We encourage parental involvement and collaborate with local agencies to provide community resources, health services, and counseling. We aim to bridge educational gaps and promote the overall well-being of mobile students, ensuring equal opportunities for academic success.

During the 2022-2023 academic year, the MEP provided instructional services to 227 students and youth aged 0 to 21 across seven school districts. These services were designed to equip them with essential skills for success inside and outside the classroom. Furthermore, the MEP extends its support through summer school services, which are aimed at helping students achieve educational goals. These services provide instructional opportunities that reinforce the knowledge acquired during the academic year and facilitate the development of skills necessary for the upcoming school year.

In addition to focusing on educational services, the MEP offers support services that benefit students and their families, improving educational outcomes. The support services provided during the 2022-2023 school year encompassed 445 children and youth across 18 regional school districts. These services have played a vital role in their overall achievements and academic success.

Following federal MEP guidelines, we will evaluate MEP services at the beginning of the program year. This assessment will consider the students' priority status, the number of students at each location, and the level of need. If an in-person student assessment is deemed necessary, MEP staff will contact your school to discuss evaluating instructional services for the upcoming 2023-2024 academic year. We look forward to future collaborations with school districts in our region to continue promoting student success.



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# Title 1C Education Program



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**The following information is confidential and for Title 1C screening only.**

Please complete this form OR scan the QR code below to see if you or your child(ren) qualify for free services.

Referring school or agency: \_\_\_\_\_

Yes  No Is anyone in your household under the age of 22? (If no, completing the remainder of this survey is not necessary.)

Yes  No Has anyone in your household worked in or attempted to work in agriculture or fishing anywhere in the U.S. in the past 3 years? **If yes**, please mark each category that applies. \*

\*This is a limited list of potentially qualifying work; additional work may apply. If work was attempted or completed, that is related, please mark yes and continue.

**Livestock/Poultry**

- Processing*
- Packing*
- Feeding*
- Dairy*
- Eggs*
- Fence Mending*

**Harvest/Processing**

- Fruits*
- Vegetables*
- Nuts*
- Elevator*
- Potatoes*
- Beans*

**Land**

- Cultivation*
- Preparation*
- Greenhouse*
- Nursery*
- Sod*
- Forestry*
- Lumbering*

**Fishing/Shell-fishing**

- Lobstering*
- Elvers*
- Fishing*
- Shrimping*
- Crayfishing*
- Clamming*

**Other**

- Cannery*
- Apiary*
- Detasseling*
- Roguing*

Yes  No Has anyone in your household had a change in residence or traveled (due to work or in an attempt to seek work in a category listed above)?

**If all answers are yes**, please complete the remainder of the form and send to the contact listed below. A Title 1C recruiter will reach out to the young adult, parent, or guardian using the information given.

Young adult/Parent/Guardian Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_

Best day/time to call: \_\_\_\_\_ Email/WhatsApp: \_\_\_\_\_

Please list young adult and/or child(ren) information below (if additional room is needed, please list on the back of the page)

First Name	Last Name(s)	Grade	Date of Birth

If you would like to speak with us directly about our services, contact MEP Office: 308-698-8057.

PLEASE RETURN COMPLETED FORMS TO:

ESU 9 Title 1C, 5807 Osborne Drive West, Hastings, NE 68901  
(402) 463-9555 (fax), or [evelyn.binder@esu9.us](mailto:evelyn.binder@esu9.us)

Project recruiters are available for contact on the numbers listed below.  
This form can also be completed on-line by scanning the following QR code.



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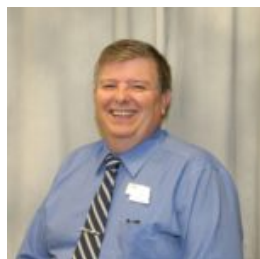


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