

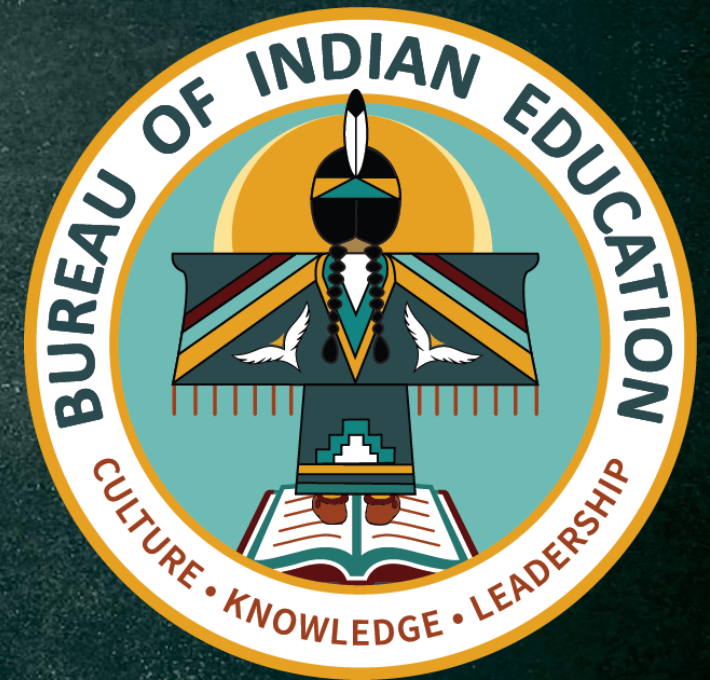


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FY 2025 Budget Formulation Tribal Preferred Program Ranking Tool Eastern Region

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Schools completed two categories out of the Ranking Tool

1. Category 6 – Education
 - 20 budget line items, Operation of Indian Education Programs

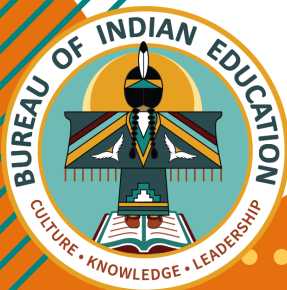
2. Category 7 – Construction
 - 4 budget line items that are education-related

EDUCATION – Rank Your Program Priority from 1-20

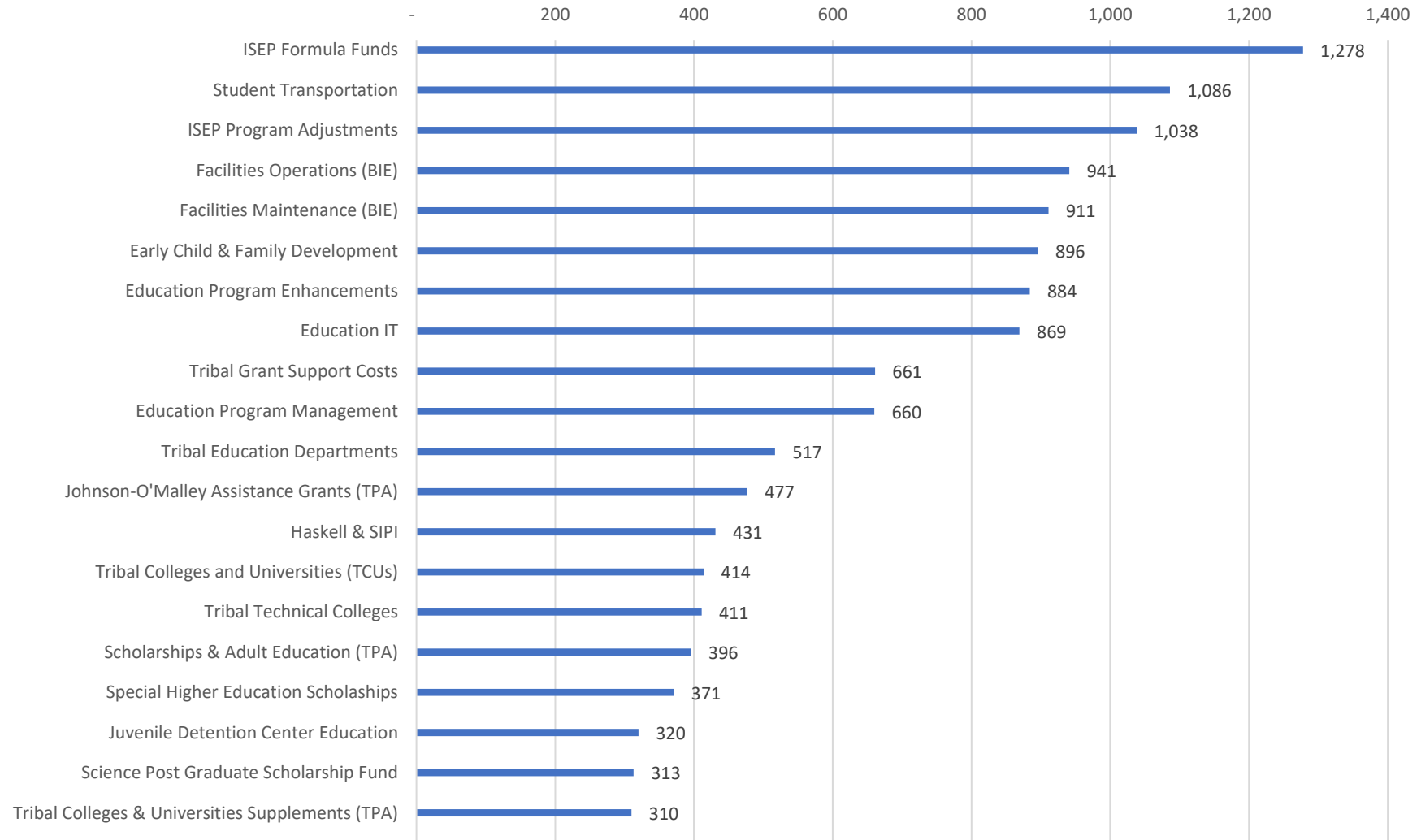
<i>Program</i>	<i>Priority (1-20)</i>
ISEP Formula Funds ISEP formula funds are the primary funding for basic and supplemental educational programs for American Indian and Alaska Native students attending BIE funded elementary and secondary schools. In SY 2013-2014, this funding will support an estimated 41,000 (Average Daily Membership) students at BIE schools and dormitories. The ISEP formula provides additional funding for schools with residential programs.	
ISEP Program Adjustments OIG reports highlighting safety and security issues in Bureau of Indian Education-funded schools were issued in 2008 and 2010. As part of an initiative to address safety and security issues in BIE funded schools, detailed surveys were conducted, and cost estimates generated for 20 schools in FY 2010 to identify and prioritize school specific risks and needs. A report was produced detailing the findings of the initial safe school audits.	
Education Program Enhancements This line provides critical services and resources to meet the unique needs of individual Tribes and their schools. It supports Education Resource Centers (ERCs) to provide technical assistance in improving instructional practices. It also funds the Native Language Immersion Grant program and supports teacher certification through the National Board Certification Training program.	
Tribal Education Departments Tribal Education Departments (TEDs) provide a multitude of services to promoting Tribal educational priorities. The goal of this program is to build the capacity of TEDs so they can coordinate educational services within reservations to better serve all Tribal members. The program creates opportunities to strengthen TED engagement with the multitude of other school systems operating within Tribal reservations. The program works to strengthen the management and oversight of the education programs including BIE funded schools, school operations, adult education, scholarships, and other programs funded by the Tribe and other federal agencies, under their jurisdiction.	
Student Transportation Transportation funds are used for bus leases, fuel, maintenance, vehicle replacements, driver salaries, staff training, and commercial costs of transporting students. Providing reliable student transportation to schools to facilitate daily attendance is a basic requirement of the BIE school system.	

EDUCATION CONSTRUCTION – Rank Your Program Priority from 1-4

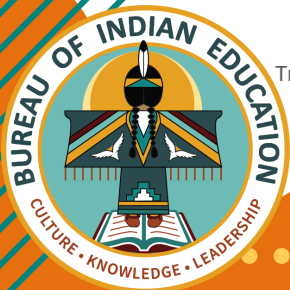
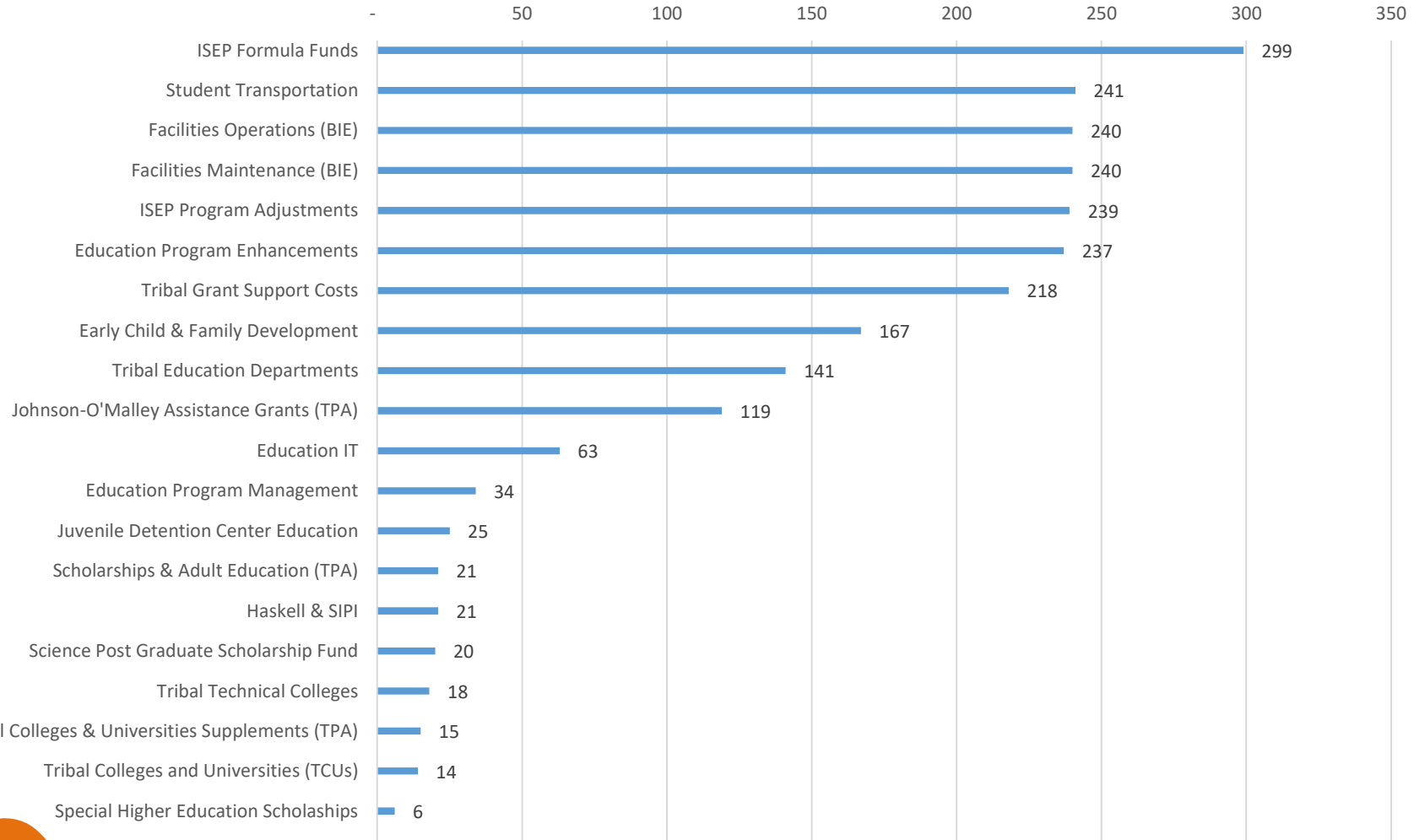
<i>Program</i>	<i>Priority (1-4)</i>
Educ Replacement School Construction The Replacement School Construction program replaces entire school campuses in poor condition that have been prioritized on a school replacement list.	
Educ Replacement Facility Construction This program is an essential component of the comprehensive plan to bring all 183 schools into acceptable condition. This funding source is used to replace individual facilities on school campuses when replacement of the entire school is not warranted. BIA is able to identify, by building, the status and the need for replacement.	
Educ Employee Housing Repair Indian Affairs maintains employee housing consisting of Single Family Houses, duplex, triplex, and apartment units. The majority are in poor condition with an average age of 69 years requiring frequent repairs and maintenance. These housing units are typically located in remote areas where private-sector housing is not available. Housing is provided to school employees such as principals, teachers, facility managers, security officers, and other staff as determined by the program.	
Educ Facilities Improvement & Repair Funds requested in FY 2013 will be used to improve the safety and functionality of facilities for the program's customers. The IA will seek to maximize the use of existing educational facilities by improving or rehabilitating these facilities in lieu of new construction.	



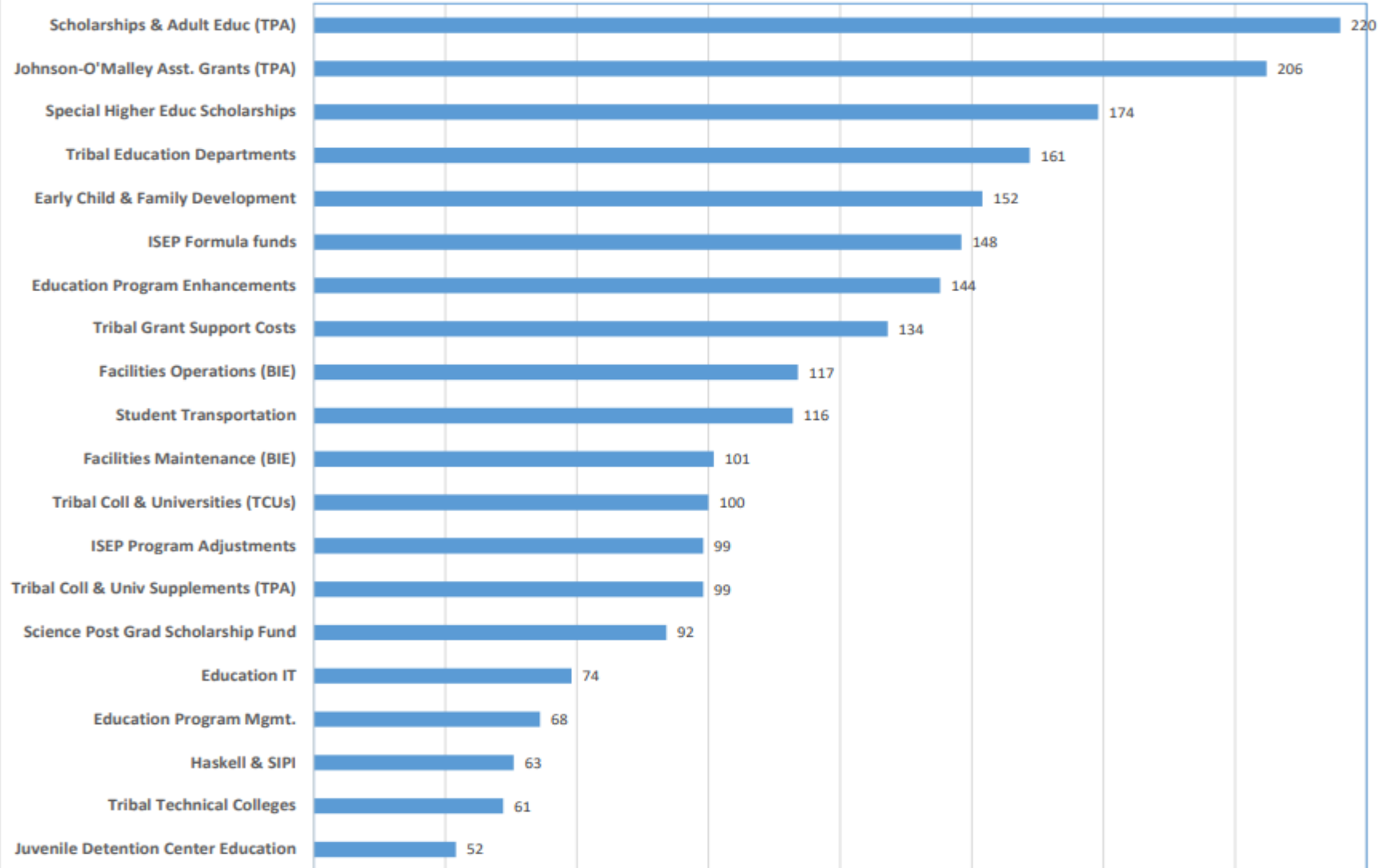
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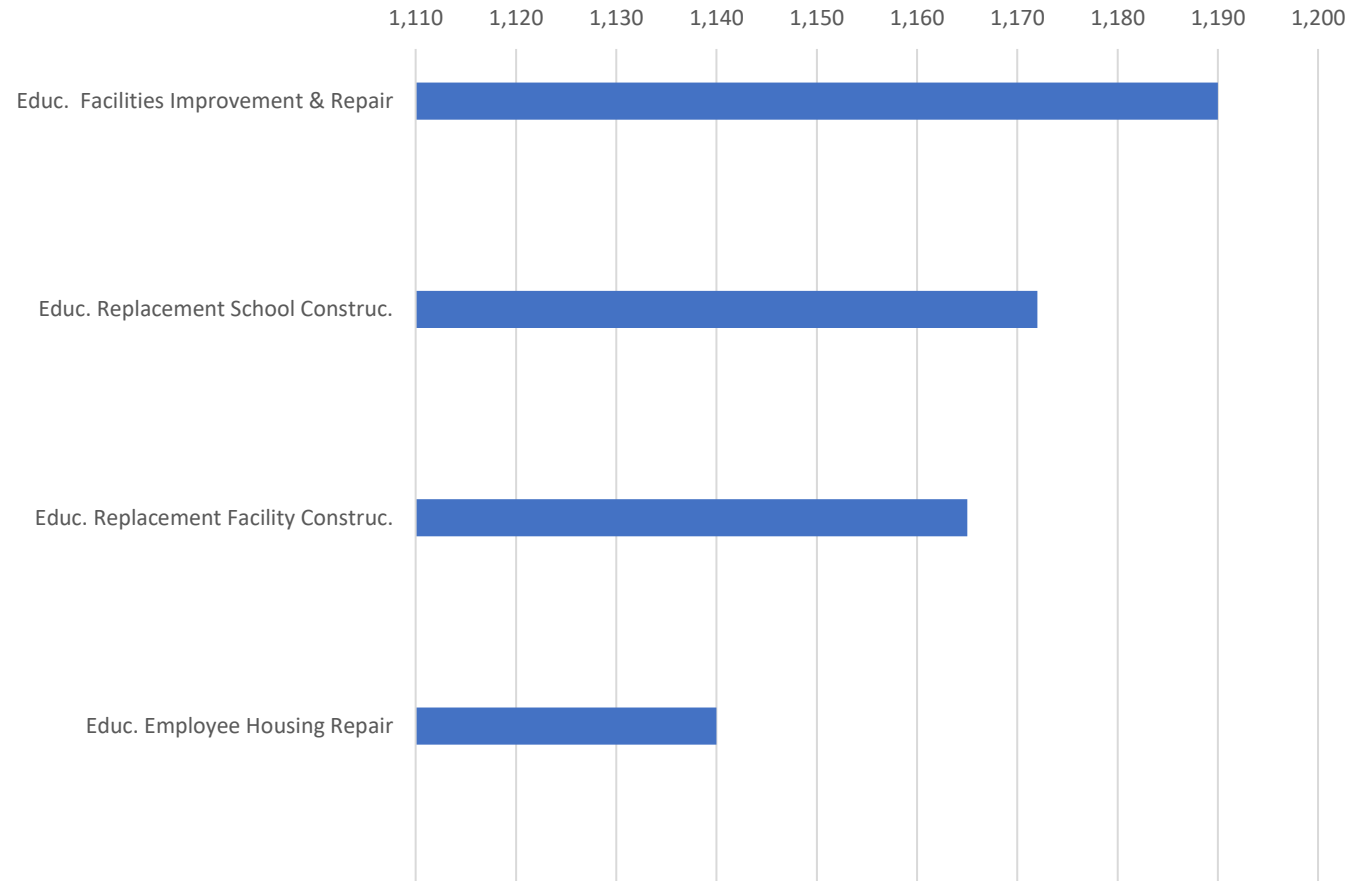
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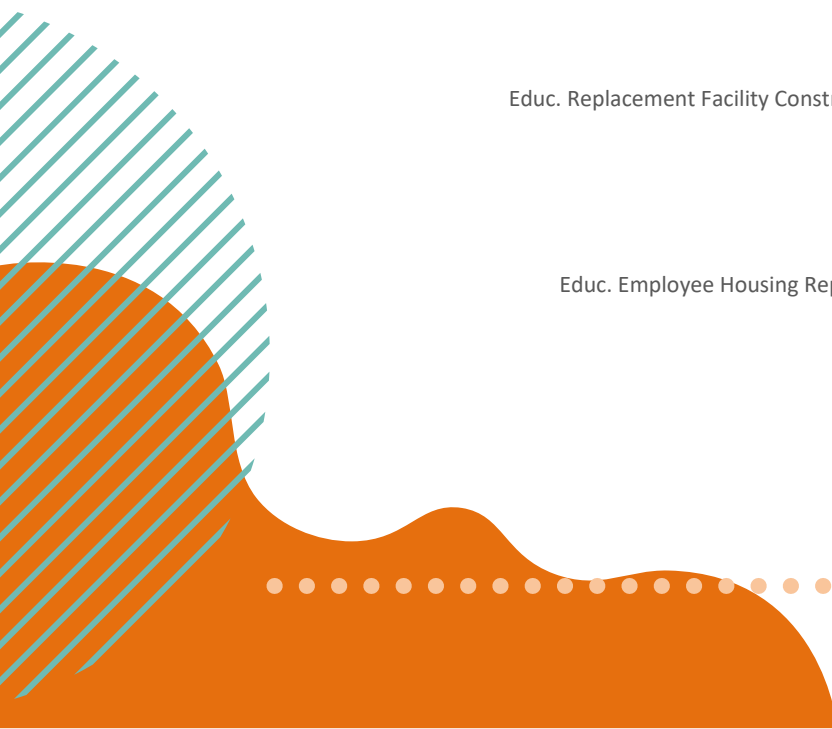
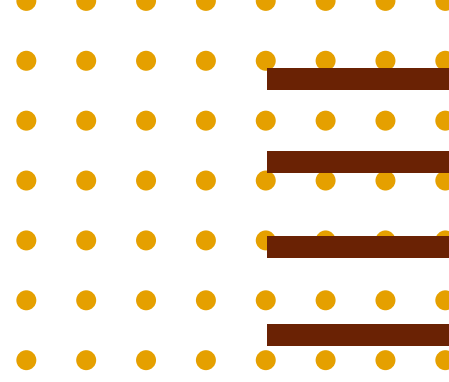
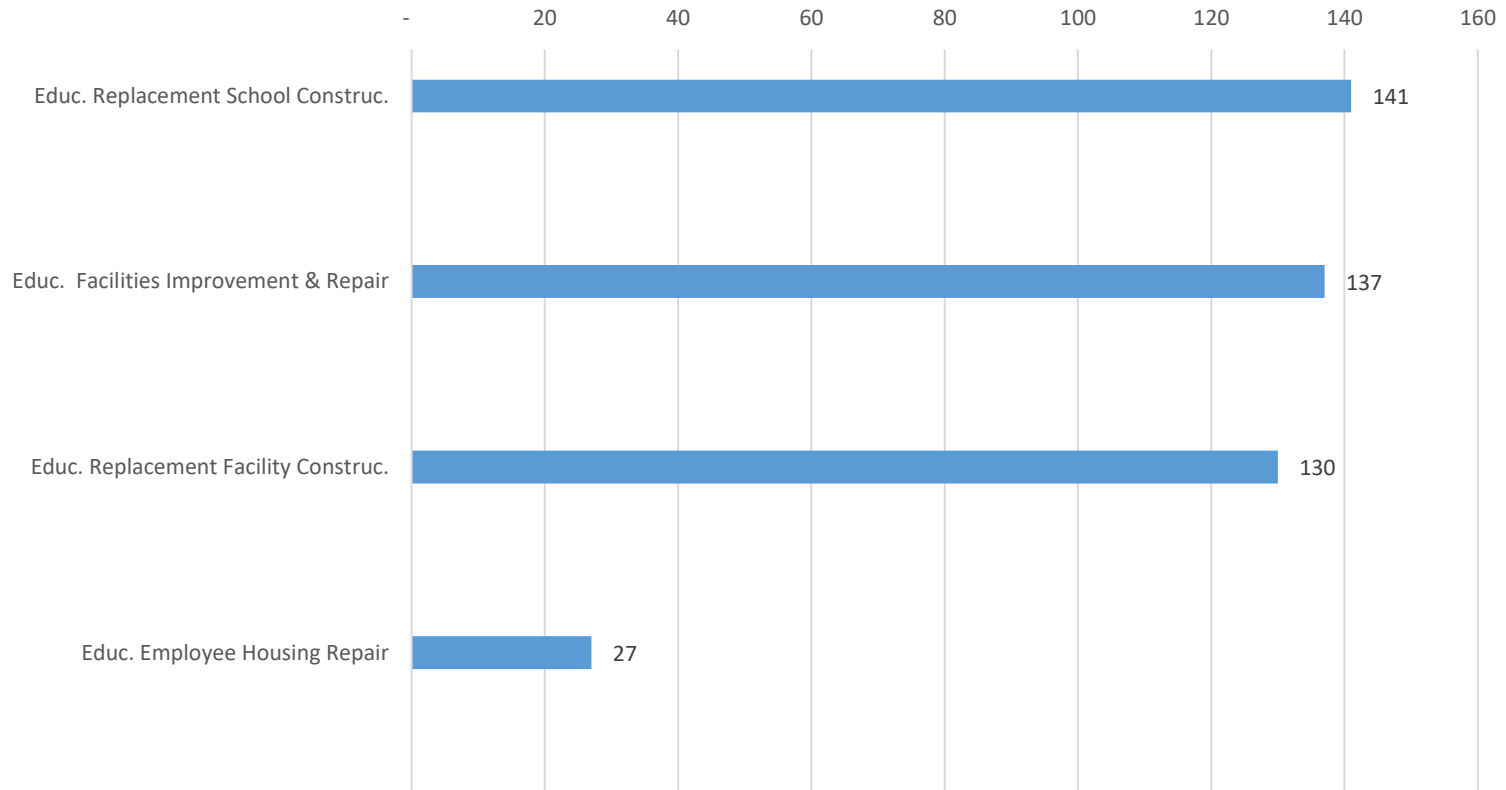
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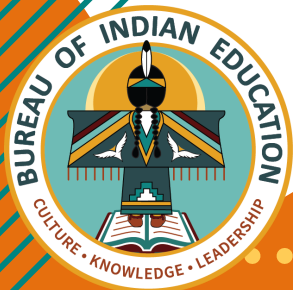
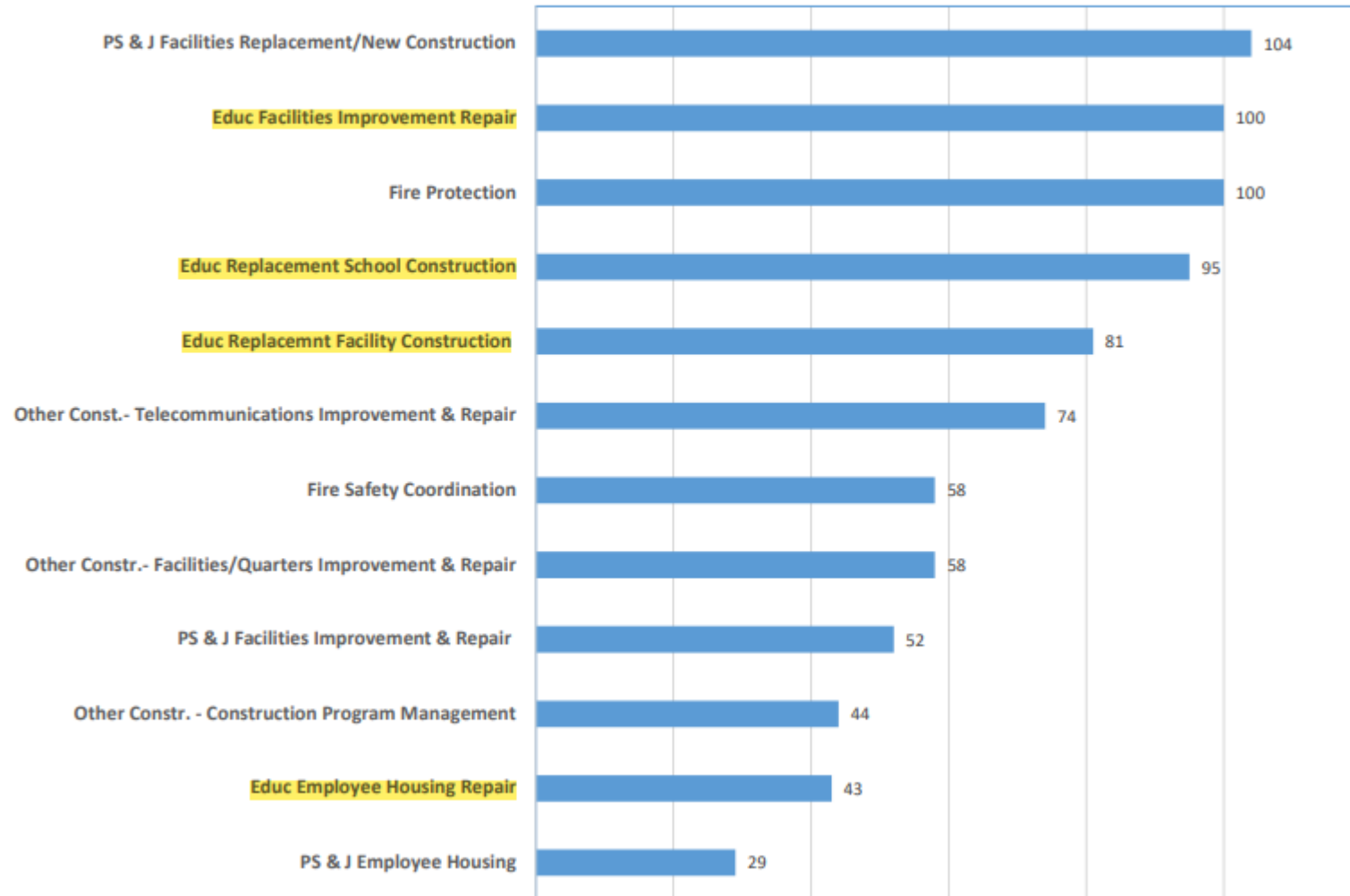
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Construction Category - Education



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