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LSGT _____

“Pulse Check” on School Finances and Resource Allocation Content

Directions: Select the best answer by choosing a, b, c, or d.

1. The Assistant Superintendent for Business operations
 - a. Is responsible for ensuring all athletic facilities are up to code
 - b. Works with district leadership to develop the annual budget.
 - c. Hosts an annual fundraiser
 - d. None of the above
2. Federal, state, and other grant programs are designed to allow school districts to
 - a. Improve course offerings for gifted students
 - b. Increase community buy-in through improved athletics
 - c. Better distribute resources in a more equitable manner
 - d. Reduce the number of students who rely on school busses for transportation
3. Title II funds
 - a. Support preparing, training, and recruiting high-quality teachers and principals.
 - b. Provide financial assistance to schools with high percentage of students from low-income families to help ensure all meet academic standards
 - c. Support English language instruction for students who are Limited English Proficient and Immigrant Students
 - d. None of the above
4. Bright from the Start is
 - a. State funding that provides positions for teachers who teach special education pre-k students
 - b. Federal funding to help plan, implement, and evaluate activities that prevent and treat substance abuse
 - c. Federal funding that is responsible for meeting the child care and early education needs of Georgia’s children and their families
 - d. State funding that is responsible for meeting the child care and early education needs of Georgia’s children and their families
5. Title I funding is driven by
 - a. The level of poverty
 - b. The number of enrolled students
 - c. Sustaining school staff paid for by Title I funds
 - d. All of the above
6. School checking accounts are used
 - a. To pay salaries for all school based personnel
 - b. To support instructional and student activities
 - c. To incentivize students by providing a reward for good grades
 - d. To allocate funds received from state revenue

7. The largest income source in the yearly budget is
 - a. Local contributions
 - b. Ad Valorem Tax
 - c. State contributions
 - d. Federal contributions
8. The largest expense in the yearly budget is
 - a. Instruction
 - b. Maintenance
 - c. School Nutrition
 - d. Transportation
9. An annual external audit
 - a. Insures financial statements are audited annually
 - b. Is conducted by the Georgia Department of Audits and Accounts
 - c. Provides another level of oversight of financials
 - d. All of the above

Consider Other Funding in Conjunction with Charter QBE Funds

Charter QBE Funds

State Grant Programs

Community-based Funds

School Based Funds

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10. Look at the slide above. What is the missing source in the dark green shaded area that LSGTs should consider in conjunction with Charter Innovation Grants?
 - a. SPLOST Funding
 - b. Federal Funding
 - c. Donations
 - d. None of the Above