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2020-21 National Teacher and Principal Survey (NTPS 2020-21)
Teacher Promised Incentive Increase Change Request

Agency/Subagency U.S. Department of Education, Institute of Education Sciences		OMB Control Number 1850-0598 v.40
Agency form number(s)	NA	NA
Annual reporting and record keeping hour burden		
Number of respondent	91,904	91,904
Total annual responses	91,904	91,904
Percent of these responses collected electronically	56%	56%
Total annual hours	45,658	45,658
Difference		0
Explanation of difference		
Program change		0
Adjustment		0
Annual reporting and record keeping cost burden (in thousands of dollars)		
Total annualized capital/startup costs	NA	NA
Total annual costs (O&M)	NA	NA
Total annualized cost requested	NA	NA
Difference		NA
Explanation of difference		
Program change		NA
Adjustment		NA

Otherchange**

The National Teacher and Principal Survey (NTPS), conducted every two to three years by the National Center for Education Statistics (NCES), is a system of related questionnaires that provides descriptive data on the context of elementary and secondary education. Redesigned from the Schools and Staffing Survey (SASS) with a focus on flexibility, timeliness, and integration with other ED data, the NTPS system allows for school, principal, and teacher characteristics to be analyzed in relation to one another. NTPS is an in-depth, nationally representative survey of first through twelfth grade public and private school teachers, principals, and schools. Kindergarten teachers in schools with at least a first grade are also surveyed. NTPS utilizes core content and a series of rotating modules to allow timely collection of important education trends as well as trend analysis. The NTPS 2019-20 preliminary activities were approved in July 2019, with a change request approved in November 2019 (OMB# 1850-0598 v.26-27). OMB approved the main study for 2020-21 in March 2020 (OMB# 1850-0598 v.28-30). In March 2020 it became clear that questions needed to distinguish between typical practices (the intent of these questions) and changes implemented by schools due to the coronavirus. Changes approved in May through December of 2020 added and refined questionnaire items that directly addressed the impact of the global coronavirus pandemic, as well as refined communication materials and the incentive plan (OMB# 1850-0598 v.31-39). Even with all of the above listed changes, response rates for NTPS 2020-21 continue to fall short of expectations. This request increases the promised incentives to teachers from \$5-10 to \$20. These changes do not affect the cost to the government or participant burden.

Signature of Senior Official or designee:	Date:	For OIRA Use
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