

**HBCUs (Strengthening Historically Black Colleges and Universities;
Title III-Part B, Section 323) Legislative Allowable Activities:**

1. Purchase, rental, or lease of scientific or laboratory equipment for educational purposes, including instructional and research purposes.
2. Construction, maintenance, renovation, and improvement in classrooms, libraries, laboratories, and other instructional facilities, including purchase or rental of telecommunications and technology equipment or services.
3. Support of faculty exchanges, faculty development, and faculty fellowships to assist in attaining advanced degrees in the field of instruction of the faculty.
4. Academic instruction in disciplines in which Black Americans are underrepresented.
5. Purchase of library books, periodicals, and other educational materials, including telecommunications program material.
6. Tutoring, counseling, and student service programs designed to improve academic success.
7. Funds management, administrative management, and acquisition of equipment for use in strengthening funds management.
8. Joint use of facilities, such as laboratories and libraries.
9. Establishing or improving a development office to strengthen or improve contributions from alumni and the private sector.
10. Establishing or enhancing a program of teacher education designed to qualify students to teach in a public elementary or secondary school in the State that shall include, as part of such program, preparation for teacher certification.
11. Establishing community outreach programs which will encourage elementary and secondary students to develop the academic skills and the interest to pursue postsecondary education.
12. Establishing or improving an endowment fund.
13. Acquisition of real property in connection with the construction, renovation, or addition to or improvement of campus facilities.
14. Education or financial information designed to improve financial literacy and economic literacy of students or the students' families, especially with regard to student indebtedness and student assistance programs under Title IV.
15. Services necessary for the implementation of projects or activities that are described in the grant application and that are approved, in advance, by the Secretary, except that not more than two percent of the grant amount may be used for this purpose.