

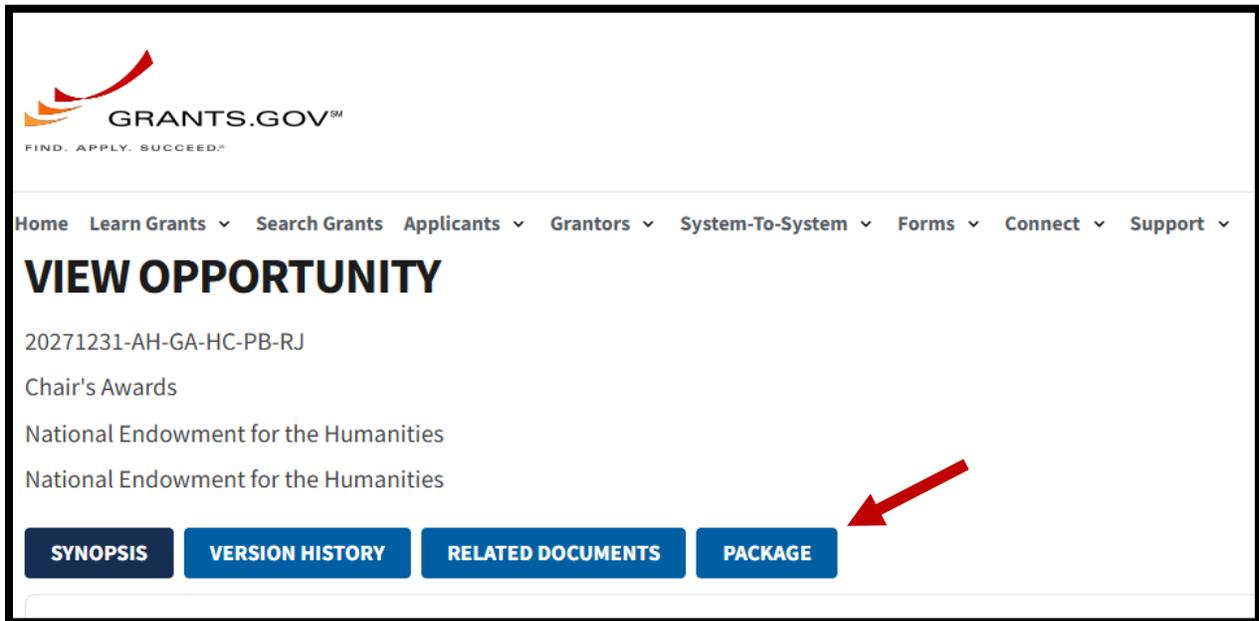
Celebrate America!

How to Apply: Step-by-Step Guide

Grants for *Celebrate America!* will be reviewed on a rolling basis and offered as Chairman's Awards. Please refer to the images below to assist you in navigating to the correct application package in Grants.gov.

Log in to your Grants.gov account and follow this link to the opportunity: <https://grants.gov/search-results-detail/357263>. Note that you must use the direct link; you will not be able to find the package through a traditional search of open opportunities.

Select the "package" button.



Find the second opportunity listed, "Chairman's Awards: Celebrate America!" and click "Apply."

Opportunity Package(s) Currently Available for this Funding Opportunity:

Assistance Listing Number	Competition ID	Competition Title	Opportunity Package ID	Opening Date	Closing Date	Actions
45.129	SP2027	Chairman's Awards: Office of Federal/State Partnership	PKG00290516	Mar 28, 2025	Dec 31, 2027	Preview Apply
45.130	ZZ2027	Chairman's Awards: Celebrate America!	PKG00290515	Mar 28, 2025	Dec 31, 2027	Preview Apply
45.149	PB2027	Chairman's Awards: Division of Preservation and Access	PKG00288847	Nov 20, 2024	Dec 31, 2027	Preview Apply
45.159	DE2027	Chairman's Awards: Office of Data and Evaluation	PKG00290445	Jan 22, 2025	Dec 31, 2027	Preview Apply
45.161	RJ2027	Chairman's Awards: Division of Research	PKG00288848	Nov 20, 2024	Dec 31, 2027	Preview Apply
45.162	AH2027	Chairman's Awards: Division of Education	PKG00288844	Nov 20, 2024	Dec 31, 2027	Preview Apply
45.164	GA2027	Chairman's Awards: Division of Public Programs	PKG00288845	Nov 20, 2024	Dec 31, 2027	Preview Apply
45.169	HC2027	Chairman's Awards: Office of Digital Humanities	PKG00288846	Nov 20, 2024	Dec 31, 2027	Preview Apply

The page that opens should have text describing the **Selected Opportunity Package**. The Opportunity Package ID should be PKG00290515 and the Assistance Listing should be 45.130.

Selected Opportunity Package: [Back to Packages](#)

Opportunity Package ID:	PKG00290515	Opening Date:	Mar 28, 2025
Assistance Listings:	45.130	Closing Date:	Dec 31, 2027
Competition ID Title:	Chairman's Awards: Celebrate America!		

Click on the red “Apply” button on this page.



The package forms include both **mandatory** and **optional** forms.

Mandatory Forms
(Click to Preview)

[Application for Federal Domestic Assistance-Short Organizational \[V3.0\]](#)
[Supplementary Cover Sheet for NEH Grant Programs \[V3.0\]](#)
[Research & Related Budget 10YR \[V3.0\]](#)
[Project/Performance Site Location\(s\) \[V4.0\]](#)
[Attachments \[V1.2\]](#)

Optional Forms
(Click to Preview)

[Disclosure of Lobbying Activities \(SF-LLL\) \[V2.0\]](#)
[Grants.gov Lobbying Form \[V1.1\]](#)

Refer to the [“Chairman’s Awards: Celebrate America!” Notice of Funding Opportunity](#) for detailed instructions for filling out each form.

For the **Supplementary Cover Sheet for NEH Grant Programs [V3.0]**, you will be asked to provide information about your project funding in section three. Note that this program ONLY provides Federal Matching funds; therefore, put \$0.00 in the Outright Funds box.

3. Project Funding

Outright Funds	\$0
Federal Match	(up to) \$25,000
Total from NEH	Same as Federal Match
Cost Sharing	Same as Federal Match
Total Project Costs	Double Federal Match

Here is an example of how to complete the form:

3. Project Funding

Outright Funds	\$0
Federal Match	\$25,000
Total from NEH	\$25,000
Cost Sharing	\$25,000
Total Project Costs	\$50,000

Likewise, when you fill out the **Research & Related Budget 10YR [V3.0]**, note that your budget must total the federal matching funds requested from NEH **plus** the required third-party, nonfederal gifts. See the [NEH Federal Matching Funds Guidelines](#) regarding the allowability of gifts for matching purposes.

In the example provided above, the total budget would be \$50,000. This will include direct and indirect costs. You will need to disregard the information in the Notice of Funding Opportunity on the top of page 17. Total project costs should not exceed \$50,000.

Learn about [types of funds NEH offers](#).

RESEARCH & RELATED BUDGET - Cumulative Budget		Totals (\$)
Section A, Senior/Key Person		<input type="text"/>
Section B, Other Personnel		<input type="text"/>
Total Number Other Personnel	<input type="text"/>	
Total Salary, Wages and Fringe Benefits (A+B)		<input type="text"/>
Section C, Equipment		<input type="text"/>
Section D, Travel		<input type="text"/>
1. Domestic	<input type="text"/>	
2. Foreign	<input type="text"/>	
Section E, Participant/Trainee Support Costs		<input type="text"/>
1. Tuition/Fees/Health Insurance	<input type="text"/>	
2. Stipends	<input type="text"/>	
3. Travel	<input type="text"/>	
4. Subsistence	<input type="text"/>	
5. Other	<input type="text"/>	
6. Number of Participants/Trainees	<input type="text"/>	
Section F, Other Direct Costs		<input type="text"/>
1. Materials and Supplies	<input type="text"/>	
2. Publication Costs	<input type="text"/>	
3. Consultant Services	<input type="text"/>	
4. ADP/Computer Services	<input type="text"/>	
5. Subawards/Consortium/Contractual Costs	<input type="text"/>	
6. Equipment or Facility Rental/User Fees	<input type="text"/>	
7. Alterations and Renovations	<input type="text"/>	
8. Other 1	<input type="text"/>	
9. Other 2	<input type="text"/>	
10. Other 3	<input type="text"/>	
11. Other 4	<input type="text"/>	
12. Other 5	<input type="text"/>	
13. Other 6	<input type="text"/>	
14. Other 7	<input type="text"/>	
15. Other 8	<input type="text"/>	
16. Other 9	<input type="text"/>	
17. Other 10	<input type="text"/>	
Section G, Direct Costs (A thru F)		<input type="text"/>
Section H, Indirect Costs		<input type="text"/>
Section I, Total Direct and Indirect Costs (G + H)		<input type="text"/>
Section J, Fee		<input type="text"/>
Section K, Total Costs and Fee (I + J)		<input type="text"/>

Section K. Total Costs and Fee (I +J) should not exceed \$50,000.

Reach out to CelebrateAmerica@neh.gov with any questions.