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3 By Representative Garrett  
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SYNOPSIS:

This bill makes supplemental appropriations from the Education Trust Fund Advancement and Technology Fund for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2024; to the public institutions of higher education in the amount of \$191,590,000; and to the Department of Education, the Board of Trustees of the Alabama Institute for Deaf and Blind, the Board of Youth Services School Districts, the Board of Directors of the Alabama School of Fine Arts, the Board of Trustees of the Alabama School of Math and Science, and the Board of Trustees of the Alabama School of Cyber Technology and Engineering in the amount of \$508,410,000.

A BILL  
TO BE ENTITLED  
AN ACT

To make supplemental appropriations from the Education Trust Fund Advancement and Technology Fund for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2024, to the public institutions of higher education in the amount of \$191,590,000, and to the Department of Education, the Board of Trustees of the Alabama Institute for Deaf and Blind, the Board of Youth Services

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29 School Districts, the Board of Directors of the Alabama School  
 30 of Fine Arts, the Board of Trustees of the Alabama School of  
 31 Math and Science, and the Board of Trustees of the Alabama  
 32 School of Cyber Technology and Engineering in the amount of  
 33 \$508,410,000.

34 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA:

35 Section 1. In addition to all other appropriations  
 36 heretofore or hereafter made, there is hereby appropriated a  
 37 total of \$191,590,000 from the Education Trust Fund  
 38 Advancement and Technology Fund to the public institutions of  
 39 higher education for the fiscal year ending September 30,  
 40 2024. This appropriation shall be expended as provided in  
 41 Section 29-9-4, Code of Alabama 1975. This appropriation shall  
 42 be distributed as follows:

43	Alabama Community College System	\$67,436,141
44	Alabama A&M University	4,074,652
45	Alabama State University	2,557,951
46	University of Alabama	23,795,702
47	University of Alabama Birmingham	16,468,785
48	University of Alabama Huntsville	7,082,613
49	Athens State University	2,463,212
50	Auburn University	21,421,527
51	Auburn University Montgomery	4,039,563
52	Jacksonville State University	7,739,645
53	University of Montevallo	2,090,836
54	University of North Alabama	7,440,515
55	University of South Alabama	9,445,823
56	Troy University	10,191,454

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57	Tuskegee University	689,724
58	University of West Alabama	4,651,857
59	Total	\$191,590,000

60           Section 2. In addition to all other appropriations  
61 heretofore or hereafter made, there is hereby appropriated a  
62 total of \$508,410,000 from the Education Trust Fund  
63 Advancement and Technology Fund to the Department of  
64 Education, the Board of Trustees of the Alabama Institute for  
65 Deaf and Blind, the Board of Youth Services School Districts,  
66 the Board of Directors of the Alabama School of Fine Arts, the  
67 Board of Trustees of the Alabama School of Math and Science,  
68 and the Board of Trustees of the Alabama School of Cyber  
69 Technology and Engineering, for the fiscal year ending  
70 September 30, 2024. This appropriation shall be expended as  
71 provided in Section 29-9-4, Code of Alabama 1975.

72           Section 3. (a) The Department of Education shall  
73 allocate the funds appropriated herein to the local boards of  
74 education and entities as follows:

75	Alabaster City	\$4,415,215
76	Albertville City	4,011,467
77	Alexander City	1,953,795
78	Andalusia City	1,244,524
79	Anniston City	1,232,553
80	Arab City	1,782,515
81	Athens City	3,281,554
82	Attalla City	1,029,889
83	Auburn City	6,611,904
84	Autauga County	6,275,699

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85	Baldwin County	21,400,012
86	Barbour County	472,555
87	Bessemer City	2,163,936
88	Bibb County	2,076,453
89	Birmingham City	13,968,009
90	Blount County	5,297,731
91	Boaz City	1,641,145
92	Brewton City	826,839
93	Bullock County	938,545
94	Butler County	1,911,212
95	Calhoun County	5,417,054
96	Chambers County	2,080,848
97	Cherokee County	2,598,647
98	Chickasaw City	1,729,014
99	Chilton County	5,258,343
100	Choctaw County	724,366
101	Clarke County	1,476,676
102	Clay County	1,233,395
103	Cleburne County	1,675,233
104	Coffee County	1,897,205
105	Colbert County	1,722,520
106	Conecuh County	956,203
107	Coosa County	557,229
108	Covington County	1,984,301
109	Crenshaw County	1,495,809
110	Cullman City	2,239,553
111	Cullman County	6,656,628
112	Dale County	2,225,055

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113	Daleville City	765,791
114	Dallas County	1,679,726
115	Decatur City	5,871,424
116	DeKalb County	5,893,681
117	Demopolis City	1,376,977
118	Dothan City	5,423,303
119	Elba City	449,420
120	Elmore County	7,988,354
121	Enterprise City	4,521,338
122	Escambia County	2,813,001
123	Etowah County	5,853,170
124	Eufaula City	4,183,975
125	Fairfield City	974,106
126	Fayette County	1,462,002
127	Florence City	3,114,487
128	Fort Payne City	2,355,401
129	Franklin County	2,455,417
130	Gadsden City	3,319,678
131	Geneva City	857,907
132	Geneva County	1,855,429
133	Greene County	602,831
134	Gulf Shores City	1,659,471
135	Guntersville City	1,245,402
136	Hale County	1,522,875
137	Haleyville City	1,099,538
138	Hartselle City	2,436,109
139	Henry County	1,701,808
140	Homewood City	3,030,620

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141	Hoover City	9,291,434
142	Houston County	4,663,656
143	Huntsville City	15,840,605
144	Jackson County	3,457,643
145	Jacksonville City	1,187,162
146	Jasper City	1,879,652
147	Jefferson County	24,365,230
148	Lamar County	1,489,946
149	Lanett City	646,748
150	Lauderdale County	5,329,852
151	Lawrence County	3,152,752
152	Lee County	6,287,284
153	Leeds City	1,451,962
154	Limestone County	10,589,248
155	Linden City	288,883
156	Lowndes County	809,427
157	Macon County	1,192,989
158	Madison City	8,494,154
159	Madison County	13,814,745
160	Marengo County	618,172
161	Marion County	2,254,684
162	Marshall County	3,972,710
163	Midfield City	701,548
164	Mobile County	34,719,974
165	Monroe County	2,072,381
166	Montgomery County	18,076,402
167	Morgan County	5,176,161
168	Mountain Brook City	3,033,112

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169	Muscle Shoals City	1,955,796
170	Oneonta City	981,479
171	Opelika City	3,434,403
172	Opp City	885,571
173	Orange Beach City	851,167
174	Oxford City	2,797,309
175	Ozark City	1,379,469
176	Pelham City	2,377,061
177	Pell City	2,824,340
178	Perry County	623,052
179	Phenix City	4,972,795
180	Pickens County	1,608,813
181	Piedmont City	743,499
182	Pike County	1,437,920
183	Pike Road City	1,879,161
184	Randolph County	1,401,831
185	Roanoke City	954,939
186	Russell County	2,474,479
187	Russellville City	1,768,017
188	Saraland City	2,317,066
189	Satsuma City	1,024,167
190	Scottsboro City	1,637,143
191	Selma City	1,738,844
192	Sheffield City	687,295
193	Shelby County	14,674,787
194	St. Clair County	6,527,791
195	Sumter County	671,076
196	Sylacauga City	1,429,144



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197	Talladega City	1,052,286
198	Talladega County	4,779,160
199	Tallapoosa County	1,872,490
200	Tallassee City	1,029,152
201	Tarrant City	867,526
202	Thomasville City	701,302
203	Troy City	1,188,741
204	Trussville City	3,505,456
205	Tuscaloosa City	7,303,833
206	Tuscaloosa County	12,934,539
207	Tuscumbia City	1,024,904
208	Vestavia Hills City	4,902,443
209	Walker County	4,737,518
210	Washington County	1,686,712
211	Wilcox County	796,648
212	Winfield City	838,213
213	Winston County	1,536,005
214	University Charter School	424,987
215	Cyber and Engineering, Alabama School of	178,336
216	MAEF Public Charter Schools	440,609
217	LEAD Academy	479,681
218	Legacy Prep	282,459
219	I-3 Academy	431,341
220	Youth Services School District, (Department of)	112,337
221	Deaf and Blind, (Alabama Institute for the)	231,345
222	Math and Science, (Alabama School of)	174,123
223	Fine Arts, (Alabama School of)	239,174
224	Life Academy	213,898

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225	Breakthrough Charter	166,891
226	Magic City Acceptance Academy	233,381
227	Empower Community School	97,102
228	AL Aerospace and Aviation	53,606
229	Teacher Professional Development	2,000,000
230	Total	\$508,410,000

231           (b) Notwithstanding any other laws to the contrary, the  
 232 funds appropriated to the Department of Education by  
 233 subsection (a) of this section shall not be expended without  
 234 prior approval of the State Superintendent of Education.

235           (c) (1) The above appropriation for teacher professional  
 236 development shall be allocated to the Alabama Department of  
 237 Education to be distributed to the Ed Farm Classroom of  
 238 Tomorrow. These funds will be used by Ed Farm to provide  
 239 technology tools and professional development services to  
 240 classroom teachers in an effort to improve instruction and  
 241 student learning gains. It is the intent of the legislature  
 242 that in addition to general programmatic costs, Ed Farm may  
 243 also expend funds for software, hardware, administrative  
 244 costs, and professional learning services.

245           (2) The State Superintendent shall provide a report of  
 246 the initiative to the Chair of the House Ways and  
 247 Means-Education Committee and the Chair of the Senate  
 248 Committee on Finance and Taxation-Education no later than  
 249 October 1, 2025.

250           Section 4. All funds not expended in the current fiscal  
 251 year shall not revert but be carried forward for the purpose

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252 appropriated.

253           Section 5. This act shall become effective immediately  
254 upon its passage and approval by the Governor, or upon its  
255 otherwise becoming law.