



1 SYNOPSIS:

2 To make supplemental appropriations from the
3 Education Trust Fund Advancement and Technology Fund
4 for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2025.

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6 A BILL

7 TO BE ENTITLED

8 AN ACT

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10 To make supplemental appropriations from the Education
11 Trust Fund Advancement and Technology Fund for the fiscal year
12 ending September 30, 2025, to the public institutions of
13 higher education in the amount of \$342,125,000, and to the
14 Department of Education, the Board of Trustees of the Alabama
15 Institute for Deaf and Blind, the Board of Youth Services
16 School Districts, the Board of Directors of the Alabama School
17 of Fine Arts, the Board of Trustees of the Alabama School of
18 Math and Science, the Board of Trustees of the Alabama School
19 of Cyber Technology and Engineering, and the Board of Trustees
20 of the Alabama School of Healthcare Sciences in the amount of
21 \$807,866,080, to the Department of Education in the amount of
22 \$100,000,000, and to reappropriate unexpended and reverted
23 funds from the fiscal year ending September 30, 2024 in the
24 amount of \$35,057,322.

25 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA:

26 Section 1. In addition to all other appropriations
27 heretofore or hereafter made, there is hereby appropriated a



28 total of \$342,125,000 from the Education Trust Fund
 29 Advancement and Technology Fund to the public institutions of
 30 higher education for the fiscal year ending September 30,
 31 2025. This appropriation shall be expended as provided in
 32 Section 29-9-4, Code of Alabama 1975. This appropriation shall
 33 be distributed as follows:

34	Alabama Community College System	\$126,530,406
35	Alabama A&M University	7,901,761
36	Alabama State University	4,380,745
37	University of Alabama System	80,045,407
38	Athens State University	4,378,421
39	Auburn University	37,876,092
40	Auburn University Montgomery	6,001,837
41	Jacksonville State University	13,743,270
42	University of Montevallo	3,513,270
43	University of North Alabama	13,202,648
44	University of South Alabama	16,909,551
45	Troy University	17,732,102
46	Tuskegee University	1,231,650
47	University of West Alabama	8,677,840
48	Total	\$342,125,000

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 50 Section 2. In addition to all other appropriations
 51 heretofore or hereafter made, there is hereby appropriated a
 52 total of \$807,866,080 from the Education Trust Fund
 53 Advancement and Technology Fund to the Department of
 54 Education, the Board of Trustees of the Alabama Institute for



55 Deaf and Blind, the Board of Youth Services School Districts,
 56 the Board of Directors of the Alabama School of Fine Arts, the
 57 Board of Trustees of the Alabama School of Math and Science,
 58 the Board of Trustees of the Alabama School of Cyber
 59 Technology and Engineering, and the Board of Trustees of the
 60 Alabama School of Healthcare Sciences, for the fiscal year
 61 ending September 30, 2025. This appropriation shall be
 62 expended as provided in Section 29-9-4, Code of Alabama 1975.

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

66	Alabaster City	6,926,074
67	Albertville City	6,331,994
68	Alexander City	3,073,828
69	Andalusia City	2,015,861
70	Anniston City	1,964,566
71	Arab City	2,818,081
72	Athens City	5,408,633
73	Attalla City	1,637,632
74	Auburn City	10,529,613
75	Autauga County	9,786,007
76	Baldwin County	34,272,644
77	Barbour County	704,828
78	Bessemer City	3,305,269
79	Bibb County	3,275,767
80	Birmingham City	21,948,726



81	Blount County	8,326,789
82	Boaz City	2,704,652
83	Brewton City	1,257,336
84	Bullock County	1,467,264
85	Butler County	2,946,095
86	Calhoun County	8,585,665
87	Chambers County	3,288,898
88	Cherokee County	4,126,656
89	Chickasaw City	2,760,472
90	Chilton County	8,462,905
91	Choctaw County	1,078,810
92	Clarke County	2,315,303
93	Clay County	1,969,986
94	Cleburne County	2,702,696
95	Coffee County	3,093,944
96	Colbert County	2,763,322
97	Conecuh County	1,460,671
98	Coosa County	859,119
99	Covington County	3,244,643
100	Crenshaw County	2,227,912
101	Cullman City	3,523,859
102	Cullman County	10,693,834
103	Dale County	3,584,485
104	Daleville City	1,297,455
105	Dallas County	2,499,193



106	Decatur City	9,229,308
107	DeKalb County	9,272,613
108	Demopolis City	2,167,119
109	Dothan City	8,594,773
110	Elba City	665,099
111	Elmore County	12,604,893
112	Enterprise City	7,148,128
113	Escambia County	4,396,084
114	Etowah County	9,359,877
115	Eufaula City	7,239,877
116	Fairfield City	1,461,844
117	Fayette County	2,363,916
118	Florence City	4,968,996
119	Fort Payne City	3,759,602
120	Franklin County	3,853,088
121	Gadsden City	5,225,581
122	Geneva City	1,379,705
123	Geneva County	2,969,062
124	Greene County	956,272
125	Gulf Shores City	2,833,224
126	Guntersville City	1,902,711
127	Hale County	2,358,049
128	Haleyville City	1,685,965
129	Hartselle City	3,876,384
130	Henry County	2,741,139



131	Homewood City	4,925,635
132	Hoover City	14,776,962
133	Houston County	7,529,765
134	Huntsville City	25,283,330
135	Jackson County	5,500,215
136	Jacksonville City	1,864,603
137	Jasper City	3,140,098
138	Jefferson County	38,511,393
139	The above appropriation to Jefferson County	
140	includes funding for the following project:	
141	Pinson Elementary School - playground	125,000
142	Lamar County	2,354,361
143	Lanette City	1,026,845
144	Lauderdale County	8,472,683
145	Lawrence County	4,971,957
146	Lee County	9,826,406
147	Leeds City	2,312,845
148	The above appropriation to Leeds City includes	
149	funding for the following project:	
150	Leeds - athletic facility renovations	1,500,000
151	Limestone County	17,045,776
152	Linden City	438,967
153	Lowndes County	1,284,324
154	Macon County	1,891,815
155	Madison City	13,814,040
156	Madison County	22,212,296
157	Marengo County	1,019,743



158	Marion County	3,623,822
159	Marshall County	6,386,250
160	Midfield City	1,101,719
161	Mobile County	54,226,168
162	The above appropriation to Mobile County	
163	includes funding for the following project:	
164	Mary G. Montgomery - school gymnasium	8,000,000
165	Monroe County	3,237,938
166	Montgomery County	28,330,785
167	The above appropriation to Montgomery County	
168	includes funding for the following projects:	
169	Park Crossing High School - computers and	
170	computer hardware	275,000
171	Pintlala Elementary School - playground	
172	equipment	100,000
173	Pintlala Elementary School - parking lot	
174	repavement/covered awning	200,000
175	Brewbaker Magnet - library technology	125,000
176	Pike Road Intermediate - library	
177	technology	100,000
178	Goodwyn Junior High School - tennis court	250,000
179	Goodwyn Junior High School - bleachers	
180	for gymnasium	100,000
181	Bear Elementary Magnet - HVAC and windows	1,000,000
182	Southlawn - football and soccer field	100,000
183	JAG High School - football and baseball	
184	field renovations	1,500,000
185	Morgan County	8,189,500
186	The above appropriation to Morgan County	
187	includes funding for the following project:	
188	East Morgan County Agricultural Education	
189	Center	750,000
190	Mountain Brook City	4,831,707
191	Muscle Shoals City	3,157,923
192	Oneonta City	1,532,249



193	Opelika City	5,635,380
194	Opp City	1,413,008
195	Orange Beach City	1,363,781
196	Oxford City	4,350,497
197	Ozark City	2,170,807
198	Pelham City	3,812,853
199	Pell City	4,486,669
200	The above appropriation for Pell City shall not be pledged, expended, or used in any manner until after January 1, 2026, when the newly appointed board of education has been installed.	
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205	Perry County	915,874
206	Phenix City	7,774,840
207	Pickens County	2,453,989
208	Piedmont City	1,142,844
209	Pike County	2,265,350
210	Pike Road City	3,004,430
211	Randolph County	2,236,517
212	Roanoke City	1,477,154
213	Russell County	4,063,292
214	Russellville City	2,810,370
215	Saraland City	3,846,155
216	Satsuma City	1,629,418
217	Scottsboro City	2,605,527
218	Selma City	2,751,700
219	Sheffield City	1,039,283
220	Shelby County	23,111,733



221	The above appropriation to Shelby County	
222	includes funding for the following project:	
223	Montevallo High School gymnasium	2,000,000
224	St. Clair County	10,283,421
225	Sumter County	1,040,199
226	Sylacauga City	2,183,938
227	Talladega City	1,627,574
228	Talladega County	7,573,516
229	Tallapoosa County	3,004,653
230	Tallassee City	1,610,588
231	Tarrant City	1,424,854
232	Thomasville City	1,078,139
233	Troy City	1,905,393
234	Trussville City	5,546,313
235	Tuscaloosa City	11,711,962
236	Tuscaloosa County	20,489,005
237	Tuscumbia City	1,732,175
238	Vestavia Hills City	7,661,969
239	Walker County	7,506,856
240	Washington County	2,615,081
241	Wilcox County	1,231,241
242	Winfield City	1,321,370
243	Winston County	2,452,816
244	University Charter School	723,882
245	Cyber Technology and Engineering, Alabama	
246	School of	410,134
247	MAEF Charter School	778,305



248	LEAD Academy	816,301
249	Legacy Prep	488,585
250	I-3 Academy	783,614
251	Youth Services School District, Department of	201,156
252	Deaf and Blind, Alabama Institute for the	367,378
253	Math and Science, Alabama School of	283,853
254	Fine Arts, Alabama School of	398,959
255	Life Academy	576,144
256	Breakthrough Charter	347,776
257	Magic City Acceptance Academy	375,044
258	Floretta P. Carson - Mobile	273,795
259	Ivy Classical Academy - Prattville	674,990
260	Healthcare Sciences, Alabama School of	124,046
261	Empower Community School	334,310
262	AL Aerospace and Aviation	180,370
263	Covenant Academy of Mobile	287,988
264	Teacher Professional Development	2,000,000
265	Totals	807,866,080

266 (b) Notwithstanding any other laws to the contrary, the
 267 funds appropriated to the Department of Education by
 268 subsection (a) of this section shall not be expended without
 269 prior approval of the State Superintendent of Education.

270 (c) (1) The above appropriation for teacher professional
 271 development shall be allocated to the Alabama Department of
 272 Education to be distributed to the Ed Farm Classroom of



273 Tomorrow. These funds will be used by Ed Farm to provide
274 technology tools and professional development services to
275 classroom teachers in an effort to improve instruction and
276 student learning gains. It is the intent of the legislature
277 that in addition to general programmatic costs, Ed Farm may
278 also expend funds for software, hardware, administrative
279 costs, and professional learning services.

280 (2) The State Superintendent shall provide a report of
281 the initiative to the Chair of the House Ways and
282 Means-Education Committee and the Chair of the Senate
283 Committee on Finance and Taxation-Education no later than
284 October 1, 2026.

285 Section 4. Notwithstanding the provisions of Section
286 29-9-4, Code of Alabama 1975, and in addition to all other
287 appropriations heretofore or hereafter made, there is hereby
288 appropriated a total of \$100,000,000 from the Education Trust
289 Fund Advancement and Technology Fund to the Department of
290 Education to provide matching grants to local education
291 agencies for expenses related to developing regional career
292 technology centers throughout the state, including capital
293 outlay and equipment. Grant proposals shall be submitted by a
294 collaboration of at least two local education agencies. The
295 State Superintendent of Education shall utilize a sliding
296 scale of matching requirements for grant proposals, taking



297 into consideration the financial capacity of the eligible
 298 local education agencies to provide matching funds, so long as
 299 the required match does not exceed 50 percent of the total
 300 cost of the project.

301 Section 5. Notwithstanding any other provisions of
 302 this act or any other act, in addition to the above
 303 appropriations, \$35,057,322 of Advancement and Technology Fund
 304 appropriations for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2024
 305 to the State Department of Education which were unexpended and
 306 reverted on September 30, 2024 are hereby reappropriated to
 307 the following local boards of education in the following
 308 amounts:

309	Opp City	\$1,266,147
310	Chambers County	\$2,975,100
311	Lowndes County	\$1,157,280
312	Marengo County	\$883,834
313	Montgomery County	\$25,844,793
314	MAEF Charter School	\$629,962
315	Pickens County	\$2,300,206

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317 Section 6. All funds appropriated herein and not
 318 expended in the current fiscal year shall not revert but be
 319 carried forward for the purpose appropriated.

320 Section 7. This act shall become effective immediately.