SB114 ENGROSSED



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- 2 QNHNK44-2
- 3 By Senator Orr
- 4 RFD: Finance and Taxation Education
- 5 First Read: 05-Feb-25



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7	SYNOPSIS:	
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To make supplemental appropriations from the

Education Trust Fund Advancement and Technology Fund

for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2025.

6 A BILL

7 TO BE ENTITLED

8 AN ACT

To make supplemental appropriations from the Education Trust Fund Advancement and Technology Fund for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2025, to the public institutions of higher education in the amount of \$342,125,000, 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, the Board of Trustees of the Alabama School of Cyber Technology and Engineering, and the Board of Trustees of the Alabama School of the Alabama School of Healthcare Sciences in the amount of \$807,866,080, to the Department of Education in the amount of \$100,000,000, and to reappropriate unexpended and reverted funds from the fiscal year ending September 30, 2024 in the amount of \$35,057,322.

25 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA:

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



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:

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

Section 2. In addition to all other appropriations heretofore or hereafter made, there is hereby appropriated a total of \$807,866,080 from the Education Trust Fund Advancement and Technology Fund 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, the Board of Trustees of the Alabama School of Cyber Technology and Engineering, and the Board of Trustees of the Alabama School of Healthcare Sciences, for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2025. This appropriation shall be expended as provided in Section 29-9-4, Code of Alabama 1975. Section 3. (a) The Department of Education shall

allocate the funds appropriated herein to the local boards of education and entities as follows:

Alabaster City	6,926,074
Albertville City	6,331,994
Alexander City	3,073,828
Andalusia City	2,015,861
Anniston City	1,964,566
Arab City	2,818,081
Athens City	5,408,633
Attalla City	1,637,632
Auburn City	10,529,613
Autauga County	9,786,007
Baldwin County	34,272,644
Barbour County	704,828
Bessemer City	3,305,269
Bibb County	3,275,767
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
139 140	The above appropriation to Jefferson County 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
145 146	The above appropriation to Lauderdale County includes funding for the following projects:	
147 148	Career Technical Center - new classroom construction	6,500,000
149	Career Technical Center - Ingress/egress	1,500,000
150 151	TM Rogers High School - storm damage repairs to football field	
152	Waterloo High School -	75,000
153 154	improvements/repairs to athletic field Lexington High School - parking lot and	100,000
155 156	lighting improvements Career Technical Center - training and	25,000
157 158	equipment Central High School - repairs to football	100,000
159 160	stadium and bleachers Career Technical Center - Veterinary	50,000
161 162	Assistant Program	122,683
163	Lawrence County	4,971,957
164	Lee County	9,826,406
165	Leeds City	2,312,845



The above appropriation to Leeds City includes funding for the following project:	
Leeds - athletic facility renovations	1,500,
Limestone County	17,045,
Linden City	438,
Lowndes County	1,284,
Macon County	1,891,
Madison City	13,814,
Madison County	22,212,
Marengo County	1,019,
Marion County	3,623,
Marshall County	6,386,
Midfield City	1,101,
Mobile County	54,226,
The above appropriation to Mobile County includes funding for the following project:	
Mary G. Montgomery - school gymnasium	8,000,
Monroe County	3,237,
Montgomery County	28,330,
The above appropriation to Montgomery County includes funding for the following projects:	
Park Crossing High School - computers and computer hardware	275,
Pintlala Elementary School - playground equipment	100,
Pintlala Elementary School - parking lot repavement/covered awning	200,
Brewbaker Magnet - library technology	125,
Goodwyn Junior High School - tennis court	250,
Goodwyn Junior High School - bleachers	
for gymnasium	100,
Bear Elementary Magnet - HVAC and windows	1,000



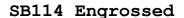
Southlawn - football and soccer field	100,000
JAG High School - football and baseball	
field renovations	1,500,000
Morgan County	8,189,500
The above appropriation to Morgan County	
includes funding for the following project:	
East Morgan County Agricultural Education	
	750 000
Center	750,000
Mountain Brook City	4,831,707
Muscle Shoals City	3,157,923
Oneonta City	1,532,249
Opelika City	5,635,380
Opp City	1,413,008
Orange Beach City	1,363,781
Oxford City	4,350,497
Ozark City	2,170,807
Pelham City	3,812,853
Pell City	4,486,669
The above appropriation for Pell City	
shall not be expended or used in any	
manner until after January 1, 2026, when	
the newly appointed board of education	
has been installed.	
Perry County	915,874
Phenix City	7,774,840
Pickens County	2,453,989
Piedmont City	1,142,844
Pike County	2,265,350
Pike Road City	3,004,430
The above appropriation to Pike Road City	
includes funding for the following project:	
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229	Pike Road Intermediate Library - library technology	100,000
231 232	Randolph County	2,236,517
233	Roanoke City	1,477,154
234	Russell County	4,063,292
235	Russellville City	2,810,370
36	Saraland City	3,846,155
37	Satsuma City	1,629,418
38	Scottsboro City	2,605,527
39	Selma City	2,751,700
240	Sheffield City	1,039,283
241	Shelby County	23,111,733
242 243	The above appropriation to Shelby County includes funding for the following project:	
44	Montevallo High School gymnasium	2,000,000
45	St. Clair County	10,283,421
46	Sumter County	1,040,199
47	Sylacauga City	2,183,938
48	Talladega City	1,627,574
49	Talladega County	7,573,516
50	Tallapoosa County	3,004,653
51	Tallassee City	1,610,588
52	Tarrant City	1,424,854
53	Thomasville City	1,078,139
54	Troy City	1,905,393
55	Trussville City	5,546,313
56	Tuscaloosa City	11,711,962



Tuscaloosa County	20,489,005
Tuscumbia City	1,732,175
Vestavia Hills City	7,661,969
Walker County	7,506,856
Washington County	2,615,081
Wilcox County	1,231,241
Winfield City	1,321,370
Winston County	2,452,816
University Charter School	723,882
Cyber Technology and Engineering, Alabama School of	410,134
MAEF Charter School	778,305
LEAD Academy	816,301
Legacy Prep	488,585
I-3 Academy	783,614
Youth Services School District, Department	of 201,156
Deaf and Blind, Alabama Institute for the	367,378
Math and Science, Alabama School of	283,853
Fine Arts, Alabama School of	398,959
Life Academy	576,144
Breakthrough Charter	347,776
Magic City Acceptance Academy	375,044
Floretta P. Carson - Mobile	273,795
Ivy Classical Academy - Prattville	674,990
Healthcare Sciences, Alabama School of	124,046
Empower Community School	334,310





AL Aerospace and Aviation	180,370
Covenant Academy of Mobile	287,988
Teacher Professional Development	2,000,000
Totals	807,866,080

- (b) Notwithstanding any other laws to the contrary, the funds appropriated to the Department of Education by subsection (a) of this section shall not be expended without prior approval of the State Superintendent of Education.
- (c) (1) The above appropriation for teacher professional development shall be allocated to the Alabama Department of Education to be distributed to the Ed Farm Classroom of Tomorrow. These funds will be used by Ed Farm to provide technology tools and professional development services to classroom teachers in an effort to improve instruction and student learning gains. It is the intent of the legislature that in addition to general programmatic costs, Ed Farm may also expend funds for software, hardware, administrative costs, and professional learning services.
- (2) The State Superintendent shall provide a report of the initiative to the Chair of the House Ways and Means-Education Committee and the Chair of the Senate Committee on Finance and Taxation-Education no later than October 1, 2026.
- 306 Section 4. (a) Notwithstanding the provisions of 307 Section 29-9-4, Code of Alabama 1975, and in addition to all



308 other appropriations heretofore or hereafter made, there is hereby appropriated a total of \$100,000,000 from the Education 309 310 Trust Fund Advancement and Technology Fund to the Department 311 of Education to provide matching grants to local education 312 agencies for expenses related to developing regional career 313 technology centers throughout the state, including capital outlay and equipment. Grant proposals shall be submitted by a 314 collaboration of at lease two local education agencies. The 315 316 State Superintendent of Education shall utilize a sliding scale of matching requirements for grant proposals, taking 317 318 into consideration the financial capacity of the eligible local education agencies to provide matching funds, so long as 319 the required match does not exceed 50 percent of the total 320 321 cost of the project.

(b) The State Superintendent of Education shall notify each local superintendent and finance officer of each local education agency by email regarding the availability and application process of grants to be awarded pursuant to this section, including any required forms. The State Superintendent shall notify all members of the local legislative delegation five days prior to the announcement of any grant made to any entity located in the legislative jurisdiction. The five days prior notice requirement shall be waived in the event of a declared emergency. The Governor

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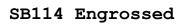
shall encourage the Department to disburse the funds provided herein on a nondiscriminatory basis.

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

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

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

353 Section 7. This act shall become effective immediately.





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358	to the Senate committee on Finance
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372	Patrick Harris,
373	Secretary.
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