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

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 \$907,875,000, and to reappropriate unexpended and reverted
22 funds from the fiscal year ending September 30, 2024 in the
23 amount of \$35,057,322.

24 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA:

25 Section 1. In addition to all other appropriations
26 heretofore or hereafter made, there is hereby appropriated a
27 total of \$342,125,000 from the Education Trust Fund

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

33	Alabama Community College System	\$126,530,406
34	Alabama A&M University	7,901,761
35	Alabama State University	4,380,745
36	University of Alabama	41,610,878
37	University of Alabama at Birmingham	26,904,867
38	University of Alabama in Huntsville	11,529,662
39	Athens State University	4,378,421
40	Auburn University	37,876,092
41	Auburn University Montgomery	6,001,837
42	Jacksonville State University	13,743,270
43	University of Montevallo	3,513,270
44	University of North Alabama	13,202,648
45	University of South Alabama	16,909,551
46	Troy University	17,732,102
47	Tuskegee University	1,231,650
48	University of West Alabama	8,677,840
49	Total	\$342,125,000

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 51 Section 2. In addition to all other appropriations
 52 heretofore or hereafter made, there is hereby appropriated a
 53 total of \$907,875,000 from the Education Trust Fund
 54 Advancement and Technology Fund to the Department of

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

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

67	Alabaster City	7,794,699
68	Albertville City	7,126,113
69	Alexander City	3,459,329
70	Andalusia City	2,268,677
71	Anniston City	2,210,949
72	Arab City	3,171,507
73	Athens City	6,086,950
74	Attalla City	1,843,013
75	Auburn City	11,850,171
76	Autauga County	11,013,306
77	Baldwin County	38,570,909
78	Barbour County	793,223
79	Bessemer City	3,719,795
80	Bibb County	3,686,593

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81	Birmingham City	24,701,397
82	Blount County	9,371,083
83	Boaz City	3,043,852
84	Brewton City	1,415,023
85	Bullock County	1,651,279
86	Butler County	3,315,575
87	Calhoun County	9,662,425
88	Chambers County	3,701,370
89	Cherokee County	4,644,195
90	Chickasaw City	3,106,674
91	Chilton County	9,524,269
92	Choctaw County	1,214,107
93	Clarke County	2,605,674
94	Clay County	2,217,049
95	Cleburne County	3,041,651
96	Coffee County	3,481,967
97	Colbert County	3,109,881
98	Conecuh County	1,643,859
99	Coosa County	970,493
100	Covington County	3,651,566
101	Crenshaw County	2,507,323
102	Cullman City	3,965,799
103	Cullman County	12,034,988
104	Dale County	4,034,028
105	Daleville City	1,460,174

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106	Dallas County	2,812,627
107	Decatur City	10,386,790
108	DeKalb County	10,435,525
109	Demopolis City	2,438,905
110	Dothan City	9,672,676
111	Elba City	748,512
112	Elmore County	14,185,719
113	Enterprise City	8,044,601
114	Escambia County	4,947,549
115	Etowah County	10,534,379
116	Eufaula City	8,147,857
117	Fairfield City	1,645,179
118	Fayette County	2,660,384
119	Florence City	5,592,176
120	Fort Payne City	4,231,108
121	Franklin County	4,337,005
122	Gadsden City	5,880,941
123	Geneva City	1,552,739
124	Geneva County	3,341,546
125	Greene County	1,076,202
126	Gulf Shores City	3,188,549
127	Guntersville City	2,141,337
128	Hale County	2,653,781
129	Haleyville City	1,897,408
130	Hartselle City	4,362,536

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131	Henry County	3,084,916
132	Homewood City	5,543,378
133	Hoover City	16,630,196
134	Houston County	8,474,101
135	Huntsville City	28,454,207
136	Jackson County	6,190,017
137	Jacksonville City	2,098,449
138	Jasper City	3,533,910
139	Jefferson County	43,341,249
140	Lamar County	2,649,630
141	Lanette City	1,155,625
142	Lauderdale County	9,535,274
143	Lawrence County	5,595,509
144	Lee County	11,058,772
145	Leeds City	2,602,907
146	Limestone County	19,183,550
147	Linden City	494,019
148	Lowndes County	1,445,396
149	Macon County	2,129,074
150	Madison City	15,546,510
151	Madison County	24,998,022
152	Marengo County	1,151,852
153	Marion County	4,078,299
154	Marshall County	7,187,173
155	Midfield City	1,239,890

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156	Mobile County	61,027,021
157	Monroe County	3,644,020
158	Montgomery County	31,883,854
159	Morgan County	9,216,576
160	Mountain Brook City	5,437,669
161	Muscle Shoals City	3,553,970
162	Oneonta City	1,724,414
163	Opelika City	6,342,134
164	Opp City	1,590,218
165	Orange Beach City	1,534,817
166	Oxford City	4,896,109
167	Ozark City	2,443,055
168	Pelham City	4,291,037
169	Pell City	5,049,358
170	Perry County	1,030,737
171	Phenix City	8,749,911
172	Pickens County	2,761,753
173	Piedmont City	1,286,173
174	Pike County	2,549,456
175	Pike Road City	3,381,226
176	Randolph County	2,517,007
177	Roanoke City	1,662,410
178	Russell County	4,572,884
179	Russellville City	3,162,829
180	Saraland City	4,328,516

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181	Satsuma City	1,833,769
182	Scottsboro City	2,932,295
183	Selma City	3,096,801
184	Sheffield City	1,169,623
185	Shelby County	26,010,711
186	St. Clair County	11,573,103
187	Sumter County	1,170,654
188	Sylacauga City	2,457,833
189	Talladega City	1,831,694
190	Talladega County	8,523,339
191	Tallapoosa County	3,381,478
192	Tallassee City	1,812,577
193	Tarrant City	1,603,550
194	Thomasville City	1,213,353
195	Troy City	2,144,355
196	Trussville City	6,241,897
197	Tuscaloosa City	13,180,803
198	Tuscaloosa County	23,058,607
199	Tuscumbia City	1,949,414
200	Vestavia Hills City	8,622,885
201	Walker County	8,448,318
202	Washington County	2,943,049
203	Wilcox County	1,385,656
204	Winfield City	1,487,088
205	Winston County	2,760,433

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206	University Charter School	814,666
207	Cyber and Engineering, Alabama School of	461,571
208	MAEF Charter School	875,916
209	LEAD Academy	918,677
210	Legacy Prep	549,860
211	I-3 Academy	881,890
212	Youth Services School District, Department of	226,384
213	Deaf and Blind, Alabama Institute for the	413,452
214	Math and Science, Alabama School of	319,452
215	Fine Arts, Alabama School of	448,994
216	Life Academy	648,400
217	Breakthrough Charter	391,392
218	Magic City Acceptance Academy	422,079
219	Healthcare Sciences, Alabama School of	139,603
220	Empower Community School	376,237
221	AL Aerospace and Aviation	202,991
222	Covenant Academy of Mobile	324,106
223	Teacher Professional Development	2,000,000
224	Totals	907,875,000

225 (b) Notwithstanding any other laws to the contrary, the
226 funds appropriated to the Department of Education by
227 subsection (a) of this section shall not be expended without
228 prior approval of the State Superintendent of Education.

229 (c) (1) The above appropriation for teacher professional
230 development shall be allocated to the Alabama Department of

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231 Education to be distributed to the Ed Farm Classroom of
 232 Tomorrow. These funds will be used by Ed Farm to provide
 233 technology tools and professional development services to
 234 classroom teachers in an effort to improve instruction and
 235 student learning gains. It is the intent of the legislature
 236 that in addition to general programmatic costs, Ed Farm may
 237 also expend funds for software, hardware, administrative
 238 costs, and professional learning services.

239 (2) The State Superintendent shall provide a report of
 240 the initiative to the Chair of the House Ways and
 241 Means-Education Committee and the Chair of the Senate
 242 Committee on Finance and Taxation-Education no later than
 243 October 1, 2026.

244 Section 4. Notwithstanding any other provisions of
 245 this act or any other act, in addition to the above
 246 appropriations, \$35,057,322 of Advancement and Technology Fund
 247 appropriations for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2024
 248 to the State Department of Education which were unexpended and
 249 reverted on September 30, 2024 are hereby reappropriated to
 250 the following local boards of education in the following
 251 amounts:

252	Opp City	\$1,266,147
253	Chambers County	\$2,975,100
254	Lowndes County	\$1,157,280

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255	Marengo County	\$883,834
256	Montgomery County	\$25,844,793
257	MAEF Charter School	\$629,962
258	Pickens County	\$2,300,206

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260 Section 5. All funds not expended in the current
 261 fiscal year shall not revert but be carried forward for the
 262 purpose appropriated.

263 Section 6. This act shall become effective immediately.