



1 4.a. Funds paid pursuant to s. 201.15(1)(d).

2 b. The sum of ~~\$75~~~~\$41.75~~ million of such funds shall  
3 be appropriated annually for expenditure to fund the  
4 Classrooms for Kids Program created in s. 1013.735 and shall  
5 be distributed as provided by that section.

6 Section 2. Subsections (2) and (3) of section  
7 1013.738, Florida Statutes, are amended to read:

8 1013.738 High Growth District Capital Outlay  
9 Assistance Grant Program.--

10 (2) In order to qualify for a grant, a school district  
11 must meet the following criteria:

12 (a) The district must have levied the full 2 mills of  
13 nonvoted discretionary capital outlay millage authorized in s.  
14 1011.71(2) for each of the past ~~3~~ 4 fiscal years or receive an  
15 amount from the school capital outlay surtax authorized in s.  
16 212.055(6) which, when added to the nonvoted discretionary  
17 capital outlay millage collected, equals the amount that would  
18 be generated if the full 2 mills of nonvoted discretionary  
19 capital outlay millage had been collected over the past 3  
20 fiscal years.

21 (b) The district must have received in the prior  
22 fiscal year revenue from the collection of an impact fee  
23 specifically for schools and revenue from the collection of  
24 one of the following:

25 1. A local government infrastructure sales surtax  
26 authorized in s. 212.055(2) in which a portion is dedicated  
27 for the construction of schools in such prior fiscal year, or  
28 for satisfaction of debt service pledged for the construction  
29 of schools.

30 2. A school capital outlay surtax authorized in s.  
31 212.055(6). If the school capital outlay surtax is used to

1 meet the conditions of paragraph (a), the amount of the school  
2 capital outlay surtax collected must be in excess of the  
3 amount in paragraph (a).

4 3. A local bond referendum as authorized in ss.  
5 1010.40-1010.55.

6 ~~(b) Fifty percent of the revenue derived from the~~  
7 ~~2 mill nonvoted discretionary capital outlay millage for the~~  
8 ~~past 4 fiscal years, when divided by the district's growth in~~  
9 ~~capital outlay FTE students over this period, produces a value~~  
10 ~~that is less than the average cost per student station~~  
11 ~~calculated pursuant to s. 1013.72(2), and weighted by~~  
12 ~~statewide growth in capital outlay FTE students in elementary,~~  
13 ~~middle, and high schools for the past 4 fiscal years.~~

14 (c) The district must have equaled or exceeded three  
15 times twice the statewide average of growth in capital outlay  
16 FTE students over the prior 3 fiscal years. Growth in any one  
17 year must be determined by calculating the increase in  
18 students over the prior year this same 4 year period.

19 (d) The district must not have received an  
20 appropriation from the special facilities construction program  
21 in the current fiscal year or any of the 2 fiscal years prior  
22 to the current fiscal year. The Commissioner of Education must  
23 ~~have released all funds allocated to the district from the~~  
24 ~~Classrooms First Program authorized in s. 1013.68, and these~~  
25 ~~funds were fully expended by the district as of February 1 of~~  
26 ~~the current fiscal year.~~

27 ~~(e) The total capital outlay FTE students of the~~  
28 ~~district is greater than 15,000 students.~~

29 (3) The funds provided in the General Appropriations  
30 Act shall be allocated pursuant to the following methodology:  
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1        (a) Each eligible district school board shall receive  
2 an amount from the Public Education Capital Outlay and Debt  
3 Service Trust Fund to be calculated by computing the capital  
4 outlay full-time equivalent membership as determined by the  
5 Department of Education. Such membership must include, but is  
6 not limited to, kindergarten through 12th grade students,  
7 except hospital and homebound part-time students, students who  
8 are career education students, and adult disabled students who  
9 are enrolled in school district career centers.

10        (b) The capital outlay full-time equivalent membership  
11 shall be determined for kindergarten through the 12th grade  
12 and for career centers by averaging the unweighted full-time  
13 equivalent student membership for the second and third surveys  
14 and comparing the results on a school-by-school basis with the  
15 Florida Inventory for School Houses. The capital outlay  
16 full-time equivalent membership by grade level organization  
17 shall be used in making the following calculation: the capital  
18 outlay full-time equivalent membership by grade-level  
19 organization for the prior year must be used to compute the  
20 growth over the highest of the 3 years preceding the prior  
21 year.

22        (c) The total amount appropriated by the Legislature  
23 pursuant to this subsection shall be allocated among the  
24 growth capital outlay full-time equivalent membership. The  
25 allocation shall be prorated to the districts based upon each  
26 district's percentage of growth capital outlay full-time  
27 membership. The most recent 4-year capital outlay full-time  
28 equivalent membership data shall be used in each subsequent  
29 year's calculation for the allocation of funds pursuant to  
30 this subsection.

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1           (d) If a change, correction, or recomputation of data  
2 during any year results in a reduction or increase of the  
3 calculated amount previously allocated to a district, the  
4 allocation to that district shall be adjusted correspondingly.  
5 If such recomputation results in an increase or decrease of  
6 the calculated amount, such additional or reduced amounts  
7 shall be added to or reduced from the district's future  
8 appropriations. However, no change, correction, or  
9 recomputation of data shall be made subsequent to 2 years  
10 following the initial annual allocation.

11           ~~(a) For each eligible district, the Department of~~  
12 ~~Education shall calculate the value of 50 percent of the~~  
13 ~~revenue derived from the 2 mill nonvoted discretionary capital~~  
14 ~~outlay millage for the past 4 fiscal years divided by the~~  
15 ~~increase in capital outlay FTE students for the same period.~~

16           ~~(b) The Department of Education shall determine, for~~  
17 ~~each eligible district, the amount that must be added to the~~  
18 ~~value calculated pursuant to paragraph (a) to produce the~~  
19 ~~weighted average value per student station calculated pursuant~~  
20 ~~to paragraph (2)(b).~~

21           ~~(c) The value calculated for each eligible district~~  
22 ~~pursuant to paragraph (b) shall be multiplied by the average~~  
23 ~~increase in capital outlay FTE students for the past 4 fiscal~~  
24 ~~years to determine the maximum amount of a grant that may be~~  
25 ~~awarded to a district pursuant to this section.~~

26           ~~(d) In the event the funds provided in the General~~  
27 ~~Appropriations Act are insufficient to fully fund the maximum~~  
28 ~~grants calculated pursuant to paragraph (c), the Department of~~  
29 ~~Education shall allocate the funds based on each district's~~  
30 ~~prorated share of the total maximum award amount calculated~~  
31 ~~for all eligible districts.~~

