

GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS BILL

SB2500

CommitteeAmendmentAED28

Senator(s) Bullard moved the following LATE FILED amendment:

Section: 02	EXPLANATION:
On Page: 020	Redistributes funds within the Supplemental Academic Instruction Allocation of the FEFP for the 300
Spec App: 96	lowest performing elementary schools.

NET IMPACT ON:	Total Funds	General Revenue	Trust Funds
Recurring -	0	0	0
Non-Recurring -	0	0	0

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EDUCATION, DEPARTMENT OF Public Schools, Division Of Program: State Grants/K-12 Program - FEFP 48250300

In Section 02 On Page 020 96 Aid To Local Governments 050560 Grants And Aids - Florida Educational Finance Program 10EB

DELETE the proviso following Specific Appropriation 96:

Specific Appropriations 9 and 96, \$644,680,873 is From the funds in for Supplemental Academic Instruction to be provided throughout the school year pursuant to section 1011.62 (1)(f), Florida Statutes. From these funds, at least \$75,000,000, together with funds provided in the district's research-based reading instruction allocation and other available funds, shall be used by districts with one or more of the 300 performing elementary schools based on the statewide, lowest standardized English Language Arts assessment to provide an additional instruction beyond the normal school day for each day of the hour of entire school year for intensive reading instruction for the students in each of these schools. This additional hour of instruction must be provided by teachers or reading specialists who are effective in teaching reading. Students enrolled in these schools who have level 5 reading assessment scores may choose to participate in the additional hour of instruction on an optional basis. ESE centers shall not be included in the 300 schools.

AND INSERT:

From the funds in Specific Appropriations 9 and 96, \$644,680,873 is for Supplemental Academic Instruction to be provided throughout the school year pursuant to section 1011.62 (1)(f), Florida Statutes. From at least \$75,000,000, together with funds provided in the these funds, district's research-based reading instruction allocation and other available funds, shall be used by districts with one or more of the 300 performing elementary schools based on the statewide, lowest standardized English Language Arts assessment to provide an additional hour of instruction beyond the normal school day for each day of the entire school year for intensive reading instruction for the students in each of these schools. These funds shall be distributed based on the percentage of schools each district has of the 300 lowest performing elementary schools. This additional hour of instruction must be provided by teachers or reading specialists who are effective in teaching reading. Students enrolled in these schools who have level 5 reading assessment scores may choose to participate in the additional hour of instruction on an optional basis. ESE centers shall not be included in the 300 schools.

Line item amendments are accepted as part of the amendatory process. However, due to the necessity of using computerized systems this may entail a different placement within a budget entity or the renumbering of the specific appropriation items.