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Description					
a science competition participation grant pilot program and making an appropriation					

Assumptions Used in Arriving at Fiscal Estimate

This bill requires the Department of Public Instruction to award grants to teams of pupils in the 6th through 12th grades for the purpose of participating in science competitions. Grants are capped at \$5,000 per team.

As a condition of receiving a grant, a team of pupils must demonstrate that it will provide funds to match the grant amount.

Per this bill, scientific competition teams must consist of pupils in any of the grades 6 through 12 and at least one mentor. The bill defines appropriate science competitions and allowable expenses, which include supplies, travel costs, and a stipend for the team mentor(s).

By April 1, 2020, DPI must notify school boards, operators of charter schools, governing bodies of private schools, and administrators of home-based private educational programs that applications for science competition grants will be accepted until a date specified in the notice.

Additionally, DPI must publish on its website a list of grant recipients and submit it to the appropriate legislative committees.

State: Create new appropriation

This bill creates an annual appropriation that provides \$250,000 GPR in FY21 for the provision of grants. No moneys may be encumbered after June 30, 2021.

Long-Range Fiscal Implications