## Fiscal Estimate - 2025 Session

☑ Original ☐ Updated	Corrected	Supplemental						
LRB Number <b>25-2140/1</b>	Introduction Numb	er <b>AB-0064</b>						
Description an income tax subtraction for certain expenses paid by a school teacher								
Fiscal Effect								
Appropriations	ase Existing absorb	e Costs - May be possible to within agency's budget Yes No						
Permissive Mandatory Permi	se Revenue  Ssive Mandatory ase Revenue  Units Aff	ns						
Fund Sources Affected  Affected Ch. 20 Appropriations  GPR FED PRO PRS SEG SEGS								
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## Fiscal Estimate Narratives DOR 3/7/2025

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## Assumptions Used in Arriving at Fiscal Estimate

Under current federal law, an eligible educator can deduct up to \$300 of unreimbursed business expenses for classroom materials, such as books, supplies, computers or other equipment that the eligible educator uses in the classroom. An eligible educator is a person who is a kindergarten through grade 12 teacher, instructor, counselor, principal or aide for at least 900 hours a school year in a school that provides elementary or secondary education as determined under state law.

Under current Wisconsin law, the federal deduction is also allowed for state tax purposes.

Beginning in tax year 2025, this bill creates an additional \$300 deduction for educator expenses for state purposes. Based on a simulation using tax year 2021 returns, adjusted for changes in income, DOR expects the bill to reduce revenue by approximately \$790,000 annually beginning in fiscal year 2026.

Long-Range Fiscal Implications

## Fiscal Estimate Worksheet - 2025 Session

Detailed Estimate of Annual Fiscal Effect

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9	I. One-time Costs or Revenue Impacts for State and/or Local Government (do not include in annualized fiscal effect):							
11.	Annualized Costs:		cal Impact on funds from:					
L		Increased Costs	Decreased Costs					
<del></del>	State Costs by Category							
	State Operations - Salaries and Fringes	\$	\$					
	(FTE Position Changes)							
Ц	State Operations - Other Costs							
	Local Assistance							
Ш	Aids to Individuals or Organizations							
	TOTAL State Costs by Category	\$	\$					
В.	State Costs by Source of Funds							
	GPR							
Ы	FED							
<u> </u>	PRO/PRS							
	SEG/SEG-S							
III. State Revenues - Complete this only when proposal will increase or decrease state revenues (e.g., tax increase, decrease in license fee, ets.)								
		Increased Rev	Decreased Rev					
	GPR Taxes	\$	\$-790,000					
	GPR Earned							
	FED							
	PRO/PRS							
	SEG/SEG-S	-						
	TOTAL State Revenues	\$	\$-790,000					
<u></u>	NET ANNUA	LIZED FISCAL IMPACT						
<u></u>		<u>State</u>	<u>Local</u>					
N	ET CHANGE IN COSTS	\$	\$					
NET CHANGE IN REVENUE		\$-790,000	\$					
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