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2025 - 2026 LEGISLATURE

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**ASSEMBLY AMENDMENT 1,
TO ASSEMBLY SUBSTITUTE AMENDMENT 2,
TO ASSEMBLY BILL 50**

July 2, 2025 - Offered by Representatives PHELPS, ANDERSON, ANDRACA, ARNEY, BARE, BILLINGS, BROWN, CLANCY, CRUZ, DESANTO, DESMIDT, DOYLE, EMERSON, FITZGERALD, GOODWIN, HAYWOOD, HONG, HYSELL, J. JACOBSON, JOERS, JOHNSON, KIRSCH, MADISON, MAYADEV, MCCARVILLE, MCGUIRE, MIRESE, MOORE OMOKUNDE, NEUBAUER, PALMERI, PRADO, RIVERA-WAGNER, ROE, SHEEHAN, SINICKI, SNODGRASS, SPAUDE, STROUD, STUBBS, SUBECK, TAYLOR, TENORIO, UDELL and VINING.

At the locations indicated, amend the substitute amendment, as shown by senate substitute amendment 2, as follows:

1. At the appropriate places, insert all of the following:

“SECTION 1. 20.255 (2) (b) of the statutes is amended to read:

20.255 (2) (b) *Aids for special education and school age parents programs.* ~~The amounts in the schedule~~ A sum sufficient for the payment of the full cost of special education for children in hospitals and convalescent homes under s. 115.88 (4) and for the payment of aids for special education and school age parents programs under ss. 115.88, 115.93 and 118.255 as provided under s. 115.882.

SECTION 2. 115.882 of the statutes is amended to read:

115.882 Payment of state aid; reimbursement rate. ~~Funds appropriated~~

~~under s. 20.255 (2) (b) shall be used first for the purpose of s. 115.88 (4). Costs In the 2025-26 school year and in each school year thereafter, costs eligible for reimbursement from the appropriation under s. 20.255 (2) (b) under ss. 115.88 (1m) to (3), (6), and (8), 115.93, and 118.255 (4) shall be reimbursed at a rate set to distribute the full amount appropriated for reimbursement for the costs, not to exceed 100 percent 60 percent of eligible costs.”.~~

2. At the appropriate places, insert all of the following:

“SECTION 3. 121.905 (1) of the statutes is repealed and recreated to read:

121.905 (1) In this section, “revenue ceiling” means \$10,000 in the 2021-22 and 2022-23 school years, \$11,000 in the 2023-24 and 2024-25 school years, \$12,000 in the 2025-26 school year, and \$12,400 in the 2026-27 school year and in any subsequent school year.

SECTION 9234. Fiscal changes; Public Instruction.

(1) GENERAL SCHOOL AIDS. In the schedule under s. 20.005 (3) for the appropriation to the department public instruction under s. 20.255 (2) (ac), the dollar amount for fiscal year 2025-26 is increased by \$493,800,000 and the dollar amount for fiscal year 2026-27 is increased by \$699,900,000.

(2) SPARSITY AID. In the schedule under s. 20.005 (3) for the appropriation to the department public instruction under s. 20.255 (2) (ae), the dollar amount for fiscal year 2025-26 is increased by \$10,016,800 and the dollar amount for fiscal year 2026-27 is increased by \$10,236,800.

(3) PER PUPIL AID. In the schedule under s. 20.005 (3) for the appropriation to the department public instruction under s. 20.255 (2) (aq), the dollar amount for

fiscal year 2025-26 is increased by \$88,581,900 and the dollar amount for fiscal year 2026-27 is increased by \$123,431,900.

(4) AIDS FOR SPECIAL EDUCATION AND SCHOOL AGE PARENTS PROGRAMS. In the schedule under s. 20.005 (3) for the appropriation to the department public instruction under s. 20.255 (2) (b), the dollar amount for fiscal year 2025-26 is increased by \$542,949,100 and the dollar amount for fiscal year 2026-27 is increased by \$587,658,200.

(5) ADDITIONAL SPECIAL EDUCATION AID. In the schedule under s. 20.005 (3) for the appropriation to the department public instruction under s. 20.255 (2) (bd), the dollar amount for fiscal year 2025-26 is increased by \$8,789,000 and the dollar amount for fiscal year 2026-27 is increased by \$9,720,000.

(6) SPECIAL EDUCATION TRANSITION READINESS GRANTS. In the schedule under s. 20.005 (3) for the appropriation to the department public instruction under s. 20.255 (2) (bg), the dollar amount for fiscal year 2025-26 is increased by \$500,000 and the dollar amount for fiscal year 2026-27 is increased by \$500,000.

(7) WISCONSIN SCHOOL DAY MILK PROGRAM. In the schedule under s. 20.005 (3) for the appropriation to the department public instruction under s. 20.255 (2) (cp), the dollar amount for fiscal year 2025-26 is increased by \$211,100 and the dollar amount for fiscal year 2026-27 is increased by \$247,800.

(8) ROBOTICS LEAGUE PARTICIPATION GRANTS. In the schedule under s. 20.005 (3) for the appropriation to the department public instruction under s. 20.255 (2) (dr), the dollar amount for fiscal year 2025-26 is increased by \$250,000 and the dollar amount for fiscal year 2026-27 is increased by \$250,000.

(9) GRANT PROGRAM FOR PEER REVIEW AND MENTORING. In the schedule under

s. 20.005 (3) for the appropriation to the department public instruction under s. 20.255 (2) (fk), the dollar amount for fiscal year 2025-26 is increased by \$803,300 and the dollar amount for fiscal year 2026-27 is increased by \$803,300.

SECTION 9334. Initial applicability; Public Instruction.

(1) REVENUE CEILING; REFERENDA RESTRICTIONS. The repeal and recreation of s. 121.905 (1) first applies to the revenue ceiling for the 2025-26 school year.”.

3. At the appropriate places, insert all of the following:

“**SECTION 4.** 115.341 (1) of the statutes is amended to read:

115.341 (1) From the appropriation under s. 20.255 (2) (cm), the state superintendent shall reimburse each school board, each operator of a charter school under s. 118.40 (2r) or (2x), each operator of a residential care center for children and youth, as defined in s. 115.76 (14g), the director of the program under s. 115.52, and the director of the center under s. 115.525 15 cents for each breakfast served at a school, as defined in 7 CFR 220.2, that meets the requirements of 7 CFR 220.8 and shall reimburse each governing body of a private school or tribal school 15 cents for each breakfast served at the private school or tribal school that meets the requirements of 7 CFR 220.8.

SECTION 5. 115.341 (2) of the statutes is amended to read:

115.341 (2) If the appropriation under s. 20.255 (2) (cm) in any fiscal year is insufficient to pay the full amount of aid under this section, the state superintendent shall prorate state aid payments among the school boards, operators, directors, and governing bodies ~~of private schools and tribal schools~~ entitled to the aid under sub. (1).

SECTION 6. 115.341 (3) of the statutes is created to read:

115.341 (3) Notwithstanding sub. (1), the state superintendent may not reimburse the operator of a charter school under s. 118.40 (2r) or (2x), the operator of a residential care center for children and youth, as defined in s. 115.76 (14g), the director of the program under s. 115.52, the director of the center under s. 115.525, or the governing body of a private or tribal school for any breakfast served at a school, as defined in 7 CFR 220.2, during the prior school year if the school ceased operations during that prior school year.

SECTION 9234. Fiscal changes; Public Instruction.

(1) SCHOOL BREAKFAST REIMBURSEMENT. In the schedule under s. 20.005 (3) for the appropriation to the department of public instruction under s. 20.255 (2) (cm), the dollar amount for fiscal year 2025-26 is increased by \$3,027,400. In the schedule under s. 20.005 (3) for the appropriation to the department of public instruction under s. 20.255 (2) (cm), the dollar amount for fiscal year 2026-27 is increased by \$3,082,100.”.

4. At the appropriate places, insert all of the following:

“**SECTION 7.** 16.23 of the statutes is created to read:

16.23 First class city school district audit response support. (1) Subject to sub. (2), the department shall provide payments to a 1st class city school district to implement recommendations from instructional and operational audits of the school district initiated by the governor. Moneys received under this subsection may be expended for items addressed in the audits, development and

implementation of integrated financial reporting software, and facilitation of data compatibility with state and local finance systems.

(2) No payment may be made under sub. (1) unless, at the time of payment, the secretary is satisfied that the school district is already making substantial progress on implementation of the audit recommendations.

SECTION 8. 20.005 (3) (schedule) of the statutes: at the appropriate place, insert the following amounts for the purposes indicated:

2025-26 2026-27

20.505 Administration, department of

(1) SUPERVISION AND MANAGEMENT

(cv) First class city school district

audit response support	GPR	B	5,000,000	-0-
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SECTION 9. 20.505 (1) (cv) of the statutes is created to read:

20.505 (1) (cv) *First class city school district audit response support.*

Biennially, the amounts in the schedule for payments under s. 16.23 to a 1st class city school district to implement audit recommendations.”.

5. At the appropriate places, insert all of the following:

“**SECTION 10.** 20.005 (3) (schedule) of the statutes: at the appropriate place, insert the following amounts for the purposes indicated:

2025-26	2026-27
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20.255 Children and families, department of**(2) ECONOMIC SUPPORT****(dv) Grants for out-of-school time**

programs	GPR	A	-0-	11,500,000
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SECTION 11. 20.437 (2) (fg) of the statutes is created to read:

20.437 (2) (fg) *Grants for out-of-school time programs.* The amounts in the schedule for grants to out-of-school time programs under s. 48.483.

SECTION 12. 48.483 of the statutes is created to read:

48.483 Grants for out-of-school time programs. (1) In this section, “out-of-school time program” means a structured program or activity that meets all of the following conditions:

(a) To the extent practicable, the program or activity is led by adult mentors using evidence-based or evidence-informed practices and is provided to school-age children before school, after school, or during the summer.

(b) The program or activity does not supplant instructional services provided by a school or result in academic credit for students.

(c) The program or activity relates to one or more of the following topics:

1. Improving social, emotional, academic, or career readiness competencies.
2. Reducing negative behaviors, including violence and crime, tobacco use, alcohol and substance abuse, disengagement from school, school suspension, truancy, and health-compromising behaviors.
3. Providing a safe out-of-school time environment.
4. Engaging in career exploration or formal or informal work-based learning.

(2) From the appropriation under s. 20.437 (2) (fg), the department shall award grants to out-of-school time programs for the purpose of expanding opportunities for school-age children.

(3) The department shall promulgate rules to implement this section.

SECTION 9106. Nonstatutory provisions; Children and Families.

(1) GRANTS FOR OUT-OF-SCHOOL TIME PROGRAMS; EMERGENCY RULE-MAKING AUTHORITY. The department of children and families may use the procedure under s. 227.24 to promulgate emergency rules under s. 48.483 for the period before the date on which permanent rules under s. 48.483 take effect. Notwithstanding s. 227.24 (1) (c) and (2), emergency rules promulgated under this subsection remain in effect until July 1, 2027, or the date on which permanent rules take effect, whichever is sooner. Notwithstanding s. 227.24 (1) (a) and (3), the department of children and families is not required to provide evidence that promulgating a rule under this subsection as an emergency rule is necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, safety, or welfare and is not required to provide a finding of emergency for a rule promulgated under this subsection.”.

6. At the appropriate places, insert all of the following:

“**SECTION 13.** 20.255 (2) (eh) of the statutes is renumbered 20.437 (2) (eh) and amended to read:

20.437 (2) (eh) *Head start supplement.* The amounts in the schedule for the head start supplement under s. ~~115.3615~~ 49.39.

SECTION 14. 115.3615 of the statutes is renumbered 49.39 and amended to read:

49.39 Head start supplement. From the appropriation under s. ~~20.255~~

20.437 (2) (eh), the ~~state superintendent~~ secretary shall distribute funds to agencies determined by the ~~state superintendent~~ secretary to be eligible for designation as head start agencies under 42 USC 9836 to provide comprehensive health, educational, nutritional, social, and other services to economically disadvantaged children and their families. The ~~state superintendent~~ secretary shall distribute the funds in a manner consistent with 42 USC 9831 to 9852 except that there is no matching fund requirement. The ~~state superintendent~~ secretary shall give preference in funding under this section to agencies that are receiving federal funds under 42 USC 9831 to 9852 and to agencies that operate full-time or early head start programs. Funds distributed under this section may be used to match available federal funds under 42 USC 9831 to 9852 only if the funds are used to secure additional federal funds for the purposes under this section.”.

7. At the appropriate places, insert all of the following:

“**SECTION 15.** 49.175 (1) (z) of the statutes is amended to read:

49.175 (1) (z) *Grants to the Boys and Girls Clubs of America.* For grants to the Wisconsin Chapter of the Boys and Girls Clubs of America to fund programs that improve social, academic, and employment skills of youth who are eligible to receive temporary assistance for needy families under 42 USC 601 et seq., focusing on study habits, intensive tutoring in math and English, and exposure to career options and role models, ~~\$2,807,000~~ \$9,507,000 in each fiscal year. Grants provided under this paragraph may not be used by the grant recipient to replace funding for programs that are being funded, when the grant proceeds are received, with moneys other than those from the appropriations specified in sub. (1) (intro.). The

total amount of the grants includes funds for the BE GREAT: Graduate program in the amount of matching funds that the program provides, up to \$1,532,000 in each fiscal year, to be used only for activities for which federal Temporary Assistance for Needy Families block grant moneys may be used.

SECTION 9206. Fiscal changes; Children and Families.

(1) GRANTS TO THE BOYS AND GIRLS CLUBS OF AMERICA. In the schedule under s. 20.005 (3) for the appropriation to the department of children and families under s. 20.437 (2) (md), the dollar amount for fiscal year 2025-26 is increased by \$6,700,000 to fund grants to the Wisconsin Chapter of the Boys and Girls Clubs of America under s. 49.175 (1) (z). In the schedule under s. 20.005 (3) for the appropriation to the department of children and families under s. 20.437 (2) (md), the dollar amount for fiscal year 2026-27 is increased by \$6,700,000 to fund grants to the Wisconsin Chapter of the Boys and Girls Clubs of America under s. 49.175 (1) (z).”.

8. At the appropriate places, insert all of the following:

“**SECTION 16.** 115.28 (63) (intro.) of the statutes is amended to read:

115.28 (**63**) MENTAL HEALTH TRAINING PROGRAM. (intro.) Establish a mental health training support program under which the department provides training ~~on~~ all of the following evidence-based strategies related to addressing mental health issues in schools to school district staff ~~and~~, instructional staff of charter schools under s. 118.40 (2r) or (2x), and individuals employed by an out-of-school-time program on evidence-based strategies related to addressing mental health needs and suicide prevention in schools, including all of the following:

SECTION 9234. Fiscal changes; Public Instruction.

(1) MENTAL HEALTH TRAINING PROGRAM. In the schedule under s. 20.005 (3) for the appropriation to the department of public instruction under s. 20.255 (1) (ep), the dollar amount for fiscal year 2025-26 is increased by \$380,000 and the dollar amount for fiscal year 2026-27 is increased by \$380,000.”.

9. At the appropriate places, insert all of the following:

“SECTION 9202. Fiscal changes; Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection.

(1) AGRICULTURAL ECONOMIST POSITION AUTHORITY. In the schedule under s. 20.005 (3) for the appropriation to the department of agriculture, trade and consumer protection under s. 20.115 (3) (at), the dollar amount for fiscal year 2025-26 is increased by \$16,800 and the dollar amount for fiscal year 2026-27 is increased by \$16,800 to to support administration of the farm-to-school program.”.

10. At the appropriate places, insert all of the following:

“SECTION 17. 20.255 (3) (fa) of the statutes is amended to read:

20.255 (3) (fa) ~~Very special arts~~ Arts for All. The amounts in the schedule for ~~very special arts~~ Arts for All Wisconsin, ~~incorporated~~.

SECTION 9234. Fiscal changes; Public Instruction.

(1) ARTS FOR ALL. In the schedule under s. 20.005 (3) for the appropriation to the department of public instruction under s. 20.255 (3) (fa), the dollar amount for fiscal year 2025-26 is increased by \$100,000. In the schedule under s. 20.005 (3) for the appropriation to the department of public instruction under s. 20.255 (3) (fa), the dollar amount for fiscal year 2026-27 is increased by \$100,000.”.

11. At the appropriate places, insert all of the following:

“**SECTION 18.** 20.005 (3) (schedule) of the statutes: at the appropriate place, insert the following amounts for the purposes indicated:

2025-26 2026-27

20.255 Public instruction, department of

(3) AIDS TO LIBRARIES, INDIVIDUALS AND
ORGANIZATIONS

(fw) Mentor Greater Milwaukee	GPR	B	150,000	150,000
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SECTION 19. 20.255 (3) (fw) of the statutes is created to read:

20.255 (3) (fw) *Mentor Greater Milwaukee*. Biennially, the amounts in the schedule for grants to Mentor Greater Milwaukee, Inc., under s. 115.28 (69).

SECTION 20. 115.28 (69) of the statutes is created to read:

115.28 (69) MENTOR GREATER MILWAUKEE. From the appropriation under s. 20.255 (3) (fw), award grants to Mentor Greater Milwaukee, Inc., to expand access to quality youth mentoring in Milwaukee County.”.

12. At the appropriate places, insert all of the following:

“**SECTION 1.** 20.005 (3) (schedule) of the statutes: at the appropriate place, insert the following amounts for the purposes indicated:

2025-26 2026-27

20.255 Public instruction, department of

(1) EDUCATIONAL LEADERSHIP

(ac) Farm to School program	GPR	A	250,000	250,000
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SECTION 2. 20.255 (1) (ac) of the statutes is created to read:

20.255 (1) (ac) *Farm to School program*. The amounts in the schedule to provide matching funds for grants under 42 USC 1769 (g) (3), the federal Farm to School Program.”.

13. At the appropriate places, insert all of the following:

“**SECTION 21.** 20.005 (3) (schedule) of the statutes: at the appropriate place, insert the following amounts for the purposes indicated:

2025-26 2026-27

20.255 Public instruction, department of

(1) EDUCATIONAL LEADERSHIP

(er) Educators Rising; grants for local

chapters	GPR	A	250,000	250,000
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SECTION 22. 20.255 (1) (er) of the statutes is created to read:

20.255 (1) (er) *Educators Rising; grants for local chapters*. The amounts in the schedule for grants under s. 115.407.

SECTION 23. 115.407 of the statutes is created to read:

115.407 Grants to support local programming; career pathway to teaching. (1) (a) The department shall develop a competitive request-for-proposal process for the award of a grant to an entity for the purpose of subsidizing cocurricular opportunities provided to public school pupils in grades 6 to 12 that encourage pupils to pursue a career in teaching elementary and secondary grades.

(b) The department shall accept applications from entities responding to the request-for-proposal under par. (a) and shall, from the appropriation under s. 20.255 (1) (er), award a grant to an entity that satisfies the requirements under sub. (2).

(2) To be eligible for a grant under this section, an entity shall demonstrate that it has successfully supported cocurricular opportunities in public schools in this state to encourage pupils to pursue a career in teaching elementary and secondary grades.”.

14. At the appropriate places, insert all of the following:

“**SECTION 24.** 49.175 (1) (qm) of the statutes is amended to read:

49.175 (1) (qm) *Quality care for quality kids.* For the child care quality improvement activities specified in ss. 49.155 (1g) and 49.257, ~~\$16,683,700~~ \$46,268,700 in each fiscal year ~~2022-23.~~ ~~In fiscal year 2023-24, for such activities,~~ ~~\$28,518,700.~~ ~~In fiscal year 2024-25, for such activities, \$46,018,700.~~

SECTION 9206. Fiscal changes; Children and Families.

(1) QUALITY CARE FOR QUALITY KIDS; AFTER SCHOOL NETWORK. In the schedule under s. 20.005 (3) for the appropriation to the department of children and families under s. 20.437 (1) (md), the dollar amount for fiscal year 2025-26 is increased by \$250,000 for training and technical assistance provided by the Wisconsin Out of School Time Alliance. In the schedule under s. 20.005 (3) for the appropriation to the department of children and families under s. 20.437 (1) (md), the dollar amount for fiscal year 2026-27 is increased by \$250,000 for training and technical assistance provided by the Wisconsin Out of School Time Alliance.”.

15. At the appropriate places, insert all of the following:

“**SECTION 25.** 115.39 (2) (a) of the statutes is renumbered 115.39 (2) (a) (intro.) and amended to read:

115.39 (2) (a) (intro.) Contract with individuals who demonstrate knowledge

and expertise in science-based early literacy instruction and instructional practices and have instructional experience in grades kindergarten to 12 to serve as literacy coaches. The office may not contract for more than 64 the following number of full-time equivalent positions under this paragraph:

SECTION 26. 115.39 (2) (a) 1. of the statutes is created to read:

115.39 (2) (a) 1. In the 2025-26 school year, 64.

SECTION 27. 115.39 (2) (a) 2. of the statutes is created to read:

115.39 (2) (a) 2. In the 2026-27 and each school year thereafter, 100.

SECTION 28. 115.39 (3) (c) 1. (intro.) of the statutes is amended to read:

115.39 (3) (c) 1. (intro.) The total number of full-time equivalent literacy coaches assigned under pars. (a) and (b) in the 2025-26 school year to eligible schools located within the geographical boundaries of a school district may not exceed the following:

SECTION 29. 115.39 (3) (c) 1m. of the statutes is created to read:

115.39 (3) (c) 1m. Beginning in the 2026-27 school year, the total number of full-time equivalent literacy coaches assigned under pars. (a) and (b) to eligible schools located within the geographical boundaries of a school district may not exceed the following:

a. For a 1st class city school district, 16.

b. For a school district other than a 1st class city school district, 6.

SECTION 30. 2023 Wisconsin Act 20, sections 3, 9 and 29 (1) are repealed.

SECTION 9234. Fiscal changes; Public Instruction.

(1) EARLY LITERACY INVESTMENTS AND COACHES. In the schedule under s. 20.005 (3) for the appropriation to the department of public instruction under s.

20.255 (1) (fc), the dollar amount for fiscal year 2025-26 is increased by \$57,045,200 and the dollar amount for fiscal year 2026-27 is increased by \$11,018,000 for the literacy program and to contract for literacy coaches and provide professional development to implement the literacy program.”.

16. At the appropriate places, insert all of the following:

“**SECTION 31.** 20.255 (2) (da) of the statutes is amended to read:

20.255 (2) (da) *Aid for school mental health programs; pupil services professionals*. The amounts in the schedule for aid to ~~school districts and independent charter schools~~ employ, hire, and retain pupil services professionals under s. 115.364.

SECTION 32. 20.255 (2) (dt) (title) of the statutes is amended to read:

20.255 (2) (dt) (title) *School-based Aid for comprehensive school mental health services ~~grants~~*.

SECTION 33. 115.364 (title) of the statutes is amended to read:

115.364 (title) **Aid for school mental health programs, pupil services professionals**.

SECTION 34. 115.364 (1) (intro.) of the statutes is renumbered 115.364 (1) and amended to read:

115.364 (1) In this section:, “pupil services professional” means a school counselor, school social worker, school psychologist, or school nurse.

SECTION 35. 115.364 (1) (a), (am) and (b) of the statutes are repealed.

SECTION 36. 115.364 (2) (a) (intro.) and 1. of the statutes are consolidated, renumbered 115.364 (2) (a) and amended to read:

115.364 (2) (a) Beginning in the ~~2018-19~~ 2025-26 school year and annually thereafter, the state superintendent shall ~~do all of the following:~~ 1. Subject, subject to par. (b), from the appropriation under s. 20.255 (2) (da), ~~pay to an eligible~~ reimburse a school district board, the operator of a charter school established under s. 118.40 (2r) or (2x), or the governing body of a private school participating in a program under s. 118.60 or 119.23 for an amount equal to 50 percent of the amount ~~by which the school district increased its expenditures made by the school board, operator, or governing body in the preceding school year to employ, hire, or retain social workers over the amount it expended in the school year immediately preceding the preceding school year to employ, hire, or retain social workers~~ pupil services professionals.

SECTION 37. 115.364 (2) (a) 2. and 3. of the statutes are repealed.

SECTION 38. 115.364 (2) (b) 1. of the statutes is renumbered 115.364 (2) (b) and amended to read:

115.364 (2) (b) If the appropriation under s. 20.255 (2) (da) in any fiscal year is insufficient to pay the full amount of aid under par. (a), the state superintendent shall prorate state aid payments among the school districts, ~~private schools, and independent charter schools~~ boards, operators of charter schools established under s. 118.40 (2r) and (2x), and governing bodies of private schools participating in programs under ss. 118.60 and 119.23 that are eligible for the aid.

SECTION 39. 115.364 (2) (b) 2. of the statutes is repealed.

SECTION 40. 115.367 of the statutes is repealed and recreated to read:

115.367 Aid for comprehensive school mental health services. (1)

Beginning in the 2025-26 school year and annually thereafter, the state superintendent shall, from the appropriation under s. 20.255 (2) (dt) and subject to sub. (3), reimburse a school board or the operator of a charter school established under s. 118.40 (2r) or (2x) for expenditures relating to mental health services provided during in-school or out-of-school time. Mental health services eligible for reimbursement under this subsection include at least all of the following:

- (a) Mental health evidence-based improvement strategies.
- (b) Mental health literacy and stigma reduction programs for pupils and adults.
- (c) Collaborating or contracting with community mental health providers, consultants, organizations, cooperative educational service agencies, and other experts to provide consultation, training, mentoring, and coaching.
- (d) Parent training and informational events.
- (e) Assistance programs for pupils and families.
- (f) Mental health navigators.
- (g) Mental health system planning.
- (h) Translator and interpreter services.
- (i) School-employed mental health professionals who are accessible to all pupils and for whom a reimbursement is not made under s. 115.364 (2) (a).
- (j) Setting up spaces and purchasing equipment suitable for mental health telehealth service delivery.
- (k) Projects designed to assist minors experiencing problems resulting from the use of alcohol or other drugs or to prevent alcohol or other drug use by minors.
- (L) Telehealth services, as defined in s. 440.01 (1) (hm).

(2) The following costs are ineligible for reimbursement under sub. (1):

(a) Payments for direct treatment services or insurance deductibles.

(b) Training that is not related to pupil mental health.

(c) Staff salaries for positions that are not related to pupil mental health.

(d) Indirect costs of regular school operations.

(3) (a) In each school year, the amount the state superintendent reimburses a school board or operator of an independent charter school under sub. (1) may not exceed the greater of the following:

1. \$100,000.

2. \$100 multiplied by the number of pupils enrolled in the school district or charter school in the previous school year.

(b) If the appropriation under s. 20.255 (2) (dt) in any fiscal year is insufficient to pay the full amount of aid under sub. (1), the state superintendent shall prorate state aid payments among the school boards and the operators of charter schools established under s. 118.40 (2r) and (2x) that are eligible for the aid.

SECTION 9234. Fiscal changes; Public Instruction.

(1) AID FOR SCHOOL MENTAL HEALTH PROGRAMS; PUPIL SERVICES PROFESSIONALS. In the schedule under s. 20.005 (3) for the appropriation to the department of public instruction under s. 20.255 (2) (da), the dollar amount for fiscal year 2025-26 is increased by \$62,752,000 and the dollar amount for fiscal year 2026-27 is increased by \$67,237,000.”.

17. At the appropriate places, insert all of the following:

“**SECTION 41.** 115.436 (3) (a) of the statutes is amended to read:

115.436 (3) (a) ~~Beginning in the 2018-19 school year, from~~ From the appropriation under s. 20.255 (2) (ae) and subject to par. (b), the department shall pay to each school district eligible for sparsity aid under this paragraph ~~\$400~~ \$500 multiplied by the membership in the previous school year.

SECTION 42. 115.436 (3) (am) of the statutes is renumbered 115.436 (3) (am) 1. and amended to read:

115.436 (3) (am) 1. ~~Beginning in the 2017-18 school year, from~~ From the appropriation under s. 20.255 (2) (ae), the department shall, subject to par. (b), pay to each school district that received aid under ~~this section~~ par. (a) in the previous school year but ~~does not satisfy the requirement under sub. (2) (a) or (2m) (a) is~~ ineligible to receive aid under pars. (a) and (c) in the current school year 50 percent of the amount received by the school district under par. (a) in the previous school year.

SECTION 43. 115.436 (3) (am) 2. of the statutes is created to read:

115.436 (3) (am) 2. From the appropriation under s. 20.255 (2) (ae), the department shall, subject to par. (b), pay to each school district that received aid under par. (c) in the previous school year but is ineligible to receive aid under pars. (a) and (c) in the current school year 50 percent of the amount received by the school district under par. (c) in the previous school year.

SECTION 44. 115.436 (3) (c) of the statutes is amended to read:

115.436 (3) (c) ~~Beginning in the 2021-22 school year, from~~ From the appropriation under s. 20.255 (2) (ae) and subject to par. (b), the department shall pay to a school district that is eligible for sparsity aid under this paragraph ~~\$100~~ \$200 multiplied by the school district's membership in the previous school year.

SECTION 9234. Fiscal changes; Public Instruction.

(1) SPARSITY AID. In the schedule under s. 20.005 (3) for the appropriation to the department of public instruction under s. 20.255 (2) (ae), the dollar amount for fiscal year 2025-26 is increased by \$10,016,800 and the dollar amount for fiscal year 2026-27 is increased by \$10,236,800.

SECTION 9334. Initial applicability; Public Instruction.

(1) SPARSITY AID; PAYMENTS. The treatment of s. 115.436 (3) (a) and (c), the renumbering and amendment of s. 115.436 (3) (am), and the creation of s. 115.436 (3) (am) 2. first apply to payments made under s. 115.436 in the 2025-26 school year.”.

18. At the appropriate places, insert all of the following:

“**SECTION 45.** 115.366 (3) of the statutes is amended to read:

115.366 (3) AWARDS. ~~Beginning in the 2020-21 school year, from~~ From the appropriation under s. 20.255 (2) (du), the department shall award up to ~~\$1,000~~ \$6,000 for each school for which a grant is awarded under sub. (1).

SECTION 9234. Fiscal changes; Public Instruction.

(1) PEER-TO-PEER SUICIDE PREVENTION GRANT PROGRAM. In the schedule under s. 20.005 (3) for the appropriation to the department of public instruction under s. 20.255 (2) (du), the dollar amount for fiscal year 2025-26 is increased by \$250,000 and the dollar amount for fiscal year 2026-27 is increased by \$250,000.”.

19. At the appropriate places, insert all of the following:

“**SECTION 46.** 20.005 (3) (schedule) of the statutes: at the appropriate place, insert the following amounts for the purposes indicated:

2025-26 2026-27**20.255 Public instruction, department of****(2) AIDS FOR LOCAL EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMMING**

(ck) Supplemental nutrition aid GPR S -0- 147,720,000

SECTION 47. 20.255 (2) (ck) of the statutes is created to read:

20.255 (2) (ck) *Supplemental nutrition aid.* A sum sufficient for payments under s. 115.3415.

SECTION 48. 115.3415 of the statutes is created to read:

115.3415 Supplemental nutrition aid. (1) DEFINITIONS. In this section:

(a) “Educational agency” means a school board, an operator of a charter school under s. 118.40 (2r) or (2x), a private school, a tribal school, an operator of a residential care center for children and youth, as defined in s. 115.76 (14g), the director of the program under s. 115.52, and the director of the center under s. 115.525.

(b) “Eligible pupil” means a pupil who satisfies the income eligibility criteria for a reduced-price lunch under 42 USC 1758 (b) (1).

(c) “Federal school breakfast program” means the program under 42 USC 1773.

(d) “Federal school lunch program” means the program under 42 USC 1751 to 1769j.

(e) “Free-meal reimbursement amount” means the reimbursement amount in the previous school year for a school meal provided to a pupil who satisfies the income eligibility for a free lunch under the federal school lunch program.

(f) “Ineligible pupil” means a pupil who does not satisfy the income eligibility criteria for a free or reduced-price lunch under 42 USC 1758 (b) (1).

(g) “Paid-meal reimbursement amount” means the reimbursement amount in the previous school year for a school meal provided to an ineligible pupil.

(h) “Reduced-price-meal reimbursement amount” means the reimbursement amount in the previous school year for a school meal provided to an eligible pupil.

(i) “Reimbursement amount” means the national average payment rate for a school meal, as announced by the food and nutrition service of the federal department of agriculture in the federal register.

(j) “School meal” means a lunch made available under the federal school lunch program, a meal supplement made available under the federal school lunch program, or a breakfast made available under the federal school breakfast program.

(2) ELIGIBILITY. An educational agency is eligible for payments under this section if the educational agency does not charge pupils for school meals for which the educational agency receives reimbursement under the federal school breakfast program or the federal school lunch program.

(3) ANNUAL PAYMENT. From the appropriation under s. 20.255 (2) (ck), in the 2026-27 school year and each school year thereafter, the state superintendent shall pay to each educational agency the sum of all of the following:

(a) The total number of lunches provided by the educational agency to eligible pupils under the federal school lunch program in the previous school year multiplied by the difference between the reduced-price-meal reimbursement amount for a lunch and the free-meal reimbursement amount for a lunch.

(b) The total number of lunches provided by the educational agency to ineligible pupils under the federal school lunch program in the previous school year multiplied by the difference between the paid-meal reimbursement amount for a lunch and the free-meal reimbursement amount for a lunch.

(c) The total number of breakfasts provided by the educational agency to eligible pupils under the federal school breakfast program in the previous school year multiplied by the difference between the reduced-price-meal reimbursement amount for a breakfast and the free-meal reimbursement amount for a breakfast.

(d) The total number of breakfasts provided by the educational agency to ineligible pupils under the federal school breakfast program in the previous school year multiplied by the difference between the paid-meal reimbursement amount for a breakfast and the free-meal reimbursement amount for a breakfast.

(e) The total number of meal supplements provided by the educational agency to eligible pupils under the federal school lunch program in the previous school year multiplied by the difference between the reduced-price-meal reimbursement amount for a meal supplement and the free-meal reimbursement amount for a meal supplement.

(f) The total number of meal supplements provided by the educational agency to ineligible pupils under the federal school lunch program in the previous school year multiplied by the difference between the paid-meal reimbursement amount for a meal supplement and the free-meal reimbursement amount for a meal supplement.”.

20. At the appropriate places, insert all of the following:

“SECTION 9234. Fiscal changes; Public Instruction.

(1) SCHOOL DAY MILK PROGRAM. In the schedule under s. 20.005 (3) for the appropriation to the department of public instruction under s. 20.255 (2) (cp), the dollar amount for fiscal year 2025-26 is increased by \$211,100 and the dollar amount for fiscal year 2026-27 is increased by \$247,800.”.

21. At the appropriate places, insert all of the following:

“SECTION 49. 20.005 (3) (schedule) of the statutes: at the appropriate place, insert the following amounts for the purposes indicated:

2025-26 2026-27

20.255 Public instruction, department of

(2) AIDS FOR LOCAL EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMMING

(ce) Aid for English language

acquisition	GPR	S	26,750,000	26,750,000
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SECTION 50. 20.255 (2) (cc) of the statutes is amended to read:

20.255 (2) (cc) *Bilingual-bicultural education aids.* The amounts in the schedule for bilingual-bicultural education ~~programs aid~~ aid under ~~subch. VII of ch. 115 s. 115.995.~~

SECTION 51. 20.255 (2) (ce) of the statutes is created to read:

20.255 (2) (ce) *Aid for English language acquisition.* A sum sufficient for aid under s. 115.9955.

SECTION 52. 115.993 (title) of the statutes is amended to read:

115.993 (title) ~~Report~~ Reports on bilingual-bicultural education and pupil counts.

SECTION 53. 115.993 of the statutes is renumbered 115.993 (1).

SECTION 54. 115.993 (2) of the statutes is created to read:

115.993 (2) Annually, on or before August 15, a school board and the operator of a charter school established under s. 118.40 (2r) or (2x) shall report to the state superintendent the number of limited-English proficient pupils enrolled in the school district or attending the charter school in the previous school year and the classification of those pupils by language group.

SECTION 55. 115.995 (intro.) of the statutes is amended to read:

115.995 State aids. (intro.) Upon receipt of the report under s. 115.993 (1), if the state superintendent is satisfied that the bilingual-bicultural education program for the previous school year was maintained in accordance with this subchapter, the state superintendent shall do all of the following:

SECTION 56. 115.995 (1) of the statutes is amended to read:

115.995 (1) From the appropriation under s. 20.255 (2) (cc), divide proportionally, based upon costs reported under s. 115.993 (1), an annual payment of \$250,000 among school districts whose enrollments in the previous school year were at least 15 percent limited-English proficient pupils. Aid paid under this subsection does not reduce aid paid under sub. (2).

SECTION 57. 115.9955 of the statutes is created to read:

115.9955 Aid for English language acquisition. (1) Beginning in the 2025-26 school year and annually thereafter, from the appropriation under s. 20.255 (2) (ce), the department shall pay each school district and each operator of a charter school established under s. 118.40 (2r) and (2x) \$500 per limited-English

proficient pupil enrolled in the school district or attending the charter school in the previous school year, based on the report under s. 115.993 (2).

(2) Receipt of aid under s. 115.995 does not preclude receipt of aid under this section.”.

22. At the appropriate places, insert all of the following:

“**SECTION 58.** 20.005 (3) (schedule) of the statutes: at the appropriate place, insert the following amounts for the purposes indicated:

	2025-26	2026-27
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20.255 Public instruction, department of

(2) AIDS FOR LOCAL EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMMING

(ds) Computer science education

grants	GPR	A	5,096,500	5,096,500
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SECTION 59. 20.255 (2) (ds) of the statutes is repealed and recreated to read:

20.255 (2) (ds) *Computer science education grants.* The amounts in the schedule for grants to school boards under s. 115.28 (29).

SECTION 60. 115.28 (29) of the statutes is created to read:

115.28 (29) COMPUTER SCIENCE EDUCATION GRANTS. Annually award grants to school boards to expand computer science educational opportunities in all grade levels operated by the school district. For purposes of awarding grants under this subsection, expanding computer science educational opportunities includes providing professional development, the application of programming or coding concepts or integration of computer science fundamentals into other subjects, and purchasing curricula and related materials. A school board may not use a grant

under this subsection to purchase personal electronic computing devices, as defined in s. 115.438 (1) (b), computers, or computer hardware.

SECTION 9134. Nonstatutory provisions; Public Instruction.

(1) COMPUTER SCIENCE EDUCATION GRANTS. The authorized FTE positions for the department of public instruction are increased by 1.0 GPR position, to be funded from the appropriation under s. 20.255 (2) (ds), for the computer science grant program under s. 115.28 (29).”.

23. At the appropriate places, insert all of the following:

“**SECTION 61.** 20.005 (3) (schedule) of the statutes: at the appropriate place, insert the following amounts for the purposes indicated:

	2025-26	2026-27
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20.255 Public instruction, department of

(2) AIDS FOR LOCAL EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMMING

(dk) Aid for career and technical

education	GPR	B	10,000,000	-0-
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SECTION 62. 20.255 (2) (dk) of the statutes is created to read:

20.255 (2) (dk) *Aid for career and technical education.* Biennially, the amounts in the schedule for payments to school boards and independent charter schools under s. 115.433.

SECTION 63. 115.433 of the statutes is created to read:

115.433 Aid for career and technical education. (1) In this section, “high school career and technical education pathway” means a series of career and technical education opportunities that prepare a pupil for a postsecondary option in a specific career area.

(2) From the appropriation under s. 20.255 (2) (dk), the state superintendent shall provide payments to school boards and operators of a charter school established under s. 118.40 (2r) or (2x) for the purpose of increasing high school career and technical education pathways in public schools. Aid payments under this subsection may be used for expenses related to creating career and technical education courses and high school career and technical education pathways and for expanding access to existing career and technical education courses and high school career and technical education pathways. The department shall pay to a school board or operator of a charter school established under s. 118.40 (2r) or (2x) an amount calculated as follows:

(a) Determine the total number of pupils in the high school grades enrolled in school districts and charter schools established under s. 118.40 (2r) or (2x) in the previous school year.

(b) Determine the number of pupils in the high school grades enrolled in the school district or charter school established under s. 118.40 (2r) or (2x) in the previous school year.

(c) Divide the amount determined under par. (b) by the amount determined under par. (a).

(d) Multiply the quotient calculated under par. (c) by one of the following amounts, whichever is applicable:

1. In the 2025-26 school year, \$5,000,000.
2. In the 2026-27 school year, the unencumbered balance of the appropriation under s. 20.255 (2) (dk) at the close of the 2025-26 fiscal year.

3. In the 2027-28 school year, and each school year thereafter, one-half of the amount appropriated under s. 20.255 (2) (dk) for the applicable fiscal biennium.

(3) The department may promulgate rules to implement and administer this section.”.

24. At the appropriate places, insert all of the following:

“**SECTION 64.** 20.005 (3) (schedule) of the statutes: at the appropriate place, insert the following amounts for the purposes indicated:

2025-26 2026-27

20.255 Public instruction, department of

(2) AIDS FOR LOCAL EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMMING

(bp) Health emergencies in learning

places; grants	GPR	B	10,000,000	-0-
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SECTION 65. 20.255 (2) (bp) of the statutes is created to read:

20.255 (2) (bp) *Health emergencies in learning places; grants.* Biennially, the amounts in the schedule for grants under s. 115.28 (68) to school boards, independent charter schools, and private schools participating in a program under s. 115.7915, 118.60, or 119.23.

SECTION 66. 115.28 (68) of the statutes is created to read:

115.28 (68) HEALTH EMERGENCIES IN LEARNING PLACES; GRANTS. Annually, from the appropriation under s. 20.255 (2) (bp), award grants to school boards, operators of charter schools, and governing bodies of private schools participating in a program under s. 115.7915, 118.60, or 119.23 to comply with requirements under ss. 118.07 (1) (b) and (6), 118.075 (4) (a) and (b), 118.60 (7) (g) 1. and 2. and

119.23 (7) (g) 1. and 2. A grant under this subsection may be used for any of the following:

- (a) Automated external defibrillators.
- (b) Automated external defibrillator maintenance.
- (c) Cardiopulmonary resuscitation training supplies and materials.
- (d) Cardiopulmonary resuscitation training for school personnel, including coaches, school nurses, and athletic trainers.
- (e) First aid training and education materials.
- (f) Other activities that promote preparedness for using cardiac emergency response plans in a school or athletic facility.
- (g) Carbon monoxide detectors.
- (h) Opioid antagonists.

SECTION 67. 118.07 (1) of the statutes is renumbered 118.07 (1) (a) and amended to read:

118.07 (1) (a) Every school board, every operator of a charter school, and the governing body of every private school shall provide a standard first aid kit for use in cases of emergency.

SECTION 68. 118.07 (1) (b) of the statutes is created to read:

118.07 (1) (b) Beginning in the 2025-26 school year, each school board, operator of a charter school, and governing body of a private school participating in a program under s. 115.7915, 118.60, or 119.23 shall ensure that each public school, charter school, and private school has on site an adequate, usable supply of an opioid antagonist, as defined in s. 450.01 (13v). A supply of an opioid antagonist

provided under this paragraph shall be in a location that is easily accessible at all times.

SECTION 69. 118.07 (6) of the statutes is created to read:

118.07 (6) (a) In this subsection, “cardiac emergency response plan” means a written document that establishes specific steps to reduce death from cardiac arrest in a specific setting.

(b) Beginning in the 2025-26 school year, each school board, operator of a charter school, and governing body of a private school participating in a program under s. 115.7915, 118.60, or 119.23 shall have in effect a cardiac emergency response plan for cardiac emergencies that occur on school property and a cardiac emergency response plan for cardiac emergencies that occur at a school-sponsored athletic practice or event. The school board, operator of a charter school, or governing body of a private school shall include in each cardiac emergency response plan at least all of the following:

1. A cardiac emergency response team.
2. Information on how the cardiac emergency response team is activated in response to a sudden cardiac arrest.
3. Requirements for automated external defibrillator placement, including that each automated external defibrillator is retrievable within 3 minutes and that the placement complies with American Heart Association guidelines, and routine maintenance.
4. Information on how the cardiac emergency response plan is shared at the school and within the school community.

5. Requirements for ongoing training in first aid, cardiopulmonary resuscitation, and automated external defibrillator use for certain school personnel, including coaches, school nurses, and athletic trainers, and a requirement that at least 3 individuals participate in the training under this subdivision.

6. A requirement to practice the cardiac emergency response plan using drills.

7. Information on cooperating with local emergency medical services.

8. A requirement to review and evaluate the cardiac emergency response plan at least annually and after each time the cardiac emergency response plan is activated in response to a cardiac emergency.

SECTION 70. 118.075 (3) of the statutes is amended to read:

118.075 (3) INDOOR ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY IN SCHOOLS MODEL MANAGEMENT PLAN. By the first day of the 12th month beginning after the month in which the task force submits its report under sub. (2) (f), the department shall establish a model management plan and practices for maintaining indoor environmental quality in public and private schools. In developing the plan and practices, the department shall consider the recommendations of the task force. By July 1, 2026, the department shall include in the model management plan and practices for maintaining indoor environmental quality a requirement that public and private schools shall install and maintain a carbon monoxide detector, as defined in s. 101.149 (1) (am), in each room of a school that contains a fuel-burning, forced-air furnace or a boiler, or as otherwise required by the department of safety and professional services or a person certified under s. 101.12 (4) or 101.14 (4r).

SECTION 71. 118.075 (4) (title) of the statutes is amended to read:

118.075 (4) (title) ~~SCHOOL DISTRICT~~ PUBLIC SCHOOL PLANS.

SECTION 72. 118.075 (4) (a) of the statutes is renumbered 118.075 (4) (a) 1. and amended to read:

118.075 (4) (a) 1. By the first day of the 3rd month beginning after the month in which the department establishes the model management plan and practices under sub. (3), each school board shall provide for the development of a plan for maintaining indoor environmental quality in its schools. Beginning on October 1, 2026, each school board shall include in the school board's plan under this subdivision a requirement to provide and maintain a carbon monoxide detector, as defined in s. 101.149 (1) (am), in each room of a school that contains a fuel-burning, forced-air furnace or a boiler, and as otherwise required by the department of safety and professional services or a person certified under s. 101.12 (4) or 101.14 (4r).

SECTION 73. 118.075 (4) (a) 2. of the statutes is created to read:

118.075 (4) (a) 2. Beginning on October 1, 2026, each operator of a charter school authorized under s. 118.40 (2r) or (2x) shall provide for the development of a plan for maintaining indoor environmental quality in its charter school. An operator of a charter school authorized under s. 118.40 (2r) or (2x) shall include in the plan under this subdivision a requirement to provide and maintain a carbon monoxide detector, as defined in s. 101.149 (1) (am), in each room of the charter school that contains a fuel-burning, forced-air furnace or a boiler, and as otherwise required by the department of safety and professional services or a person certified under s. 101.12 (4) or 101.14 (4r).

SECTION 74. 118.075 (4) (b) of the statutes is renumbered 118.075 (4) (b) 1. and amended to read:

118.075 (4) (b) 1. By the first day of the 12th month beginning after the month

in which the department establishes the model management plan and practices under sub. (3), each school board shall implement a plan for maintaining indoor environmental quality in its schools. By July 1, 2027, each school board shall provide a carbon monoxide detector, as defined in s. 101.149 (1) (am), in each room of a school that contains a fuel-burning, forced-air furnace or a boiler, and as otherwise required by the department of safety and professional services or a person certified under s. 101.12 (4) or 101.14 (4r) and reasonably maintain every carbon monoxide detector in its schools in the manner specified in the instructions for the carbon monoxide detector.

SECTION 75. 118.075 (4) (b) 2. of the statutes is created to read:

118.075 (4) (b) 2. By July 1, 2027, each operator of a charter school authorized under s. 118.40 (2r) or (2x) shall provide a carbon monoxide detector, as defined in s. 101.149 (1) (am), in each room of the charter school that contains a fuel-burning, forced-air furnace or a boiler, and as otherwise required by the department of safety and professional services or a person certified under s. 101.12 (4) or 101.14 (4r) and reasonably maintain every carbon monoxide detector in the charter school in the manner specified in the instructions for the carbon monoxide detector.

SECTION 76. 118.075 (4) (c) of the statutes is amended to read:

118.075 (4) (c) Each school board and operator of a charter school authorized under s. 118.40 (2r) or (2x) shall provide a copy of the plan implemented under par. (b) to any person upon request.

SECTION 77. 118.60 (7) (g) 1. of the statutes is amended to read:

118.60 (7) (g) 1. By the first day of the 3rd month beginning after the month in which the department establishes the model management plan and practices for

maintaining indoor environmental quality in public and private schools under s. 118.075 (3), or by October 1 of a private school's first school year of participation in the program under this section, whichever is later, the private school shall provide for the development of a plan for maintaining indoor environmental quality in the private school. Beginning on October 1, 2026, each private school shall include in the private school's plan under this subdivision a requirement to provide and maintain a carbon monoxide detector, as defined in s. 101.149 (1) (am), in each room of the private school that contains a fuel-burning, forced-air furnace or a boiler, and as otherwise required by the department of safety and professional services or a person certified under s. 101.12 (4) or 101.14 (4r).

SECTION 78. 118.60 (7) (g) 2. of the statutes is amended to read:

118.60 (7) (g) 2. By the first day of the 12th month beginning after the month in which the department establishes the model management plan and practices for maintaining indoor environmental quality in public and private schools under s. 118.075 (3), or by the beginning of the 2nd school year of participation in the program under this section, whichever is later, the private school shall implement a plan for maintaining indoor environmental quality in the private school. By July 1, 2027, or by the beginning of the 2nd school year of participation in the program under this section, whichever is later, the private school shall provide a carbon monoxide detector, as defined in s. 101.149 (1) (am), in each room of the private school that contains a fuel-burning, forced-air furnace or a boiler, and as otherwise required by the department of safety and professional services or a person certified under s. 101.12 (4) or 101.14 (4r) and reasonably maintain every carbon monoxide

detector in the private school in the manner specified in the instructions for the carbon monoxide detector.

SECTION 79. 119.23 (7) (g) 1. of the statutes is amended to read:

119.23 (7) (g) 1. By the first day of the 3rd month beginning after the month in which the department establishes the model management plan and practices for maintaining indoor environmental quality in public and private schools under s. 118.075 (3), or by October 1 of a private school's first school year of participation in the program under this section, whichever is later, the private school shall provide for the development of a plan for maintaining indoor environmental quality in the private school. Beginning on October 1, 2026, each private school shall include in the private school's plan under this subdivision a requirement to provide and maintain a carbon monoxide detector, as defined in s. 101.149 (1) (am), in each room of the private school that contains a fuel-burning, forced-air furnace or a boiler, and as otherwise required by the department of safety and professional services or a person certified under s. 101.12 (4) or 101.14 (4r).

SECTION 80. 119.23 (7) (g) 2. of the statutes is amended to read:

119.23 (7) (g) 2. By the first day of the 12th month beginning after the month in which the department establishes the model management plan and practices for maintaining indoor environmental quality in public and private schools under s. 118.075 (3), or by the beginning of the 2nd school year of participation in the program under this section, whichever is later, the private school shall implement a plan for maintaining indoor environmental quality in the private school. By July 1, 2027, or by the beginning of the 2nd school year of participation in the program under this section, whichever is later, the private school shall provide a carbon

monoxide detector, as defined in s. 101.149 (1) (am), in each room of the private school that contains a fuel-burning, forced-air furnace or a boiler, and as otherwise required by the department of safety and professional services or a person certified under s. 101.12 (4) or 101.14 (4r) and reasonably maintain every carbon monoxide detector in the private school in the manner specified in the instructions for the carbon monoxide detector.”.

25. At the appropriate places, insert all of the following:

“**SECTION 81.** 20.005 (3) (schedule) of the statutes: at the appropriate place, insert the following amounts for the purposes indicated:

2025-26 2026-27

20.255 Public instruction, department of

(2) AIDS FOR LOCAL EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMMING

(ef) Personal financial literacy grants	GPR	B	2,500,000	2,500,000
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SECTION 82. 20.255 (2) (ef) of the statutes is created to read:

20.255 (2) (ef) *Personal financial literacy grants.* Biennially, the amounts in the schedule for financial literacy curriculum grants under s. 115.28 (72).

SECTION 83. 115.28 (72) of the statutes is created to read:

115.28 (72) FINANCIAL LITERACY CURRICULUM GRANT PROGRAM. Award grants to school boards and charter schools established under s. 118.40 (2r) or (2x) for the purpose of developing, implementing, or improving financial literacy curricula. In awarding grants under this subsection, the state superintendent shall prioritize grant applications related to innovative financial literacy curricula, as determined by the state superintendent.”.

26. At the appropriate places, insert all of the following:

“**SECTION 84.** 20.005 (3) (schedule) of the statutes: at the appropriate place, insert the following amounts for the purposes indicated:

2025-26 2026-27

20.255 Public instruction, department of

(2) AIDS FOR LOCAL EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMMING

(fj) Grow your own programs; teacher

pipeline capacity building GPR A -0- 5,000,000

SECTION 85. 20.255 (2) (fj) of the statutes is created to read:

20.255 (2) (fj) *Grow your own programs; teacher pipeline capacity building.*

The amounts in the schedule for grants under s. 115.422 to school districts and operators of a charter school under s. 118.40 (2r) or (2x).

SECTION 86. 115.422 of the statutes is created to read:

115.422 Grow your own programs; teacher pipeline capacity building. (1) In this section, “grow your own program” means a program to encourage individuals to pursue a career in teaching or to facilitate teacher licensure. “Grow your own programs” include high school clubs that encourage careers in teaching, payment of costs associated with current staff acquiring education needed for licensure, support for career pathways using dual enrollment, support for partnerships focused on attracting or developing new teachers, or incentives for paraprofessionals to gain licensure.

(2) Beginning in the 2026-27 school year, from the appropriation under s. 20.255 (2) (fj), the department shall award grants to a school district or the operator

of a charter school under s. 118.40 (2r) or (2x) to reimburse the school district or charter school for costs associated with grow your own programs.

(3) The department shall promulgate rules to implement and administer this section, including criteria for awarding a grant.

SECTION 87. 119.04 (1) of the statutes is amended to read:

119.04 (1) Subchapters IV, V and VII of ch. 115, ch. 121 and ss. 66.0235 (3) (c), 66.0603 (1m) to (3), 115.01 (1) and (2), 115.28, 115.31, 115.33, 115.34, 115.343, 115.345, 115.363, 115.364, 115.365 (3), 115.366, 115.367, 115.38 (2), 115.415, 115.422, 115.445, 118.001 to 118.04, 118.045, 118.06, 118.07, 118.075, 118.076, 118.10, 118.12, 118.124, 118.125 to 118.14, 118.145 (4), 118.15, 118.153, 118.16, 118.162, 118.163, 118.164, 118.18, 118.19, 118.196, 118.20, 118.223, 118.225, 118.24 (1), (2) (c) to (f), (6), (8), and (10), 118.245, 118.25, 118.255, 118.258, 118.291, 118.292, 118.293, 118.2935, 118.30 to 118.43, 118.46, 118.50, 118.51, 118.52, 118.53, 118.55, 118.56, 118.58, 120.12 (2m), (4m), (5), and (15) to (27), 120.125, 120.13 (1), (2) (b) to (g), (3), (14), (17) to (19), (26), (34), (35), (37), (37m), and (38), 120.137, 120.14, 120.20, 120.21 (3), and 120.25 are applicable to a 1st class city school district and board but not, unless explicitly provided in this chapter or in the terms of a contract, to the commissioner or to any school transferred to an opportunity schools and partnership program.”.

27. At the appropriate places, insert all of the following:

“SECTION 9234. Fiscal changes; Public Instruction.

(1) GRANT PROGRAM FOR PEER REVIEW AND MENTORING. In the schedule under s. 20.005 (3) for the appropriation to the department of public instruction under s.

20.255 (2) (fk), the dollar amount for fiscal year 2025-26 is increased by \$803,300 and the dollar amount for fiscal year 2026-27 is increased by \$803,300.”.

28. At the appropriate places, insert all of the following:

“**SECTION 88.** 20.005 (3) (schedule) of the statutes: at the appropriate place, insert the following amounts for the purposes indicated:

				2025-26	2026-27
20.255	Public instruction, department of				
(2)	AIDS FOR LOCAL EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMMING				
(dv)	Aid for period products	GPR	A	500,000	500,000

SECTION 89. 20.255 (2) (dv) of the statutes is created to read:

20.255 (2) (dv) *Aid for period products.* The amounts in the schedule for aid to schools for the provision of period products under s. 115.351 (2).

SECTION 90. 115.351 of the statutes is created to read:

115.351 Aid for period products. (1) In this section:

(a) “Economically disadvantaged pupil” has the meaning given in s. 115.43 (1).

(b) “Eligible local educational agency” means a school district or charter school authorized under s. 118.40 (2r) or (2x) for which the percentage of economically disadvantaged pupils who were enrolled in the school district or attended the charter school in the previous school year is greater than the percentage of economically disadvantaged pupils who were enrolled in school districts and attended charter schools statewide in the previous school year.

(2) Subject to sub. (3), the department shall distribute aid for the provision of period products in accordance with s. 118.40 (2r) (b) 2. m. or (2x) (b) 2. m. or 121.02

(1) (im) to each eligible local educational agency in an amount equal to the greater of the following:

(a) One hundred dollars.

(b) An amount determined as follows:

1. Divide the amount appropriated for the current fiscal year under s. 20.255

(2) (dv) by the total number of economically disadvantaged pupils who were enrolled in or attended eligible local educational agencies statewide in the previous school year.

2. Multiply the number of economically disadvantaged pupils who were enrolled in or attended the eligible local educational agency in the previous school year by the quotient determined under subd. 1.

(3) If the appropriation under s. 20.255 (2) (dv) in the current fiscal year is insufficient to pay the full amount of aid under sub. (2), aid payments shall be prorated among the eligible local educational agencies.

SECTION 91. 118.40 (2r) (b) 2. m. of the statutes is created to read:

118.40 (2r) (b) 2. m. A requirement that the charter school governing board provide period products to any pupil who needs them while at school, at no charge to the pupil.

SECTION 92. 118.40 (2x) (b) 2. m. of the statutes is created to read:

118.40 (2x) (b) 2. m. A requirement that the charter school governing board provide period products to any pupil who needs them while at school, at no charge to the pupil.

SECTION 93. 121.02 (1) (im) of the statutes is created to read:

121.02 (1) (im) Provide period products to any pupil who needs them while at school, at no charge to the pupil.

SECTION 9334. Initial applicability; Public Instruction.

(1) ACCESS TO PERIOD PRODUCTS IN INDEPENDENT CHARTER SCHOOLS. The treatment of s. 118.40 (2r) (b) 2. m. and (2x) (b) 2. m. first applies to a contract that is entered into, renewed, or modified on the effective date of this subsection.

(2) ACCESS TO PERIOD PRODUCTS IN SCHOOL DISTRICTS. The treatment of s. 121.02 (1) (im) first applies to the 2025-26 school year.”.

29. At the appropriate places, insert all of the following:

“**SECTION 94.** 20.005 (3) (schedule) of the statutes: at the appropriate place, insert the following amounts for the purposes indicated:

	2025-26	2026-27
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20.255 Public instruction, department of

(2) AIDS FOR LOCAL EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMMING

(dw) Water bottle filling station; grants GPR	A	-0-	250,000
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SECTION 95. 20.255 (2) (dw) of the statutes is created to read:

20.255 (2) (dw) *Water bottle filling station; grants.* The amounts in the schedule for grants to school districts and independent charter schools under s. 115.335.

SECTION 96. 115.335 of the statutes is created to read:

115.335 Water bottle filling stations; grants. (1) Beginning in the 2026-27 school year, the department shall award grants to school districts and operators of charter schools established under s. 118.40 (2r) or (2x) to modify water fountains to include water bottle filling equipment that includes a water filtration component.

(2) The department may promulgate rules to implement and administer this section.”.

30. At the appropriate places, insert all of the following:

“**SECTION 97.** 121.58 (2) (a) 4. of the statutes is amended to read:

121.58 (2) (a) 4. For each pupil so transported whose residence is more than 12 miles from the school attended, ~~\$300~~ \$400 per school year in the ~~2016-17 school year and \$365 for the 2020-21~~ 2024-25 school year. ~~The amount for the 2021-22 school year and the 2022-23 school year is \$375.~~ The amount for each school year thereafter is ~~\$400~~ \$450.”.

31. At the appropriate places, insert all of the following:

“**SECTION 98.** 121.59 (2) (a) of the statutes is amended to read:

121.59 (2) (a) Divide the statewide school district transportation costs in the previous school year by the statewide membership in the previous school year and multiply the quotient by ~~1.4~~ 1.35.

SECTION 9334. Initial applicability; Public Instruction.

(1) HIGH COST TRANSPORTATION AID; ELIGIBILITY. The treatment of s. 121.59

(2) (a) first applies to aid paid in the 2025-26 school year.”.

32. At the appropriate places, insert all of the following:

“**SECTION 99.** 20.005 (3) (schedule) of the statutes: at the appropriate place, insert the following amounts for the purposes indicated:

	2025-26	2026-27
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20.255	Public instruction, department of
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(3) AIDS TO LIBRARIES, INDIVIDUALS AND
ORGANIZATIONS

(cj)	Student teacher stipends	GPR	S	-0-	9,000,000
(ck)	Cooperating teacher stipends	GPR	S	-0-	3,800,000
(cL)	Library intern stipend payments	GPR	S	-0-	62,500

SECTION 100. 20.255 (3) (cj) of the statutes is created to read:

20.255 (3) (cj) *Student teacher stipends.* A sum sufficient for payments to student teachers under s. 115.421.

SECTION 101. 20.255 (3) (ck) of the statutes is created to read:

20.255 (3) (ck) *Cooperating teacher stipends.* A sum sufficient for payments to teachers under s. 115.424.

SECTION 102. 20.255 (3) (cL) of the statutes is created to read:

20.255 (3) (cL) *Library intern stipend payments.* A sum sufficient for library intern stipend payments under s. 43.05 (12m).

SECTION 103. 43.05 (12m) of the statutes is created to read:

43.05 (12m) From the appropriation under s. 20.255 (3) (cL), beginning in the 2026-27 school year, provide payments, in the amount of \$2,500 per student per semester, to students who are enrolled in a program leading to a master's degree in library and information sciences and are placed as an intern in a public library or school library. The division may promulgate rules to implement this subsection.

SECTION 104. 115.421 of the statutes is created to read:

115.421 Student teacher stipends. From the appropriation account under s. 20.255 (3) (cj), beginning in the 2026-27 school year, the department shall provide

payments, in the amount of \$2,500 per individual per semester, to an individual who is completing student teaching as part of a teacher preparatory program approved by the state superintendent under s. 115.28 (7) (a). Receipt of a payment under this section does not preclude an individual's receipt of a payment under s. 115.41. The department may promulgate rules to implement this section.

SECTION 105. 115.424 of the statutes is created to read:

115.424 Cooperating teacher stipends. From the appropriation account under s. 20.255 (3) (ck), beginning in the 2026-27 school year, the department shall provide payments, in the amount of \$1,000 per teacher per semester, to a cooperating teacher who is overseeing an individual who is completing student teaching. The department may promulgate rules to implement this section.”.

33. At the appropriate places, insert all of the following:

“**SECTION 106.** 20.005 (3) (schedule) of the statutes: at the appropriate place, insert the following amounts for the purposes indicated:

	2025-26	2026-27
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20.255 Public instruction, department of

(1) EDUCATIONAL LEADERSHIP

(be) Early childhood special education;

coaches	GPR	A	600,000	600,000
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SECTION 107. 20.255 (1) (be) of the statutes is created to read:

20.255 (1) (be) *Early childhood special education; coaches.* The amounts in the schedule for regional child care collaboration coaches under s. 115.887.

SECTION 108. 115.887 of the statutes is created to read:

115.887 Early childhood special education; coaches. (1) In this section, “child find” means the process of identifying, locating, and evaluating children with disabilities who may need special education or related services.

(2) The department shall contract with cooperative educational service agencies to employ regional child care collaboration coaches to promote child find to child care providers and provide training, technical assistance, and consultation to, and facilitate collaboration between, child care providers, operators of charter schools authorized under s. 118.40 (2r) or (2x), and school boards for the purpose of providing special education and related services to children with disabilities.”.

34. At the appropriate places, insert all of the following:

“SECTION 9234. Fiscal changes; Public Instruction.

(1) STAFF SUPPORT FOR STATE PROGRAMS. In the schedule under s. 20.005 (3) for the appropriation to the department of public instruction under s. 20.255 (1) (a), the dollar amount for fiscal year 2025-26 is increased by \$170,600 to increase the authorized FTE positions for the department by 2.0 GPR positions to support career and technical education, and reductions in seclusion and restraint. In the schedule under s. 20.005 (3) for the appropriation to the department of public instruction under s. 20.255 (1) (a), the dollar amount for fiscal year 2026-27 is increased by \$222,200 to provide funding for the positions authorized under this subsection.”.

35. At the appropriate places, insert all of the following:

“SECTION 9234. Fiscal changes; Public Instruction.

(1) ACADEMIC AND CAREER PLANNING. In the schedule under s. 20.005 (3) for

the appropriation to the department of public instruction under s. 20.255 (1) (em), the dollar amount for fiscal year 2025-26 is increased by \$18,300. In the schedule under s. 20.005 (3) for the appropriation to the department of public instruction under s. 20.255 (1) (em), the dollar amount for fiscal year 2026-27 is increased by \$213,300.”.

36. At the appropriate places, insert all of the following:

“**SECTION 109.** 20.005 (3) (schedule) of the statutes: at the appropriate place, insert the following amounts for the purposes indicated:

	2025-26	2026-27
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20.255 Public instruction, department of

(3) AIDS TO LIBRARIES, INDIVIDUALS AND
ORGANIZATIONS

(ct) Career and technical student

organizations; grants	GPR	A	1,500,000	1,500,000
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SECTION 110. 20.255 (3) (ct) of the statutes is created to read:

20.255 (3) (ct) *Career and technical student organizations; grants.* The amounts in the schedule for grants to career and technical student organizations under s. 115.28 (30) (f).

SECTION 111. 115.28 (30) (e) of the statutes is created to read:

115.28 (30) (e) Annually, identify one career and technical student organization for each education subject listed in par. (b).

SECTION 112. 115.28 (30) (f) of the statutes is created to read:

115.28 (30) (f) Annually, distribute to each career and technical student organization identified under par. (e) an amount determined as follows:

1. Determine the total number of pupils who were members of the career and technical student organizations identified under par. (e) in the previous school year.

2. For each career and technical student organization, divide the number of pupils who were members of that career and technical student organization in the previous school year by the total determined under subd. 1.

3. Multiply the quotient under subd. 2. by the amount appropriated under s. 20.255 (3) (ct) for the current fiscal year.”.

37. At the appropriate places, insert all of the following:

“**SECTION 113.** 20.005 (3) (schedule) of the statutes: at the appropriate place, insert the following amounts for the purposes indicated:

2025-26 2026-27

20.255 Public instruction, department of

(3) AIDS TO LIBRARIES, INDIVIDUALS AND
ORGANIZATIONS

(fs) The Literacy Lab	GPR	A	1,092,500	1,125,300
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SECTION 114. 20.255 (3) (fs) of the statutes is created to read:

20.255 (3) (fs) *The Literacy Lab*. The amounts in the schedule for payments to The Literacy Lab under s. 115.28 (71).

SECTION 115. 115.28 (71) of the statutes is created to read:

115.28 (71) THE LITERACY LAB. Annually distribute the amounts appropriated under s. 20.255 (3) (fs) to The Literacy Lab, a Virginia nonstock corporation, to provide an evidence-based literacy intervention program in public schools located in the cities of Milwaukee and Racine.”.

38. At the appropriate places, insert all of the following:

“SECTION 9234. Fiscal changes; Public Instruction.

(1) ADULT LITERACY GRANTS. In the schedule under s. 20.005 (3) for the appropriation to the department of public instruction under s. 20.255 (3) (b), the dollar amount for fiscal year 2025-26 is increased by \$716,800 and the dollar amount for fiscal year 2026-27 is increased by \$716,800.”.

39. At the appropriate places, insert all of the following:

“SECTION 116. 49.45 (39) (b) 1. of the statutes is amended to read:

49.45 (39) (b) 1. ‘Payment for school medical services.’ If a school district or a cooperative educational service agency elects to provide school medical services and meets all requirements under par. (c), the department shall reimburse the school district or the cooperative educational service agency for ~~60~~ 100 percent of the federal share of allowable charges for the school medical services that it provides and, as specified in subd. 2., for allowable administrative costs. If the Wisconsin Center for the Blind and Visually Impaired or the Wisconsin Educational Services Program for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing elects to provide school medical services and meets all requirements under par. (c), the department shall reimburse the department of public instruction for ~~60~~ 100 percent of the federal share of allowable charges for the school medical services that the Wisconsin Center for the Blind and Visually Impaired or the Wisconsin Educational Services Program for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing provides and, as specified in subd. 2., for allowable administrative costs. A school district, cooperative educational service agency, the Wisconsin Center for the Blind and Visually Impaired, or the Wisconsin Educational Services

Program for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing may submit, and the department shall allow, claims for common carrier transportation costs as a school medical service unless the department receives notice from the federal health care financing administration that, under a change in federal policy, the claims are not allowed. If the department receives the notice, a school district, cooperative educational service agency, the Wisconsin Center for the Blind and Visually Impaired, or the Wisconsin Educational Services Program for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing may submit, and the department shall allow, unreimbursed claims for common carrier transportation costs incurred before the date of the change in federal policy. The department shall promulgate rules establishing a methodology for making reimbursements under this paragraph. All other expenses for the school medical services provided by a school district or a cooperative educational service agency shall be paid for by the school district or the cooperative educational service agency with funds received from state or local taxes. The school district, the Wisconsin Center for the Blind and Visually Impaired, the Wisconsin Educational Services Program for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing, or the cooperative educational service agency shall comply with all requirements of the federal department of health and human services for receiving federal financial participation.

SECTION 117. 49.45 (39) (b) 2. of the statutes is amended to read:

49.45 (39) (b) 2. 'Payment for school medical services administrative costs.' The department shall reimburse a school district or a cooperative educational service agency specified under subd. 1. and shall reimburse the department of public instruction on behalf of the Wisconsin Center for the Blind and Visually

Impaired or the Wisconsin Educational Services Program for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing for ~~90~~ 100 percent of the federal share of allowable administrative costs, using time studies, ~~beginning in fiscal year 1999-2000~~. A school district or a cooperative educational service agency may submit, and the department of health services shall allow, claims for administrative costs incurred during the period that is up to 24 months before the date of the claim, if allowable under federal law.

SECTION 9319. Initial applicability; Health Services.

(1) MEDICAID SCHOOL-BASED SERVICES. The treatment of s. 49.45 (39) (b) 1. and 2. first applies to claims for reimbursement submitted on July 1, 2026.”.

(END)