

**OFFICE OF CHIEF ACADEMIC OFFICER**  
**Summary of State Board of Education Agenda Items**  
**June13, 2019**

**ELEMENTARY EDUCATION AND READING**

05.G. Action: Award Educators-in-Residence grants to school districts for literacy coaches [Goals 1, 2, and 4 – MBE Strategic Plan]

Background and Purpose: To extend the reach of the MDE to provide practitioner expertise, technical assistance, and capacity building across the state in the area of literacy in accordance with the Literacy-Based Promotion Act.

Grants will be awarded to school districts in support of the Educator-in-Residence (EIR) program. These grants will place 77 literacy coaches in literacy support schools across the state. Literacy support schools are identified for coaching support based on the percentage of 3<sup>rd</sup> grade students scoring below proficient on the statewide assessment.

Literacy coach support will include, but is not limited to: providing daily technical support to school-based coaches or lead teachers in their capacity to support instruction of the five components of reading, implement curriculum, administer assessments, analyze data, and utilize technology; modeling, effective coaching and conferencing techniques; and assisting administrators, school-based literacy coaches, and teachers in addressing grade specific curriculum by developing an effective school-wide literacy plan and providing strategies for monitoring the plan's implementation. Grant awards will be in the amount of salary, fringe benefits, and, if managed by the grantee, related travel costs. EIR salaries will be based on comparable state agency positions, school district positions, or similar professional roles. Grant awards may be made for up to five years based on end-of-year EIR evaluations and availability of funds.

Scope of Grant:

- Grant Period: July 1, 2019 - June 30, 2020  
(With a liquidation period ending July 12, 2020)
- Award Amount: \$5,962,000
- Method of Award: Competitive Grant – Request for Applications

Funding Source: State funds

Summary of Selection Process:

A competitive request for application grant selection process was utilized to award the grants.

Scoring Criteria:

General Experience

Special Experience

Education

Certification/Educator License

Face-to-Face Interview

This item references Goals 1, 2, and 4 of the *Mississippi Board of Education 2018-2022 Strategic Plan*.

Recommendation: Approval

Back-up material attached

**MISSISSIPPI DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION**  
**Competitive Grant Awards to Districts for**  
**Educator-in-Residence (EIR) Program**  
**2019-2020 School Year**

<b>District</b>	<b>Number of EIRs</b>	<b>Title</b>	<b>Salary</b>	<b>Fringe</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>District Total</b>
Alcorn School District	1	Literacy Coach	\$55,000	\$18,500	\$73,500	\$73,500
Bay St. Louis-Waveland School District	1	Literacy Coach	\$55,000	\$18,500	\$73,500	\$73,500
Canton School District	5	Literacy Coach	\$55,000	\$18,500	\$73,500	\$379,500
		Literacy Coach	\$55,000	\$18,500	\$73,500	
		Literacy Coach	\$55,000	\$18,500	\$73,500	
		Literacy Coach	\$55,000	\$18,500	\$73,500	
		Regional Coordinator	\$65,000	\$20,500	\$85,500	
Clarksdale Municipal School District	3	Regional Coordinator	\$65,000	\$20,500	\$85,500	\$232,500
		Literacy Coach	\$55,000	\$18,500	\$73,500	
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Cleveland School District	2	Literacy Coach	\$55,000	\$18,500	\$73,500	\$147,000
		Literacy Coach	\$55,000	\$18,500	\$73,500	
Coffeerville School District	1	Literacy Coach	\$55,000	\$18,500	\$73,500	\$73,500
Columbus Municipal School District	3	Literacy Coach	\$55,000	\$18,500	\$73,500	\$220,500
		Literacy Coach	\$55,000	\$18,500	\$73,500	
		Literacy Coach	\$55,000	\$18,500	\$73,500	
Copiah County School District	1	Assistant State K-3 Literacy Coordinator	\$75,000	\$23,000	\$98,000	\$98,000
Covington County School District	2	Regional Coordinator	\$65,000	\$20,500	\$85,500	\$159,000
		Literacy Coach	\$55,000	\$18,500	\$73,500	
East Tallahatchie School District	1	Literacy Coach	\$55,000	\$18,500	\$73,500	\$73,500
Forrest County School District	3	Literacy Coach	\$55,000	\$18,500	\$73,500	\$220,500
		Literacy Coach	\$55,000	\$18,500	\$73,500	
		Literacy Coach	\$55,000	\$18,500	\$73,500	
Greenville Public Schools	1	Literacy Coach	\$55,000	\$18,500	\$73,500	\$73,500

Greenwood Public School District	1	Regional Coordinator	\$65,000	\$20,500	\$85,500	\$85,500
Gulfport School District	1	Literacy Coach	\$55,000	\$18,500	\$73,500	\$73,500
Hollandale School District	1	Literacy Coach	\$55,000	\$18,500	\$73,500	\$73,500
Holmes County School District	1	Regional Coordinator	\$65,000	\$20,500	\$85,500	\$85,500
Humphreys County School District	1	Literacy Coach	\$55,000	\$18,500	\$73,500	\$73,500
Jackson Public School District	8	Regional Coordinator	\$65,000	\$20,500	\$85,500	\$612,000
		Literacy Coach	\$55,000	\$18,500	\$73,500	
		Literacy Coach	\$55,000	\$18,500	\$73,500	
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		Literacy Coach	\$55,000	\$18,500	\$73,500	
		Regional Coordinator	\$65,000	\$20,500	\$85,500	
		Literacy Coach	\$55,000	\$18,500	\$73,500	
Jefferson Davis School District	1	Regional Coordinator	\$65,000	\$20,500	\$85,500	\$85,500
Kemper County School District	1	Literacy Coach	\$55,000	\$18,500	\$73,500	\$73,500
Lamar County School District	1	Literacy Coach	\$55,000	\$18,500	\$73,500	\$73,500

Laurel School District	2	Literacy Coach	\$55,000	\$18,500	\$73,500	\$147,000
		Literacy Coach	\$55,000	\$18,500	\$73,500	
Lee County School District	3	Literacy Coach	\$55,000	\$18,500	\$73,500	\$220,500
		Literacy Coach	\$55,000	\$18,500	\$73,500	
		Literacy Coach	\$55,000	\$18,500	\$73,500	
Marshall County School District	1	Regional Coordinator	\$65,000	\$20,500	\$85,500	\$85,500
Meridian Public School District	1	Literacy Coach	\$55,000	\$18,500	\$73,500	\$73,500
Moss Point School District	1	Literacy Coach	\$55,000	\$18,500	\$73,500	\$73,500
North Panola School District	1	Literacy Coach	\$55,000	\$18,500	\$73,500	\$73,500
North Pike School District	1	Literacy Coach	\$55,000	\$18,500	\$73,500	\$73,500
North Tippah School District	1	Regional Coordinator	\$65,000	\$20,500	\$85,500	\$85,500
Noxubee County School District	1	Regional Coordinator	\$65,000	\$20,500	\$85,500	\$85,500
Ocean Springs School District	1	Literacy Coach	\$55,000	\$18,500	\$73,500	\$73,500

Perry County School District	3	Regional Coordinator	\$65,000	\$20,500	\$85,500	\$232,500
		Literacy Coach	\$55,000	\$18,500	\$73,500	
		Literacy Coach	\$55,000	\$18,500	\$73,500	
Pontotoc County School District	4	Literacy Coach	\$55,000	\$18,500	\$73,500	\$306,000
		Regional Coordinator	\$65,000	\$20,500	\$85,500	
		Literacy Coach	\$55,000	\$18,500	\$73,500	
		Literacy Coach	\$55,000	\$18,500	\$73,500	
Poplarville School District	1	Literacy Coach	\$55,000	\$18,500	\$73,500	\$73,500
Quitman Consolidated School District	1	Literacy Coach	\$55,000	\$18,500	\$73,500	\$73,500
Rankin County School District	3	Assistant State K-3 Literacy Coordinator	\$75,000	\$23,000	\$98,000	\$294,000
		Assistant State K-3 Literacy Coordinator	\$75,000	\$23,000	\$98,000	
		K-Readiness/ Screener Data Coordinator	\$75,000	\$23,000	\$98,000	

Simpson County School District	1	Literacy Coach	\$55,000	\$18,500	\$73,500	\$73,500
Starkville Oktibbeha Consolidated School District	1	Literacy Coach	\$55,000	\$18,500	\$73,500	\$73,500
Sunflower Consolidated School District	1	Literacy Coach	\$55,000	\$18,500	\$73,500	\$73,500
Tunica County School District	1	Literacy Coach	\$55,000	\$18,500	\$73,500	\$73,500
Vicksburg-Warren School District	1	Assistant State K-3 Literacy Coordinator	\$75,000	\$23,000	\$98,000	\$98,000
Western Line School District	1	Literacy Coach	\$55,000	\$18,500	\$73,500	\$73,500
Walthall County School District	1	Literacy Coach	\$55,000	\$18,500	\$73,500	\$73,500
Wayne County School District	1	Literacy Coach	\$55,000	\$18,500	\$73,500	\$73,500
Webster County School District	2	Regional Coordinator	\$65,000	\$20,500	\$85,500	\$159,000
		Literacy Coach	\$55,000	\$18,500	\$73,500	
Yazoo County School District	2	Regional Coordinator	\$65,000	\$20,500	\$85,500	\$159,000
		Literacy Coach	\$55,000	\$18,500	\$73,500	
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>77</b>		<b>\$4,485,000</b>	<b>\$1,477,000</b>	<b>\$5,962,000</b>	<b>\$5,962,000</b>



