

OFFICE OF CHIEF ACADEMIC OFFICER
Summary of State Board of Education Agenda Items
May 15, 2025

OFFICE OF ELEMENTARY EDUCATION AND READING

- 05.A. Action: Modify existing Educator-in-Residence (EIR) grant awards for literacy coaching support by adding districts [Goals 1, 2, and 4 – MBE Strategic Plan]

The Office of Elementary Education and Reading, Division of Literacy, awarded grants February 20, 2025 to participating Educator-in-Residence (EIR) districts based on successful competitive applications. EIR adjustments have been made accordingly. Continuation of grants shall be contingent upon the successful completion of services from the preceding fiscal year's grant and the availability of funds.

Scope of Grant:

- Term of Award: July 1, 2025 – June 30, 2030
- Amount of Current Award: \$37,993,468.60
- Modified Amount: \$0
- Total Amount of Award \$37,993,468.60
- Method of Award: Educator-in-Residence Application

Funding Source: State funds

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

Recommendation: Approval

Back-up material attached

Name of District	Number of EIRs	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Award Amount
**Jefferson County	1	\$131,726.36	\$133,473.91	\$135,221.47	\$136,969.03	\$138,716.58	\$676,107.35
**Philadelphia	1	\$115,839.48	\$117,587.04	\$119,334.59	\$121,082.15	\$122,829.71	\$596,672.97

** New district support for EIRs transferring from an already approved district. The total amount of the award approved on February 20, 2025 remained the same.