

OFFICE OF CHIEF ACADEMIC OFFICER
Summary of State Board of Education Agenda Items
June 19, 2025

OFFICE OF SPECIAL EDUCATION

07.D. Action: Modify to extend grant for Ocean Springs School District for one additional year for Special Education Teacher Mentor Program Coordinator Educator-in-Residence [Goals 1 and 4 – MBE Strategic Plan

Background and Purpose: The purpose of this grant modification is to amend the grant agreement to increase funds and to extend for one additional year.

Scope of Grant:

- Term of Current Grant: May 1, 2023 – June 30, 2025
- Term of Modified Grant: May 1, 2023 – June 30, 2026
- Cost of Current Grant: \$ 217,480.25
- Modification Increase: \$ 100,357.50
- Total Cost of Modified Grant: \$ 317,837.75
- Method of Award: Request for Applications

Funding Source: Federal funds

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

Recommendation: Approval

Back-up material attached

Special Education Teacher Mentor Program Coordinator Educator-In-Residence

District	Current Grant Award	Modified Grant Award	Total Award Amount
Ocean Springs School District	\$217,480.25	\$100,357.50	\$317,837.75

The Mississippi Department of Education reserves the right to negotiate grant award amounts depending upon MS State Legislature Appropriation. Grant awards will not exceed the above amounts.