

**OFFICE OF CHIEF ACADEMIC OFFICER**  
**Summary of State Board of Education Agenda Items**  
**July 27, 2023**

**OFFICE OF ELEMENTARY EDUCATION AND READING**

03.A. Action: Award competitive grants for the K-4 Literacy Support High Dosage Tutoring [Goals 1 and 2 – MBE Strategic Plan]

Background and Purpose: High Dosage Tutoring supports the implementation of the Literacy-Based Promotion Act (LBPA) and the Mississippi High-Dosage Tutoring Playbook that aids in improving literacy outcomes for kindergarten through 2<sup>nd</sup> grade students through tutoring supports. The intent of the grant is to provide tutoring services implementing K-4 Literacy Support: High Dosage Tutoring through grants issued by the Mississippi Department of Education.

Awarding of the grant for each year shall be contingent upon the successful completion of services, a performance evaluation, and the availability of funds.

Scope of Grant:

- Grant Period: July 28, 2023 – June 30, 2025  
(With a liquidation period ending July 12, 2025)
- Award Amount: \$950,000
- Method of Award: Request for Applications

Funding Source: State funds

Summary of Selection Process:

A competitive grant selection process was utilized to award grants.

Scoring Criteria:

- A. Application
- B. Priority points

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

Recommendation: Approval

Back-up material attached

**K-4 Literacy Support High Dosage Tutoring Awards**

<b>District/Partnership</b>	<b>Award Amount</b>		
	<b>FY24 Amount Awarded</b>	<b>FY25 Amount Awarded</b>	<b>Total Award</b>
Cleveland School District	\$ 75,000	\$ 75,000	\$150,000
Hollandale School District	\$ 75,000	\$ 75,000	\$150,000
Holmes County Consolidated School District	\$ 50,000	\$ 50,000	\$100,000
Jefferson County School District	\$ 75,000	\$ 75,000	\$150,000
Lamar County School District	\$150,000	\$150,000	\$300,000
Natchez-Adams	\$ 50,000	\$ 50,000	\$100,000
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$475,000</b>	<b>\$475,000</b>	<b>\$950,000</b>