

OFFICE OF INSTRUCTIONAL ENHANCEMENT AND INTERNAL OPERATIONS
Summary of State Board of Education Items
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05. Approval of revised methodology to award discretionary grants to school districts, public institutions of higher learning, community colleges, and state agencies to participate in a Mississippi Department of Education *Educators in Residence* program

Purpose: The Educators in Residence (EIR) will work within various Mississippi Department of Education (MDE) offices for a specified period of time to build reciprocal capacity across state educational entities and the MDE. Additionally, the EIR personnel will be an asset in providing valuable insight and leadership regarding statewide initiatives.

Eligibility: Upon approval of the grant methodology, MDE offices will begin utilizing the “Educator in Residence” model by recruiting eligible candidates through an application process. Candidates will be selected based on credible leadership in specified job assignments.

Funding Source: State and Federal funds

Basis for Awarding the Grants: Discretionary

Recommendation: Approval