

OFFICE OF CHIEF ACADEMIC OFFICER
Summary of State Board of Education Agenda Item
May 15-16, 2014

OFFICE OF STUDENT ASSESSMENT

08. Approval to award a discretionary grant to Nettleton School District for the purpose of contracting with an Educator in Residence to provide consultative services and technical assistance

Purpose: To provide practitioner expertise and capacity building for the Mississippi Department of Education (MDE) in the areas of assessment and meeting the needs of students with disabilities. A discretionary grant will be awarded to Nettleton School District in support of the Educator in Residence program through which services of the MDE to local school districts will be enhanced.

Scope of Grant:

- Grant Period: June 1, 2014 – June 30, 2015
- Maximum Award Amount: \$93,664

Salary	\$ 70,416
<u>Fringe</u>	<u>\$ 23,248</u>
Total	\$ 93,664

The Mississippi Department of Education reserves the right to negotiate grant award amounts dependent upon appropriations. The grant award will not exceed the above amount.

- Method of Award: Discretionary

Funding Source: Federal funds

Recommendation: Approval