

**OFFICE OF CHIEF ACADEMIC OFFICER**  
**Summary of State Board of Education Agenda Items**  
**Consent Agenda**  
**May 12, 2016**

**OFFICE OF SECONDARY EDUCATION**

- K. Award discretionary grants to local school districts for the purpose of contracting with Educators in Residence to provide technical assistance and training support to districts

Purpose: Individuals employed through “Educator in Residence” program will work within Mississippi Department of Education (MDE) offices for a specified period of time to:

- Provide practitioner expertise, technical assistance, and professional development support to educators across the state in the area of social studies for grades 6-12.
- Provide practitioner expertise, technical assistance, and professional development support to educators across the state in the area of science grades 6-12.
- Provide practitioner expertise and technical assistance for the Mississippi Department of Education (MDE) by serving as principal of the Golden Triangle Early College High School at East Mississippi Community College (EMCC).

Discretionary grants will be awarded to school districts that serve as the home district for individuals employed as an Educator in Residence.

Scope of Grant:

- Grant Period: June 1, 2016 – June 30, 2017
- Maximum Award Amount: Up to \$ 303,530  
(Amounts per district attached)
- Method of Award: Discretionary

Funding Source: Federal and State funds

Recommendation: Approval

Back-up material attached

**MISSISSIPPI DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION**  
**Discretionary Grant Awards to Districts for Educator in Residence (EIR) Program**  
**2016-2017 School Year**

<b>Office</b>	<b>District</b>	<b>Number of EIRs</b>	<b>Title</b>	<b>Salary</b>	<b>Fringe</b>	<b>Total</b>
Secondary Education	Lowndes County School District	1	Educator in Residence	\$95,600	\$22,830	\$118,430
	Neshoba County School District	1	Educator in Residence	\$80,000	\$23,100	\$103,100
	Madison County School District	1	Educator in Residence	\$60,000	\$22,000	\$82,000
<b>Total Award Amount</b>						

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