



STATE OF ALABAMA
DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION



Eric G. Mackey, Ed.D.
State Superintendent of Education

July 1, 2026

MEMORANDUM

TO: City and County Superintendents of Education

FROM: Eric G. Mackey *EGM*
State Superintendent of Education

RE: Supplemental Appropriations (Act 2026-599)

Act 2026-599 makes supplemental appropriations to the FY 2026 fiscal year ending September 30, 2026. Below is a table that includes the title, fund code, and appendix for each item included in Act 2026-599, which provides funds for K-12 schools in Alabama. Each appendix referenced will have attached detailed information about the use of funds, processes, or applications for requesting funds, and timelines.

Title	Fund Codes	Appendix	ALSDE Point of Contact	Email
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Summer- and After-School Program	1776	D	Jeff Norris	jeff.norris@alsde.edu
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Struggling Readers Beyond Grade 3	1775	F	Misty Wilson	misty.wilson@alsde.edu
School Breakfast Program	5101	SEPARATE MEMO		

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Attachments

cc: Chief School Financial Officers

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APPENDIX A
Fleet Renewal
Supplemental Appropriation

The supplemental allocation for the purchase of school buses or the retirement of school bus debt will be funded on a pro rata basis of each system's FY 2026 Fleet Renewal allocation. The amount allocated to each LEA is attached to this Appendix.

Funds will automatically be disbursed prior to the start of the school year. Fund source 1321 should be used to account for the revenue and expenditures associated with these funds. All funds should be expended by **September 30, 2027**.

These funds are allowed to be used in the same manner as traditional fleet renewal funds appropriated annually as part of the Education Trust Fund allocation. For any school system that is currently up to date in purchasing regular route buses, application may be made to the State Superintendent of Education to flex these funds for other educational purposes. Appropriate FY 2026 expenditures previously paid from other sources can be reclassified to this fund source.

If you have questions or need additional information, please contact Ms. Maetasha Mitchell (maetasha.mitchell@alsde.edu).

**STATE OF ALABAMA
DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION
FY 2026 Supplemental Allocation
Fleet Renewal
Fund Source 1321**

System Code	System	Allocation Amount	System Code	System	Allocation Amount
001	Autauga County	\$414,617	042	Limestone County	\$390,021
002	Baldwin County	\$1,082,221	043	Lowndes County	\$101,897
003	Barbour County	\$52,706	044	Macon County	\$105,411
004	Bibb County	\$168,658	045	Madison County	\$667,604
005	Blount County	\$351,370	046	Marengo County	\$91,356
006	Bullock County	\$70,274	047	Marion County	\$161,630
007	Butler County	\$115,952	048	Marshall County	\$277,583
008	Calhoun County	\$397,049	049	Mobile County	\$1,911,455
009	Chambers County	\$161,630	050	Monroe County	\$154,603
010	Cherokee County	\$193,254	051	Montgomery County	\$660,576
011	Chilton County	\$298,665	052	Morgan County	\$302,178
012	Choctaw County	\$98,384	053	Perry County	\$80,815
013	Clarke County	\$165,144	054	Pickens County	\$137,034
014	Clay County	\$115,952	055	Pike County	\$130,007
015	Cleburne County	\$119,466	056	Randolph County	\$112,439
016	Coffee County	\$112,439	057	Russell County	\$217,850
017	Colbert County	\$119,466	058	St Clair County	\$351,370
018	Conecuh County	\$73,788	059	Shelby County	\$667,604
019	Coosa County	\$80,815	060	Sumter County	\$73,788
020	Covington County	\$175,685	061	Talladega County	\$368,939
021	Crenshaw County	\$77,301	062	Tallapoosa County	\$165,144
022	Cullman County	\$375,966	063	Tuscaloosa County	\$744,905
023	Dale County	\$147,576	064	Walker County	\$316,233
024	Dallas County	\$210,822	065	Washington County	\$154,603
025	DeKalb County	\$432,186	066	Wilcox County	\$130,007
026	Elmore County	\$488,405	067	Winston County	\$193,254
027	Escambia County	\$263,528	101	Albertville City	\$144,062
028	Etowah County	\$351,370	102	Alexander City	\$94,870
029	Fayette County	\$108,925	103	Alabaster City	\$267,041
030	Franklin County	\$186,226	104	Andalusia City	\$42,164
031	Geneva County	\$105,411	105	Anniston City	\$3,514
032	Greene County	\$66,760	106	Arab City	\$49,192
033	Hale County	\$98,384	107	Athens City	\$84,329
034	Henry County	\$108,925	109	Attalla City	\$28,110
035	Houston County	\$295,151	110	Auburn City	\$372,453
036	Jackson County	\$203,795	113	Bessemer City	\$112,439
037	Jefferson County	\$1,535,488	114	Birmingham City	\$260,014
038	Lamar County	\$115,952	115	Boaz City	\$80,815
039	Lauderdale County	\$274,069	116	Brewton City	\$21,082
040	Lawrence County	\$291,637	121	Chickasaw City	\$17,569
041	Lee County	\$372,453	125	Cullman City	\$7,027

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FY 2026 Supplemental Allocation
Fleet Renewal
Fund Source 1321**

System Code	System	Allocation Amount	System Code	System	Allocation Amount
126	Daleville City	\$49,192	185	Piedmont City	\$0
127	Decatur City	\$224,877	186	Pike Road City	\$137,034
128	Demopolis City	\$7,027	187	Saraland City	\$94,870
130	Dothan City	\$238,932	188	Roanoke City	\$14,055
131	Elba City	\$10,541	189	Russellville City	\$80,815
132	Enterprise City	\$238,932	190	Scottsboro City	\$63,247
133	Eufaula City	\$38,651	191	Selma City	\$24,596
137	Fairfield City	\$24,596	192	Sheffield City	\$7,027
141	Florence City	\$0	193	Sylacauga City	\$31,623
143	Fort Payne City	\$73,788	194	Talladega City	\$59,733
144	Gadsden City	\$0	195	Tallassee City	\$21,082
146	Geneva City	\$35,137	196	Satsuma City	\$35,137
152	Gulf Shores City	\$59,733	197	Tarrant City	\$0
154	Guntersville City	\$45,678	198	Thomasville City	\$35,137
155	Haleyville City	\$10,541	199	Troy City	\$10,541
156	Hartselle City	\$80,815	200	Tuscaloosa City	\$407,590
157	Homewood City	\$3,514	201	Tuscumbia City	\$14,055
158	Hoover City	\$404,076	202	Vestavia Hills City	\$21,082
159	Huntsville City	\$0	204	Winfield City	\$31,623
162	Jacksonville City	\$0	205	Trussville City	\$133,521
163	Jasper City	\$70,274	800	MAEF Public Charter Schools	\$7,027
165	Lanett City	\$31,623	801	University Charter School	\$0
167	Leeds City	\$80,815	802	LEAD Academy	\$0
168	Linden City	\$10,541	803	Legacy Prep	\$0
169	Madison City	\$326,774	805	i3 Academy	\$0
171	Midfield City	\$28,110	807	LIFE Academy	\$0
174	Orange Beach City	\$21,082	808	Breakthrough Charter School	\$0
175	Mountain Brook City	\$14,055	809	Ivy Classical Academy	\$0
176	Muscle Shoals City	\$10,541	810	Magic City Acceptance Academy	\$0
177	Pelham City	\$165,144	811	Empower Schools of Alabama	\$0
178	Oneonta City	\$35,137	812	Alabama Aerospace and Aviation	\$0
179	Opelika City	\$80,815	813	Covenant Academy of Mobile	\$0
180	Opp City	\$38,651	815	Freedom Prep Academy	\$0
181	Oxford City	\$168,658	816	Floretta P. Carson Visual and Performing Arts	\$0
182	Ozark City	\$105,411	817	Independence Preparatory Academy	\$0
183	Pell City	\$161,630	818	I Dream Big Charter Schools	\$0
184	Phenix City	\$144,062			
				Total:	\$25,000,000.00

APPENDIX B

College and Career Readiness Supplemental Appropriations

Act 2026-599 appropriated \$20,000,000 to be allocated in grants to continue the expansion of support for activities that increase students' awareness of postsecondary opportunities, resulting in closing the gap between Graduation Rates and College and Career Readiness. To facilitate the approval process for the College and Career Readiness (CCR) funds, an application is required.

Grant Eligibility

Local Education Agencies (LEAs) are invited to apply for funding for each secondary school with a 2025 Graduate Rate.

Applications for secondary schools with a graduation rate will be prioritized based on the following criteria:

- CCR Rate equal to or less than 82% on the Alabama Education Report Card, and/or
- Difference between Graduation and CCR Rates is equal to or greater than 15 points.

These eligible schools may apply for up to:

- \$80,000 for schools with CCR Rate equal to or less than 82% on the Alabama Education Report Card, AND a difference between Graduation and CCR Rates that is equal to or greater than 15 points.
- \$60,000 for schools with CCR Rate equal to or less than 82% on the Alabama Education Report Card.

Any other school serving students in Grades 9-12 are eligible to apply for \$40,000 per school.

Deadline: LEAs and/or school contacts must complete the application within the online grant portal no later than 11:59 p.m. CST on **August 3, 2026**.

Recommendations from the Offices of Career and Technical Education and Student Learning have been provided below; however, focus should be given to activities focused on **increasing CCR attainment rate and/or closing the gap between CCR and Graduation Rates**. The following expenditures are not allowable: salaries, benefits, computer hardware (CPUs, Laptops, or Chromebooks), clothing, food, furniture, CTE career readiness indicator fees, programs and/or subscriptions that are a replacement for a statewide contracted program/subscription, such as Kuder/Alabama Career Planning System, student organization membership fees, and incentives/gifts. If funded, an impact and expenditure report will be required.

For additional information or questions, contact Mrs. Cristin M. Dillard, Education Administrator, cdillard@alsde.edu or Mrs. Shenitra S. Dees, Education Specialist II, shenitra.dees@alsde.edu or by telephone at 334-694-4768.

SAMPLE ACTIVITIES

Instruction/Innovation

- CRI Assessment Preparation (Updated Software, Hardware, Prep Resources, etc.)
- Middle School College & Career Readiness Activities
- College and Career Readiness projects (Resume Writing, FAFSA Completion, Volunteer Projects, Budget Planning, Mock Interviews, etc.)
- Test Preparation (AP, IB, WorkKeys, ASVAB, ACT, etc.)
- Exam Fees (AP, IB, PSAT, ACT, ACT WorkKeys, etc.)
- Career Simulators/Virtual Labs
- Service-Learning Projects

Educator Professional Learning

- Pre-AP and AP Professional Learning
- Tuition Reimbursement to Meet Dual Enrollment Instructor Requirements

Extended Learning

- Job Shadowing and other Work-Based Learning Activities
- Dual Enrollment Scholarships, Transportation, and/or Materials
- Summer Learning/Camps
- School-Based Mentorship Programs
- Extended Learning Activities (Twilight School, Tutoring, etc.)

Awareness

- Career Fairs
- Workforce Development Partnerships
- College Campus Visits
- Business and Industry Tours
- Family Workforce Events

Instructional Services Grant Portal Information

[Click the link to access the application on the Instructional Services Grant Portal.](#)

New Users: Please click on "Create New Account" to complete the registration process and create your logon credentials.

Existing Users: Please enter your credentials and log in. If you forgot your password, please use the "Forgot your Password?" link to the left to reset your password.

Not Sure? Questions? If you think that you or someone at your organization has already registered in the system, do not create a new account. Please contact our CCR Grant contact, Holly Summerlin, holly.summerlin@alsde.edu, for assistance.

Grant Portal Tutorials

[Access technical assistance and tutorials for using the grant portal and/or additional information on the grant process by clicking here.](#)

CCR Grant Technical Assistance

[Access technical assistance for grant activities resources by clicking here.](#)

APPENDIX C
School Safety
Supplemental Appropriation

The supplemental allocation for School Safety should be used to strengthen the security of school facilities, school buses, and school grounds. To facilitate the appropriate use of the Supplemental Allocation of School Safety funds, school systems should refrain from using these funds for personnel expenditures. We recommend utilizing these funds for the following purposes, including criteria related to the *School Security Act* in the *Code of Alabama*, Title 16-22B (1975):

Access Control Systems	Intercom Systems/Communication Equipment
Alarm Systems	Knox Key Box
Breaching Tools	Locks on Exterior and Interior Doors
Bullet Resistant Film	Panic Buttons
Curriculum for Required Annual Trainings	Portable Weapon Detection System/Metal Detectors
Emergency Escapes	Security Cameras
Emergency Kits / AED Systems	Software Security Applications
Emergency Notification Systems	Upgrade / New Surveillance Systems
Fencing	Visitor Management Systems
Fire Extinguishers	Walkie Talkie Radio Systems
Intrusion Detection	Windows

The allocation for each school system is attached. Funds will be automatically disbursed prior to the start of the school year. Fund source 1770 should be used to account for the revenue and expenditures associated with these funds. All funds should be expended by **September 30, 2027**. Appropriate FY26 expenditures previously paid from other sources can be reclassified to this fund source.

If you have questions, please contact Autumm Jeter (autumm.jeter@alsde.edu) or Johnny Whaley (johnny.whaley@alsde.edu).

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FY 2026 Supplemental Allocation
School Safety
Fund Source 1770

System Code	System	Allocation Amount	System Code	System	Allocation Amount
001	Autauga County	248,638	043	Lowndes County	29,620
002	Baldwin County	896,513	044	Macon County	47,204
003	Barbour County	15,782	045	Madison County	587,687
004	Bibb County	84,218	046	Marengo County	26,537
005	Blount County	213,293	047	Marion County	93,183
006	Bullock County	37,299	048	Marshall County	177,114
007	Butler County	70,588	049	Mobile County	1,372,885
008	Calhoun County	225,813	050	Monroe County	81,480
009	Chambers County	86,510	051	Montgomery County	732,247
010	Cherokee County	104,600	052	Morgan County	208,514
011	Chilton County	219,278	053	Perry County	21,491
012	Choctaw County	27,482	054	Pickens County	61,985
013	Clarke County	56,942	055	Pike County	54,182
014	Clay County	49,369	056	Randolph County	57,299
015	Cleburne County	69,718	057	Russell County	106,751
016	Coffee County	83,502	058	St Clair County	268,646
017	Colbert County	70,184	059	Shelby County	589,425
018	Conecuh County	34,436	060	Sumter County	23,687
019	Coosa County	22,640	061	Talladega County	192,305
020	Covington County	83,258	062	Tallapoosa County	80,116
021	Crenshaw County	57,442	063	Tuscaloosa County	546,513
022	Cullman County	279,294	064	Walker County	188,880
023	Dale County	98,126	065	Washington County	67,190
024	Dallas County	59,729	066	Wilcox County	29,737
025	DeKalb County	244,846	067	Winston County	63,618
026	Elmore County	327,639	101	Albertville City	162,330
027	Escambia County	108,515	102	Alexander City	74,100
028	Etowah County	239,328	103	Alabaster City	179,003
029	Fayette County	63,620	104	Andalusia City	49,873
030	Franklin County	96,985	105	Anniston City	47,154
031	Geneva County	78,187	106	Arab City	70,941
032	Greene County	23,729	107	Athens City	161,052
033	Hale County	59,588	109	Attalla City	40,215
034	Henry County	70,400	110	Auburn City	275,175
035	Houston County	196,570	113	Bessemer City	81,561
036	Jackson County	141,162	114	Birmingham City	564,558
037	Jefferson County	976,134	115	Boaz City	71,073
038	Lamar County	59,674	116	Brewton City	32,165
039	Lauderdale County	220,586	121	Chickasaw City	99,587
040	Lawrence County	128,177	125	Cullman City	91,007
041	Lee County	250,442	126	Daleville City	32,057
042	Limestone County	488,933	127	Decatur City	246,351
128	Demopolis City	51,645	185	Piedmont City	29,276
130	Dothan City	226,952	186	Pike Road City	82,534

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School Safety
Fund Source 1770**

System Code	System	Allocation Amount	System Code	System	Allocation Amount
131	Elba City	17,162	187	Saraland City	98,959
132	Enterprise City	186,211	188	Roanoke City	36,799
133	Eufaula City	253,357	189	Russellville City	73,210
137	Fairfield City	34,540	190	Scottsboro City	67,753
141	Florence City	129,538	191	Selma City	62,432
143	Fort Payne City	97,167	192	Sheffield City	26,625
144	Gadsden City	141,943	193	Sylacauga City	55,534
146	Geneva City	33,116	194	Talladega City	40,516
152	Gulf Shores City	77,402	195	Tallassee City	41,592
154	Guntersville City	48,936	196	Satsuma City	44,025
155	Haleyville City	43,349	197	Tarrant City	31,965
156	Hartselle City	102,549	198	Thomasville City	28,187
157	Homewood City	131,112	199	Troy City	52,884
158	Hoover City	390,669	200	Tuscaloosa City	303,282
159	Huntsville City	674,482	201	Tuscumbia City	43,881
162	Jacksonville City	48,327	202	Vestavia Hills City	199,179
163	Jasper City	85,341	204	Winfield City	33,730
165	Lanett City	28,633	205	Trussville City	143,723
167	Leeds City	61,246	800	MAEF Public Charter Schools	27,222
168	Linden City	11,748	801	University Charter School	19,971
169	Madison City	378,488	802	LEAD Academy	23,196
171	Midfield City	26,094	803	Legacy Prep	16,570
174	Orange Beach City	35,769	805	i3 Academy	26,812
175	Mountain Brook City	128,816	807	LIFE Academy	14,982
176	Muscle Shoals City	82,106	808	Breakthrough Charter School	10,699
177	Pelham City	99,040	809	Ivy Classical Academy	23,740
178	Oneonta City	40,784	810	Magic City Acceptance Academy	8,515
179	Opelika City	154,750	811	Empower Schools of Alabama	12,200
180	Opp City	36,080	812	Alabama Aerospace and Aviation	4,830
181	Oxford City	112,519	813	Covenant Academy of Mobile	11,030
182	Ozark City	50,257	815	Freedom Prep Academy	4,534
183	Pell City	115,836	816	Floretta P. Carson Visual and Perfor	5,741
184	Phenix City	195,552	817	Independence Preparatory Academy	1,565
			818	I Dream Big Charter Schools	5,124

APPENDIX D
Summer- and After-School Programs
Supplemental Appropriation

The supplemental allocation for summer and afterschool programs will be funded on a pro rata basis of each system's FY 2026 ADM. The purpose of these funds is to fund the continuation and implementation of summer- and after-school programs of the school system. The amount allocated to each LEA is attached to this Appendix. Funds will be automatically disbursed prior to the start of the school year.

Fund source 1776 should be used to account for the revenue and expenditures associated with these funds. All funds should be expended by **September 30, 2027**.

These funds are allowed to be used to pay the expenses associated with the summer- and after-school programs of the school system for Grades PreK-12. Funds shall be budgeted and utilized for personnel, professional development, transportation, instructional materials, and/or partnership with outside agencies/community support for instructional activity integration. In determining the programs to be supported by these funds, we suggest school systems review the successful programs previously funded with ESSER funds, as well as areas of the Literacy and Numeracy Acts that need additional support. Appropriate FY 2026 expenditures previously paid from other sources can be reclassified to this fund source. For all other requests, or if you have additional questions or need additional information, please review the Alabama State Department of Education (ALSDE) Office of Extended Learning website (<https://oxl.alsde.edu>), the [ALSDE Guidance for Extended Learning](#) folder, or contact Mr. Jeff Norris, Office of Extended Learning Education Specialist (jeff.norris@alsde.edu).

Prior to utilizing FY 2026 funds, complete this [FY25 Supplemental Appropriations Reporting form](#). This form will provide information on how the FY 2025 Allocation was spent during the FY 2025 and FY 2026 financial periods. Forms are due by October 16, 2026.

**STATE OF ALABAMA
DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION
FY 2026 Supplemental Allocation
Summer- and After-School Programs
Fund Source 1776**

System Code	System	Allocation Amount	System Code	System	Allocation Amount
001	Autauga County	\$352,534	043	Lowndes County	\$41,998
002	Baldwin County	\$1,271,128	044	Macon County	\$66,929
003	Barbour County	\$22,376	045	Madison County	\$833,257
004	Bibb County	\$119,409	046	Marengo County	\$37,625
005	Blount County	\$302,419	047	Marion County	\$132,120
006	Bullock County	\$52,885	048	Marshall County	\$251,122
007	Butler County	\$100,084	049	Mobile County	\$1,946,554
008	Calhoun County	\$320,171	050	Monroe County	\$115,527
009	Chambers County	\$122,658	051	Montgomery County	\$1,038,222
010	Cherokee County	\$148,308	052	Morgan County	\$295,644
011	Chilton County	\$310,905	053	Perry County	\$30,471
012	Choctaw County	\$38,965	054	Pickens County	\$87,886
013	Clarke County	\$80,736	055	Pike County	\$76,822
014	Clay County	\$69,999	056	Randolph County	\$81,242
015	Cleburne County	\$98,850	057	Russell County	\$151,357
016	Coffee County	\$118,394	058	St Clair County	\$380,902
017	Colbert County	\$99,511	059	Shelby County	\$835,720
018	Conecuh County	\$48,825	060	Sumter County	\$33,584
019	Coosa County	\$32,100	061	Talladega County	\$272,661
020	Covington County	\$118,048	062	Tallapoosa County	\$113,593
021	Crenshaw County	\$81,444	063	Tuscaloosa County	\$774,877
022	Cullman County	\$395,999	064	Walker County	\$267,805
023	Dale County	\$139,128	065	Washington County	\$95,266
024	Dallas County	\$84,687	066	Wilcox County	\$42,162
025	DeKalb County	\$347,157	067	Winston County	\$90,201
026	Elmore County	\$464,545	101	Albertville City	\$230,161
027	Escambia County	\$153,858	102	Alexander City	\$105,063
028	Etowah County	\$339,334	103	Alabaster City	\$253,800
029	Fayette County	\$90,203	104	Andalusia City	\$70,713
030	Franklin County	\$137,511	105	Anniston City	\$66,858
031	Geneva County	\$110,858	106	Arab City	\$100,584
032	Greene County	\$33,645	107	Athens City	\$228,348
033	Hale County	\$84,487	109	Attalla City	\$57,019
034	Henry County	\$99,817	110	Auburn City	\$390,159
035	Houston County	\$278,709	113	Bessemer City	\$115,641
036	Jackson County	\$200,147	114	Birmingham City	\$800,462
037	Jefferson County	\$1,384,018	115	Boaz City	\$100,772
038	Lamar County	\$84,610	116	Brewton City	\$45,605
039	Lauderdale County	\$312,760	121	Chickasaw City	\$141,200
040	Lawrence County	\$181,736	125	Cullman City	\$129,035
041	Lee County	\$355,091	126	Daleville City	\$45,453
042	Limestone County	\$693,237	127	Decatur City	\$349,291

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Summer- and After-School Programs
Fund Source 1776**

System Code	System	Allocation Amount	System Code	System	Allocation Amount
128	Demopolis City	\$73,225	186	Pike Road City	\$117,021
130	Dothan City	\$321,786	187	Saraland City	\$140,310
131	Elba City	\$24,333	188	Roanoke City	\$52,176
132	Enterprise City	\$264,021	189	Russellville City	\$103,802
133	Eufaula City	\$359,224	190	Scottsboro City	\$96,064
137	Fairfield City	\$48,973	191	Selma City	\$88,520
141	Florence City	\$183,666	192	Sheffield City	\$37,750
143	Fort Payne City	\$137,770	193	Sylacauga City	\$78,739
144	Gadsden City	\$201,256	194	Talladega City	\$57,447
146	Geneva City	\$46,953	195	Tallassee City	\$58,972
152	Gulf Shores City	\$109,745	196	Satsuma City	\$62,421
154	Guntersville City	\$69,384	197	Tarrant City	\$45,322
155	Haleyville City	\$61,462	198	Thomasville City	\$39,966
156	Hartselle City	\$145,399	199	Troy City	\$74,982
157	Homewood City	\$185,898	200	Tuscaloosa City	\$430,010
158	Hoover City	\$553,912	201	Tuscumbia City	\$62,217
159	Huntsville City	\$956,319	202	Vestavia Hills City	\$282,408
162	Jacksonville City	\$68,521	204	Winfield City	\$47,825
163	Jasper City	\$121,001	205	Trussville City	\$203,779
165	Lanett City	\$40,597	800	MAEF Public Charter Schools	\$38,596
167	Leeds City	\$86,838	801	University Charter School	\$28,316
168	Linden City	\$16,658	802	LEAD Academy	\$32,888
169	Madison City	\$536,642	803	Legacy Prep	\$23,493
171	Midfield City	\$36,998	805	i3 Academy	\$38,015
174	Orange Beach City	\$50,715	807	LIFE Academy	\$21,243
175	Mountain Brook City	\$182,643	808	Breakthrough Charter School	\$15,170
176	Muscle Shoals City	\$116,414	809	Ivy Classical Academy	\$33,659
177	Pelham City	\$140,425	810	Magic City Acceptance Academy	\$12,073
178	Oneonta City	\$57,826	811	Empower Schools of Alabama	\$17,298
179	Opelika City	\$219,414	812	Alabama Aerospace and Aviation	\$6,848
180	Opp City	\$51,157	813	Covenant Academy of Mobile	\$15,639
181	Oxford City	\$159,535	815	Freedom Prep Academy	\$6,429
182	Ozark City	\$71,257	816	Floretta P. Carson Visual and Perfo	\$8,140
183	Pell City	\$164,239	817	Independence Preparatory Academ	\$2,219
184	Phenix City	\$277,265	818	I Dream Big Charter Schools	\$7,265
185	Piedmont City	\$41,510			

APPENDIX E

Career and Technical Education (CTE) Equipment Supplemental Appropriation

[Act #2026-599](#) appropriated \$8,500,000 for the purpose of Career Tech equipment to support Career and Technical Education (CTE) Programs. These funds will be dispersed to eligible Local Education Agencies (LEAs) through both a non-competitive and competitive grant process. To facilitate the approval of the CTE Equipment Grant funds, an application is required.

Grant Guidelines

- Each Workforce Development Region may receive up to \$1,200,000.
- The application is available in the [CTE Grant Portal](#). There is only one (1) grant application. LEAs may apply for both Tier 1 and Tier 2 within the same application. LEAs should not submit separate applications for each tier.
- **Application Deadline:** September 11, 2026, at 11:59 p.m.
- **Funding Source Code:** 1778
- **Grant Period:** Date of award notification through September 30, 2027.

Non-Competitive Grant Application

- Tier 1 Request
 - Total award made per region is \$600,000.
 - Requests cannot exceed \$75,000.
 - LEAs must meet two (2) of the metrics below to apply for a tier 1 grant:
 - The LEA has at least one (1) high school (Grades 9-12) identified as a Priority School based on the Fall 2025 State Report Card.
 - The LEA is identified as a rural district by the National Center for Education Statistics ([NCES](#)).
 - The LEA has a free and reduced lunch rate of 70% or higher.
 - The LEA has a 40% or less non-traditional concentrator rate based on the 2024-2025 cluster level data.

Competitive Grant Application

- Tier 2 Request
 - Total award made per region is \$600,000.
 - Requests cannot exceed \$100,000.
 - LEAs must meet one (1) of the metrics below to apply for a tier 2 grant:
 - New CTE program opening in the 2026-2027 academic year. A new CTE program application must already be on file, as this should have been submitted as part of the FY26 eGAP budget. The application must be in eGAP prior to a Tier 2 request being considered.
 - Equipment for the following clusters: Advanced Manufacturing, Healthcare, Construction, Supply Chain and Transportation, and Digital Technology.

Allowable Expenditures

- **Program Equipment**

- Purchase of new, industry-standard equipment.
- Replacement or upgrade of outdated, obsolete, or non-functional equipment.
- Expansion of equipment to increase student access and program capacity.
- Integration of advanced or emerging technologies (e.g., VR, AR, simulation, robotics, and related innovations to enhance hands-on learning and strengthen alignment with high-skill, in-demand careers).

- **Installation & Implementation Costs**

- Delivery, setup, and installation of new equipment.
- Necessary infrastructure modifications to support new equipment (e.g., electrical upgrades, workspace configuration).

- **Professional Development**

- Training related to new equipment, curriculum, or instructional strategies.

Non-allowable Expenditures

- Routine maintenance, service contracts, or extended warranties
- Consumable materials/supplies
- General-use devices - computers, laptops, tablets, Chromebooks, projectors, and peripherals

Technical Assistance

Virtual technical assistance will be available on Thursday, July 23, 2026, at 1:00 p.m. ([register here](#)) and Wednesday, August 19, 2026, at 10:00 a.m. ([register here](#)).

For additional information or questions, contact Ms. Dawn Morrison, CTE Section Coordinator, dmorrison@alsde.edu or Mr. Mark McGhee, Education Administrator, mark.mcghee@alsde.edu or by telephone at 334-694-4760.

APPENDIX F

Struggling Readers Beyond Grade 3 Supplemental Appropriation

The supplemental allocation for Struggling Readers Beyond Grade 3 (Fund Source 1775) will be used to ensure that students with consistent reading deficiencies continue to receive the structures, supports, and interventions necessary for literacy attainment, achievement, and acceleration beyond third grade. This work is aligned to the *Alabama Literacy Act* and supports adolescent literacy efforts for all students by strengthening instructional practices and extending targeted supports as literacy demands and text complexity increase.

Supplemental funding supports universal screening for all fourth- and fifth-grade students in the State of Alabama and will be distributed on a pro rata basis according to each local education agency's (LEA's) FY 2026 Average Daily Membership (ADM).

Additional funding opportunities to be announced through the Alabama State Department of Education memorandum will support:

- Purchase of approved core reading instructional materials and evidence-based intervention resources aligned to the Science of Reading and the needs of struggling readers beyond Grade 3.
- Expansion of outside-of-school learning opportunities designed to provide targeted support, reading intervention, and acceleration for students with identified reading deficiencies.
- Support for personnel costs associated with specialized interventionists, Certified Academic Language Therapists (CALTs), serving Struggling Readers Beyond Grade 3.
- Statewide professional learning opportunities focused on the Science of Reading, adolescent literacy, and the implementation of effective instructional structures and support for all students beyond Grade 3.
- Development and implementation of Alabama Reading Initiative Beyond Grade 3 Peer Coaching Cohorts designed to strengthen instructional practice, build educator capacity, and advance adolescent literacy outcomes statewide.

More information and current guidance regarding the use of these funds may be reviewed in the [linked document](#).

If you have questions or need additional information, please contact Mrs. Misty Wilson, ARI Educational Specialist Beyond Grade 3 (misty.wilson@alsde.edu).