



104TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
State of Illinois
2025 and 2026
HB3876

Introduced 2/25/2025, by Rep. Robyn Gabel

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

Makes appropriations for the ordinary and contingent expenses of the Illinois State Board of Education for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2025, as follows:

General Funds	\$11,192,940,000
Other State Funds	\$94,075,900
Federal Funds	<u>\$4,581,352,000</u>
Total	\$15,868,367,900

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1 AN ACT concerning appropriations.

2 **Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois,**
3 **represented in the General Assembly:**

4 ARTICLE 1

5 Section 5. The amount of \$27,590,000, or so much thereof
6 as may be necessary, is appropriated from the General Revenue
7 Fund to the Illinois State Board of Education to meet its
8 operational expenses for the fiscal year beginning July 1,
9 2025.

10 Section 10. The following amounts, or so much thereof as
11 may be necessary, are appropriated to the Illinois State Board
12 of Education for Evidence-Based Funding, provided for in
13 Section 18-8.15 of the School Code:

14	Payable from the Education Assistance Fund	566,589,400
15	Payable from the Common School Fund	3,213,015,600
16	Payable from the General Revenue Fund	4,084,497,600
17	Payable from the Fund for the Advancement	
18	of Education.....	<u>1,115,136,400</u>
19	Total	\$8,979,239,000

20 Section 15. The following amounts, or so much thereof as
21 may be necessary, which shall be used by the Illinois State

1 Board of Education exclusively for the foregoing purposes and
2 not, under any circumstances, for personal services
3 expenditures or other operational or administrative costs, are
4 appropriated to the Illinois State Board of Education for the
5 fiscal year beginning July 1, 2025:

6 From the General Revenue Fund:

7 For a grant to Learning Ally for services for

8 Blind/Dyslexic Persons 846,000

9 For Disabled Student Transportation

10 Reimbursement 467,366,100

11 For Disabled Student Tuition, Public and

12 Private Tuition, including prior years' costs .. 202,732,400

13 For District Consolidation Costs/

14 Supplemental Payments to School Districts 416,000

15 For a grant to Illinois State University for Autism

16 Training & Technical Assistance 100,000

17 For the Philip J. Rock Center

18 and School 5,000,000

19 For Reimbursement for the Free Breakfast/

20 Lunch Program 9,000,000

21 For Tax-Equivalent Grants, Section 18-4.4

22 of the School Code 275,000

23 For Transportation-Regular/Vocational

24 Common School Transportation

25 Reimbursement, Section 29-5 of the School Code 0

26 For a grant to Chicago Lighthouse for Visually

1	Impaired/Educational Materials Coordinating Unit,	
2	Section 14-11.01 of the School Code	1,421,100
3	For Regular Education Reimbursement	
4	Per Section 18-3 of the School Code,	
5	including prior years' costs	15,668,300
6	For Special Education Reimbursement	
7	Per Section 14-7.03 of the School Code,	
8	including prior years' costs	131,812,100
9	For all costs associated with Alternative	
10	Education/Regional Safe Schools	20,000,000
11	For Truants' Alternative and Optional	
12	Education Program.....	11,500,000
13	For a grant to Teach for America for the Teach for	
14	America Program.....	2,000,000
15	For Career and Technical Education.....	59,300,000
16	For a grant to Illinois State University	
17	for its National Board Resource Center	
18	for National Board Certified Teachers	4,500,000
19	From the Education Assistance Fund:	
20	For Transportation-Regular/Vocational Common School	
21	Transportation Reimbursement,	
22	Section 29-5 of the School Code	342,000,000
23	For Disabled Student Tuition, Public and Private Tuition,	
24	including prior years' costs	0
25	For Disabled Student Transportation Reimbursement.....	<u>0</u>
26	Total	\$1,273,937,000

1 Section 20. The amount of \$7,850,000, or so much thereof
2 as may be necessary, is appropriated from the General Revenue
3 Fund to the Illinois State Board of Education for Agriculture
4 Education Programs, and not, under any circumstances, for
5 personal services expenditures or other operational or
6 administrative costs, at the approximate costs below:

7 For Agriculture Education Programs..... 6,395,000

8 For Champaign Ford Regional Office

9 of Education #9 for Facilitating Collaboration

10 for Agricultural Education Local Program support .1,260,000

11 For Growing Agriculture Science Teachers,

12 at the approximate costs below:

13 Southern Illinois University..... 30,000

14 University of Illinois 30,000

15 Illinois State University..... 30,000

16 Western Illinois University..... 30,000

17 Highland Community College District 519 12,500

18 Lake Land Community College District 517 12,500

19 Sauk Valley Community College District 506 12,500

20 Black Hawk Community College District 503 12,500

21 Illinois Central Community College

22 District 514..... 12,500

23 Joliet Community College District 525 12,500

24 Section 25. The following amounts, or so much thereof as

1 may be necessary, are appropriated to the Illinois State Board
2 of Education for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2025:

3 From the General Revenue Fund:

4 For State and District Technology Support.....2,443,800

5 For Advanced Placement Classes.....500,000

6 For Principal Recruitment Program.....1,800,000

7 For Low-Income Advanced Placement Fee.....2,500,000

8 For After School Matters.....6,000,000

9 For After-School Programming.....25,000,000

10 For the Southwest Organizing Project Parent

11 Mentoring Program.....14,000,000

12 For all costs associated with the Student Care

13 Department.....2,000,000

14 For all costs associated with the Summer

15 Electronic Benefit Transfer program for Children,

16 including administrative costs350,000

17 For Grant Accountability and Transparency Act and

18 Budgeting for Results Initiatives380,000

19 Total \$54,973,800

20 Section 30. The amount of \$748,138,100, or so much thereof
21 as may be necessary, is appropriated from the General Revenue
22 Fund to the Illinois State Board of Education for Early
23 Childhood Education.

24 Section 35. The amount of \$850,000, or so much thereof as

1 may be necessary, is appropriated from the General Revenue
2 Fund to the Illinois State Board of Education for all costs
3 associated with the Community and Residential Services
4 Authority.

5 Section 40. The amount of \$40,000,000, or so much thereof
6 as may be necessary, is appropriated from the General Revenue
7 Fund to the Illinois State Board of Education for Student
8 Assessments, including Bilingual Assessments.

9 Section 45. The amount of \$615,100, or so much thereof as
10 may be necessary, is appropriated from the General Revenue
11 Fund to the Illinois State Board of Education for all costs
12 associated with Educator Misconduct Hearings and
13 Investigations.

14 Section 50. The amount of \$500,000, or so much thereof as
15 may be necessary, is appropriated from the General Revenue
16 Fund to the Illinois State Board of Education for all costs
17 authorized by the Educator Licensure Article of the School
18 Code, including refunds.

19 Section 55. The amount of \$3,000,000, or so much thereof
20 as may be necessary, is appropriated from the General Revenue
21 Fund to the Illinois State Board of Education for all costs
22 associated with Computer Science Equity Program.

1 Section 60. The amount of \$3,347,000, or so much thereof
2 as may be necessary, is appropriated from the General Revenue
3 Fund to the Illinois State Board of Education for deposit into
4 The Imagination Library of Illinois Fund for grants associated
5 with the Imagination Library of Illinois Grant Program.

6 Section 65. The amount of \$45,000,000, or so much thereof
7 as may be necessary, is appropriated from the General Revenue
8 Fund to the Illinois State Board of Education for grants,
9 contracts, and administrative expenses for costs associated
10 with Teacher Vacancy Pilot Program.

11 Section 70. The amount of \$150,000, or so much thereof as
12 may be necessary, is appropriated from the General Revenue
13 Fund to the Illinois State Board of Education for support of
14 the P-20 Council.

15 Section 75. The amount of \$3,000,000, or so much thereof
16 as may be necessary, is appropriated from the General Revenue
17 Fund to the Illinois State Board of Education for grants,
18 contracts, and administrative expenses associated with
19 implementation of the Illinois Comprehensive Literacy Plan and
20 a state numeracy plan.

21 Section 80. The amount of \$3,500,000, or so much thereof

1 as may be necessary, is appropriated from the General Revenue
2 Fund to the Illinois State Board of Education for all costs
3 associated with the Social-Emotional Learning Hubs and the
4 Resilience Education to Advance Community Healing program,
5 including continued development and expansion of
6 Resilience-Supportive Schools Illinois, at the approximate
7 costs below:

8 For a grant to the Ann and Robert H. Lurie Children's
9 Hospital of Chicago Center for Childhood Resilience
10 for the Resilience Education to Advance Community
11 Healing program, including continued development
12 and expansion of Resilience-Supportive
13 Schools Illinois.....1,000,000
14 For Regional Office of Education #1.....357,143
15 For Regional Office of Education #4.....357,143
16 For Regional Office of Education #19.....357,143
17 For Regional Office of Education #21.....357,143
18 For Regional Office of Education #39.....357,143
19 For Regional Office of Education #40.....357,143
20 For City of Chicago School District 299.....357,143

21 Section 85. The amount of \$1,000,000, or so much thereof
22 as may be necessary, is appropriated from the General Revenue
23 Fund to the Illinois State Board of Education for a grant to
24 Teach Plus Illinois for the Affinity Groups program.

1 Section 90. The amount of \$250,000, or so much thereof as
2 may be necessary, is appropriated from the General Revenue
3 Fund to the Illinois State Board of Education for a grant to
4 Chapin Hall at the University of Chicago to maintain and
5 update the Children's Adversity Index pursuant to Section
6 2-3.196 of the School Code and to provide comprehensive
7 technical assistance to ISBE to prepare for required updates.

8 ARTICLE 2

9 Section 5. The amount of \$6,000,000, or so much thereof as
10 may be necessary, is appropriated from the Teacher Certificate
11 Fee Revolving Fund to the Illinois State Board of Education
12 for all costs authorized by the Educator Licensure Article of
13 the School Code, including refunds.

14 Section 10. The amount of \$10,000,000, or so much of that
15 amount as may be necessary, is appropriated from the State
16 Board of Education Special Purpose Trust Fund to the Illinois
17 State Board of Education for expenditures by the Board in
18 accordance with grants, gifts, royalty payments, or donations
19 that the Board has received or may receive from any source,
20 public or private, in support of projects that are within the
21 lawful powers of the Board, including refunds.

22 Section 15. The amount of \$10,000,000, or so much of that

1 amount as may be necessary, is appropriated from the State
2 Board of Education Special Purpose Trust Fund to the Illinois
3 State Board of Education for its ordinary and contingent
4 expenses.

5 Section 20. The amount of \$1,000,000, or so much thereof
6 as may be necessary, is appropriated from the School District
7 Emergency Financial Assistance Fund for use by the Illinois
8 State Board of Education as provided in Section 1B-8 of the
9 School Code.

10 Section 25. The amount of \$2,208,900, or so much thereof
11 as may be necessary, is appropriated from the ISBE Teacher
12 Certificate Institute Fund to the Illinois State Board of
13 Education for costs authorized by the School Code, including
14 refunds.

15 Section 30. The amount of \$200,000, or so much of that
16 amount as may be necessary, is appropriated from the
17 After-School Rescue Fund to the Illinois State Board of
18 Education for its ordinary and contingent expenses.

19 Section 35. The amount of \$600,000, or so much thereof as
20 may be necessary, is appropriated from the School
21 Infrastructure Fund to the Illinois State Board of Education
22 for its ordinary and contingent expenses.

1 Section 40. The amount of \$1,000,000, or so much thereof
2 as may be necessary, is appropriated from the Temporary
3 Relocation Expenses Revolving Grant Fund for use by the
4 Illinois State Board of Education as provided in Section
5 2-3.77 of the School Code.

6 Section 45. The amount of \$1,050,000, or so much thereof
7 as may be necessary, is appropriated from the State Board of
8 Education Special Purpose Trust Fund to the Illinois State
9 Board of Education for all costs associated with its Charter
10 School Department, per 105 ILCS 5/27A-7.5.

11 Section 50. The amount of \$13,500,000, or so much thereof
12 as may be necessary, is appropriated from the Personal
13 Property Tax Replacement Fund to the Illinois State Board of
14 Education for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2025, for
15 Regional Superintendents' and Assistants' Compensation and
16 Related Benefits.

17 Section 55. The following amounts, or so much thereof as
18 may be necessary, are appropriated from the Personal Property
19 Tax Replacement Fund to the Illinois State Board of Education
20 for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2025:

21 For Bus Driver Training.....150,000

22 For Regional Superintendents' Services.....18,970,000

1	Total	\$19,120,000
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2 Section 60. The following amounts, or so much thereof as
3 may be necessary, which shall be used by the Illinois State
4 Board of Education exclusively for the foregoing purposes and
5 not, under any circumstances, for personal services
6 expenditures or other operational or administrative costs, are
7 appropriated to the Illinois State Board of Education for the
8 fiscal year beginning July 1, 2025:

9 From the Drivers Education Fund:

10	For Driver Education.....	14,000,000
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11 From the Charter Schools Revolving Loan Fund:

12	For Charter Schools Loans.....	200,000
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13 From the School Technology Revolving Loan Fund:

14 For School Technology Loans, Section 2-3.117a

15	of the School Code	7,500,000
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16	Total	\$21,700,000
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Section 65. The amount of \$1,850,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is appropriated from the State Board of Education Special Purpose Trust Fund to the Illinois State Board of Education for Grant Accountability and Transparency Act and Budgeting for Results Initiatives.

22 Section 70. The amount of \$2,500,000, or so much thereof
23 as may be necessary, is appropriated from the School STEAM

1 Grant Program Fund to the Illinois State Board of Education
2 for the School STEAM Grant Program.

3 Section 75. The amount of \$3,347,000, or so much thereof
4 as may be necessary, is appropriated from the Imagination
5 Library of Illinois Fund to the Illinois State Board of
6 Education for a grant to the Dolly Parton's Imagination
7 Library of Illinois Foundation for all costs associated with
8 the Imagination Library of Illinois Grant Program.

9 ARTICLE 3

10 Section 5. The amount of \$19,904,700, or so much of that
11 amount as may be necessary, is appropriated from the SBE
12 Federal Department of Agriculture Fund to the Illinois State
13 Board of Education for its ordinary and contingent expenses.

14 Section 10. The amount of \$2,900,000, or so much of that
15 amount as may be necessary, is appropriated from the SBE
16 Federal Agency Services Fund to the Illinois State Board of
17 Education for its ordinary and contingent expenses.

18 Section 15. The amount of \$50,869,800, or so much of that
19 amount as may be necessary, is appropriated from the SBE
20 Federal Department of Education Fund to the Illinois State
21 Board of Education for its ordinary and contingent expenses.

1 Section 20. The following amounts, or so much thereof as
2 may be necessary, are appropriated to the Illinois State Board
3 of Education for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2025:

4 From the SBE Federal Department of Agriculture Fund:

5 For Child Nutrition.....1,250,000,000

6 From the SBE Federal Department of Education Fund:

7 For Title I.....1,350,000,000

8 For Title III.....56,000,000

9 For Title IV.....300,000,000

10 For Title V.....3,000,000

11 For Title X.....10,000,000

12 For Individuals with Disabilities Education Act,

13 Deaf/Blind for a grant to Philip J. Rock Center

14 and School for Project Reach800,000

15 For Individuals with Disabilities Education Act,

16 Improvement Program.....5,000,000

17 For Individuals with Disabilities Education Act,

18 Preschool.....41,000,000

19 For Grants for Vocational

20 Education - Basic70,000,000

21 For Student Assessments.....35,000,000

22 For Institute of Education Sciences Grant.....3,500,000

23 For Mental Health Service Professional

24 Demonstration Grant.....3,600,000

25 For School-Based Mental Health Services.....7,500,000

1	Total	\$3,135,400,000
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2 Section 25. The amount of \$160,000,000, or so much thereof
3 as may be necessary, is appropriated from the SBE Federal
4 Department of Education Fund to the Illinois State Board of
5 Education for Title II, at the approximate costs below:

6	For Title II.....	157,700,000
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7 For a grant to or contract with the

8 Illinois Principals Association in support of

9	the Ed Leaders Network platform	1,500,000
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10 For a grant to or contract with the Illinois

11 Association of School Administrators for providing

12 scholarships, support, and mentoring services to

13 superintendents and aspiring superintendents 650,000

14 For grants or contracts for new principal

15 mentoring, at the approximate costs below:

16	Illinois Principals Association	75,000
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17	Regional Office of Education #19	37,500
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18	Chicago Public Schools, District 299	37,500
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19 Section 30. The amount of \$980,000,000, or so much thereof
20 as may be necessary, is appropriated from the SBE Federal
21 Department of Education Fund to the Illinois State Board of
22 Education for Individuals with Disabilities Education Act,
23 IDEA, at the approximate costs below:

24 For Individuals with Disabilities

1 Education Act, IDEA 974,769,577
2 For a grant to Illinois State University
3 for the Autism Learning and Supports Project.....1,239,899
4 For a grant to the University of Illinois
5 for the Center for Transition1,000,000
6 For a grant to the Illinois Deaf and Hard of
7 Hearing Commission for the Illinois Deaf and
8 Hard of Hearing Program 80,000
9 For a grant to United Cerebral Palsy - Seguin
10 for the Assistive Technology Exchange Network 450,000
11 For a grant to United Cerebral Palsy -
12 Seguin for Assistive Technology Training
13 and Technical Assistance 300,000
14 For a grant to Illinois Assistive Technology
15 Program for the Assistive Technology Device and
16 Loan Program.....1,510,524
17 For a grant to Northwest Special Education
18 Organization for the Illinois Service
19 Resource Center..... 650,000

20 Section 35. The following amounts, or so much thereof as
21 may be necessary, are appropriated to the Illinois State Board
22 of Education for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2025:

23 From SBE Federal Agency Services Fund:

24 For Adolescent Health Programs..... 500,000
25 For STOP School Violence and Mental Health

1	Programs.....	1,000,000
2	For Preschool Development Grant Birth	
3	Through Five.....	<u>35,000,000</u>
4	Total	\$36,500,000

5 Section 40. The amount of \$6,500,000, or so much of that
6 amount as may be necessary, is appropriated from the SBE
7 Federal Agency Services Fund to the Illinois State Board of
8 Education for Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services, at
9 the approximate costs below:

10 For Substance Abuse and Mental

11 Health Services.....4,736,733

12 For Mental health services and supports,

13 at the approximate costs below:

14 Regional Office of Education 40533,000

15 Intermediate Service Center #21,200,989

16 Illinois Department of Human Services29,278

17 Section 45. The amount of \$164,860,500, or so much of that
18 amount as may be necessary, is appropriated from the SBE
19 Federal Department of Education Fund to the Illinois State
20 Board of Education for grants, contracts, and administrative
21 expenses of the Elementary and Secondary School Emergency
22 Relief Fund per the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021.

23 Section 50. The amount of \$4,417,000, or so much of that

1 amount as may be necessary, is appropriated from the SBE
2 Federal Department of Education Fund to the Illinois State
3 Board of Education for grants, contracts, and administrative
4 expenses for Homeless Children and Youth per the American
5 Rescue Plan Act of 2021.

6 Section 55. The amount of \$20,000,000, or so much of that
7 amount as may be necessary, is appropriated from the SBE
8 Federal Agency Services Fund to the Illinois State Board of
9 Education for grants, contracts, and administrative expenses
10 of the Clean Heavy-Duty Vehicles grant program.

11 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect July 1,
12 2025.