

103RD GENERAL ASSEMBLY State of Illinois 2023 and 2024 HB4463

Introduced 1/16/2024, by Rep. Rita Mayfield

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

35 ILCS 5/225

Amends the Illinois Income Tax Act. Provides that the maximum amount of the credit for instructional materials and supplies is \$5,000 for taxable years beginning on or after January 1, 2024 (currently, \$500). Effective immediately.

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1 AN ACT concerning revenue.

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

- Section 5. The Illinois Income Tax Act is amended by changing Section 225 as follows:
- 6 (35 ILCS 5/225)
- 7 Sec. 225. Credit for instructional materials and supplies.
- 8 For taxable years beginning on and after January 1, 2017, a
- 9 taxpayer shall be allowed a credit in the amount paid by the
- 10 taxpayer during the taxable year for instructional materials
- and supplies with respect to classroom based instruction in a
- 12 qualified school, or the maximum credit amount, whichever is
- 13 less, provided that the taxpayer is a teacher, instructor,
- 14 counselor, principal, or aide in a qualified school for at
- 15 least 900 hours during a school year.
- The credit may not be carried back and may not reduce the taxpayer's liability to less than zero. If the amount of the
- 18 credit exceeds the tax liability for the year, the excess may
- 19 be carried forward and applied to the tax liability of the 5
- 20 taxable years following the excess credit year. The tax credit
- 21 shall be applied to the earliest year for which there is a tax
- 22 liability. If there are credits for more than one year that are
- available to offset a liability, the earlier credit shall be

- 1 applied first.
- 2 For purposes of this Section, the term "materials and
- 3 supplies" means amounts paid for instructional materials or
- 4 supplies that are designated for classroom use in any
- 5 qualified school. For purposes of this Section, the term
- 6 "qualified school" means a public school or non-public school
- 7 located in Illinois.
- 8 For purposes of this Section, the term "maximum credit
- 9 amount" means (i) \$250 for taxable years beginning prior to
- January 1, 2023, and (ii) \$500 for taxable years beginning on
- or after January 1, 2023 and beginning before January 1, 2024,
- 12 and (iii) \$5,000 for taxable years beginning on or after
- 13 January 1, 2024.
- 14 This Section is exempt from the provisions of Section 250.
- 15 (Source: P.A. 102-700, eff. 4-19-22.)
- 16 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon
- 17 becoming law.