



2015-17 Supplemental Budget Proposal Comparison

Policy	House Budget February 22	Senate Budget February 24
<p>Public Charter Schools <i>Provides for the funding of charter and other non-common public schools out of the Opportunity Pathways Account instead of the General Fund to comply with the Supreme Court decision. (SB 6194)</i></p>	Not Included in Budget	<p><i>\$6.6 million is appropriated for SB 6194. After the Supreme Court decision, students were removed from the caseload forecast for the k-12 system. This \$6.6 million reflects the preexisting costs of serving these students when they reenroll. These enrollment costs are included in the house budget through the common school system, not public charter schools.</i></p>
<p>Assessments <i>Eliminates alternatives for students that don't meet standard on the high school assessments as a graduation requirement and creates a locally determined course option. (HB 2214)</i></p>	-\$15 million (Savings)	Not Included in Budget
<p>Opportunity Gap <i>Implements the recommendations of the EGOAC to close the educational opportunity gap. (HB 1541)</i></p>	+\$ 1.2 million	Not Included in Budget
<p>Skills Gap <i>Includes additional funding for Jobs for America's Graduates and Core-Plus</i></p>	+\$1 million	Not Included in Budget
<p>CTE MSOC <i>Makes enhancements to the Career & Technical Education Materials, Supplies, and Operating Cost allocations.</i></p>	Not Included in Budget	Not Included in Budget
<p>Beginning Educator Support Team <i>Provides mentorship support for beginning teachers to improve teacher quality and retention.</i></p>	+5 million	Not Included in Budget
<p>Increase Teacher Salary <i>Increases teacher salary with a focus on increasing beginning teacher salary and additional pay for Professional or National Board certifications.</i></p>	+\$90 million	Not Included in Budget
<p>Teacher Recruitment and Retention <i>Increases recruitment & retention of teachers & addresses teacher shortage. (HB 2573 & SB 6455)</i></p>	+2.5 million	Not Included in Budget
<p>Paraeducator Professional Development <i>Resources to provide professional development to paraeducators.</i></p>	+3 million	+\$1 million
<p>Eliminate co-pays for Reduced Price Lunch <i>Eliminates the student co-pay for the federal reduced price lunch program (HB 2964). Establishes the Breakfast After the Bell program (HB 1295)</i></p>	+\$3.2 million	Not Included in Budget
<p>McCleary Workgroup <i>Establishes a legislative workgroup to provide recommendations to the legislature on funding basic education. (SB 6195)</i></p>	+\$0.6 million	+\$0.6 million
<p>Early Childhood Intervention Prevention Services <i>One time funding is provided to replace federal funds.</i></p>	+\$2.2 million	+\$2.2 million



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Early Achievers <i>Family childcare provider base rate increase, increase in tiered reimbursement, and quality improvements.</i>	+\$12.7 million	Not Included in Budget
State Need Grant <i>Provides additional resources to maintain current service levels</i>	+\$9 million	+\$14 million
Budget Stabilization Account Transfer <i>Funds are transferred from the 'Rainy Day Fund' to the general fund to cover costs related to wildfires, local effort assistance, and other programs. (HB 2988)</i>	\$318 million Transfer	No appropriation

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