

# Fiscal Note

State of Alaska  
2018 Legislative Session

Bill Version: HB 52  
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Identifier: HB052-EED-FP-3-22-18  
Title: PRE-ELEMENTARY SCHOOL  
PROGRAMS/PLANS  
Sponsor: KAWASAKI  
Requester: House Education Committee  
Department: Department of Education and Early Development  
Appropriation: K-12 Aid to School Districts  
Allocation: Foundation Program  
OMB Component Number: 141

## Expenditures/Revenues

Note: Amounts do not include inflation unless otherwise noted below.

(Thousands of Dollars)

	FY2019 Appropriation Requested	Included in Governor's FY2019 Request	Out-Year Cost Estimates				
			FY 2019	FY 2019	FY 2020	FY 2021	FY 2022
<b>OPERATING EXPENDITURES</b>	<b>FY 2019</b>						
Personal Services							
Travel							
Services							
Commodities							
Capital Outlay							
Grants & Benefits							
Miscellaneous							
<b>Total Operating</b>	<b>0.0</b>		<b>0.0</b>		<b>0.0</b>		<b>0.0</b>

## Fund Source (Operating Only)

None							
<b>Total</b>	<b>0.0</b>		<b>0.0</b>		<b>0.0</b>		<b>0.0</b>

## Positions

Full-time							
Part-time							
Temporary							

## Change in Revenues

None							
<b>Total</b>	<b>0.0</b>		<b>0.0</b>		<b>0.0</b>		<b>0.0</b>

**Estimated SUPPLEMENTAL (FY2018) cost:** 0.0 (separate supplemental appropriation required)

(discuss reasons and fund source(s) in analysis section)

**Estimated CAPITAL (FY2019) cost:** 0.0 (separate capital appropriation required)

(discuss reasons and fund source(s) in analysis section)

## ASSOCIATED REGULATIONS

Does the bill direct, or will the bill result in, regulation changes adopted by your agency?

Yes

If yes, by what date are the regulations to be adopted, amended or repealed?

06/30/19

## Why this fiscal note differs from previous version/comments:

Updated for 2nd legislative session and to accurately reflect out year costs.

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Agency:

Department of Education & Early Development

## FISCAL NOTE ANALYSIS

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### Analysis

HB52 creates a pre-elementary program for those students between the ages of three and five years old. It amends AS 14.03.080 Right to attend school, by reducing the eligible age to attend and be funded from five to three years old. Funding will be through the public school funding program under AS 14.17.410, provided the students are not already being funded by another program for their education.

This fiscal note General Fund appropriation was calculated by taking the FY2017 October 1 kindergarten enrollment, to represent a pre-elementary cohort, multiplying by the FY2018 projected average state aid per student to arrive at a cost of \$51,023,973.

FY2017 October 1 kindergarten count: 10,283-4,706 (3-5 year olds enrolled in programs outlined in Sect. 6) = 5,577

FY2018 projected average state aid per student: \$9,149

Total cost of a full-time pre-elementary program estimated at \$51,023,973

Please note the eligibility for space allocations and capital improvement projects through the department's facilities programs are not analyzed in this fiscal note.

This bill does not provide for an effective date.

The funding mechanism is a general fund transfer to the Public Education Fund (PEF). The fiscal note effect for FY2019 through FY2024 is reported in the fiscal note for the PEF, as the funding is deposited to the PEF not into the Foundation Program funding component. The above analysis is presented here for explanation purposes only.