

Fiscal Note

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Title: TEACHERS: BOARD CERTIFICATION
INCENTIVES
Sponsor: WIELECHOWSKI
Requester: Senate Education Committee

Department: Department of Education and Early Development
Appropriation: Education Support and Admin Services
Allocation: Teacher Certification
OMB Component Number: 1240

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				
OPERATING EXPENDITURES	FY 2019	FY 2019	FY 2020	FY 2021	FY 2022	FY 2023	FY 2024
Personal Services							
Travel							
Services							
Commodities							
Capital Outlay							
Grants & Benefits	437.5		500.0	562.5	625.0	687.5	750.0
Miscellaneous							
Total Operating	437.5	0.0	500.0	562.5	625.0	687.5	750.0

Fund Source (Operating Only)

1004 Gen Fund (UGF)	437.5		500.0	562.5	625.0	687.5	750.0
Total	437.5	0.0	500.0	562.5	625.0	687.5	750.0

Positions

Full-time							
Part-time							
Temporary							

Change in Revenues

None							
Total	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

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If yes, by what date are the regulations to be adopted, amended or repealed? 07/01/19

Why this fiscal note differs from previous version/comments:

Not applicable, initial version.

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FISCAL NOTE ANALYSIS

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Analysis

This bill establishes payment to current nationally board certificated teachers and loan incentives intended to assist Alaska public school teachers seeking to earn national board certification.

Section 1 amends AS 14.20 by adding a new section, AS 14.20.225, Incentive and stipend payments for national board certification. This bill provides for annual payments to public school teachers who hold a valid national board certification. This includes a basic incentive payment of \$1,500 for teachers holding a current and valid national board certification and an additional \$1,000 for teachers holding this certification in high poverty attendance areas that have received a low performance rating as determined by the department. Additionally, for teachers seeking national board certification in a high poverty attendance area that have received a low performance rating as determined by the department, a school district shall pay the \$1,000 toward each teachers national board certification fees.

The base count for national board certified teachers is currently 150 plus an additional 25 teachers anticipated for FY2019 and each subsequent fiscal year. The maximum incentive provided under this legislation, if all teachers qualified for both incentives, would be $175 \text{ teachers} \times \$2,500 = \$437,500$. Each subsequent fiscal year projects an additional 25 teachers receiving the incentives to reflect the anticipated annual growth ($25 \text{ teachers} \times \$2,500 = \$62,500$). This projection is contained in each subsequent year through FY2024.