

Financial Services
Mr. Ron Y. Steiger, Chief Financial Officer

SUBJECT: REQUEST AUTHORIZATION TO ACCEPT GRANT AWARDS/DONATIONS FROM MULTIPLE FUNDING SOURCES AND ENTER INTO CONTRACTUAL SERVICE AGREEMENTS WITH THE AGENCIES PRESCRIBED IN THE GRANT

COMMITTEE: FISCAL ACCOUNTABILITY AND GOVERNMENT RELATIONS

LINK TO STRATEGIC BLUEPRINT: EFFECTIVE & SUSTAINABLE OPERATIONAL PRACTICES

Authorization is requested to accept one grant award in accordance with Budget Summary Form Attachment 1.a., for the approximate total of \$575,974, as follows:

Title of Funding Award	Funding Source	Amount	Funding Period	Type	Purpose
Voluntary Prekindergarten (VPK) Summer Bridge	Florida Department of Education (FLDOE)	\$575,974 This allocation is a \$54,274 or 10.4% increase from the 2024-2025 allocation.	July 1, 2025 – August 7, 2026	Allocation	To provide eligible VPK children with early literacy skill instructional support the summer before participating in kindergarten.

RECOMMENDED: That The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, authorize the Superintendent to:

1. accept one grant award from:
 - a. Florida Department of Education (FLDOE) for funding under Voluntary Prekindergarten (VPK) Summer Bridge Program, in the approximate amount of \$575,974, for the grant period of July 1, 2026, through August 7, 2027.

2. enter into contractual service agreements with the agencies prescribed in the grant, with whom the School Board must contract, pursuant to Board Policy 6320 – Purchase Approval and Competitive; Bidding Process Requirements;
3. extend these programs and contractual agreements and authorize the acceptance of additional funding as provided by official notification from the granting agency in order to complete the goals of the program;
4. retain funds from the grant in an amount not to exceed the annually negotiated indirect cost rate, as allowed and approved by the FLDOE;
5. direct Financial Services to establish appropriations in the amount approved or as amended by the granting agency; such appropriations to be reported periodically to the Board;
6. authorize travel out-of-state as required by the grant parameters; and
7. eliminate any grant-funded position upon cessation of the grant funds, and place the impacted employee(s) on the Personnel Action Listing of Instructional and Non-Instructional Appointments, Reassignments, Leaves and Separations for the relevant period.

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THE SCHOOL BOARD OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA

Attachment 1.a.

BUDGET SUMMARY FORM

	X	Are there any in-kind or matching funds required?
Yes	No	

		Entitlement Grant
X		Non-Entitlement/Contract

GRANT PROGRAM NAME: Voluntary Prekindergarten (VPK) Summer Bridge Program

Grant Period Beginning: July 1, 2025 Ending: August 7, 2026

FUNCTION		Total Budget	Salaries (51XX)	Employee Benefits (52XX)	Purchased Services (53XX)	Energy Services (54XX)	Materials and Supplies (55XX)	Capital Outlay (56XX)	Other Expenses (57XX)
INSTRUCTION SERVICES.....	5000	575,974	434,085	111,733			30,156		
SUPPORT SERVICES									
Pupil Personnel Services.....	6100	-							
Instructional Media Services.....	6200	-							
Instruction and Curriculum Development	6300	-							
Instructional Staff Training.....	6400	-							
Board of Education.....	7100	-							
General Administration.....	7200	- *							*
School Administration.....	7300	-							
Facilities Acquisitions & Construction...	7400	-							
Fiscal Services.....	7500	-							
Food Services.....	7600	-							
Central Services.....	7700	-							
Transportation Services.....	7800	-							
Operation of Plant.....	7900	-							
Maintenance of Plant.....	8100	-							
Community Services.....	9100	-							
Debt.....	9200	-							
TOTAL INSTRUCTION AND SUPPORT SERVICES		575,974	434,085	111,733	-	-	30,156	-	-

*Includes Federal Indirect Costs of: -

Submitted for Board Approval/Authorization:

Reviewed by: *William M. King*
Division of Budget

Agenda Item: E-201
(Number)

Board Meeting of: June 17, 2026
(Date)