

S.B. 222 - Digital Teaching and Learning Program - Sponsor: H. Stephenson

Performance Note Report

Funding For:

New Agency

New Services or benefit

Serving a new or larger population

Public Benefit

purpose : The purposes and duties of the new program are to administer the Digital and Teaching and Learning Qualifying Grant Program to improve student learning outcomes through digital learning technology and educator professional development.

Services : The services provided by the funding increase are improved school wireless and UETN network infrastructure, student and educator hardware and associated software and curriculum for digital learning platforms, technology support services, and staff to support and administer the increased digital learning environments of Local Education Agencies (LEAs)

Expected Outcome : The expected outcomes of the new program is to enable and improve better student learning outcomes on statewide learning assessments, improved student attendance, decreased discipline incidents, increased parental and citizen involvement, improved graduation rates and student enrollment in higher education, lower dropout rates, increased student proficiency for college and career readiness, enhanced teacher satisfaction and engagement, development of learning and communication infrastructure, and setting benchmark standards for improved student achievement at the local LEA level.

Implementations and Resources : The bill will be implemented by the UETN Board, the State Board of Education, a new Digital Teaching and Learning Advisory Committee appointed by the UETN Board, and a selected national educational consultant to provide input and analysis on a statewide master plan.

How : The proposed activities will cause a primary oversight role by the UETN Board, the State Board of Education, and existing and new UETN staff to administer the program. The Master Plan will be approved by the State Board of Education. LEA plans will be reviewed and approved by the Digital Teaching and Learning Advisory Committee and the UETN Board and are subject to annual review in meeting improvement benchmarks as defined by the State Board of Education and the LEA's individual plans.

Performance Measures

Goal

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	FY 2013	FY 2014	FY 2015
Target or BenchMark			
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