

CAMBRIDGE PUBLIC SCHOOLS

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November 21, 2017

TO THE HONORABLE MEMBERS OF THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE:

GRANT AWARD: **FY18 Title III: English Language Acquisition for Limited English Proficient (LEP) Students (SC18737)**

RECOMMENDATION: That the School Committee accept and approve the grant award below in the amount and for the period indicated.

<u>Amount:</u>	\$82,481	<u>Period:</u>	9/28/2017–8/31/2018
<u>Source:</u>	Federal thru State, Entitlement	<u>Administrator:</u>	Michelle Madera

Expense Category	FY17 Budget	FY17 FTE	FY18 Budget	FY18 FTE
Permanent Salaries & Benefits	-	-	-	-
Temporary Salaries	\$109,451.00		\$77,404.00	
Other Expenses	\$19,450.00		\$5,077.00	
Total	\$128,861.00	-	\$82,481.00	-

Description:

This grant will fund three five-week supplemental summer enrichment programs for English Language Learners (ELLs) at the Graham and Parks, Kennedy Longfellow, and Vassal Lane Upper School. The programs will improve educational performance by assisting these students to learn English and meet State academic content standards. It will also provide support for Parent ESL classes, supplies for the programs, and registration for Sheltered English Immersion (SEI) teachers to attend the annual MATSOL Conference. ELLs at a private school who are assessed for eligibility will receive tutoring services on a proportional basis.

SUPPORTING DATA:

RULES OF THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE: Chapter III, Section 19, Acceptance of Grants for Expenditure. Pursuant to the provisions of M.G.L.c.44 & 53A, the Superintendent or his/her designee may submit applications for grants or gifts from federal, state, charitable foundation, private corporation or individual. Grant or gift awards for educational purposes must be submitted to the School Committee for acceptance and approval prior to expenditure.

Respectfully submitted,

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Superintendent of Schools

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