

CAMBRIDGE PUBLIC SCHOOLS
135 BERKSHIRE STREET, CAMBRIDGE, MASSACHUSETT 02141

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March 17, 2020

TO THE HONORABLE MEMBERS OF THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE:

GRANT AWARD: **FY20 Title IIA / Teacher Quality (SC20731) INCREASE**

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

Amount: Increase of \$1,734.00 Period: 9/1/2019 – 6/30/2020
Source: Federal thru State, Entitlement Administrator: Michelle Madera

Expense Category	FY20 Budget Original	FY20 FTE	FY20 Budget Amended	FY20 FTE
Permanent Salaries & Benefits	\$50,767.00	.50	50,767.00	.50
Temporary Salaries	\$52,000.00		\$53,734.00	
Other Expenses	\$107,941.00		\$107,941.00	
Total	\$ 210,708.00	-	\$ 212,442.00	-

Description:

As part of a comprehensive district initiative that focuses on the preparation, training, recruitment, and retention of highly qualified educators, Title IIA funds in FY20 will support a new .5 Instructional Coach for history/social studies teachers in grades K-5; the temporary salaries line will fund teacher stipends for mentoring (to be supplemented by FY19 IIA carryover funds); other expenses include professional development contracts for Math, conference registrations, and the required allocation to participating private schools.

The increase of \$1,734.00 is added to Mentor Stipends.

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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