

# CAMBRIDGE PUBLIC SCHOOLS

135 Berkshire Street, Cambridge, Massachusetts 02141

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May 5, 2020

TO THE HONORABLE MEMBERS OF THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE:

CONTRACT AWARD: Professional Development

RECOMMENDATION: That the School Committee award a contract to the following vendor for Professional Development; funds to be provided from the General Fund. Procurement procedures for this contract have complied with Chapter 30B of the laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

<u>Contractor</u>	<u>Period of Contract</u>	<u>Amount</u>
Lesley University 29 Everett Street Cambridge, MA 02138	11/1/19 – 6/30/20	\$41,600.00

DESCRIPTION: This contract is for training to maintain and expand the Reading Recovery Program.

SUPPORTING DATA: RULES OF THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE: Chapter III, Section 12...”motions calling for the appropriation or expenditure of money shall require the affirmative vote of four members.”

BUDGET REFERENCES:

ACCOUNT:	53107	Professional Development Contract
FUND:	25000	Grant Fund
ORG:	859660	Title One/Professional Development
PROJ:	SC20632	Early Literacy Invention Grant

Respectfully Submitted,

Kenneth N. Salim, Ed.D.  
Superintendent of Schools

**SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION:**

**Purpose:** Payment to Lesley University for Reading Recovery related services FY'20 using state funded Early Literacy Intervention Grant

**Amount of Contract:** \$41,600.00

**Description/Scope of Services:**

Teacher Training of 4 teachers (Cambridge is a training site) \$20,800.00

2 Cambridge Teachers; 2 Lexington Teachers (receive 8 graduate credits)

Teachers attend weekly 3 hour training classes at our "Behind the Glass" classroom at the Peabody School. Classes are conducted by our Teacher Leaders.

Professional Development Training at Lesley University for our 2 Teacher Leaders  
\$7,000.00

Teacher Leaders attend sessions to maintain and update their training and knowledge to better support Reading Recovery Teachers

Research and Development Fee for 23 trained Reading Recovery Teachers \$13,800.00

Data Collection Management for local, state and national reports