

**House File 534 - Introduced**

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**A BILL FOR**

1 An Act establishing a school district funding supplement,  
2 making appropriations, and including effective date  
3 provisions.

4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

1 Section 1. SCHOOL DISTRICT FUNDING SUPPLEMENT — FISCAL  
2 YEAR 2023-2024.

3 1. There is appropriated from the general fund of the state  
4 to the department of education for the fiscal year beginning  
5 July 1, 2023, and ending June 30, 2024, thirty-six million four  
6 hundred eighty-five thousand dollars to make all payments to  
7 school districts required under subsection 2.

8 2. a. Moneys appropriated to the department of education  
9 under this section shall be used to provide a funding  
10 supplement to each school district during the fiscal year  
11 beginning July 1, 2023, and ending June 30, 2024.

12 b. Each school district's funding supplement amount  
13 shall be equal to thirty-six million four hundred eighty-five  
14 thousand dollars multiplied by the quotient of the school  
15 district's weighted enrollment for the budget year beginning  
16 July 1, 2023, and ending June 30, 2024, divided by the  
17 statewide total weighted enrollment for the budget year  
18 beginning July 1, 2023, and ending June 30, 2024.

19 c. Moneys received by a school district under this section  
20 shall be miscellaneous income for purposes of chapter 257 and  
21 shall not be included in district cost.

22 d. The school district funding supplement received by a  
23 school district under this section may be used for any school  
24 general fund purpose

25 3. The payment of funding supplement amounts under this  
26 section shall be paid by the department of education at the  
27 same time and in the same manner as foundation aid is paid  
28 under section 257.16 for the fiscal year beginning July 1,  
29 2023, and ending June 30, 2024, and may be included in the  
30 monthly payment of state aid under section 257.16, subsection  
31 2.

32 Sec. 2. EFFECTIVE DATE. This Act, being deemed of immediate  
33 importance, takes effect upon enactment.

34 EXPLANATION

35 The inclusion of this explanation does not constitute agreement with

1           the explanation's substance by the members of the general assembly.

2       This bill provides a school district funding supplement for  
3 the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2023, and appropriates from  
4 the general fund of the state to the department of education  
5 for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2023, and ending June  
6 30, 2024, \$36.485 million to make all school district funding  
7 supplement payments. Each school district's funding supplement  
8 amount shall be equal to the portion of the \$36.485 million  
9 appropriation that is proportionate to the school district's  
10 weighted enrollment as a percentage of the statewide total  
11 weighted enrollment for the budget year beginning July 1, 2023.  
12 Such funds received by a school district under the bill may  
13 be used for any school general fund purpose. School district  
14 funding supplement payments received by a school district shall  
15 be miscellaneous income for purposes of Code chapter 257 and  
16 shall not be included in district cost.  
17       The bill takes effect upon enactment.