

THE STATE SCHOOL AID ACT OF 1979 (EXCERPT)
Act 94 of 1979

***** 388.1632u.added THIS ADDED SECTION IS EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1, 2022 *****

388.1632u.added Payments to districts and intermediate districts for BookNook collaboration.

Sec. 32u. (1) From the general fund money appropriated in section 11, there is allocated for 2022-2023 only an amount not to exceed \$5,000,000.00 to districts and intermediate districts as provided in this section.

(2) To receive funding under this section, a district or intermediate district must apply for the funding in a form and manner prescribed by the department.

(3) A district or intermediate district that receives funding under this section shall use the funding to provide, in collaboration with BookNook, pupils enrolled in the district or intermediate district with a program that meets all of the following:

- (a) Allows students to use patented technology to reach and learn together.
- (b) Provides for scaffolded-learning supports that empower teachers and support staff.
- (c) Exposes pupils to diverse texts, dynamic games, and meaningful discussion with each lesson.
- (d) Includes a large tutor network that expands reach to pupils.

(4) Notwithstanding section 17b, the department shall make payments under this section on a schedule determined by the department.

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