

**ARTS, MUSIC, AND INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS DISCRETIONARY BLOCK GRANT
EXPENDITURE PLAN**

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Total amount of funds received by the LEA:	Date of adoption at public meeting:
\$1,153,191	May 08, 2023

[AB 181 Sec. 134](#) [AB 185 Sec. 56](#)

(a) For the 2022–23 fiscal year, the sum of three billion five hundred sixty million eight hundred eighty-five thousand dollars (\$3,560,885,000) is hereby appropriated from the General Fund to the State Department of Education to establish the Arts, Music, and Instructional Materials Discretionary Block Grant, for allocation to county offices of education, school districts, charter schools, and the state special schools.

Planned Activity and Rationale	Budgeted 2023-24	Budgeted 2024-25	Budgeted 2025-26	Total Budgeted per Activity
<p>1. SBCSS will obtain supplemental instructional materials and resources in the areas of financial literacy, media literacy, and computer science.</p> <p>In today’s technology and media-driven environment, students need to know how to access increasing levels of information and be able to demonstrate understanding of functional and critical thinking skills related to information, media, and technology. In addition, they will need to know how to make appropriate personal economic choices, understand the role of the economy in society, and use entrepreneurial skills to enhance their career options. (2019, Battelle for Kids)</p>	\$193,000	\$193,000	\$193,000	\$ 579,000
<p>2. SBCSS will offer professional development in the areas of financial literacy, media literacy, and computer science aligned to best practices.</p>	\$ 96,000	\$ 96,000	\$ 96,000	\$ 288,000
<p>3. SBCSS will provide diverse book collections and obtain culturally relevant literature for classroom libraries, including leveled texts, to promote student independent reading and deepen literacy skills.</p>	\$ 95,397	\$ 95,397	\$ 95,397	\$ 286,191
Totals by year	\$384,397	\$384,397	\$384,397	\$1,153,191

Total planned expenditures:
\$ 1,153,191