

Introduced by

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1 A BILL for an Act to provide an appropriation to the department of public instruction for North  
2 Dakota governor's schools.

3 **BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NORTH DAKOTA:**

4 **SECTION 1. APPROPRIATION - DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION - NORTH**  
5 **DAKOTA GOVERNOR'S SCHOOLS.** There is appropriated out of any moneys in the general  
6 fund in the state treasury, not otherwise appropriated, the sum of \$1,000,000, or so much of the  
7 sum as may be necessary, to the department of public instruction for the purpose of providing  
8 grants for North Dakota governor's schools at North Dakota state university and university of  
9 North Dakota, for the biennium beginning July 1, 2023, and ending June 30, 2025.

- 10 1. The department shall award the grants based on providing \$10,000 per student  
11 attending the schools each year not to exceed a total of \$250,000 to each university  
12 for each year of the biennium.
- 13 2. The governor's schools must provide programs related to science, technology,  
14 engineering, mathematics, energy law, mental health, education, and health sciences.
- 15 3. The department shall name codirectors at each university to ensure continued  
16 collaboration of the schools at both campuses.
- 17 4. Funds appropriated in this section may be used only for defraying expenses for  
18 students while on campus, including housing, dining, resident assistants, program  
19 directors, instructors, and faculty research sponsors.