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In the event that a service provider will have regular contact with students, the service provider shall provide proof that all employees, agents and representatives have received a criminal background check and provide liability insurance. The service provider shall provide the district with all necessary documentation in a timely manner, prior to the commencement of any services by which the provider has contact with students.

A. Proposal to Approve the Translation / Interpretation Services.

BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools to approve the Translation / Interpretation Services. If parents have a central role in influencing their children's progress in school, research has shown that schools in turn have an important part to play in determining levels of parent involvement (Epstein, 2001). Therefore, the long range goal of this activity is to strengthen the partnership between home and school and enable parents to effectively support their children's learning. Ultimately, this will build the foundation for effective collaboration to support an increase in the number of students that will demonstrate measurable improvement in all content areas especially in language arts and math achievement. July 1, 2021 through June 30, 2022. Cost not to exceed \$21,048.00; GAAP Code 11-000-221-320-0000-00-81.

B. Proposal to Approve the K-8 Enrichment and Acceleration Summer Program [In Person Only – No Virtual Option]. AMENDED FROM APRIL 26, 2021 BOARD AGENDA

BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, approves the K-8 Enrichment and Acceleration Summer Program. Students have been attending school remotely since March 2020. During this time, many students have lost out on enrichment opportunities, such as robotics, coding, music, dance, creative writing, and poetry. Students will have the opportunity to participate in the following enrichment activities: robotics, coding, music, dance, Continental Math League, creative writing, and scientific literacy as well as acceleration activities in both literacy and mathematics. July 6, 2021 through August 13, 2021. Cost not to exceed \$358,318.00;

GAAP codes:

20-235-100-101-0009-21-82	\$253,260.00
20-235-200-101-0009-21-82	\$17,280.00
20-285-100-101-4809-21-82	\$53,694.00
20-285-200-101-4809-21-82	\$13,698.00
20-285-100-610-0048-21-82	\$2,995
20-285-100-101-3509-21-82	\$14,070.00
20-285-200-101-3509-21-82	\$3,321.00

C. Proposal to Approve the 6th Grade STEAM Summer Enrichment Program - Hedgepeth Williams MS [In Person Only – No Virtual Option]. AMENDED FROM APRIL 26, 2021 BOARD AGENDA

BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools to approve 6th Grade STEAM Summer Enrichment Program - Hedgepeth Williams MS. There is a need to implement a learning program to not only close the learning gap that has been exacerbated due to a year of in person school closing, but also introduce students to the arts. This program will not only serve the former purpose, but also be an introduction to arts integration and STEAM. Teachers will provide summer enrichment to rising sixth grade students twice per week in person to address cross curricula, arts integrated/enhanced enrichment in STEAM. July 6, 2021 through August 3, 2021; Cost not to exceed \$12,896.00; GAAP codes: 20-231-100-101-1009-21-82, 20-231-100-610-2009-21-82.

D. Proposal to Approve the Coding Basics Across Curricula for Teachers - Daylight Twilight HS.

BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools to approve Coding Basics Across Curricula for Teachers - Daylight Twilight HS. Coding basics is intended as an introduction to coding for teachers. Through reading, viewing videos, completing interactive puzzles and reflecting on your learning, teachers will develop an understanding while preparing to integrating coding concepts across the curriculum in their classroom. June 14, 2021; Cost not to exceed \$3,096.00; GAAP codes: 20-236-200-101-0009-21-82.

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E. Proposal to Approve the Learning Loss Intervention for Grades 6-12 Newcomer Immigrant Summer 2020-2021 School Year.

BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools to approve the Learning Loss Intervention for Grades 6-12 Newcomer Immigrant Summer 2020-2021 School Year. Coding basics is intended as an introduction to coding for teachers. Through reading, viewing videos, completing interactive puzzles and reflecting on your learning, teachers will develop an understanding while preparing to integrating coding concepts across the curriculum in their classroom. July 6, 2021 through August 12, 2021; Cost not to exceed \$ \$57,145.00; GAAP codes: 20-246-100-101-0009-21-82, 20-245-200-101-0009-21-82, 20-246-100-610-0000-21-82, 20-246-100-300-0000-21-82, 20-246-270-512-0000-21-82.

F. Proposal to Approve the Daylight Twilight High School Coding Camp.

BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools to approve the Daylight Twilight High School Coding Camp. Daylight Twilight's "Code Like A Champ Camp" is a one (1) week long summer camp for 12 students. It will provide an incredible opportunity for students who will spend their time learning in a fun, stress-free environment at Daylight Twilight's "Code Like A Champ Camp." It will give students the perfect place to explore their passion for technology in a safe, academic, and highly personalized environment. The camp will teach coding language, opening the door for students with a wide array of interests to sample a variety of tech roles before finding the perfect fit. Additionally, all of our curricula are activity-based and hands-on so that students can learn concepts quickly and become familiar with complex concepts in a short period of time. July 12, 2021 through July 16, 2021. Cost not to exceed \$1,260.00; GAAP Code: 20-236-100-101-0009-21-82.

G. Proposal to approve Gregory School Data Collection and Review

BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, approve the Teachers will administer the oral reading record to the students that are listed on their 2021-2022 class list. Teachers and administration will analyze the data and create an instructional program designed to meet the individualized needs of the children, classes and grade levels. July 6 through August 31. Cost not to exceed \$20,160.00; GAAP code: 20-236-100-101-0009-21-82.

H. Resolution to Approve to Continue the Partnership with Microsoft implementing the Technology Education and Literacy in Schools (TEALS) Program at Trenton Central High School using the Lab Support Model for Computer Science Discoveries, Computer Science 1, and AP Computer Science A.

BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, approves the Technology Education and Literacy in Schools (TEALS) - Microsoft Program Partnership - Grades 9-12, SY 2020-21. The program will pair trained computer science professionals with high school teachers to help build CS teaching capacity. July 1, 2021 through June 30, 2021. Summer Professional Development Workshops at TCNJ = \$3,000.00; Summer Professional Development Stipends for Training at Microsoft in Manhattan and Code.Org at TCNJ = \$2,880.00, Fingerprinting for 4 volunteers = \$264.20; Cost not to exceed \$6,144.20; GAAP codes 11-000- 221-320-0000-00-81, 11-000-221-610-0000-00-81; 11-000-221-110-0009-00-81.

I. Resolution to Approve the Wurlitzer Upright Piano Donated by Michael Ward the Jefferson Elementary School's Music Room (Donald Shelton Gifted and Talented School).

BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, approves the Resolution to accept the Wurlitzer Upright Piano Donated by Michael Ward in excellent condition to be placed in the Jefferson Elementary School's Music Room (Donald Shelton Gifted and Talented School). No cost to the Board.

J. Resolution to amend the GAAP code for professional development for Gifted and Talented Teachers.

BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, approves the Resolution for professional development for Gifted and Talented teachers. August 1, 2021 through August 31, 2021. Cost not to exceed \$23,040.00; GAAP Code: 20-477-200-101-0009-21-82.

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- K. Resolution to approve Hedgepeth/Williams Middle School of the Arts PIANO DONATIONS**
BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, approves the donation of pianos to HWMS. Whereas, Hedgepeth/Williams MS of the Arts has established a community partnership with Jacobs Music in Mercer County New Jersey AND Whereas, The goal of this partnership is to provide musical instruments and resources to the growing school of the arts. AND Whereas, Through this partnership Hedgepeth/Williams MS of the Arts community will be better able to provide musical instruction and overall school growth while further bridging the gap between school and community. AND Whereas, the first donations of 3 pianos; (1 Boston vertical and 2 Roland HP704s valued at \$14,000), Jacobs Music has committed THEREFORE BE IT Resolved, that the Trenton Board of Education approves the donation of 3 pianos to Hedgepeth/Williams MS of the Arts, no cost to the Board.
- L. Resolution to Approve the Resolution to approve the partnership with the Carver Foundation.**
BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, approve the partnership with the Carver Foundation to support teacher and student development for the Early College High School initiative. July 1, 2021 through June 30, 2022. Cost not to exceed \$27,000; GAAP Code: 11-000-221-320-0000-00-81.
- M. Resolution to Approve A Community Partnership with Jacobs Music in Mercer County New Jersey and Hedgepeth Williams MS.**
BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, approve the partnership with the Jacobs Music in Mercer County New Jersey and Hedgepeth Williams MS. Jacobs Music's first donations are 3 pianos; (1 Boston vertical and 2 Roland HP704s valued at \$14,000). No cost to the Board.
- N. Resolution to Approve the Trenton Public Schools to Accept a Partnership with Rider University.**
BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, approve the Trenton Public Schools partnership with Rider University. Trenton Public Schools (TPS) and Rider University will partner to offer educational benefits to TPS employees. Students will go through the regular admission process for their program of choice. The application fee will be waived for all TPS employees. Eligibility for financial aid may be available. No cost to the Board.
- O. Resolution to amend the GAAP codes for Creative Writing and Math League After School Enrichment Programs for the 2021-22 School Year.**
BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, approves the amendments to the GAAP codes for Gifted, Talented, and Enrichment After School Programs for the 2021-22 School Year. Effective dates 9/1/2021 – 6/30/2022. After School Creative and Informational Writing Clubs = 30 weeks x 24 teachers x 2 hours x \$42 per hour = \$60,480 GAAP Code: 20-477-100-101-0009-21-82 Competitive Math Teams 30 weeks x 24 teachers x 2 hours x \$42 per hour = \$60,480 GAAP Code: 20-477-100-101-0009-21-82
- P. Resolution to Approve the Revised Kindergarten Report Card Rubric, SY 2021-22.**
BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools approves the Resolution to approve the Kindergarten Report Card Rubric, SY 2021-22. No cost to the Board.
- Q. Resolution to Approve to Continue Utilizing the Curriculum for all Allied Health Courses provided to TPS by Rutgers University, SY 2021-22.**
BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools approves the Resolution to continue utilizing the curriculum for all Allied Health courses provided to TPS by Rutgers University, SY 2021-22. No cost to the board.
- R. Resolution to Approve to adopt Food Science Curriculum, SY 2021-22.**
BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools approves the Resolution to adopt the Food Science Curriculum, SY 2021-22. No cost to the board.

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S. Resolution to approve the Early College High School Summer Bridge Program

BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, approve the Early College High School Summer Bridge program effective July 12, 2021 through July 29, 2021 along with the professional development on June 29 through 30, 2021. PD Cost = 2 teachers x 4 hours x \$36 per hour = \$288 GAAP Code = 20-477-200-101-0009-21-82
Instructional Costs = 2 teachers x 3.25 hours per week x 3 weeks x \$42 per hour = \$819 GAAP Code: 20-477-100-101-0009-21-82.

T. Resolution to approve K-12 math and 6-12 literacy summer training in Performance Matters.

BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, approves the K-12 math and 6-12 literacy summer training in Performance Matters. Effective dates 7/1/2021 – 8/31/2021. 976 hours times \$36 per hour; cost not to exceed \$35,136.00, GAAP code: 20-477-200-101-0009-21-82.

U. Resolution to Approve the PD Plan, Assessment Calendar, and Instructional Plan.

BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools to approve the PD Plan, Assessment Calendar, and Instructional Plan for the 2021-22 SY at no cost to the Board. (**Attachment 1-U**)

V. Resolution to Approve the P-Tech Summer Bridge Program.

BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools to approve the P-Tech Summer Bridge Program. Trenton P-TECH students will participate in a 3-week Advanced Manufacturing Technology (AMT) Summer Program parting with MCCC. In each one-hour block, students will work on an AMT project and present their designs to a business panel. Each student will attend a virtual job shadow with M&S Centerless Grinding, Inc. Effective July 1, 2021 through July 31, 2021; 3 weeks times 12 hours per week x 6 teachers x \$42 per hour = \$9,072 GAAP Code = 20-290-100-101-0009-21-82; 20-290-100-610-0000-21-82 – Student Supplies Computers and Accessories for P-Tech students 20 x 1,400 = \$28,000; 20-290-100-610-0000-20-82 – Staff Support Stipends \$5,400; P-Tech Program Lead Teacher - Non-Instructional Stipend - Total Budget \$8,640.00: 20-290-100-101-0009-21-82; 20-290-100-610-0000-21-82.

W. Resolution to Approve Renaissance STAR as the K-12 Universal Screening Assessment

BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, approves the resolution for Renaissance STAR as the universal screening assessment for math and reading, grades K through 12, for SY 21-22 at a cost not to exceed \$162,000.00

GAAP Codes: Columbus: 15-190-100-610-0000-00-17
Franklin: 15-190-100-610-0000-00-19
Grant: 15-190-100-610-0000-00-20-20
Gregory: 15-190-100-610-0000-00-21
Harrison: 15-190-100-610-0000-00- 22
Hill: 15-190-100-610-0000-00-23
Kilmer: 15-190-100-610-0000-00-24
King: 15-190-100-610-0000-00- 23
Monument: 15-190-100-610-0000-00- 25
Mott: 15-190-100-610-0000-00-26
Parker: 15-190-100-610-0000-00- 27
Robbins: 15-190-100-610-0000-00-28
Washington: 15-190-100-610-0000-00-30
Wilson: 15-190-100-610-0000-00- 31
Dunn: 15-190-100-610-0000-00-10
Hedgepeth/Williams: 15-190-100-610-0000-00-08
Rivera: 15-190-100-610-0000-00-15
TCHS: 15-190-100-610-0000-00-05
TNGA: 15-190-100-610-0000-00-04
DTHS: 11-423-100-610-0000-00-35

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X. Student Study Trips

BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, approves the following Student Study Trips:

Agenda	Applicant	School	Destination	Purpose	No. of Students	Date	Funds	Cost	GAAP Code
May	Terry Troup	TCHS	Wildwood, NJ	Cadets will be required to march in parade hosted by veterans all over the nation	30	6/12/2021		\$0	
May	Terry Troup	TCHS	Fort Dix Fort Dix, NJ	Cadets will build leadership skills while participating in leadership activities with 25 other JROTC programs.	15	6/26 thru 30/2021		\$0	