

CAMBRIDGE PUBLIC SCHOOLS

135 BERKSHIRE STREET, CAMBRIDGE, MASSACHUSETTS 02141

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September 17, 2024

TO THE HONORABLE MEMBERS OF THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE:

GRANT AWARD: FY25 Ms. Hibbs Grant (SC25166)

RECOMMENDATION: That the School Committee accept and approve the grant award below in the amount and for the period indicated.

Grant Amount: \$10,000.00

Period: 10/1/2024-9/30/2025

Source: Private

Administrator: Beth Kershner

DESCRIPTION: The Ms. Hibbs' Grant has been established to support the Cambridge Rindge and Latin School's immigrant students in meeting their most pressing needs. The Multilingual Learner Education (MLE) department will use this funding to provide academic support, tutoring, field trips, and other cultural enrichment programming for multilingual learners at the high school.

DISTRICT PLAN ALIGNMENT: Ms. Hibbs grant funding will support the following Strategic Initiatives: 1.3 - Establish robust Multi-Tiered Systems of Support (MTSS) to support students' academic, social, emotional, and behavioral needs. 4.10 – Improve families' access to resources within and beyond CPS.

Expense Category	FY24 Budget	FY24 FTE
Permanent Salaries & Benefits	-	-
Temporary Salaries	-	-
Other Expenses	10,000.00	-
Total	\$10,000.00	-

SUPPORTING DATA - RULES OF THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE: Chapter III, Section 19, Acceptance of Grants for Expenditure. Pursuant to the provisions of M.G.L.c.44 & 53A, the Superintendent or his/her designee may submit applications for grants or gifts from federal, state, charitable foundation, private corporation or individual. Grant or gift awards for educational purposes must be submitted to the School Committee for acceptance and approval prior to expenditure.

Respectfully submitted,


David Murphy
Interim Superintendent of Schools