

CAMBRIDGE PUBLIC SCHOOLS

135 BERKSHIRE STREET, CAMBRIDGE, MASSACHUSETTS 02141

26-047



April 7, 2026

THE HONORABLE MEMBERS OF THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE

CONTRACT AWARD: Day & Residential Program Services not available from the Cambridge School Department.

RECOMMENDATION: That the School Committee award contracts to the institutions on the attached list in amounts not to exceed the shown rates, having been approved by the Operational Services Division of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, funds to be provided from the general fund and/or grant fund budget.

DESCRIPTION: SY25-26 Placement of students in private schools for implementation of educational plans in accordance with Chapter 766.

	#	Amount
Day Program Tuition Contracts:	1	\$25,508.00
Residential Program Tuition Contracts		
45 Day Program Contracts:		
Total	1	<u>\$25,508.00</u>

SUPPORTING DATA: RULES OF THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE: Chapter III, Section 12..." motions calling for the appropriation or expenditure of money shall require the affirmative vote of four members."

BUDGET REFERENCES:

ACCOUNT:	53201	Tuition
FUND:	15000/25000	General Fund/Grant Fund
ORG:	850372/850374	OSS Day & Residential Tuition
PROJ/GRANT:	SC26776/SC26605	Circuit Breaker/IDEA

Attached Tuition Budget Status Report

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "D. Murphy".

David Murphy
Superintendent of Schools

Tuition Contract Budget Status Report

I. Budget Summary

Fund	Org	Account	Description	Amount
15000	850372/850374	53201	General Fund Allocation	7,163,887.00
25000	850372/850374	53201	Grant Fund Allocation	2,780,689.44
25000	850372/850374	53201	Estimated Circuit Breaker Allocation	11,400,000.00
Total FY 26 Budget				21,344,576.44
Prior Contract Commitments				19,657,005.51
Adjustments				22,428.45
Current Recommendation				25,508.00
Total Contract Commitments				19,704,941.96
 Balance Remaining (Budget - Commitments)				 1,639,634.48

II. Contract Commitments--Cost

Type	Previous	Adjustments*	Current Recommendation	Total Contract
Day	14,085,597.68		25,508.00	14,111,105.68
Residential	5,139,969.85			5,139,969.85
45 Day	226,739.98	22,428.45		249,168.43
Parent Settlements	204,698.00			204,698.00
Total Cost	19,657,005.51	22,428.45	25,508.00	19,704,941.96

III. Placements--Number of Students

Type	Previous	Adjustments*	Current Recommendation	Total # of Students
Day	118			118
Residential	17			17
45 Day	4	1		5
Parent Settlements	6			6
Total Active	145	1	0	146

*Adjustments: Contract cancellations and revisions; new contracts costing less than \$25K; increases to contracts less than \$25K and Parent Settlements.

Day	
School	Annual
SEEM Collaborative	\$25,508.00
TOTAL	\$25,508.00
45 Day	
School	Annual
TOTAL	\$0.00
GRAND TOTAL	\$25,508.00