

1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

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3 SENATE BILL 1168

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6 AS INTRODUCED

7 An Act relating to schools; amending Section 3,
8 Chapter 387, O.S.L. 2008 (70 O.S. Supp. 2008, Section
9 1210.526), which relates to remediation funding
10 designated for the Achieving Classroom Excellence Act
11 of 2005; clarifying language; and providing an
12 effective date.

13 BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA:

14 SECTION 1. AMENDATORY Section 3, Chapter 387, O.S.L.
15 2008 (70 O.S. Supp. 2008, Section 1210.526), is amended to read as
16 follows:

17 Section 1210.526 A. Contingent on the provision of
18 appropriated funds designated for the Achieving Classroom Excellence
19 Act of 2005, school districts shall be eligible for funding as
20 follows:

21 1. A maximum of Two Hundred Forty Dollars (\$240.00) for
22 remediation for each subject-specific test by a student that
23 resulted in a score at the unsatisfactory level and for which the
24 student has been found to be in need of remediation pursuant to

1 Sections 1210.522 and 1210.523 of ~~Title 70 of the Oklahoma Statutes~~
2 this title;

3 2. A maximum of One Hundred Eighty Dollars (\$180.00) for
4 remediation for each subject-specific test by a student that
5 resulted in a score at the limited knowledge level and for which the
6 student has been found to be in need of remediation pursuant to
7 Sections 1210.522 and 1210.523 of ~~Title 70 of the Oklahoma Statutes~~
8 this title;

9 3. Funds for remediation as provided for in paragraphs 1 and 2
10 of this subsection shall be disbursed by the State Department of
11 Education by September 1 of each year and shall be based on the most
12 recent test results available from the previous school year or
13 summer test administration; and

14 4. Claims for reimbursement for costs associated with
15 administration of alternative assessments as required by Section
16 1210.523 of ~~Title 70 of the Oklahoma Statutes~~ this title shall be
17 filed with the State Department of Education at the end of each
18 school semester or prior to the end of the fiscal year in which the
19 alternative assessment is provided. Claims from summer alternative
20 assessment administration provided in July or August shall be filed
21 with the first semester claim of the subsequent school year. Claims
22 shall be reimbursed in a timely manner.

23 B. Remediation provided pursuant to this section by school
24 districts shall be for the purpose of assisting students in

1 performing at least at the satisfactory level on the applicable
2 criterion-referenced tests in reading and mathematics at the eighth-
3 grade level, or the applicable end-of-instruction tests as required
4 in Section 1210.523 of ~~Title 70 of the Oklahoma Statutes~~ this title,
5 or an alternative assessment if eligible. Remediation may be
6 provided by means which may include, but are not limited to,
7 tutoring, additional help during the school day, extended-day
8 programs, Saturday programs, summer programs, online coursework, or
9 other supplementary services.

10 C. School districts shall report on their use of funds for
11 remediation as provided for in this section to the State Board of
12 Education in a manner prescribed by the Board.

13 D. The State Board of Education shall promulgate rules to
14 implement the provisions of this section.

15 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2009.

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