

STATE OF OKLAHOMA

1st Session of the 60th Legislature (2025)

COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE
FOR

SENATE BILL NO. 1127

By: Hall and Haste of the
Senate

and

Caldwell (Trey) and Kane of
the House

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An Act relating to the Office of Educational Quality and Accountability; requiring that certain funds be utilized for certain purpose; authorizing ability to enter into certain contracts; authorizing certain promulgation of rules; providing an effective date; and declaring an emergency.

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

SECTION 1. A. From the funds appropriated to the Office of Educational Quality and Accountability in Enrolled House Bill No. 2766 of the 1st Session of the 60th Oklahoma Legislature, the sum of Five Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$500,000.00) shall be used to provide grants to school districts in this state to provide a cellphone-free educational environment.

B. Grants awarded pursuant to this section shall be used to purchase devices or equipment in which students enrolled in a grant

1 recipient school site can store their cell phones during the school
2 day. In conjunction with the Office of Management and Enterprise
3 Services, the Office of Educational Quality and Accountability may
4 negotiate and enter into a contract with a vendor to offer a state
5 rate price to grant recipient school sites; provided, however, a
6 grant recipient school site shall not be required to use a vendor
7 contracted by the Office of Educational Quality and Accountability.

8 C. The Office of Educational Quality and Accountability shall
9 be authorized to promulgate rules in order to effectuate the
10 provisions of this section.

11 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective July 1, 2025.

12 SECTION 3. It being immediately necessary for the preservation
13 of the public peace, health or safety, an emergency is hereby
14 declared to exist, by reason whereof this act shall take effect and
15 be in full force from and after its passage and approval.

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