Advanced Opportunity History

1/16/2025

	LE Count	LE Wait List	Approp.	LE Requests	Payment	Over/Under
FY 2021	Initial year with set appropriation. Data is not included					
FY 2022	39	-	$ 1,673,558	$ 1,315,480	$ 1,315,480	$ (358,078)
FY 2023	62	-	$ 2,547,973	$ 1,759,628	$ 1,759,628	$ (788,345)
FY 2024	71	-	$ 4,000,000	$ 3,249,321	$ 3,249,321	$ (750,679)
FY 2025	95	9	$ 4,000,000	$ 4,070,760	$ 4,000,000	$ 70,760

Program formula/funding history

HB 387(2019) Created the advanced opportunity program and described a formula for the Superintendant to follow when calculating the request for funding to the Governor's budget as follows:

The present law base calculated for K-12 local assistance for advance opportunities must include advanced opportunity aid to support the participation of pupils in districts grades 6 through 12 in all districts (50% in FY2022, 75% in FY2023 & 100% in FY2024 and beyond)

The following table illustrates the request amounts with appropriate rates and percents per each fiscal year assuming the formula was not removed beginning in FY 2024.

	FY 2022	FY 2023	FY 2024	FY 2025
Percent of QEC	50%	75%	100%	100%
Elem	3.0%	3.0%	4.5%	4.5%
Middle	20.0%	20.0%	30.0%	30.0%
HS	8.5%	8.5%	18.0%	18.0%
Formula Approp.	$ 1,673,558	$ 2,547,973	$ 5,964,865	$ 6,113,691

HB 257(2023) Adjusted %'s and removed formula based appropriation request placing a $4 million appropriation in its place.