

State Grants Administered by NC DPI
FY 2022-2023

PRC	Title	Description	FY 2022-23 Budget	Eligibility Criteria	Allotment Method	Application Deadline	DPI Program Point of Contact
030	Digital Learning Initiative	Competitive grant to support the development and dissemination of local innovative digital learning models to ensure effective digital learning processes across North Carolina elementary and secondary schools.	\$3,585,581	All LEAs and charter schools.	By Application.	TBD	Brandon Young, Project and Course Code Manager, Digital Teaching and Learning Brandon.Young@dpi.nc.gov
036	Charter School Transportation Grants	Grants to eligible charter schools for the reimbursement of up to 65% of the eligible student transportation costs incurred by the school. Eligible student transportation costs are costs for transportation fuel, vehicle maintenance, contracted transportation services and transportation personnel salaries.	\$2,353,847	A charter school that has student enrollment in a semester of the school year of at least 50% of its students residing in households with an income level not in excess of the amount required for a student to qualify for the Federal free and reduced-price lunch program.	By application with awards made by February 15th for reimbursement of first semester costs and June 15th for reimbursement of second semester costs, not to exceed \$100,000 per charter per year.	TBD	Ashley Baquero, Interim Director, Office of Charter Schools Ashley.Baquero@dpi.nc.gov

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039	School Safety Grants	Grants to improve safety in public school units by providing funds for (1) school resource officers in middle and elementary schools; (2) services for students in crisis; (3) school safety training; (4) safety equipment in schools.	\$47,000,000	All public school units are eligible to submit an application for one or more of the four grant categories.	By Application	TBD	Karen Everett, School Safety & Security Audit Coordinator, Center for Safer Schools Karen.Everett@dpi.nc.gov
064	CTE Grade Expansion Program	Grants to expand career and technical education programs by prioritizing the inclusion of students in sixth and seventh grades. Grant funds may only be used for employing additional licensed personnel in career and technical education areas, career development coordination, and support services necessary for expanding the CTE program.	TBD	Local Education Agencies Only.	By Application	TBD	Trey Michael, Director, Career and Technical Education Trey.Michael@dpi.nc.gov

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065	Mobile Coding Grants	Grants to provide opportunities for North Carolina students to learn computer science, coding and mobile application development.	\$800,000	LEAs and charter schools.	By Application. DPI may consider partial grant awards to LEAs and charter schools. Maximum grant awards cannot exceed \$80,000.	TBD	Mary Hemphill, Director, Standards, Curriculum & Instruction Mary.Hemphill@dpi.nc.gov
079	CTE Education and Workforce Innovation Program	Grant program to foster innovation in career and technical education that will lead to more students graduating career and college ready.	TBD	Local Education Agencies, individual schools, or a regional partnership of two or more local school administrative units may apply for funding.	By Application	TBD	Jacqueline Wyatt, Career Readiness Specialist, Career and Technical Education Jacqueline.Wyatt@dpi.nc.gov
081	Transportation Reserve for Homeless and Foster Children	Grants to cover extraordinary school transportation costs for homeless and foster children	\$2,824,616	All public school units serving homeless or foster children	By Application	TBD	Lisa Phillips, State Coordinator for the Education of Homeless Children and Youth Lisa.Phillips@dpi.nc.gov
088	Feminine Hygiene Products Grant Program	Grants of up to \$5,000 to public school units to provide feminine hygiene products for students in those units.	\$250,000	All public school units are eligible to apply for grants. A public school unit may only receive one grant.	By Application. Awards of up to \$5,000 per PSU on a first-come, first-serve basis.	TBD	Lillian Pinto, Reproductive Health Consultant, Division of Academic Standards Lillian.Pinto@dpi.nc.gov