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Amendment

Between lines 2910 and 2911, insert:

Section 40. Present paragraphs (s) and (t) of subsection (1) of section 1011.62, Florida Statutes, are redesignated as paragraphs (t) and (u), respectively, a new paragraph (s) is added to that subsection, and paragraphs (c), (n), and (o) and present paragraph (t) of that subsection are amended, to read:

1011.62 Funds for operation of schools.—If the annual allocation from the Florida Education Finance Program to each district for operation of schools is not determined in the annual appropriations act or the substantive bill implementing the annual appropriations act, it shall be determined as follows:

(1) COMPUTATION OF THE BASIC AMOUNT TO BE INCLUDED FOR OPERATION.—The following procedure shall be followed in

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determining the annual allocation to each district for operation:

- desired relative cost differences between the following programs shall be established in the annual General Appropriations Act.

 The Commissioner of Education shall specify a matrix of services and intensity levels to be used by districts in the determination of the two weighted cost factors for exceptional students with the highest levels of need. For these students, the funding support level shall fund the exceptional students' education program, with the exception of extended school year services for students with disabilities.
 - 1. Basic programs.-
 - a. Kindergarten and grades 1, 2, and 3.
 - b. Grades 4, 5, 6, 7, and 8.
 - c. Grades 9, 10, 11, and 12.
 - 2. Programs for exceptional students.-
 - a. Support Level IV.
 - b. Support Level V.
 - 3. Secondary career education programs.-
 - 4. English for Speakers of Other Languages.-
- (n) Calculation of additional full-time equivalent membership based on college board advanced placement scores of students.—A value of 0.16 full-time equivalent student membership shall be calculated for each student in each advanced placement course who receives a score of 3 or higher on the College Board Advanced Placement Examination for the prior year and added to the total full-time equivalent student membership

in basic programs for grades 9 through 12 in the subsequent fiscal year. Each district must allocate at least 80 percent of the funds provided to the district for advanced placement instruction, in accordance with this paragraph, to the high school that generates the funds. The school district shall distribute to each classroom teacher who provided advanced placement instruction:

- 1. A bonus in the amount of \$50 for each student taught by the Advanced Placement teacher in each advanced placement course who receives a score of 3 or higher on the College Board Advanced Placement Examination.
- 2. An additional bonus of \$500 to each Advanced Placement teacher in a school designated with a grade of "D" or "F" who has at least one student scoring 3 or higher on the College Board Advanced Placement Examination, regardless of the number of classes taught or of the number of students scoring a 3 or higher on the College Board Advanced Placement Examination.

Bonuses awarded to a teacher according to this paragraph shall not exceed \$2,000 in any given school year. However, the maximum bonus shall be \$3,000 if at least 50 percent of the students enrolled in a teacher's course earn a score of 3 or higher on the examination in a school with a grade of "A," "B," or "C"; or if at least 25 percent of the students enrolled in a teacher's course earn a score of 3 or higher on the examination in a school with a grade of "D" or "F." Bonuses awarded under this paragraph and shall be in addition to any regular wage or other bonus the teacher received or is scheduled to receive. For such

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courses, the teacher shall earn an additional bonus of \$50 for each student who has a qualifying score up to the maximum of \$3,000 in any given school year.

- (o) Calculation of additional full-time equivalent membership based on certification of successful completion of a career-themed course or career and professional academy program pursuant to ss. 1003.491, 1003.492, and 1003.493, and 1003.4935 and issuance of the highest level of industry certification identified in the Industry Certification Certified Funding List pursuant to rules adopted by the State Board of Education.—
- A value of 0.1 or, 0.2, or 0.3 full-time equivalent student membership shall be calculated for each student who completes a career-themed course as defined in s. 1003.493(1)(b) or a career and professional academy program under ss. 1003.491, 1003.492, 1003.493, and 1003.4935 and who is issued an the highest level of industry certification identified annually in the Industry Certification Funding List approved under rules adopted by the State Board of Education upon promotion to the 9th grade under subparagraph 2. or upon earning a high school diploma. The maximum full-time equivalent student membership value for any student in grades 9 through 12 is 0.3. A value of 0.2 full-time equivalent membership shall be calculated for each student who is issued an industry certification that has a statewide articulation agreement for college credit approved by the State Board of Education. For industry certifications that do not articulate for college credit, the Department of Education shall assign a the appropriate full-time equivalent value of 0.1 for each certification, 50 percent of which is

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based on rigor and the remaining 50 percent on employment value. The State Board of Education shall include the assigned values in the Industry Certification Funding List under rules adopted by the state board. Rigor shall be based on the number of instructional hours, including work experience hours, required to earn the certification, with a bonus for industry certifications that have a statewide articulation agreement for college credit approved by the State Board of Education. Employment value shall be based on the entry wage, growth rate in employment for each occupational category, and average annual openings for the primary occupation linked to the industry certification. Such value shall be added to the total full-time equivalent student membership in secondary career education programs for grades 9 through 12 in the subsequent year for courses that were not provided funded through dual enrollment. Industry certifications earned through dual enrollment must be reported and funded pursuant to ss. 1011.80 and 1011.81.

- 2. Upon promotion to the 9th grade, a value of 0.1 full—time equivalent student membership shall be calculated for each student who completes a career—themed course or a career and professional academy program under s. 1003.4935 and who is issued the highest level of industry certification in science, technology, engineering, or mathematics identified on the Industry Certification Funding List under rules adopted by the State Board of Education.
- 2.3. The additional full-time equivalent membership authorized under this paragraph may not exceed 0.3 per student. Each district must allocate at least 80 percent of the funds

provided for industry certification, in accordance with this paragraph, to the program that generated the funds. This allocation may not be used to supplant funds provided for basic operation of the program. Unless a different amount is specified in the General Appropriations Act, the appropriation for this calculation is limited to \$60 \$15 million annually. If the appropriation is insufficient to fully fund the total calculation, the appropriation shall be prorated.

- 3. Contingent upon appropriations for industry certifications earned in the 2013-2014 school year and in subsequent years, the school district shall distribute to each classroom teacher who provided direct instruction toward the attainment of an industry certification that qualified for additional full-time equivalent membership under subparagraph 1.:
- a. A bonus in the amount of \$25 for each student taught by a teacher who provided instruction in a course that led to the attainment of an industry certification on the Industry Certification Funding List with a weight of 0.1.
- b. A bonus in the amount of \$50 for each student taught by a teacher who provided instruction in a course that led to the attainment of an industry certification on the Industry Certification Funding List with a weight of 0.2.
- 4. For the 2013-14 fiscal year, the additional FTE membership calculation must include the additional FTE for any student who earned a certification in the 2009-2010, 2010-2011, and 2011-2012 fiscal years, who was not previously funded and was enrolled in 2012-2013.

Bonuses awarded according to this paragraph shall be provided to teachers who are employed by the district in the year in which the additional FTE membership calculation is included in the calculation. Bonuses shall be calculated based upon the associated weight of an industry certification on the Industry Certification Funding List for the year in which the certification is earned by the student. Any bonus awarded to a teacher under this paragraph may not exceed \$2,000 in any given school year and is in addition to any regular wage or other bonus the teacher received or is scheduled to receive.

- (s) Florida Cyber Security Recognition, Florida Digital Arts Recognition, and Florida Digital Tools Certificate established pursuant to s. 1003.4203.
- 1. Each school district shall certify by June 30 of each year to the Department of Education on behalf of each elementary school that achieves 75 percent of student attainment of the Florida Cyber Security Recognition or the Florida Digital Arts Recognition established pursuant to s. 1003.4203. Upon verification by the department, each school that has achieved the designated student recognitions shall be awarded by the Commissioner of Education a Florida Digital Learning Certificate of Achievement.
- 2. Contingent upon appropriations each middle school shall receive \$50 for each student who earns the Florida Digital Tools Certificate established pursuant to s. 1003.4203, with a minimum award per school of \$1,000 annually and a maximum of \$15,000

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<u>(u) (t)</u> Computation for funding through the Florida
Education Finance Program.—The State Board of Education may
adopt rules establishing programs, industry certifications, and
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