

House Bill 3030

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SUMMARY

The following summary is not prepared by the sponsors of the measure and is not a part of the body thereof subject to consideration by the Legislative Assembly. It is an editor's brief statement of the essential features of the measure **as introduced**. The statement includes a measure digest written in compliance with applicable readability standards.

Digest: Allows the HECC to give money to certain school leader candidates. (Flesch Readability Score: 64.9).

Authorizes the Higher Education Coordinating Commission to award grants to culturally and linguistically diverse school administrator candidates to use at approved educator preparation programs.

A BILL FOR AN ACT

1
2 Relating to grants for diverse school administrator candidates.

3 **Be It Enacted by the People of the State of Oregon:**

4 **SECTION 1. Section 2 of this 2025 Act is added to and made a part of ORS chapter 348.**

5 **SECTION 2. (1) In addition to any other form of student financial aid authorized by law,**
6 **the Higher Education Coordinating Commission may award grants to culturally and linguis-**
7 **tically diverse school administrator candidates to use at approved educator preparation pro-**
8 **grams, as defined in ORS 342.120, for the purpose of advancing the goal described in ORS**
9 **342.437 (1)(a).**

10 (2) Grants awarded to candidates under this section may not be for more than two aca-
11 demic years.

12 (3) The commission shall adopt rules necessary for the implementation and adminis-
13 tration of this section in consultation with the Educator Advancement Council and the De-
14 partment of Education. Rules adopted under this subsection shall include the establishment
15 of grant amounts and parameters for awarding grants.

16 (4) As used in this section:

17 (a) "Diverse" has the meaning given that term in ORS 342.433.

18 (b) "School administrator candidate" means an individual who is preparing to be an ad-
19 ministrator in a school.

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NOTE: Matter in **boldfaced** type in an amended section is new; matter [*italic and bracketed*] is existing law to be omitted. New sections are in **boldfaced** type.