

**GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA  
SESSION 2025**

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**HOUSE BILL 1053**

Short Title: Additional Funding for School Supplies. (Public)

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April 28, 2026

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT TO INCREASE FUNDING FOR THE CLASSROOM  
2 MATERIALS/INSTRUCTIONAL SUPPLIES/EQUIPMENT ALLOTMENT AND TO  
3 STATE THE INTENTION OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY TO APPROPRIATE  
4 ADDITIONAL FUNDS.  
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6 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

7 **SECTION 1.(a)** There is appropriated from the General Fund to the Department of  
8 Public Instruction the sum of twenty-eight million six hundred thousand dollars (\$28,600,000)  
9 in recurring funds beginning with the 2026-2027 fiscal year to be used to increase the amount  
10 appropriated for the Classroom Materials/Instructional Supplies/Equipment allotment.

11 **SECTION 1.(b)** It is the intent of the General Assembly to increase the  
12 appropriations from the General Fund to the Department of Public Instruction to be used to  
13 increase the amount appropriated for the Classroom Materials/Instructional Supplies/Equipment  
14 allotment by the following amounts:

- 15 (1) Beginning with the 2027-2028 fiscal year, the sum of fifteen million one  
16 hundred thousand dollars (\$15,100,000) in recurring funds.  
17 (2) Beginning with the 2028-2029 fiscal year, the sum of twenty-two million six  
18 hundred thousand dollars (\$22,600,000) in recurring funds.

19 **SECTION 2.** This act becomes effective July 1, 2026.



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