



## S.F. No. 2502 – Metro Deaf School Grant

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**S.F. 2502** appropriates money in fiscal years 2026 and 2027 only for a grant to charter school No. 4005, Metro Deaf School.

The grant funds are for the costs of services to children who have a primary disability of deaf, deafblind, or hard-of-hearing and who are not eligible to generate funding through enrollment in a prekindergarten program approved by the commissioner. (Charter schools are not currently authorized to provide early childhood special education (ECSE) services outside of a voluntary prekindergarten (VPK) program.)

