



Overview

Governor DeSantis' recommended budget was released on November 18, 2019.

Student Funding (FEFP)

- **Per-student Funding: \$7,979** (\$302/3.94% increase per student) state-wide - **BCPS \$7,901** (\$256/3.36% increase per student).
- **Base Student Allocation: \$4,329** (\$50/1.17% increase per student).
- **Safe Schools Allocation: \$1.4 Million** increase state-wide (0.79%) for a total of \$181 million.
- **Mental Health Allocation: \$25 Million** increase state-wide (33.33%) for a total of \$100 million.
- **\$600 million** to raise the **minimum teacher salary** \$47,500.
- **\$300 million** for the new **Florida Classroom Teacher and Principal Bonus program** (replacing the Best and Brightest program).

Capital Improvement

- \$50 million for maintenance of public schools.
- \$173.9 million for maintenance of charter schools
- The budget includes \$50 million for the School Hardening Grant.
- The budget decreases the local millage tax rate by 0.126

Adults with Disabilities

The Governor's budget has included \$800,000 for the Adults with Disabilities-Broward County program. This is the same amount that was allocated last year.