

**DEMONSTRATION EDUCATIONAL AND WORK EXPERIENCE PROGRAMS**  
**Act 238 of 1964**

AN ACT to authorize the state of Michigan, boards of supervisors, local governing boards and school districts to appropriate moneys to foster and maintain demonstration educational and work experience programs through a special job upgrading program for unemployed, out of work, school dropouts; define the powers and duties of the superintendent of public instruction; and to provide for appropriations.

**History:** 1964, Act 238, Imd. Eff. May 28, 1964.

*The People of the State of Michigan enact:*

**395.171 Job upgrading program; demonstration education and work experience programs, maintenance, purpose.**

Sec. 1. The state of Michigan, the board of supervisors of any county, or the governing body of any city, village, township and school district of this state, may furnish and appropriate money to foster and maintain demonstration education and work experience programs through a special job upgrading program for unemployed, out of work, school dropouts who have been out of school at least 2 months and are between 16 and 20 years of age under plans approved by the superintendent of public instruction. This job upgrading program shall combine in-school training with subsidized work experience for school dropouts to make them more employable and to assist them in job placement.

**History:** 1964, Act 238, Imd. Eff. May 28, 1964.

**395.172 Job upgrading program; rules and regulations, contents; eligibility of applicants; planning coordination.**

Sec. 2. The superintendent of public instruction, under the authority of this act, shall promulgate rules and regulations in accordance with the provisions of Act No. 88 of the Public Acts of 1943, as amended, being sections 24.71 to 24.82 of the Compiled Laws of 1948, and subject to Act No. 197 of the Public Acts of 1952, as amended, being sections 24.101 to 24.110 of the Compiled Laws of 1948, which rules and regulations, among other things, shall contain criteria for the securing of approval of local school requests for state aid grants for demonstration job upgrading programs. Such rules and regulations shall require a demonstrated need for such a local program, and require that a qualified teacher or teachers must be available, classrooms with adequate equipment, facilities and supplies are available, a minimum of 10 students are eligible for enrollment, and an adequate instructional program has been planned, that a subsidized work experience program is available and plans have been developed for a nonprofit corporation, composed of representatives of public and private agencies and community persons with the objective of raising, receiving and disbursing private funds to be used in subsidizing job experiences for students. Eligibility for enrollment and placement shall be based upon the applicant's scholastic and vocational aptitude and health status. Planning for evaluation of health status and correction of defects shall be coordinated by contract with the local health department.

**History:** 1964, Act 238, Imd. Eff. May 28, 1964.

**Administrative rules:** R 340.201 et seq. of the Michigan Administrative Code.

**395.173 Local school district; appropriation.**

Sec. 3. The local school district shall appropriate adequate funds to cover the cost of supplies, materials, services and salaries of the teacher-coordinators for an 11-month program, except that the state of Michigan may appropriate \$10,000.00 per year towards such a program approved under section 2 of this act.

**History:** 1964, Act 238, Imd. Eff. May 28, 1964.

**395.174 Local community; subsidization.**

Sec. 4. The local community, through a nonprofit corporation composed of representatives of public and private agencies and community leaders, shall undertake the raising of funds for the subsidizing of part-time work experience (for a minimum of 6 weeks) for students in the job upgrading program. Students will be paid a minimum of 60 cents per hour for a 20-hour week and shall perform work that will not result in the displacement of regular workers, in addition to being of training benefit to them.

**History:** 1964, Act 238, Imd. Eff. May 28, 1964.

**395.175 State appropriation; report.**

Sec. 5. There is hereby appropriated from the general fund of the state for the fiscal year ending June 30,

1965 the sum of \$30,000.00 to the department of public instruction to be used to help establish demonstration job upgrading programs in 3 local school districts in the amount of \$10,000.00 each toward the total cost of each program approved under section 2 of this act. The department of public instruction shall annually on or before June 30 of each year report to the legislature as to the status of the programs undertaken by this act.

**History:** 1964, Act 238, Imd. Eff. May 28, 1964.

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