

Grants, Entitlements and Shared Cost Agreements from Ministry of Education
Payments made to recipients other than Boards of Education
2015/16 Fiscal Year

Grant	Amount	Recipient(s)
Raise a Reader	\$500,000	Decoda Literacy Solutions
District Literacy Planning and Support	\$2,000,000	Decoda Literacy Solutions
Public Library grants	\$10,281,000	Public Libraries and Library Organizations
Public Education Benefit Trust	\$19,428,000	Funding contributed annually by the Province for the benefit of CUPE support staff to fund the CORE Long Term Disability program
Scholarships and Awards	\$13,612,000	Grades 10 - 12 Students
Roots of Empathy	\$400,000	Roots of Empathy organization - \$800K total, 50% cost shared with MoH
Industry Training Authority - Secondary School Apprenticeship scholarships	\$244,000	individuals registered as student apprentices
We Day - Movement of Youth	\$200,000	Free the Children
Employment Practice Liability Program	\$150,000	BC Public School Employers' Association
IS Operating Grants, Special Education, and Distance Learning	\$312,876,000	Independent Schools
First Nations Reciprocal funding	\$14,200,000	certified and non-certified band schools
Early Development Instrument	\$400,000	Under a cost-share MOU, MCFD, MHLS and MEd provide funding to the Human Early Learning Partnership (UBC) for the Early Development Instrument (EDI)
Attendance Support and Wellness	\$285,000	BC Public School Employers' Association
International Education	\$205,000	BC Council for International Education
Innovation Partnerships	\$200,000	BC Principals' and Vice Principals' Association
Accountability Framework	\$100,000	BC School Superintendents' Association
Data Strategy	\$39,600	University of British Columbia
StrongStart Programs	\$30,000	Early Childhood Educators
Healthy Schools	\$20,000	Joint Consortium for School Health
FSA results/reports	\$17,000	University of British Columbia
Imagination Library (First Nations Literacy)	\$8,629	Program cost shared with Min of Aboriginal Relations and Reconciliation