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| **NAME OF GRANT PROGRAM:**  | Investigating History Pilot | **FUND CODE:** 585 |
| **FUNDS ALLOCATED:**  | $272,615  |
| **FUNDS REQUESTED:** | $409,712  |
| **PURPOSE:** To provide funding support for schools that participate in the Investigating History pilot for 2022-23. Investigating History is an innovative, open-source history/social science curriculum that DESE is currently developing for fifth, sixth, and seventh grades; in 2022-23, DESE is seeking an expanded cohort of pilot schools to use and provide feedback on revised versions of each unit before they are released as open-source materials in Summer 2023; this grant is intended to cover the costs of participating in pilot activities.  |
| **NUMBER OF PROPOSALS RECEIVED:**  | 48 |
| **NUMBER OF PROPOSALS RECOMMENDED:**  | 38 |
| **NUMBER OF PROPOSALS NOT RECOMMENDED:**  | 10 |
| **RESULT OF FUNDING:** This grant will support 38 Local Education Agencies (LEAs) and 66 schools with the costs of participating in the Investigating History curriculum pilot in 2022-23. The awards, which range from $2,250 to $25,800, are intended to support the costs of attending in-person professional development throughout the year as well as to provide stipends to cover teachers’ collaborative planning and preparation time outside of school hours. Ultimately, this grant will enable approximately 75 teachers per grade to participate in pilot activities and professional learning, engaging their students with high-quality history/social science instruction while providing valuable feedback to DESE that will strengthen the curricular materials before their public release. |

| **RECIPIENTS** | **AMOUNTS** |
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| Ashland | $4,512 |
| Athol-Royalston Regional School District | $3,546 |
| Attleboro | $14,050 |
| Benjamin Franklin Classical Charter Public School | $4,200 |
| Billerica | $7,230 |
| Boston | $8,918 |
| Bourne | $5,340 |
| Brookline | $7,408 |
| Central Berkshire Regional School District | $4,050 |
| Dedham | $4,050 |
| Excel Academy Charter School | $2,250 |
| Fairhaven | $4,400 |
| Franklin | $8,575 |
| Gloucester | $2,300 |
| Hudson | $2,750 |
| Lawrence | $16,950 |
| Leicester | $3,330 |
| Lexington | $5,600 |
| Lowell Community Charter Public School | $5,700 |
| Maynard | $8,600 |
| Medway | $10,170 |
| Mount Greylock Regional School District | $26,450 |
| Needham | $5,977 |
| Neighborhood House Charter School | $3,402 |
| Newton | $16,903 |
| North Andover | $4,050 |
| North Middlesex Regional School District | $5,340 |
| Peabody | $10,500 |
| Pittsfield | $7,050 |
| Plymouth | $12,950 |
| Randolph | $10,950 |
| Salem | $4,200 |
| Springfield | $4,714 |
| Stoneham | $5,500 |
| Taunton | $7,850 |
| UP Academy Charter School of Dorchester | $3,750 |
| Uxbridge | $6,800 |
| Wales | $2,300 |
| TOTAL STATE FUNDS | **$272,615** |