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Overview

This bill appropriates money for Words Work grants for early childhood literacy.

This early literacy program helps teachers through mentoring and professional development, and sees parents as partners who reinforce reading at home.

Section

- 1 Appropriation; Words Work Grants for Early Childhood Literacy.** Appropriates \$500,000 in both fiscal years 2010 and 2011 from the general fund to the commissioner of education for Words Work grants for early childhood literacy. Specifies that any balance in the first year does not cancel but is available in the second year.