



Indiana Department of Education

Dr. Katie Jenner, Secretary of Education

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M S D Martinsville Schools
PO Box 1416
Martinsville, IN 46151

Dear Eric Bowlen, Whitney Kuszmaul, and Matt Hankins,

Pursuant to Indiana Code (IC) 20-28-9-27, school corporations that received an increase in tuition support from one fiscal year to the next are required to spend an amount for full-time teacher salaries during the state fiscal year that was not less than the funding floor for the preceding state fiscal year. **This memo serves as notice that 5925 M S D Martinsville Schools experienced an increase in state tuition support between fiscal year 2023 and fiscal year 2024, and the funding floor was not met.**

Full-time teacher salaries included full-time teachers and temporary teachers as defined by IC 20-18-2-22(d), which were coded in Form 9 financial information as subcategories 30 to 33. Form 9 financial information submitted by 5925 M S D Martinsville Schools for fiscal years 2023 and 2024 reflected the following:

- Fiscal Year 2023 State Tuition Support: \$31,079,113.00
- Fiscal Year 2024 State Tuition Support: \$33,328,066.00
- Fiscal Year 2023 Funding Floor: \$14,660,900.39
- Fiscal Year 2024 Full-Time Teacher Expenditures: \$14,630,674.95

Pursuant to IC 20-28-9-27, 5925 M S D Martinsville Schools must do the following:

- 1) Publicly acknowledge receipt of this notice from the Department at the governing body's next public meeting.
 - a. Enter into the governing body's official minutes for the meeting an acknowledgment of the notice.
- 2) Within thirty days after the meeting, publish this notification on the school corporation's website.

Contact the Indiana Department of Education's [Office of School Finance](#) with any questions.

Sincerely,

Brenda Erbse
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