



Department of Transformation and Shared Services

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The Honorable David Wallace, Co-Chairperson  
 The Honorable David Hillman, Co-Chairperson  
 Uniform Personnel Classification and  
 Compensation Plan Subcommittee  
 Arkansas Legislative Council  
 State Capitol Building, Room 315  
 Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

Dear Senator Wallace and Representative Hillman:

The Office of Personnel Management (OPM) submits a request for the continuation of previously approved education differentials for FY22. The requested differentials for continuation are listed below.

Agency	Title	Approved %	FY20 Cost	Positions Utilized
Department of Education	M088C, Licensed Master Social Worker, GS08	10%	\$2,280	1
Department of Education	S056C, Food Preparation Supervisor, GS03	10%	\$913	1
Department of Education	E035C, Certified Masters Teacher, GS08	10%	\$2,743	1
Department of Education	E004C, School Principal, GS11	10%	\$3,688	2
Department of Corrections	C112C, ADC Policy & Research Coordinator, GS10	2%	\$1,180	1
Department of Corrections	M023C, Substance Abuse Program Coordinator, GS07	2%	\$812	1
Department of Corrections	N039N, ADC Deputy Director, GS15	2%	\$2,013	1
Department of Corrections	T054C, ADC/DCC Lieutenant, GS07	2%	\$1,110	1
Department of Corrections	T059C, ADC/DCC Food Preparation Manager, GS05	2%	\$878	1
Department of Corrections	T065C, ADC/DCC Correctional Sergeant, GS06	2%	\$1,287	2

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Department of Corrections	T075C, ADC/DCC Corporal, GS05	2%	\$2,153	2
Department of Corrections	T109C, Sex Offender Communications Notification Assessment Administrator, GS12	2%	\$1,438	1
<b>TOTAL</b>			<b>\$20,495</b>	<b>15</b>

This differential is only utilized by the Department of Education, School for the Blind, to maintain equity between their staff and those of the Central Arkansas public school system. It is only utilized by the Department of Corrections at no more than 2% for each employee with education beyond the minimum qualifications for his/her position.

After review of the requests, the Office of Personnel Management **recommends** the approval of the continuation of these previously approved education differentials for FY22. Your consideration of this request is greatly appreciated.

Sincerely,



Kay Barnhill, Director  
 Office of Personnel Management



**SECRETARY OF TRANSFORMATION & SHARED SERVICES**

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**DATE**