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# VIRGINIA STATE BUDGET

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2026 Special Session I

## Budget Bill - HB30 (Reenrolled)

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Southwest Virginia Higher Education Center

Item 241	First Year - FY2027	Second Year - FY2028
<b>Administrative and Support Services (19900)</b>	<b>\$5,956,152</b>	<b>\$5,956,152</b>
General Management and Direction (19901)	\$46,831	\$46,831
Operation of Higher Education Centers (19931)	\$5,909,321	\$5,909,321
Fund Sources:		
General	\$4,660,883	\$4,660,883
Special	\$1,295,269	\$1,295,269

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Authority: Title 23.1, Chapter 31, Article 7, Code of Virginia.

A. The board of trustees of the Southwest Virginia Higher Education Center may establish and administer agreements with out-of-state institutions certified to operate in Virginia pursuant to § 23.1-219 Code of Virginia for such institutions to provide undergraduate-level and graduate-level instructional programs at the Center.

B. Out of the appropriation for this item, \$1,500,000 the first year and \$1,500,000 the second year from the general fund shall be deposited to the Virginia Rural Information Technology Apprenticeship Grant Fund, as established in § 23.1-3129.1 Code of Virginia, for the purpose of awarding grants on a competitive basis from the Fund to small, rural information technology businesses in qualifying localities to establish apprenticeship programs.