



**Department of Planning and Budget**  
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**State Fiscal Impact Statement**

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\$1,427,500 annually to provide ongoing \$2,500 awards. The count of 571 nationally certified school psychologists in Virginia was taken from the National Association of School Psychologists state data dashboard, as DOE does not currently collect information from local school divisions on nationally certified school psychologists. The actual number of nationally certified school psychologists working in local school divisions in Virginia may vary from this amount and the actual fiscal impact would depend on the number of nationally certified school psychologists that each school division reports to DOE each year, as well as the number of newly certified school psychologists.

**Other:** This bill is identical to SB786 as introduced.