

ACT NO. 9 1 3 4

BILL NO. 36-0366

THIRTY-SIXTH LEGISLATURE OF THE VIRGIN ISLANDS

Regular Session

2026

An act appropriating \$500,000 from the Education Initiative Fund of the Government of the Virgin Islands to the Department of Education during the fiscal year October 1, 2026, through September 30, 2027, for final editing, proofing and printing of hardcover editions of the customized Virgin Islands History textbooks and for completion of kindergarten through eighth grade Social Studies curriculum

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Be it enacted by the Legislature of the Virgin Islands:

SECTION 1. The sum of \$500,000 is appropriated from the Education Initiative Fund to the Virgin Islands Department of Education, Division of Curriculum and Instruction, for final editing and proofing of customized Virgin Islands History textbooks, printing hardcover editions of the customized Virgin Islands History textbooks, and for the completion of kindergarten through eighth grade Social Studies curriculum during the fiscal year October 1, 2026, to September 30, 2027.

2185/2188 VI EDUCATION INITIATIVE FUND	FY2027
400 DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION	
VIRGIN ISLANDS HISTORY BOOK GRADES 3RD-8TH	\$75,000
VIRGIN ISLANDS HISTORY BOOK GRADES KINDERGARTEN-8TH	\$375,000
SOCIAL STUDIES CURRICULUM DEVELOPMENT	\$50,000
TOTAL DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION	\$500,000
TOTAL VI EDUCATION INITIATIVE FUND	\$500,000

Thus passed by the Legislature of the Virgin Islands on September 25, 2026.

Witness our Hands and Seal of the Legislature of the Virgin Islands this 25th day of September, A.D., 2026.



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Milton E. Potter
President

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Avery L. Lewis".
Avery L. Lewis
Secretary



Bill No. 36- 0366 is hereby approved.

**Witness my hand and the Seal of the Government of
the United States Virgin Islands at Charlotte Amalie,
St. Thomas, This 15th day of October, 2026 A.D.**



Albert Bryan Jr.

Governor