Increases funding for Minnesota school districts by increasing the general education basic formula allowance by $300 per pupil unit and by increasing the pupil weight in order to more fully fund the current class size reduction program. Extends the grades that are eligible for funding under the class size reduction program.

1  **Pupil units.** Increases pupil weight as follows:
   - kindergarten pupils from .53 to .57;
   - elementary pupils from 1.06 to 1.14;
   - secondary pupils from 1.30 to 1.36; and
   - post-secondary enrollment pupils from 1.30 to 1.36.

2  **Basic revenue.** Increases the general education basic formula allowance by $300 per pupil unit.

3  **Reserved revenue for class size reduction.** Increases the amount reserved for reducing class size by the amount of the increase in the pupil weights under section 1.

4  **Instructor defined.** Tightens the definition of instructor for elementary school teachers. Defines secondary instructor for purposes of determining class size ratios.

5  **Instruction contact time.** Technical change to conform to the new definitions of instructor contained in section 4.

6  **Class size reduction revenue uses.** Requires reserved revenue received under section 3 to be used as follows:
   - for grades kindergarten to 3, continuing ratio of 17 to 1;
   - for grades 4 to 6, establishing a ratio of 19 to 1;
   - for grades 7 to 9, establishing a ratio of 21 to 1;
   - for grades 10 to 12, establishing a ratio of 23 to 1.
Effective date. Makes sections 1 to 6 effective immediately.