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**Bill 19-24-F. A Bill to Fund a Heat Press for the WKU Fashion Merchandising Department**

PURPOSE: For the Student Government Association of Western Kentucky University to

allocate $240.00 for the purchase of a heat press for the WKU Fashion Merchandising Department.

WHEREAS: The money will come from the Legislative Discretionary Budget, and

WHEREAS: WKU Fashion Merchandising is working on its first ever WKU Design Week to be launched in the Spring of 2025, and

WHEREAS: The department has experienced equipment budget cuts requiring external funds

to purchase the heat press, and

WHEREAS: The heat press will be used to apply heat transfer designs to apparel and

accessories for WKU Design Week, coursework, and registered student organizations within the Department of Applied Human Sciences, and

WHEREAS: The primary users of the press will be WKU fashion majors (approx. 70 students

currently) and members of our RSO Fashion, Inc. (Roughly 28 students per year, and

WHEREAS: The purchase of the heat press $240.00 ([link to heat press](https://a.co/d/hteX5D9)) includes a 3-year

warranty, and

WHEREAS: The department has no history of having a heat press and should SGA

purchase one the expected lifetime is 5+ years, and

THEREFORE: Be it resolved that the Student Government Association of Western Kentucky

University will allocate $240.00 towards the purchase of a heat press for WKU

Fashion and Merchandising.

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