

American Rescue Plan

Grant Summary to BOE

August 19, 2021

American Recovery Plan Act (ARP- ESSER)

- Mansfield Award \$755,311
 - Includes 20% (\$151,062) Required Set-Aside for Learning Recovery
- Award Period Now-September 2024



Grant Requirements

- 20% Set-aside to address the academic impact of learning loss
 - Summer learning or enrichment, extended day, comprehensive after school, or extended school year programs
- Ensure interventions include responding to academic, social, emotional, and mental health needs of all students, especially those disproportionately impacted by the pandemic
- Describe how funds will be used to implement prevention and mitigation strategies
- Engage in meaningful consultation with stakeholders when creating plan and describe in application

Grant Structure

- Categorize Strategies by State Priority
- Describe the Strategy
- Define When and by Whom it will be Executed
- Identify Desired Outcomes – Impact of the Strategy

ARP ESSER Priorities

State Priorities

- Academic Supports, Academic Renewal, and Student Enrichment
- Family and Community Connections
- Social, Emotional and Mental Health Students and of our School Staff
- Strategic Use of Technology, Staff Development, and the Digital Divide
- Building Safe and Healthy Schools

Mansfield Process

- Connect to Strategic Plan
 - Gathered input – surveys, focus groups, BOE, staff, admin
- Build upon work and systems present in the district
- Invest in Tier 1 Instruction – Build Internal Capacity
- Address Known Student Needs
- Avoid the 2024 *Cliff*
- Determine Focus Areas

Defined Focus Areas

Supporting Student Learning

- Student-centered practices
- Interventions
- Assessment

Family and Whole Child Supports

- SEL and Mental Health
- Wrap Around Services
- Family Supports and Education

Structures and Systems

- Rethinking School
- Schedules
- Programs
- Learning Design

Learning Acceleration, Academic Renewal, and Enrichment

- *Extended Day Services* (\$120K per year X 2 years)
- *Supporting Mathematics Instruction in the Elementary School* (\$29,311)
- *Special Education Program Redesign and Implementation* (\$20,000)
- *Assessment and Reporting Practices* (\$40,000)
- *Building Teacher and Administrator Capacity* (\$60,000)
- *Acceleration Networked Improvement Community* (\$42,000)
- *Meeting the Needs of Elementary Students in a New School* (\$140,000)
- *Student Ambassadors* (\$30,000)
- *Enrichment Structure and Field Experiences* (\$39,000)

Family and Community Connections

- *Family Partners - Incubator Teams* (\$19,000)
- *Family Engagement Implementation* (\$11,000)
- *Translation Services* (\$10,000)

Social, Emotional, and Mental Health of Students and Staff

- *Staff Wellness Experiences* (\$10,000 X 2 years)
- *Student Support Services Program Evaluation* (\$40,000)

Strategic Use of Technology, Staff Development, and the Digital Divide

- *Technology Needs* (\$25,000)