



# 2022-2023 Local Service Plan *Executive Summary*

## **Introduction**

The InterMountain Education Service District serves 35,000 children in 7 counties. Through the Local Service Plan process, the consortium allocates general fund resources equitably across 18 component districts.

## **The Local Service Plan**

The IMESD is legislatively mandated to provide four core areas of service to students and schools:

1. **Special Education**
2. **Technology**
3. **School Improvement**
4. **Administrative & other services**

## **General Fund/Resolution Services**

The following services in the core areas are considered Resolution Services. They are funded through the General Fund and provided at no cost to component school districts.

### **1. Special Education:**

- Audiology: audiologist & audiometric technicians
- School Psychology & Behavioral Services: consultation, evaluation
- Special Education Coaching
- Speech-Language Pathology Services: consultation, evaluation, therapy

### **2. Technology:**

- E-rate
- Expanded Leadership Model
- Internet Access
- Network
- System Engineering
- Technology Specialists
- Software

### **3. School Improvement:**

- Equity, Diversity & Inclusion Program
- Instructional Services Administration
- Career & Technical Education (CTE)
- Professional Development

- Teacher Services: teacher mentors, instructional coaching, new teacher cadre
- Virtual Learning Academy (VLA)

### **4. Administrative & other services:**

- Business Services: business consultation
- CARE
- Communication & Print Solutions: general communication, videography, graphic design, print shop, translation services
- Cooperative Purchasing: purchasing, warehouse, courier
- Crisis Flight Team
- Facilities & School Security: safety plans, emergency management, asbestos, lead and radon testing
- Human Resources: investigations, legal services, licensure, unemployment claims
- Medicaid Administrative Claiming
- Nursing
- Outdoor School
- Science Kits
- Superintendent Services: consultation, networking, training



## MISSION

To provide outstanding customer service to our school districts in four areas: special education, technology, school improvement, and administrative services.

## VISION

IMESD strives to ensure the success of every child by providing equitable services to close the opportunity gap. We are committed to the values of antiracism and multiculturalism.

## State & Federal Contracts

Other programs are funded through state and federal grants at NO cost to our component districts:

### Early Intervention/Early Childhood Special Education

#### Regional Programs

- \* Autism
- \* Blind/Visually Impaired
- \* Deaf & Hard of Hearing
- \* Equipment Center
- \* Traumatic Brain Injury

#### Assessment & Accountability

#### Blue Mountain Early Learning Hub

#### Carl Perkins Grant

#### Eastern Promise

### Emergency Management Program

#### English Language Learners

#### Long-Term Care & Treatment

#### Migrant Education Program (MEP)

#### Preschool Promise

#### Regional Educator Network (REN)

#### State & Federal Reporting

#### Student Investment Account (SIA)

#### Transition Network

#### Youth Correctional Education (RiverBend)

## Entrepreneurial

The IMESD also has entrepreneurial programs that provide larger scale technology, printing and communication services to school districts, government agencies and non-profits throughout the state. This is a way of subsidizing services for school districts and relieving reliance upon the General Fund.

## School Districts

Sometimes, our districts require more services than what are included in the General Fund. The district then enters into a contract with IMESD to pay for additional services. These may include fiscal services, technology support, special education administration, EI/ECSE Child Find, Human Resources, Occupational Therapy, Physical Therapy, bond campaigns, etc.

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