

United ISD "Return to Excellence"

ESSER III ARP Funds

Use of Funds Plan

David H. Gonzalez, Superintendent July 11, 2023

Planning Process for ESSER III Application

Data Used for Planning:

- District Educational Improvement Committee
- District Leadership Team
- District Instructional Leadership Input
- District Management and Cabinet Input
- Public Hearings at School Board Meeting
- ESSER III Stakeholder Survey Input
- Student Survey Input

Description of Processes Used for Planning the Application:

- Superintendent met with all campus and district level groups to get preliminary suggestions
- Survey released to students, parents, staff and community members; survey input solicited
- District leadership analyze stakeholder recommendations and develop district-level recommendations
- Recommendations shared with District ESSER Committee for feedback , comment, refinement
- Revised recommendations shared at the public hearing and with all others stakeholder groups to solicit suggestions for feedback, comment, and refinement
- District leadership meets to adjust and prioritize plan based on feedback
- Revised plan presented to the School Board for feedback and comments
- Plan continues to be revised as additional feedback and district needs become evident

Prioritize/Other Outcomes/Decisions Made for the Spending of the Funds:

- Intervention support positions to address learning loss
- Attendance Support to help families get their children back in school
- Instructional materials/programs/software to provide resources for campuses in addressing learning loss
- Professional Development
- Summer Learning for K-8 and Credit Recovery for 9-12
- Wraparound Services
- Safety & Technology

Total District Allocation: \$127.5 Million

Spent & Committed to date

(*) Learning Acceleration

- Additional Instructional Support Staff Remote conference \$2.3M pathfinders teachers \$2.2M; Part time campus support \$480K
- Build Teacher Capacity/ **\$1.5 M** Professional Development **\$845K** Reading Academies \$690K
- Summer Learning \$5.7M
- Extended Instructional Time After School/Summer Programs \$3.2 M
- High Dosage Tutoring \$1.2M
- Acceleration academies\$493K

(*) Family

• Interactive Panels/Devices \$9.2M



- Improved School to Home Communication \$456K
- Family Resource Center -Personnel \$452K

*Activities to Address Learning Loss must be at least 20% of grant

Instructional Materials • Online

(*)High

Quality

- Programs/workbooks/ resources for Academic Support \$12.8M
- High Quality Assessments \$529K

• Network Adm/Upgrades

Upgrades/Connectivity

Technology/ Infrastructure

Cybersecurity

Indirect costs \$5M

(2021-2023) Revenue

Shortfall \$48M

• Oct 2022 One-time

payment (\$2000) \$15M

Other

Expenses

(2020 - 2023)



\$3.4 M

\$68.0M

Learning Supports Licensed Counselors/LSSPs/ Evaluators/Social workers \$2.7M

(*)

• Special Ed services \$672K

Wraparound

Social Emotional

Services

- Student Safety
- Navigate \$355K

Safety

\$ 9.4M

\$3.9 M

Upgrades to Improve Air Quality UVC Germicidal \$4.9M/Other \$890K

• COVID-19 Prevention & Mitigation Strategies: COVID TEAMS/Nurse Aides \$1.9M; Outdoor benches \$286K; Water bottle filling \$712K stations; Trapezoid PK/K Tables \$716K

As of July 11, 2023

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