# ESSER II Plan Overview and Table of Contents

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Applicant details

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Select an Applicant Type | Unified School District
Applicant / Entity Name | USD 101 Erie/Galesburg
Applicant / Mailing Address

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Erie, KS 66733

Applicant / First and Last Name of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director | TROY DAMMAN
Applicant / Email Address of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director | tdamman@usd101.com
Applicant / Phone Number | 620-244-3264

All questions in the section below are optional, and offer an opportunity to upload or enter information that is typically asked for on grant opportunities.

(for EANS and ESSER grant applications - please skip the questions below, and scroll to the bottom to complete your User Profile information.)

Application details

Full District Name | Erie/Galesburg
District Number | 101
Please briefly describe the impacts of COVID-19 on the district and its Pre-K through 12 students, including any relevant data where possible (e.g., cost impact, learning loss, emotional impact on students). If there has been a disproportionate impact on a special population in the district (e.g., students with disabilities, English Learners, students in foster care, students in poverty, etc.), please describe the impact and provide the number of Pre-K through 12 students in that population.

For the most part, the impacts of COVID-19 have been equal among all of our PreK-12 students including all special groups. The higher impacts of the virus have been centered around the social emotional needs because of the reduced socialization and separation of students and their families with others. The remote education and reduction of interaction among peers have caused individuals to become more introverted and withdrawn from the learning environment. This has forced teachers to focus more attention to individuals with their instruction rather than the group and allowing for group interaction. In the early stages of the virus, there were restrictions for extra-curricular activities and this too discouraged students from focusing on academic needs. Once the ban on activities was lifted, it gave students a higher motivation knowing that they could participate in activities if they did well with their academics.

We believe that the combination of teachers focusing more with specific areas of their instruction and allowing students to participate in activities, have allowed our students to regain their level of education. The results from our assessment scores demonstrated that there was a slight gain from the previous year that supported our theory.

Does the district have remaining ESSER I funding that it has not yet spent as of the date of ESSER II application submission? Yes

Please summarize how the district will use its remaining ESSER I and ESSER I SPED funding and what it hopes to accomplish with these funds.

Our district has $33,795 remaining in our ESSER I funds as of the date of this application. It is our intent to purchase cleaning supplies that will finish out the current fiscal year and help to start the beginning of the 2021-2022 school year. We anticipate having to purchase more supplies as the year progresses. We are also using some of the remaining funds to support student services that will be provided by Greenbush. The final remaining funds will be used to purchase technology needs to begin the 2021-2022 school year and to support upgrading the HVAC system in the elementary and middle school buildings. ESSER II funds will provide the bulk of the HVAC upgrade.
Please review the following allowable uses of ESSER II funds before completing the narrative and Excel template portion of the application.

- Coordination of preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies with State, local, Tribal, and territorial public health departments, and other relevant agencies, to improve coordinated responses among such entities to prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus.
- Providing principals and others school leaders with the resources necessary to address the needs of their individual schools.
- Activities to address the unique needs of low-income children or students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and foster care youth, including how outreach and service delivery will meet the needs of each population.
- Developing and implementing procedures and systems to improve the preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies.
- Training and professional development for staff of the local educational agency on sanitation and minimizing the spread of infectious diseases.
- Purchasing supplies to sanitize and clean the facilities of a local educational agency, including buildings operated by such agency.
- Planning for, coordinating, and implementing activities during long-term closures, including providing meals to eligible students, providing technology for online learning to all students, providing guidance for carrying out requirements under the IDEA and ensuring other educational services can continue to be provided consistent with all Federal, State, and local requirements.
- Purchasing educational technology (including hardware, software, and connectivity) for students who are served by the local educational agency that aids in regular and substantive educational interaction between students and their classroom instructors, including low-income students and children with disabilities, which may include assistive technology or adaptive equipment.
- Providing mental health services and supports.
- Planning and implementing activities related to summer learning and supplemental afterschool programs, including providing classroom instruction or online learning during the summer months and addressing the needs of low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, migrant students, students experiencing homelessness, and children in foster care.
- Addressing learning loss among students, including low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and children and youth in foster care, of the local educational agency, including by— (A) Administering and using high-quality assessments that are valid and reliable, to accurately assess students’ academic progress and assist educators in meeting students’ academic needs, including through differentiating instruction. (B) Implementing evidence-based activities to meet the comprehensive needs of students. (C) Providing information and assistance to parents and families on how they can effectively support students, including in a distance learning environment. (D) Tracking student attendance and improving student engagement in distance education.
- School facility repairs and improvements to enable operation of schools to reduce risk of virus transmission and exposure to environmental health hazards, and to support student health needs.
- Inspection, testing, maintenance, repair, replacement, and upgrade projects to improve the indoor air quality in school facilities, including mechanical and non-mechanical heating, ventilation, and air conditioning systems, filtering, purification and other air cleaning, fans, control systems, and window and door repair and replacement.
- Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities.
- Other activities that are necessary to maintain the operation of and continuity of services in local educational agencies and continuing to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.

Please note: "Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities," identified as an allowable use under ESSER III in the American Rescue Plan, is also permissible under ESSER II.
Plan for ESSER II Direct District Allocation and KSDE Per-Student Additional Allocation (If Applicable)

Please summarize how the district proposes using its ESSER II direct district allocation (and its KSDE per-student additional allocation, if applicable) to address incremental COVID-19 needs.

Our ESSER II funds will directly impact our student needs as a result of the COVID-19. We are proposing to use our ESSER II funds to update technology needs in the classroom, provide more support for social emotional needs, and to increase the safety of the environmental conditions with a cleaner air quality.

Part of our goal with the ESSER II funds is to update technology by using one-to-one devices. Our current devices are reaching the end of life period and do not possess the ability to communicate in remote settings or to allow for the greater demands for updated curriculum. It will be important to maintain an environment that reduces the ability of spreading germs by providing social distancing and less sharing of devices.

Our goals include adding software to allow students the ability to conduct virtual field trips, conduct screenings, complete various assessments, and to expand on other educational opportunities that cannot be through a face-to-face interaction. ESSER II funds will go towards allowable Greenbush services to help our district with providing environmental/custodial support, teacher and leadership training, and PAT.

The bulk of the ESSER II funds will be used for upgrading our Elementary and Middle school HVAC systems because they do not allow for fresh air exchange in the building. Our district did not receive SPARKS funding from our county that would have been utilized for this purpose so it will be important for us to make the upgrades of equipment. We have several families that do not want to have students present in the building because of the inability to clean the air for students. Several of our rooms only have a window AC unit that doesn't allow for any fresh air into the room. A quality HVAC system will provide industry standard air filtration and circulation.

How will the district determine the impact of its ESSER II direct district allocation expenditures (and additional per-student allocation, if applicable) on students?

The technology will be determined by teacher feedback and student participation. Having devices in each classroom will help teachers be able to plan lessons around what is best for students and not a schedule as to when they get the Chromebook cart.

The social emotional support will be determined through the number of referrals and the relationship with our assessments. We believe that if we support the students by becoming more confident that they will perform better in the classroom and have a stronger interaction with others.

With the HVAC, we will determine the impact from teacher, student, and administration feedback. Currently they share that the cooling/heating temperature varies greatly between classrooms and is very distracting towards student learning and participation. The teachers/administration should be able to provide feedback that this update has helped calm students and staff nerves and provides a higher quality educational environment for learning.

Notes on ESSER II application Excel template:

- Plans and budgets should be submitted for at least a 12 month period but do not need to account for the full duration of the program or the full allocation amount. Funds will remain accessible to the LEA until September 30, 2023 and there will be additional opportunities to submit further requests/plans in the future.
- Following ESSER II application approval and initiation of funds draw down, districts will be required to report to the Commissioner's Task Force on ESSER II expenditures and impact on a monthly basis throughout the program. This ESSER II reporting will be required as a part of regular ESSER program reporting, which will capture past expenditures across funding streams (ESSER I, ESSER I SPED, ESSER II, ESSER II SPED, ESSER II KSDE Per Student Allocation). Districts may be asked to provide expenditures by fund, function, object, account, and ESSER II allowable use as part of ongoing ESSER reporting.
- This reporting will not replace any reporting required by the federal government. KSDE will work to maximize compatibility between its reporting requirements and those of the federal government as much as possible to minimize burden on districts.
Please download and complete the ESSER II application template here to provide details on ESSER II budgeted expenditures across allowable uses and KSDE accounting codes.

Local Education Agency (LEA) Assurances

Section I. General Grant Assurances for Federal Funds

Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA will comply with all requirements of:

The LEA will make a good faith effort, on a continuing basis, to maintain a drug-free workplace, in accordance with the measures in 34 CFR Part 84, Subpart B and the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988;

The Education Department General Administrative Regulations (EDGAR) 34 CFR 76 requirements, including:

34 CFR §76.500(a) Federal statutes and regulations on nondiscrimination.

(a) A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the following statutes and regulations:

- Discrimination on the basis of age | The Age Discrimination Act (42 U.S.C. 6101 et seq.) | 34 CFR part 110.

(b) A State or subgrantee that is a covered entity as defined in §108.3 of this title shall comply with the nondiscrimination requirements of the Boy Scouts of America Equal Access Act, 20 U.S.C. 7905, 34 CFR part 108.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))


34 CFR §76.650 Private schools; purpose of §§76.651-76.662.

(a) Under some programs, the authorizing statute requires that a State and its subgrantees provide for participation by students enrolled in private schools. Sections 76.651-76.662 apply to those programs and provide rules for that participation. These sections do not affect the authority of the State or a subgrantee to enter into a contract with a private party.

(b) If any other rules for participation of students enrolled in private schools apply under a particular program, they are in the authorizing statute or implementing regulations for that program.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3 and 3474)

34 CFR §76.700 Compliance with statutes, regulations, State plan, and applications.

A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the State plan and applicable statutes, regulations, and approved applications, and shall use Federal funds in accordance with those statutes, regulations, plan, and applications.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.701 The State or subgrantee administers or supervises each project.

A State or a subgrantee shall directly administer or supervise the administration of each project.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.702 Fiscal control and fund accounting procedures.

A State and a subgrantee shall use fiscal control and fund accounting procedures that insure proper disbursement of and accounting for Federal funds.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.709 Funds may be obligated during a “carryover period.”

(a) If a State or a subgrantee does not obligate all of its grant or subgrant funds by the end of the fiscal year for which Congress appropriated the funds, it may obligate the remaining funds during a carryover period of one additional fiscal year.

(b) The State shall return to the Federal Government any carryover funds not obligated by the end of the carryover period by the State and its subgrantees.

(Authority: U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1225(b), and 3474)
34 CFR §76.722 Subgrantee reporting requirements.
A State may require a subgrantee to submit reports in a manner and format that assists the State in complying with the requirements under 34 CFR 76.720 and in carrying out other responsibilities under the program.
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1231a, and 3474)

34 CFR §76.730 Records related to grant funds.
A State and a subgrantee shall keep records that fully show:
(a) The amount of funds under the grant or subgrant;
(b) How the State or subgrantee uses the funds;
(c) The total cost of the project;
(d) The share of that cost provided from other sources; and
(e) Other records to facilitate an effective audit.
(Approved by the Office of Management and Budget under control number 1880-0513)
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1232f)

34 CFR §76.731 Records related to compliance.
A State and a subgrantee shall keep records to show its compliance with program requirements.
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))
The Uniform Grant Guidance, 2 CFR §200 all applicable subrecipient requirements, including but not limited to:
2 CFR Subpart D – Post Federal Award Requirements
§200.302 Financial management.
§200.303 Internal controls.
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<td>Provide more information on how the equipment will be used as it relates to COVID-19; Applicant provided via email: When examining our mid-year and end-of-year data for USD 101, it is clear that some gaps have been created and/or extended due to COVID 19 school closures and student instructional time lost. Expenditures on student devices and licenses will allow us to achieve and maintain a one to one ratio of student to device. One to one student devices will help our district more effectively serve students who display learning gaps caused by Covid-19 in our response to intervention processes with our supplemental programs that utilize a technology component. It will also allow full usage of the technologically based aspects of our adopted curricula to more fully engage our students who have shown a preference to a virtual means of engagement during the pandemic. Additionally, the extended use of supplemental programs that will be accessed through our use of one to one student devices will offer us more valid data to observe and report on the closure of Covid related gaps that exist and allow us to utilize real time data to inform instructional decisions.</td>
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Provide more information regarding what before/after school services will be provided, how many staff members and the number of students due to COVID-19; Applicant provided via email: With the existing and likely learning gaps due to Covid-19 instructional time lost, it is imperative that we offer additional opportunities to our students outside the normal school day. The expenditures in this category will assist USD 101 with costs of providing after and pre-academic day opportunities. The intent of these expenditures is to supplement our current ability to offer academic opportunities to address learning gaps with supplementary programming and staff as needed outside of the school day. All of our staff will be supported by the services including our special education staff hired through the ANW Coop. The total number of staff will be approximately 75. All of our students will be supported by the opportunities because the teachers will be utilizing the services in their classroom and will be reflected/supported during the before/after school programs. We have typically seen 60 students in the summer school program with 6-8 teachers providing the curriculum.

| 101-1-004 | Eligible | Direct Allocation | Instruction PURCHASE D PROFESSIONAL AND TECHNICAL SERVICES | 12. Addressing learning loss among students, including vulnerable populations | Greenbush services that include student support and teacher training | $ | 6,062 | $ | 6,062 | $ | - | $ | - | $ | - | - | 40580 |
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Provide more information regarding the services to be provided as related to COVID-19; Applicant provided via email: Due to existing and expected gaps shown by pre and post Covid achievement data, it is imperative to ensure that teachers and classified instructional staff have access to high quality professional and staff development. Training opportunities for all staff will be used to address strategies and content areas shown as needs based on losses due to Covid-19. These training areas will be demonstrated as needed by our data analysis, needs assessments, and offered in conjunction with Greenbush Educational Service Center. This will be offered in addition to our typical yearly investment in these programs.
Applicant details

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Select an Applicant Type | Unified School District
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Applicant / Entity Name | USD 102

Applicant / Mailing Address

314 N. 1st Street
Cimarron, KS 67835

Applicant / First and Last Name of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director | Mike Waters

Applicant / Email Address of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director | mwaters@cimarronschools.net

Applicant / Phone Number | 620 855 0552

All questions in the section below are optional, and offer an opportunity to upload or enter information that is typically asked for on grant opportunities.

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Application details

Full District Name | Cimarron-Ensign
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District Number | 102
Please briefly describe the impacts of COVID-19 on the district and its Pre-K through 12 students, including any relevant data where possible (e.g., cost impact, learning loss, emotional impact on students). If there has been a disproportionate impact on a special population in the district (e.g., students with disabilities, English Learners, students in foster care, students in poverty, etc.), please describe the impact and provide the number of Pre-K through 12 students in that population.

USD 102 has approximately 660 students PreK-12 grades. All students have been in school, in-person this year. Since August 26th, students and staff have not been in school and in-person. USD 102 carefully considered the data associated with academic impacts, specifically data that may indicate a learning gap larger than normal. In reviewing the data, USD 102 found the following: 1) in 2019-2020 73% of all students K-12 were “on track academically”. This indicates the student has all A's, B's, and/or C's in all classes; 2) In 2020-2021 the number of K-12 students “on track academically” was 69%. This was after a 10-week session of remote learning from March 2020 to May 2020; 3) In 2019-2020, NWEA Maps assessments indicate that 94% of students in 7-12 were “at or above the benchmark”; 4) In 2020-2021, NWEA Maps assessments indicate that 87% of students in 7-12 were “at or above the benchmark”. The Elementary staff continuously reviews data such as Aimsweb+ and Star Reading to ensure students are making proper progress – and the students are progressing at the pace of a non-Covid school year. The USD 102 Chronic Absenteeism is approximately the same through the last three years. A remarkable feat given schools are educating through a pandemic.

Does the district have remaining ESSER I funding that it has not yet spent as of the date of ESSER II application submission?  No

Please review the following allowable uses of ESSER II funds before completing the narrative and Excel template portion of the application.


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Plan for ESSER II Direct District Allocation and KSDE Per-Student Additional Allocation (If Applicable)

Please summarize how the district proposes using its ESSER II direct district allocation (and its KSDE per-student additional allocation, if applicable) to address incremental COVID-19 needs.
After consideration of many data points, the USD 102 Board of Education has decided to use the funds on “inspection, testing, maintenance, repair, replacement, and upgrade projects to improve the indoor air quality in school facilities, including mechanical and non-mechanical heating, ventilation, and air conditioning systems, filtering, purification, and other air cleaning, fans, control systems, and window and door repair and replacement.”

How will the district determine the impact of its ESSER II direct district allocation expenditures (and additional per-student allocation, if applicable) on students?

It will be difficult to determine the positive effect improved air quality and purification might have on students and staff. However, in an attempt to meet or exceed the American Society of Heating, Refrigeration, and Air-Conditioning Engineers (ASHRAE) standards for indoor quality, it will only assist students and staff with a better, cleaner, and healthier learning environment. It is the hope of USD 102 that better-purified air and improved air quality will help to keep all students in school more often and reduce the chronic absenteeism rate.

**Notes on ESSER II application Excel template:**

- Plans and budgets should be submitted for at least a 12 month period but do not need to account for the full duration of the program or the full allocation amount. Funds will remain accessible to the LEA until September 30, 2023 and there will be additional opportunities to submit further requests/plans in the future.
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**Local Education Agency (LEA) Assurances**

**Section I. General Grant Assurances for Federal Funds**

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(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))


34 CFR §76.650 Private schools; purpose of §§76.651-76.662.

(a) Under some programs, the authorizing statute requires that a State and its subgrantees provide for participation by students enrolled in private schools. Sections 76.651-76.662 apply to those programs and provide rules for that participation. These sections do not affect the authority of the State or a subgrantee to enter into a contract with a private party.

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[72 FR 3703, Jan. 25, 2007]

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(c) The total cost of the project;

(d) The share of that cost provided from other sources; and

(e) Other records to facilitate an effective audit.

(Approved by the Office of Management and Budget under control number 1880-0513)

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1232f)


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(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

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2 CFR Subpart D – Post Federal Award Requirements

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Electronic Signature  | Michael S. Waters
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<td>USD 102 will use the ESSER II funds for updating and improving air quality in the student attendance centers with an updated HVAC system. The improvement of air quality, filtration, and purification will have a positive effect on mitigating the spread of Covid-19 in the buildings. USD 102 is making an effort to improve all air quality to meet the American Society of Heating, Refrigeration, and Air-Conditioning Engineers (ASHREA) specifications for indoor air quality.</td>
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Applicant details

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Select an Applicant Type  |  Unified School District

Applicant / Entity Name  |  USD 107

Applicant / Mailing Address

109 E Main
Mankato, KS 66956

Applicant / First and Last Name of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director  |  Rex Boley

Applicant / Email Address of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director  |  rboley@usd107.org

Applicant / Phone Number  |  785-531-0087

All questions in the section below are optional, and offer an opportunity to upload or enter information that is typically asked for on grant opportunities.

(for EANS and ESSER grant applications - please skip the questions below, and scroll to the bottom to complete your User Profile information.)

Application details

Full District Name  |  Rock Hills

District Number  |  107
Please briefly describe the impacts of COVID-19 on the district and its Pre-K through 12 students, including any relevant data where possible (e.g., cost impact, learning loss, emotional impact on students). If there has been a disproportionate impact on a special population in the district (e.g., students with disabilities, English Learners, students in foster care, students in poverty, etc.), please describe the impact and provide the number of Pre-K through 12 students in that population.

USD 107 ESSER II funds will provide principals and other school leaders with the resources necessary to address student needs. Purchase of FastBridge student screener. ID student academic & social emotional needs. Implement and train staff on administering, accessing student data results and setting up student intervention plans. Staff collaboration on ELA and Math lesson, assessments, interventions and alignment to address student learning loss. This summer we are expanding our summer Elementary programs for students. We are requesting ESSER II funding for educational interventions (Haggerty and 95 Percent) in addition we will use funding to implement the STREAM (Science, Technology, Reading, Engineering, Art, Math) model at our Elementary summer JumpStart. This summer we are starting Summer Learning Opportunities for our Jr/Sr High Students. ESEER II Funding will be used to fund a teacher salary for the Spring 2021 Semester that we hired in January to increase social distancing and address learning loss. We plan on using ESSER II funding to retain this teacher for next year and pay their salary. We are trying to add another additional elementary teacher to increase social distancing and especially address learning loss. Funding will be used for teachers and classified teacher aids during our Summer Opportunity and Jump Start programs. In addition, we want start and use funding for two Summer Enrichment Camps. These camps will be open to all students’ grades 4th and 5th as well as 6th and 7th. Enrichment Camps focuses on College/Career Readiness. Integration of CTE/ NC3 certification into core curriculum.

Does the district have remaining ESSER I funding that it has not yet spent as of the date of ESSER II application submission?

Please review the following allowable uses of ESSER II funds before completing the narrative and Excel template portion of the application.

Coordination of preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies with State, local, Tribal, and territorial public health departments, and other relevant agencies, to improve coordinated responses among such entities to prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus.

Providing principals and others school leaders with the resources necessary to address the needs of their individual schools.

Activities to address the unique needs of low-income children or students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and foster care youth, including how outreach and service delivery will meet the needs of each population.

Developing and implementing procedures and systems to improve the preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies.

Training and professional development for staff of the local educational agency on sanitation and minimizing the spread of infectious diseases.

Purchasing supplies to sanitize and clean the facilities of a local educational agency, including buildings operated by such agency.

Planning for, coordinating, and implementing activities during long-term closures, including providing meals to eligible students, providing technology for online learning to all students, providing guidance for carrying out requirements under the IDEA and ensuring other educational services can continue to be provided consistent with all Federal, State, and local requirements.

Purchasing educational technology (including hardware, software, and connectivity) for students who are served by the local educational agency that aids in regular and substantive educational interaction between students and their classroom instructors, including low-income students and children with disabilities, which may include assistive technology or adaptive equipment.

Providing mental health services and supports.

Planning and implementing activities related to summer learning and supplemental afterschool programs, including providing classroom instruction or online learning during the summer months and addressing the needs of low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, migrant students, students experiencing homelessness, and children in foster care.

Addressing learning loss among students, including low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and children and youth in foster care, of the local educational agency, including by—(A) Administering and using high-quality assessments that are valid and reliable, to accurately assess students’ academic progress and assist educators in meeting students’ academic needs, including through differentiating instruction. (B) Implementing evidence-based activities to meet the comprehensive needs of students. (C) Providing information and assistance to parents and families on how they can effectively support students, including in a distance learning environment. (D) Tracking student attendance and improving student engagement in distance education.

School facility repairs and improvements to enable operation of schools to reduce risk of virus transmission and exposure to environmental health hazards, and to support student health needs.

Inspection, testing, maintenance, repair, replacement, and upgrade projects to improve the indoor air quality in school facilities, including mechanical and non-mechanical heating, ventilation, and air conditioning systems, filtering, purification and other air cleaning, fans, control systems, and window and door repair and replacement.

Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities.

Other activities that are necessary to maintain the operation of and continuity of services in local educational agencies and continuing to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.

Please note: "Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities," identified as an allowable use under ESSER III in the American Rescue Plan, is also permissible under ESSER II.

Plan for ESSER II Direct District Allocation and KSDE Per-Student Additional Allocation (If Applicable)
Please summarize how the district proposes using its ESSER II direct district allocation (and its KSDE per-student additional allocation, if applicable) to address incremental COVID-19 needs.

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How will the district determine the impact of its ESSER II direct district allocation expenditures (and additional per-student allocation, if applicable) on students?

Using our FastBridge screener, national norm tests, progress monitoring, teacher observations, data from MTSS student plansenrollment numbers in summer programs and student Individual Plans of Student College and Career Information.

Notes on ESSER II application Excel template:

- Plans and budgets should be submitted for at least a 12 month period but do not need to account for the full duration of the program or the full allocation amount. Funds will remain accessible to the LEA until September 30, 2023 and there will be additional opportunities to submit further requests/plans in the future.
- Following ESSER II application approval and initiation of funds draw down, districts will be required to report to the Commissioner's Task Force on ESSER II expenditures and impact on a monthly basis throughout the program. This ESSER II reporting will be required as a part of regular ESSER program reporting, which will capture past expenditures across funding streams (ESSER I, ESSER I SPED, ESSER II, ESSER II SPED, ESSER II KSDE Per Student Allocation). Districts may be asked to provide expenditures by fund, function, object, account, and ESSER II allowable use as part of ongoing ESSER reporting.
- This reporting will not replace any reporting required by the federal government. KSDE will work to maximize compatibility between its reporting requirements and those of the federal government as much as possible to minimize burden on districts.

Please download and complete the ESSER II application template here to provide details on ESSER II budgeted expenditures across allowable uses and KSDE accounting codes.

Local Education Agency (LEA) Assurances

Section I. General Grant Assurances for Federal Funds

Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA will comply with all requirements of:
The LEA will make a good faith effort, on a continuing basis, to maintain a drug-free workplace, in accordance with the measures in 34 CFR Part 84, Subpart B and the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988; The Education Department General Administrative Regulations (EDGAR) 34 CFR 76 requirements, including:

34 CFR §76.500(a) Federal statutes and regulations on nondiscrimination.

(a) A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the following statutes and regulations:

- Discrimination on the basis of age | The Age Discrimination Act (42 U.S.C. 6101 et seq.) | 34 CFR part 110.

(b) A State or subgrantee that is a covered entity as defined in §108.3 of this title shall comply with the nondiscrimination requirements of the Boy Scouts of America Equal Access Act, 20 U.S.C. 7905, 34 CFR part 108.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))


34 CFR §76.520 Private schools; purpose of §§76.651-76.662.

(a) Under some programs, the authorizing statute requires that a State and its subgrantees provide for participation by students enrolled in private schools. Sections 76.651-76.662 apply to those programs and provide rules for that participation. These sections do not affect the authority of the State or a subgrantee to enter into a contract with a private party.

(b) If any other rules for participation of students enrolled in private schools apply under a particular program, they are in the authorizing statute or implementing regulations for that program.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3 and 3474)

34 CFR §76.700 Compliance with statutes, regulations, State plan, and applications.

A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the State plan and applicable statutes, regulations, and approved applications, and shall use Federal funds in accordance with those statutes, regulations, plan, and applications.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.701 The State or subgrantee administers or supervises each project.

A State or a subgrantee shall directly administer or supervise the administration of each project.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.702 Fiscal control and fund accounting procedures.

A State and a subgrantee shall use fiscal control and fund accounting procedures that insure proper disbursement of and accounting for Federal funds.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.709 Funds may be obligated during a “carryover period.”

(a) If a State or a subgrantee does not obligate all of its grant or subgrant funds by the end of the fiscal year for which Congress appropriated the funds, it may obligate the remaining funds during a carryover period of one additional fiscal year.

(b) The State shall return to the Federal Government any carryover funds not obligated by the end of the carryover period by the State and its subgrantees.

(Authority: U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1225(b), and 3474)


34 CFR §76.722 Subgrantee reporting requirements.

A State may require a subgrantee to submit reports in a manner and format that assists the State in complying with the requirements under 34 CFR 76.720 and in carrying out other responsibilities under the program.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1231a, and 3474)

[72 FR 3703, Jan. 25, 2007]

34 CFR §76.730 Records related to grant funds.

A State and a subgrantee shall keep records that fully show:

(a) The amount of funds under the grant or subgrant;

(b) How the State or subgrantee uses the funds;

(c) The total cost of the project;

(d) The share of that cost provided from other sources; and
(e) Other records to facilitate an effective audit.

(Approved by the Office of Management and Budget under control number 1880-0513)

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1232f)


34 CFR §76.731 Records related to compliance.

A State and a subgrantee shall keep records to show its compliance with program requirements.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

The Uniform Grant Guidance, 2 CFR §200 all applicable subrecipient requirements, including but not limited to:

2 CFR Subpart D – Post Federal Award Requirements

§200.302 Financial management.

§200.303 Internal controls.

§200.305 Payment.

§200.313 Equipment.

§200.314 Supplies.

§200.318 General procurement standards.

§200.320 Methods of procurement to be followed;

2 CFR 200 Subpart E: Cost Principles:

§200.403 Factors affecting allowability of costs.

§200.404 Reasonable costs.

§200.405 Allocable costs.

§200.413 Direct costs.

§200.415 Required certifications.

§200.430 Compensation—personal services.

The Debarment and Suspension, 34 CFR Part 85, Section 85.510, Participants' Responsibilities and makes the following certification by signing this application:

The prospective lower-tier participant certifies, by submission of this proposal, that neither it nor its principals is presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction by any federal department or agency.

Where the prospective lower-tier participant is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, such prospective participant shall attach an explanation to this proposal.

This certification is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was made or entered into. Submission of this certification is a prerequisite for making or entering into this transaction imposed by Section 1352, Title 31, U.S. Code. Any person who fails to file the required certification shall be subject to a civil penalty of not less than $10,000 for such failure.

Section II. Specific Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) Grant Assurances

The LEA assures that funds shall only be used for any of the following:

- Coordination of preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies with State, local, Tribal, and territorial public health departments, and other relevant agencies, to improve coordinated responses among such entities to prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus.
- Providing principals and others school leaders with the resources necessary to address the needs of their individual schools.
- Activities to address the unique needs of low-income children or students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and foster care youth, including how outreach and service delivery will meet the needs of each population.
• Developing and implementing procedures and systems to improve the preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies.
• Training and professional development for staff of the local educational agency on sanitation and minimizing the spread of infectious diseases.
• Purchasing supplies to sanitize and clean the facilities of a local educational agency, including buildings operated by such agency.
• Planning for and coordinating during long-term closures, including for how to provide meals to eligible students, how to provide technology for online learning to all students, how to provide guidance for carrying out requirements under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. 1401 et seq.) and how to ensure other educational services can continue to be provided consistent with all Federal, State, and local requirements.
• Purchasing educational technology (including hardware, software, and connectivity) for students who are served by the local educational agency that aids in regular and substantive educational interaction between students and their classroom instructors, including low-income students and students with disabilities, which may include assistive technology or adaptive equipment.
• Providing mental health services and supports.
• Planning and implementing activities related to summer learning and supplemental afterschool programs, including providing classroom instruction or online learning during the summer months and addressing the needs of low income students, students with disabilities, English learners, migrant students, students experiencing homelessness, and children in foster care.
• Addressing learning loss among students, including low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and children and youth in foster care, of the local educational agency, including by—(A) Administering and using high-quality assessments that are valid and reliable, to accurately assess students' academic progress and assist educators in meeting students' academic needs, including through differentiating instruction. (B) Implementing evidence-based activities to meet the comprehensive needs of students. (C) Providing information and assistance to parents and families on how they can effectively support students, including in a distance learning environment. (D) Tracking student attendance and improving student engagement in distance education.
• School facility repairs and improvements to enable operation of schools to reduce risk of virus transmission and exposure to environmental health hazards, and to support student health needs.
• Inspection, testing, maintenance, repair, replacement, and upgrade projects to improve the indoor air quality in school facilities, including mechanical and non-mechanical heating, ventilation, and air conditioning systems, filtering, purification and other air cleaning, fans, control systems, and window and door repair and replacement.
• Other activities that are necessary to maintain the operation of and continuity of services in local educational agencies and continuing to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.

Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA shall comply with all applicable requirements of the Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) authorized by the Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act, 2021 (CRRSAA), including:
CONTINUED PAYMENT TO EMPLOYEES
SEC. 18006. A local educational agency, State, institution of higher education, or other entity that receives funds under “Education Stabilization Fund”, shall to the greatest extent practicable, continue to pay its employees and contractors during the period of any disruptions or closures related to coronavirus.

Certification

To the best of my knowledge and belief, all the information and data in this agreement are true and correct. I acknowledge and agree that the failure to comply with all Assurances and Certifications in this Agreement, all relevant provisions and requirements of the CARES Act, Pub. L. No. 116-136 (March 27, 2020), or any other applicable law or regulation may result in liability under the False Claims Act, 31 U.S.C. § 3729, et seq.; OMB Guidelines to Agencies on Governmentwide Debarment and Suspension (Nonprocurement) in 2 CFR part 180, as adopted and amended as regulations of the Department in 2 CFR part 3485; and 18 USC § 1001, as appropriate.

Electronic Signature

Rex Boley
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Per applicant, Available to 16 teachers, mostly Elementary - With wearing masks and social distancing due to COVID-19 it was hard for teachers and students (especially younger grades levels) to hear and understand each other. As a result we have had more students identified with learning loss on Phonics and Phonetic Awareness. Part of this time will be to train staff on new intervention resources in these areas, 95 Percent and Haggarty. We will also train our Jr/Sr High English teachers. In addition, if funded, we are paying our Special Education Teachers to come in for this training as well. Furthermore this time will also be used to do more training with staff on FastBridge. We need to measure more accurately and respond quicker with targeted student intervention to address learning loss due to COVID-19. In addition we needed a student Social/Emotional Screener so we can have staff develop intervention to assist our students & families dealing with COVID-19. Staff to learn how to read FastBridge student data, set up student intervention plans and progress monitor. Due to COVID-19 many safety protocols, procedures and safety plans were implemented into the teaching day. This took time away from student instructional time. During this time the Summer Academy teachers will work with administration and within PLC's looking at a ELA and Math Curriculum standards along with COVID-19 Safety measures to develop, have prepared and ready for implementation for the first day of school lessons that maximize student learning and COVID safety.
### 12. Addressing learning loss among students, including vulnerable populations

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- Per applicant, new program for the district. Open to all - 44th-5th graders one camp. Open to all - 6th-7th graders one camp. 2 Staff members per Camp total of 4 Staff. This Program is designed to address Social/Emotion needs of students due to COVID 19. In addition this program was added so our students can experience the importance of developing technical education skills along with academic skills. Our area has experienced business loss and decline enrollment at post-secondary education as a result of COVID 19.
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Applicant / Mailing Address

3130 North 122nd Street
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Kansas City, KS 66109

Applicant / First and Last Name of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director | Mitch Nutterfield

Applicant / Email Address of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director | mnutterfield@piperschools.us

Applicant / Phone Number | 913-721-2088

All questions in the section below are optional, and offer an opportunity to upload or enter information that is typically asked for on grant opportunities.

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Application details

Full District Name | Piper School District

District Number | 203
Please briefly describe the impacts of COVID-19 on the district and its Pre-K through 12 students, including any relevant data where possible (e.g., cost impact, learning loss, emotional impact on students). If there has been a disproportionate impact on a special population in the district (e.g., students with disabilities, English Learners, students in foster care, students in poverty, etc.), please describe the impact and provide the number of Pre-K through 12 students in that population.

Historically the majority of Piper students have scored higher than the national average on nationally normed-referenced assessments; however, with COVID, our data has declined. We use NWEA/MAP and FastBridge CBM to measure literacy and math growth. We use Panorama for our Social-emotional screening tool. While many students showed a decline in grades 2nd-10th grade on the NWEA MAP Literacy and Math Assessment, our greatest concern is for our Kindergarten and 1st grade students. According to the Winter 2021 FastBridge Literacy CBM measures, 49% of K students are not meeting benchmark. In a typical year we would want to see absolutely no more than 18% not meeting the benchmark during the winter testing period. Our greatest area of concern is our 1st grade population. 79% of our 1st grade students are not meeting benchmark on the FastBridge Literacy assessment. Therefore, our primary area of focus over the next few school years will be pouring resources into K-2 Phonics, Phonemic Awareness, and Fluency instruction. On our Panorama SEL Screening tool, our current 3-5th graders scored in the 30th percentile in the area of Positive Feelings and in the 10th percentile in the area of Grit. Our 6th through 12th grade students scored in 30th percentile in the area of Grit. These are areas of focus for us as a district. Additionally, during our item analysis, we discovered that we are not meeting the national average in the area of students feeling safe when they come to school in grades 3rd-12th grade.

Does the district have remaining ESSER I funding that it has not yet spent as of the date of ESSER II application submission? | No

Please review the following allowable uses of ESSER II funds before completing the narrative and Excel template portion of the application.

- Any activity authorized by the ESEA of 1965, including the Native Hawaiian Education Act and the Alaska Native Educational Equity, Support, and Assistance Act (20 U.S.C. 6301 et seq.), the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. 1400 et

- Coordination of preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies with State, local, Tribal, and territorial public health departments, and other relevant agencies, to improve coordinated responses among such entities to prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus.
- Providing principals and others school leaders with the resources necessary to address the needs of their individual schools.
- Activities to address the unique needs of low-income children or students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and foster care youth, including how outreach and service delivery will meet the needs of each population.
- Developing and implementing procedures and systems to improve the preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies.
- Training and professional development for staff of the local educational agency on sanitation and minimizing the spread of infectious diseases.
- Planning for, coordinating, and implementing activities during long-term closures, including providing meals to eligible students, providing technology for online learning to all students, providing guidance for carrying out requirements under the IDEA and ensuring other educational services can continue to be provided consistent with all Federal, State, and local requirements.
- Purchasing educational technology (including hardware, software, and connectivity) for students who are served by the local educational agency that aids in regular and substantive educational interaction between students and their classroom instructors, including low-income students and children with disabilities, which may include assistive technology or adaptive equipment.
- Providing mental health services and supports.
- Planning and implementing activities related to summer learning and supplemental afterschool programs, including providing classroom instruction or online learning during the summer months and addressing the needs of low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, migrant students, students experiencing homelessness, and children in foster care.
- Addressing learning loss among students, including low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and children and youth in foster care, of the local educational agency, including by—(A) Administering and using high-quality assessments that are valid and reliable, to accurately assess students' academic progress and assist educators in meeting students' academic needs, including through differentiating instruction. (B) Implementing evidence-based activities to meet the comprehensive needs of students. (C) Providing information and assistance to parents and families on how they can effectively support students, including in a distance learning environment. (D) Tracking student attendance and improving student engagement in distance education.
- School facility repairs and improvements to enable operation of schools to reduce risk of virus transmission and exposure to environmental health hazards, and to support student health needs.
- Inspection, testing, maintenance, repair, replacement, and upgrade projects to improve the indoor air quality in school facilities, including mechanical and non-mechanical heating, ventilation, and air conditioning systems, filtering, purification and other air cleaning, fans, control systems, and window and door repair and replacement.
- Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities.
- Other activities that are necessary to maintain the operation of and continuity of services in local educational agencies and continuing to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.

Please note: "Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities," identified as an allowable use under ESSER III in the American Rescue Plan, is also permissible under ESSER II.

Plan for ESSER II Direct District Allocation and KSDE Per-Student Additional Allocation (If Applicable)
The Piper School District plans to utilize our ESSER II and KSDE per-student additional allocation, to meet the needs of our students in multiple ways. The first will be a Summer Learning Experience (based on NWEA MAP testing, FastBridge CBM testing, Panorama SEL data and teacher feedback), and the funds will include paying for the staff (small size classes) transportation, and new instructional resources. Defined Learning, a Project-Based learning tool, will be our primary instructional tool for our Summer Learning Offering. Secondly, we plan to hire two full-time elementary counselors (based data garnered from Panorama SEL screener) to provide Tier 1 counseling support to all students, along with Tier 2/Tier 3 small groups and individual counseling, to students who are struggling emotionally as they return from remote learning to onsite learning. Lastly, we plan to hire a full-time Early Childhood Coordinator who will oversee the programming of our Early Childhood program while also providing intensive literacy interventions to our kindergarten and first grade students who did not hit grade-level proficiency levels in the spring of 2021 on FastBridge CBM testing. We believe many of our youngest learners did not have accessibility to literacy interventions due to COVID-19. Additionally, our Pre-K and K 2020-21 enrollment was the lowest it has been in years, and we are anticipating an influx of students who possibly missed out on an early childhood education; therefore, missing many of the foundational literacy skills that we would hope to be secure.

How will the district determine the impact of its ESSER II direct district allocation expenditures (and additional per-student allocation, if applicable) on students?

The district will determine the effectiveness of our ESSER-funded interventions based on the end of project rubric scores from our summer learning experience, credit recovery numbers from our high school students in the summer learning opportunity, our Spring 2021 NWEA MAP data, state assessment data, Panorama SEL data, FastBridge CBM early literacy data, and then compare it to the same data sets in Spring of 2021. We want to be very purposeful and strategic in identifying effective and research-based assessments and performance tasks to determine the overall effectiveness of our interventions funded through ESSER dollars. We will also utilize common formative and summative data to drive our instruction and needed interventions along the way.

Notes on ESSER II application Excel template:

- Plans and budgets should be submitted for at least a 12 month period but do not need to account for the full duration of the program or the full allocation amount. Funds will remain accessible to the LEA until September 30, 2023 and there will be additional opportunities to submit further requests/plans in the future.
- Following ESSER II application approval and initiation of funds draw down, districts will be required to report to the Commissioner's Task Force on ESSER II expenditures and impact on a monthly basis throughout the program. This ESSER II reporting will be required as a part of regular ESSER program reporting, which will capture past expenditures across funding streams (ESSER I, ESSER I SPED, ESSER II, ESSER II SPED, ESSER II KSDE Per Student Allocation). Districts may be asked to provide expenditures by fund, function, object, account, and ESSER II allowable use as part of ongoing ESSER reporting.
- This reporting will not replace any reporting required by the federal government. KSDE will work to maximize compatibility between its reporting requirements and those of the federal government as much as possible to minimize burden on districts.

Please download and complete the ESSER II application template here to provide details on ESSER II budgeted expenditures across allowable uses and KSDE accounting codes.

Local Education Agency (LEA) Assurances
Section I. General Grant Assurances for Federal Funds

Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA will comply with all requirements of:

The LEA will make a good faith effort, on a continuing basis, to maintain a drug-free workplace, in accordance with the measures in 34 CFR Part 84, Subpart B and the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988;

The Education Department General Administrative Regulations (EDGAR) 34 CFR 76 requirements, including:

- 34 CFR §76.500(a) Federal statutes and regulations on nondiscrimination.
  
  (a) A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the following statutes and regulations:
  
  
  
  
  - Discrimination on the basis of age | The Age Discrimination Act (42 U.S.C. 6101 et seq.) | 34 CFR part 110.

(b) A State or subgrantee that is a covered entity as defined in §108.3 of this title shall comply with the nondiscrimination requirements of the Boy Scouts of America Equal Access Act, 20 U.S.C. 7905, 34 CFR part 108.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))


34 CFR §76.650 Private schools; purpose of §§76.651-76.662.

(a) Under some programs, the authorizing statute requires that a State and its subgrantees provide for participation by students enrolled in private schools. Sections 76.651-76.662 apply to those programs and provide rules for that participation. These sections do not affect the authority of the State or a subgrantee to enter into a contract with a private party.

(b) If any other rules for participation of students enrolled in private schools apply under a particular program, they are in the authorizing statute or implementing regulations for that program.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3 and 3474)

34 CFR §76.700 Compliance with statutes, regulations, State plan, and applications.

A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the State plan and applicable statutes, regulations, and approved applications, and shall use Federal funds in accordance with those statutes, regulations, plan, and applications.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.701 The State or subgrantee administers or supervises each project.

A State or a subgrantee shall directly administer or supervise the administration of each project.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.702 Fiscal control and fund accounting procedures.

A State and a subgrantee shall use fiscal control and fund accounting procedures that insure proper disbursement of and accounting for Federal funds.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.709 Funds may be obligated during a “carryover period.”

(a) If a State or a subgrantee does not obligate all of its grant or subgrant funds by the end of the fiscal year for which Congress appropriated the funds, it may obligate the remaining funds during a carryover period of one additional fiscal year.

(b) The State shall return to the Federal Government any carryover funds not obligated by the end of the carryover period by the State and its subgrantees.

(Authority: U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1225(b), and 3474)


34 CFR §76.722 Subgrantee reporting requirements.

A State may require a subgrantee to submit reports in a manner and format that assists the State in complying with the requirements under 34 CFR 76.720 and in carrying out other responsibilities under the program.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1231a, and 3474)

[72 FR 3703, Jan. 25, 2007]

34 CFR §76.730 Records related to grant funds.

A State and a subgrantee shall keep records that fully show:

(a) The amount of funds under the grant or subgrant;
(b) How the State or subgrantee uses the funds;
(c) The total cost of the project;
(d) The share of that cost provided from other sources; and
(e) Other records to facilitate an effective audit.

(Approved by the Office of Management and Budget under control number 1880-0513)

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1232f)

[Approved by the Office of Management and Budget under control number 1880-0513]


34 CFR §76.731

Records related to compliance.

A State and a subgrantee shall keep records to show its compliance with program requirements.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

The Uniform Grant Guidance, 2 CFR §200 all applicable subrecipient requirements, including but not limited to:

2 CFR Subpart D – Post Federal Award Requirements

§200.302 Financial management.
§200.303 Internal controls.
§200.305 Payment.
§200.313 Equipment.
§200.314 Supplies.
§200.318 General procurement standards.
§200.320 Methods of procurement to be followed;

2 CFR 200 Subpart E: Cost Principles:

§200.403 Factors affecting allowability of costs.
§200.404 Reasonable costs.
§200.405 Allocable costs.
§200.413 Direct costs.
§200.415 Required certifications.
§200.430 Compensation—personal services.

The Debarment and Suspension, 34 CFR Part 85, Section 85.510, Participants' Responsibilities and makes the following certification by signing this application:

The prospective lower-tier participant certifies, by submission of this proposal, that neither it nor its principals is presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction by any federal department or agency.

Where the prospective lower-tier participant is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, such prospective participant shall attach an explanation to this proposal.

This certification is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was made or entered into. Submission of this certification is a prerequisite for making or entering into this transaction imposed by Section 1352, Title 31, U.S. Code. Any person who fails to file the required certification shall be subject to a civil penalty of not less than $10,000 for such failure.

Section II. Specific Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) Grant Assurances

The LEA assures that funds shall only be used for any of the following:


- Coordination of preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies with State, local, Tribal, and territorial public health departments, and other relevant agencies, to improve coordinated responses among such entities to prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus.

- Providing principals and others school leaders with the resources necessary to address the needs of their individual schools.
Activities to address the unique needs of low-income children or students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and foster care youth, including how outreach and service delivery will meet the needs of each population.

Developing and implementing procedures and systems to improve the preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies.

Training and professional development for staff of the local educational agency on sanitation and minimizing the spread of infectious diseases.

Purchasing supplies to sanitize and clean the facilities of a local educational agency, including buildings operated by such agency.

Planning for and coordinating during long-term closures, including for how to provide meals to eligible students, how to provide technology for online learning to all students, how to provide guidance for carrying out requirements under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. 1401 et seq.) and how to ensure other educational services can continue to be provided consistent with all Federal, State, and local requirements.

Purchasing educational technology (including hardware, software, and connectivity) for students who are served by the local educational agency that aids in regular and substantive educational interaction between students and their classroom instructors, including low-income students and students with disabilities, which may include assistive technology or adaptive equipment.

Providing mental health services and supports.

Planning and implementing activities related to summer learning and supplemental afterschool programs, including providing classroom instruction or online learning during the summer months and addressing the needs of low income students, students with disabilities, English learners, migrant students, students experiencing homelessness, and children in foster care.

Addressing learning loss among students, including low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and children and youth in foster care, of the local educational agency, including by—(A) Administering and using high-quality assessments that are valid and reliable, to accurately assess students’ academic progress and assist educators in meeting students’ academic needs, including through differentiating instruction. (B) Implementing evidence-based activities to meet the comprehensive needs of students. (C) Providing information and assistance to parents and families on how they can effectively support students, including in a distance learning environment. (D) Tracking student attendance and improving student engagement in distance education.

School facility repairs and improvements to enable operation of schools to reduce risk of virus transmission and exposure to environmental health hazards, and to support student health needs.

Inspection, testing, maintenance, repair, replacement, and upgrade projects to improve the indoor air quality in school facilities, including mechanical and non-mechanical heating, ventilation, and air conditioning systems, filtering, purification and other air cleaning, fans, control systems, and window and door repair and replacement.

Other activities that are necessary to maintain the operation of and continuity of services in local educational agencies and continuing to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.

Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA shall comply with all applicable requirements of the Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) authorized by the Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act, 2021 (CRRSA), including:

CONTINUED PAYMENT TO EMPLOYEES

SEC. 18006. A local educational agency, State, institution of higher education, or other entity that receives funds under “Education Stabilization Fund”, shall to the greatest extent practicable, continue to pay its employees and contractors during the period of any disruptions or closures related to coronavirus.

**Certification**

To the best of my knowledge and belief, all the information and data in this agreement are true and correct. I acknowledge and agree that the failure to comply with all Assurances and Certifications in this Agreement, all relevant provisions and requirements of the CARES Act, Pub. L. No. 116-136 (March 27, 2020), or any other applicable law or regulation may result in liability under the False Claims Act, 31 U.S.C. § 3729, et seq.; OMB Guidelines to Agencies on Governmentwide Debarment and Suspension (Nonprocurement) in 2 CFR part 180, as adopted and amended as regulations of the Department in 2 CFR part 3485; and 18 USC § 1001, as appropriate.
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Applicant / Entity Name
- USD 205 Bluestem

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Would you like to additional district representatives to the application? | No

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The largest impact that COVID-19 had our district is it showed us our areas of weakness when it comes to aligned curriculum and alternative methods of instruction. The virus itself had minimal impact on school closure in general, in that our district was face-to-face every day this past school year. However, with students and staff continually being quarantined for weeks at a time, our curriculum and instruction showed areas in which needed to be improved. Moving to a standards based grading model using aligned curriculum along with all students and staff having access to quality hardware and software will allow us to pivot in the future between remote and face-to-face instruction.

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Please summarize how the district proposes using its ESSER II direct district allocation (and its KSDE per-student additional allocation, if applicable) to address incremental COVID-19 needs.

ESSER II money will be used to pay teacher salaries for six 1/2 days of in service this summer to finalizing our ELA and math curriculum alignment as our district moves to a standards based grading approach. New chrome books will be purchased for the 7-12 and iPads for the PreK-6 students so that all our students will have access at home for remote learning. The Bluestem Elementary School HVAC system will also be replaced to better improve air quality in the school.

How will the district determine the impact of its ESSER II direct district allocation expenditures (and additional per-student allocation, if applicable) on students?

The overall impact should be able to be measured quantitatively through our assessment tools, AimsWeb, State Assessment, and ACT. Using the ESSER II money to provide for equipment and staff development will provide a more consistent PreK-12 educational system which will also be documented throughout the KESA process.

Notes on ESSER II application Excel template:

- Plans and budgets should be submitted for at least a 12 month period but do not need to account for the full duration of the program or the full allocation amount. Funds will remain accessible to the LEA until September 30, 2023 and there will be additional opportunities to submit further requests/plans in the future.
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- This reporting will not replace any reporting required by the federal government. KSDE will work to maximize compatibility between its reporting requirements and those of the federal government as much as possible to minimize burden on districts.

Please download and complete the ESSER II application template [here](https://example.com) to provide details on ESSER II budgeted expenditures across allowable uses and KSDE accounting codes.

Local Education Agency (LEA) Assurances

Section I. General Grant Assurances for Federal Funds

Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA will comply with all requirements of:

The LEA will make a good faith effort, on a continuing basis, to maintain a drug-free workplace, in accordance with the measures in 34 CFR Part 84, Subpart B and the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988;

The Education Department General Administrative Regulations (EDGAR) 34 CFR 76 requirements, including:

34 CFR §76.500(a) Federal statutes and regulations on nondiscrimination.

(a) A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the following statutes and regulations:
Discrimination on the basis of age | The Age Discrimination Act (42 U.S.C. 6101 et seq.) | 34 CFR part 110.

(b) A State or subgrantee that is a covered entity as defined in §108.3 of this title shall comply with the nondiscrimination requirements of the Boy Scouts of America Equal Access Act, 20 U.S.C. 7905, 34 CFR part 108.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.650 Private schools; purpose of §§76.651-76.662.

(a) Under some programs, the authorizing statute requires that a State and its subgrantees provide for participation by students enrolled in private schools. Sections 76.651-76.662 apply to those programs and provide rules for that participation. These sections do not affect the authority of the State or a subgrantee to enter into a contract with a private party.

(b) If any other rules for participation of students enrolled in private schools apply under a particular program, they are in the authorizing statute or implementing regulations for that program.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3 and 3474)
34 CFR §76.700 Compliance with statutes, regulations, State plan, and applications.
A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the State plan and applicable statutes, regulations, and approved applications, and shall use Federal funds in accordance with those statutes, regulations, plan, and applications.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))
34 CFR §76.701 The State or subgrantee administers or supervises each project.
A State or a subgrantee shall directly administer or supervise the administration of each project.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))
34 CFR §76.702 Fiscal control and fund accounting procedures.
A State and a subgrantee shall use fiscal control and fund accounting procedures that insure proper disbursement of and accounting for Federal funds.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))
34 CFR §76.709 Funds may be obligated during a “carryover period.”

(a) If a State or a subgrantee does not obligate all of its grant or subgrant funds by the end of the fiscal year for which Congress appropriated the funds, it may obligate the remaining funds during a carryover period of one additional fiscal year.

(b) The State shall return to the Federal Government any carryover funds not obligated by the end of the carryover period by the State and its subgrantees.

(Authority: U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1225(b), and 3474)
34 CFR §76.722 Subgrantee reporting requirements.
A State may require a subgrantee to submit reports in a manner and format that assists the State in complying with the requirements under 34 CFR 76.720 and in carrying out other responsibilities under the program.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1231a, and 3474)
[72 FR 3703, Jan. 25, 2007]
34 CFR §76.730 Records related to grant funds.
A State and a subgrantee shall keep records that fully show:

(a) The amount of funds under the grant or subgrant;

(b) How the State or subgrantee uses the funds;

(c) The total cost of the project;

(d) The share of that cost provided from other sources; and

(e) Other records to facilitate an effective audit.

(Approved by the Office of Management and Budget under control number 1880-0513)

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1232f)
34 CFR §76.731 Records related to compliance.
A State and a subgrantee shall keep records to show its compliance with program requirements.
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))
The Uniform Grant Guidance, 2 CFR §200 all applicable subrecipient requirements, including but not limited to:
2 CFR Subpart D – Post Federal Award Requirements
§200.302 Financial management.
§200.303 Internal controls.
§200.305 Payment.
§200.313 Equipment.
§200.314 Supplies.
§200.318 General procurement standards.
§200.320 Methods of procurement to be followed;
2 CFR 200 Subpart E: Cost Principles:
§200.403 Factors affecting allowability of costs.
§200.404 Reasonable costs.
§200.405 Allocable costs.
§200.413 Direct costs.
§200.415 Required certifications.
§200.430 Compensation—personal services.
The Debarment and Suspension, 34 CFR Part 85, Section 85.510, Participants’ Responsibilities and makes the following
certification by signing this application:
The prospective lower-tier participant certifies, by submission of this proposal, that neither it nor its principals is presently
debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this
transaction by any federal department or agency.
Where the prospective lower-tier participant is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, such prospective
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This certification is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was made or
entered into. Submission of this certification is a prerequisite for making or entering into this transaction imposed by Section
1352, Title 31, U.S. Code. Any person who fails to file the required certification shall be subject to a civil penalty of not less than
$10,000 for such failure.

Section II. Specific Elementary and Secondary School
Emergency Relief (ESSER) Grant Assurances

The LEA assures that funds shall only be used for any of the following:
• Any activity authorized by the ESEA of 1965, including the Native Hawaiian Education Act and the Alaska Native Educational
  Equity, Support, and Assistance Act (20 U.S.C. 6301 et seq.), the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. 1400 et
  seq.) (“IDEA”), the Adult Education and Family Literacy Act (20 U.S.C. 1400 et seq.), the Carl D. Perkins Career and Technical
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Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA shall comply with all applicable requirements of the Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) authorized by the Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act, 2021 (CRRSAA), including:

CONTINUED PAYMENT TO EMPLOYEES
SEC. 18006. A local educational agency, State, institution of higher education, or other entity that receives funds under “Education Stabilization Fund”, shall to the greatest extent practicable, continue to pay its employees and contractors during the period of any disruptions or closures related to coronavirus.

**Certification**

To the best of my knowledge and belief, all the information and data in this agreement are true and correct. I acknowledge and agree that the failure to comply with all Assurances and Certifications in this Agreement, all relevant provisions and requirements of the CARES Act, Pub. L. No. 116-136 (March 27, 2020), or any other applicable law or regulation may result in liability under the False Claims Act, 31 U.S.C. § 3729, et seq.; OMB Guidelines to Agencies on Governmentwide Debarment and Suspension (Nonprocurement) in 2 CFR part 180, as adopted and amended as regulations of the Department in 2 CFR part 3485; and 18 USC § 1001, as appropriate.

Electronic Signature  |  Joel R Lovesee
Date  |  04/29/2021
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We have been fortunate in that we have not had to transition to remote learning for the 2020-21 school year, thus our data collection has not changed. The elementary and middle schools continue to utilize the MTSS process in which we benchmark assess in the area of reading and math. The MTSS time has also been used for social emotional needs in some cases. The benchmark assessment results have shown that students started the 2020-21 school year lower than the normal, but the winter benchmark scores showed good growth to where many students are back to grade equivalency. There has been an increase in student attendance data as well. This shows that parents and students are comfortable with the supports provided by the school district in the time of the pandemic.

We have purchased Chromebooks and iPads to allow one-to-one technology. This allows our students to stay connected when quarantined. We have discovered that some families (3%) did not have internet access. In cooperation with our local internet provider (Nex-tech) we were able to connect all families that wanted it.

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The ESSER I funds were used to help purchase enough Chromebooks and iPads for each of the K – 12 students. In addition, we were able to use SPARK funds from our two counties to help offset the costs of server upgrades, PPE, cleaning supplies and equipment, classroom dividers, and other items to ensure the safety of our students and staff.
There are continuing costs to replace those items used as the pandemic continues. One such cost is to bring on a technology coordinator to help with the everyday problems with technology. We have had an individual on an eight hour per week basis for a couple of years ... but with the new devices, the demand for someone in district every day is a must. This purchase will aid in regular and substantive educational interaction between students and their classroom instructors. Secondly, there is a need to increase the connectivity with parents and the community.

The website we currently use is not compatible with cell phones and is so cumbersome, only about 2-3 people use it for posting. We plan to use some of the ESSER II funds to purchase a new website and app (Apptegy) to help connect with our families and the community. In addition we will upgrade our existing Fund Accounting system to AptaFund. This will allow staff more freedom in looking at their personal information and will allow remote accounting by the Board Clerk and Treasurer. Because the offices are often a gathering point for staff and families, both of these improvements will reduce risk of virus transmission and exposure to environmental health hazards.

How will the district determine the impact of its ESSER II direct district allocation expenditures (and additional per-student allocation, if applicable) on students?

The impact of these expenditures will be seen by the increased productivity of students. Student absences will also be reduced since they will be able to be connected and in attendance, even if they are quarantined at home. The technology coordinator on site will be able to handle issues as they arise to enable the staff and students stay connected at all times. Each year we do a survey of the students, staff, and community to determine how well we are communicating and how easy it is for them to communicate with us. These responses have been improving slowly over the past four years, but the reality is that our current system, is too cumbersome to use with modern cell phones. We will be able to use this survey to determine the effectiveness of AptaFund and Apptegy.

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Kenneth A. Tharman
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| 1003 W Kingman

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Yes

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Planning and implementing activities related to summer learning and supplemental afterschool programs, including providing classroom instruction or online learning during the summer months and addressing the needs of low income students, students with disabilities, English learners, migrant students, students experiencing homelessness, and children in foster care.

Addressing learning loss among students, including low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and children and youth in foster care, of the local educational agency, including by—(A) Administering and using high-quality assessments that are valid and reliable, to accurately assess students’ academic progress and assist educators in meeting students’ academic needs, including through differentiating instruction. (B) Implementing evidence-based activities to meet the comprehensive needs of students. (C) Providing information and assistance to parents and families on how they can effectively support students, including in a distance learning environment. (D) Tracking student attendance and improving student engagement in distance education.

School facility repairs and improvements to enable operation of schools to reduce risk of virus transmission and exposure to environmental health hazards, and to support student health needs.

Inspection, testing, maintenance, repair, replacement, and upgrade projects to improve the indoor air quality in school facilities, including mechanical and non-mechanical heating, ventilation, and air conditioning systems, filtering, purification and other air cleaning, fans, control systems, and window and door repair and replacement.

Other activities that are necessary to maintain the operation of and continuity of services in local educational agencies and continuing to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.

Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA shall comply with all applicable requirements of the Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) authorized by the Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act, 2021 (CRRSAA), including:

CONTINUED PAYMENT TO EMPLOYEES

SEC. 18006. A local educational agency, State, institution of higher education, or other entity that receives funds under “Education Stabilization Fund”, shall to the greatest extent practicable, continue to pay its employees and contractors during the period of any disruptions or closures related to coronavirus.
Certification

To the best of my knowledge and belief, all the information and data in this agreement are true and correct. I acknowledge and agree that the failure to comply with all Assurances and Certifications in this Agreement, all relevant provisions and requirements of the CARES Act, Pub. L. No. 116-136 (March 27, 2020), or any other applicable law or regulation may result in liability under the False Claims Act, 31 U.S.C. § 3729, et seq.; OMB Guidelines to Agencies on Governmentwide Debarment and Suspension (Nonprocurement) in 2 CFR part 180, as adopted and amended as regulations of the Department in 2 CFR part 3485; and 18 USC § 1001, as appropriate.

Electronic Signature │ Martin Stessman

Date │ 04/26/2021

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<td>Laptops for students in grades 9-12 for 1:1 to close the technology gap exposed by covid. (42% of students have no tech beyond a cell phone in the home)</td>
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<td>Upgrade the Out of date Honeywell EBI R430 System Software to EBI R600 Software to recirculate air more rapidly and increase air quality in high school.</td>
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<td>Upgrade outdated Honeywell XL500 DDC System to a Honeywell Comfort Point Open (CPO) control units to improve air circulation in the high school building.</td>
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<td>Fast ForWord ELL curriculum for K12 ELL students who were adversely impacted by COVID learning loss.</td>
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<td>Bilingual Paraprofessional to work with ELL Students under supervision of ELL teacher/Coordinator to provide services for ELL students adversely impacted by Covid Loss.</td>
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<td>Pathways to reading training for all grade school teachers and student support tutors.</td>
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Applicant details

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Select an Applicant Type | Unified School District
Applicant / Entity Name | USD 242 Weskan Schools
Applicant / Mailing Address
219 Coyote Blvd.
Weskan, KS 67762
Applicant / First and Last Name of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director | Amy Rother
Applicant / Email Address of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director | arother@weskanschools.org
Applicant / Phone Number | 785-943-5222

All questions in the section below are optional, and offer an opportunity to upload or enter information that is typically asked for on grant opportunities.

(for EANS and ESSER grant applications - please skip the questions below, and scroll to the bottom to complete your User Profile information.)

Application details

Full District Name | Weskan Schools
District Number | 242
COVID-19 had a dramatic impact on student learning. Our focus on ESSER I moneys was to buy supplies for remote learning and then to provide supplies to create a safe environment for our students to return to. Our focus for ESSER II moneys will be to focus on literacy and learning loss. The 2019-20 school year was disrupted from March-May when we had to move to remote learning. Some of our families had little or no internet service. We were able to come back in August 2020, but we had to close down for two weeks in November, due to a COVID outbreak in our school. We had teachers teaching kids in the classroom, in our on-site quarantine room, and at home with remote learning all at once. Student learning loss won’t be fully known for years, but we already saw a decrease in local reading data (see ESSER II info), as well as some students with known mental health issues are now having even more mental health issues. Everyone has suffered with dealing with loss this year--loss of routine, loss of income, loss of family members, loss of in-school structure, loss of normal dances and activities. We did our best to provide supports for our students with disabilities during the remote learning, but some kids just need in-person, hands-on, one-on-one supports that you just can’t effectively provide when you aren’t physically together.

Does the district have remaining ESSER I funding that it has not yet spent as of the date of ESSER II application submission?  
Yes

Please summarize how the district will use its remaining ESSER I and ESSER I SPED funding and what it hopes to accomplish with these funds.

We will only have around $500 left in our ESSER 1 funds that we have not yet allotted. We will continue to use it for current COVID expenses, such as additional cleaning supplies or to help pay for more summer school or COVID related classroom expenses.

Please review the following allowable uses of ESSER II funds before completing the narrative and Excel template portion of the application.

Coordination of preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies with State, local, Tribal, and territorial public health departments, and other relevant agencies, to improve coordinated responses among such entities to prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus.

Providing principals and others school leaders with the resources necessary to address the needs of their individual schools.

Activities to address the unique needs of low-income children or students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and foster care youth, including how outreach and service delivery will meet the needs of each population.

Developing and implementing procedures and systems to improve the preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies.

Training and professional development for staff of the local educational agency on sanitation and minimizing the spread of infectious diseases.

Purchasing supplies to sanitize and clean the facilities of a local educational agency, including buildings operated by such agency.

Planning for, coordinating, and implementing activities during long-term closures, including providing meals to eligible students, providing technology for online learning to all students, providing guidance for carrying out requirements under the IDEA and ensuring other educational services can continue to be provided consistent with all Federal, State, and local requirements.

Purchasing educational technology (including hardware, software, and connectivity) for students who are served by the local educational agency that aids in regular and substantive educational interaction between students and their classroom instructors, including low-income students and children with disabilities, which may include assistive technology or adaptive equipment.

Providing mental health services and supports.

Planning and implementing activities related to summer learning and supplemental afterschool programs, including providing classroom instruction or online learning during the summer months and addressing the needs of low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, migrant students, students experiencing homelessness, and children in foster care.

Addressing learning loss among students, including low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and children and youth in foster care, of the local educational agency, including by— (A) Administering and using high-quality assessments that are valid and reliable, to accurately assess students’ academic progress and assist educators in meeting students’ academic needs, including through differentiating instruction. (B) Implementing evidence-based activities to meet the comprehensive needs of students. (C) Providing information and assistance to parents and families on how they can effectively support students, including in a distance learning environment. (D) Tracking student attendance and improving student engagement in distance education.

School facility repairs and improvements to enable operation of schools to reduce risk of virus transmission and exposure to environmental health hazards, and to support student health needs.

Inspection, testing, maintenance, repair, replacement, and upgrade projects to improve the indoor air quality in school facilities, including mechanical and non-mechanical heating, ventilation, and air conditioning systems, filtering, purification and other air cleaning, fans, control systems, and window and door repair and replacement.

Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities.

Other activities that are necessary to maintain the operation of and continuity of services in local educational agencies and continuing to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.

Please note: "Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities," identified as an allowable use under ESSER III in the American Rescue Plan, is also permissible under ESSER II.

Plan for ESSER II Direct District Allocation and KSDE Per-Student Additional Allocation (If Applicable)
Please summarize how the district proposes using its ESSER II direct district allocation (and its KSDE per-student additional allocation, if applicable) to address incremental COVID-19 needs.

COVID-19 had a dramatic impact on student learning. Our focus on ESSER I moneys was to buy supplies for remote learning and then to provide supplies to create a safe environment for our students to return to. Our focus for ESSER II moneys will be to focus on literacy and learning loss. Overall, we had 15% of our students drop from at-grade level on STAR Reading before the pandemic, to below-grade level, using STAR Reading data. This is a pretty significant decline, and we are working to help those students catch back up by using ESSER II funds for literacy curriculum and summer tutoring. This money will all be spent in 2021, as we want to get our kids help now instead of waiting three years. We plan to purchase K-5 and a 6-12 reading curriculums that are evidence and research-based. We feel getting our teachers quality instructional materials will help us bring up those reading scores the fastest. We also would like to provide summer tutoring for K-12. We will provide 1-1 or small group tutoring for the kids who are below grade level in K-6. In JH/HS, we will provide a teacher to reteach content for credit recovery for any students that failed a class due to time missed due to COVID sickness or quarantines or due to issues with successfully learning using remote methods.

How will the district determine the impact of its ESSER II direct district allocation expenditures (and additional per-student allocation, if applicable) on students?

We have no per-student allocation. We will be able to determine the impact of our expenditures by seeing growth in our STAR Reading data, growth in our state assessments, and reduction in the numbers of students that need tier 3 supports.

**Notes on ESSER II application Excel template:**

- Plans and budgets should be submitted for at least a 12 month period but do not need to account for the full duration of the program or the full allocation amount. Funds will remain accessible to the LEA until September 30, 2023 and there will be additional opportunities to submit further requests/plans in the future.
- Following ESSER II application approval and initiation of funds draw down, districts will be required to report to the Commissioner's Task Force on ESSER II expenditures and impact on a monthly basis throughout the program. This ESSER II reporting will be required as a part of regular ESSER program reporting, which will capture past expenditures across funding streams (ESSER I, ESSER I SPED, ESSER II, ESSER II SPED, ESSER II KSDE Per Student Allocation). Districts may be asked to provide expenditures by fund, function, object, account, and ESSER II allowable use as part of ongoing ESSER reporting.
- This reporting will not replace any reporting required by the federal government. KSDE will work to maximize compatibility between its reporting requirements and those of the federal government as much as possible to minimize burden on districts.

Please download and complete the ESSER II application template [here](#) to provide details on ESSER II budgeted expenditures across allowable uses and KSDE accounting codes.

**Local Education Agency (LEA) Assurances**

**Section I. General Grant Assurances for Federal Funds**

Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA will comply with all requirements of:

The LEA will make a good faith effort, on a continuing basis, to maintain a drug-free workplace, in accordance with the measures in 34 CFR Part 84, Subpart B and the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988;

The Education Department General Administrative Regulations (EDGAR) 34 CFR 76 requirements, including:
34 CFR §76.500(a) Federal statutes and regulations on nondiscrimination.
(a) A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the following statutes and regulations:
- Discrimination on the basis of age | The Age Discrimination Act (42 U.S.C. 6101 et seq.) | 34 CFR part 110.
(b) A State or subgrantee that is a covered entity as defined in §108.3 of this title shall comply with the nondiscrimination requirements of the Boy Scouts of America Equal Access Act, 20 U.S.C. 7905, 34 CFR part 108.
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.650 Private schools; purpose of §§76.651-76.662.
(a) Under some programs, the authorizing statute requires that a State and its subgrantees provide for participation by students enrolled in private schools. Sections 76.651-76.662 apply to those programs and provide rules for that participation. These sections do not affect the authority of the State or a subgrantee to enter into a contract with a private party.
(b) If any other rules for participation of students enrolled in private schools apply under a particular program, they are in the authorizing statute or implementing regulations for that program.
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3 and 3474)

34 CFR §76.700 Compliance with statutes, regulations, State plan, and applications.
A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the State plan and applicable statutes, regulations, and approved applications, and shall use Federal funds in accordance with those statutes, regulations, plan, and applications.
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.701 The State or subgrantee administers or supervises each project.
A State or a subgrantee shall directly administer or supervise the administration of each project.
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Certification

To the best of my knowledge and belief, all the information and data in this agreement are true and correct. I acknowledge and agree that the failure to comply with all Assurances and Certifications in this Agreement, all relevant provisions and requirements of the CARES Act, Pub. L. No. 116-136 (March 27, 2020), or any other applicable law or regulation may result in liability under the False Claims Act, 31 U.S.C. § 3729, et seq.; OMB Guidelines to Agencies on Governmentwide Debarment and Suspension (Nonprocurement) in 2 CFR part 180, as adopted and amended as regulations of the Department in 2 CFR part 3485; and 18 USC § 1001, as appropriate.

Electronic Signature | Amy Rother

Date | 04/29/2021
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Applicant details

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Select an Applicant Type  |  Unified School District

Applicant / Entity Name  |  Northeast USD 246

Applicant / Mailing Address

Northeast USD 246  
1001 E. South Street - P.O. Box 669  
Arma, KS 66712

Applicant / First and Last Name of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director  |  Tiany Forester

Applicant / Email Address of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director  |  tforester@usd246.org

Applicant / Phone Number  |  620-347-4116

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Applicant / Federal EIN (if applicable)  |  48-0724473

Application details

Full District Name  |  Northeast USD 246
Would you like additional district representatives to the application? No

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The impact on our district has primarily been two-fold. Our first concern was for the physical health of our students. We knew we needed to invest in new cleaning equipment, as well as personnel, to keep the building sanitized. We also purchased PPE for our staff and students.

We knew we had to get our students recovered from missing the last nine weeks and believe our decision to have class on a daily basis helped with getting our students caught up. We had very few students do remote learning. We also purchased educational technology that would benefit our students to get them to the appropriate grade level. We also provided after-school sessions for students that were struggling. We already provide Chromebooks for each of our students.

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Plan for ESSER II Direct District Allocation and KSDE Per-Student Additional Allocation (If Applicable)

Please summarize how the district proposes using its ESSER II direct district allocation (and its KSDE per-student additional allocation, if applicable) to address incremental COVID-19 needs.

- We have a concern for the physical well-being of our students. We have no school nurse in our district and would like to employ a school nurse with the funds.
- We will use funds to continue to purchase PPE for our staff and students as well as better equipment to keep our buildings sanitized.
- Our fourth-grade class has grown this year due to students transferring in. We will be adding a section next year which means we will be adding a 5th grade teacher to keep the class sizes small.
- We also plan to add a para for the students in Junior High School that receive Title Services.
- We will have summer school for the first time at our high school. We will employ teachers for this session concentrating on credit recovery and the students that have fallen behind.
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How will the district determine the impact of its ESSER II direct district allocation expenditures (and additional per-student allocation, if applicable) on students?

ESSER II funds will positively impact the district by allowing us to continue the fight against this pandemic without using our district funding.

- We would not be able to afford many if not all of the expenses if we had to use the general fund and other district funds.
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Notes on ESSER II application Excel template:

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Please download and complete the ESSER II application template here to provide details on ESSER II budgeted expenditures across allowable uses and KSDE accounting codes.

246 Northeast_ESSER II Pl... (149 KiB download)

Local Education Agency (LEA) Assurances

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(Approved by the Office of Management and Budget under control number 1880-0513)

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- Other activities that are necessary to maintain the operation of and continuity of services in local educational agencies and continuing to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.
Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA shall comply with all applicable requirements of the Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) authorized by the Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act, 2021 (CRRSAA), including:

CONTINUED PAYMENT TO EMPLOYEES

SEC. 18006. A local educational agency, State, institution of higher education, or other entity that receives funds under "Education Stabilization Fund", shall to the greatest extent practicable, continue to pay its employees and contractors during the period of any disruptions or closures related to coronavirus.

Certification

To the best of my knowledge and belief, all the information and data in this agreement are true and correct. I acknowledge and agree that the failure to comply with all Assurances and Certifications in this Agreement, all relevant provisions and requirements of the CARES Act, Pub. L. No. 116-136 (March 27, 2020), or any other applicable law or regulation may result in liability under the False Claims Act, 31 U.S.C. § 3729, et seq.; OMB Guidelines to Agencies on Governmentwide Debarment and Suspension (Nonprocurement) in 2 CFR part 180, as adopted and amended as regulations of the Department in 2 CFR part 3485; and 18 USC § 1001, as appropriate.

Electronic Signature          Tiffany Forester
Date                          04/27/2021

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<td>Greenbush Administrative Services for 2021-2022. Offers leadership support and professional learning services.</td>
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<td>8. Planning for and coordinating during long-term closures, including on how to provide meals, technology for online learning, guidance for carrying out IDEA requirements, and providing educational services consistent with applicable requirements</td>
<td>Student Enrichment Services for 2021-2022 which includes programs from The Science Center that are an interactive learning experience provided to the students either virtually or through on-site programs.</td>
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<td>9. Purchasing educational technology (including hardware, software, and connectivity) for the LEA's students</td>
<td>Microphones for Teachers for when the students are more spread out throughout the class they can easily hear the teacher, or for when the teacher has to Remote Teach so that the students on the other end can hear the teacher loud and clear.</td>
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Allowable to a) reimburse the district for prior remote learning expenses b) incur new expenses related to actual current/perpetual remote learning circumstances, and/or c) to budget for potential future remote learning expenses. Please note that expenses should not be incurred to purchase property to hold in the unlikely event of potential future remote learning needs.
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<td>Extended Learning and After School Tutoring opportunities will be provided to all students to make up any learning loss that they may incur.</td>
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<td>Purchase of ESGI which is an assessment tracker to determine learning loss among the students.</td>
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<td>Purchase of Generation Genius a program that provides online Science videos, lessons, and activities to help provide additional material to those students affected by learning loss.</td>
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<td>Hiring a school nurse for the district will better allow the district to determine the needs/sickness of a child and take the appropriate steps in sending a child home or back to class.</td>
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<td>Substitutes will be paid when teachers are out due to quarantine guidelines.</td>
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<td>Replace/Upgrade HVAC Systems as needed during the next two years</td>
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<td>Summer school will be offered at the high school for the first time to help those students who have fallen behind.</td>
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Applicant details

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Select an Applicant Type | Unified School District

Applicant / Entity Name | USD 249 Frontenac Schools

Applicant / Mailing Address

rsimoncic@frontenac249.org

Applicant / First and Last Name of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director | Rick Simoncic

Applicant / Email Address of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director | rsimoncic@frontenac249.org

Applicant / Phone Number | 620-231-7551

All questions in the section below are optional, and offer an opportunity to upload or enter information that is typically asked for on grant opportunities.

(for EANS and ESSER grant applications - please skip the questions below, and scroll to the bottom to complete your User Profile information.)

Application details

Full District Name | Frontenac

District Number | 249

Mailing Address | 208 S Cayuga
Please briefly describe the impacts of COVID-19 on the district and its Pre-K through 12 students, including any relevant data where possible (e.g., cost impact, learning loss, emotional impact on students). If there has been a disproportionate impact on a special population in the district (e.g., students with disabilities, English Learners, students in foster care, students in poverty, etc.), please describe the impact and provide the number of Pre-K through 12 students in that population.

All of our students have been impacted by Covid-19. Some of our students have shown learning loss while other students have shown learning gains throughout the 2020-21 school year. The students who have been affected the most are students with disabilities, students in poverty, and English language learners. Our social emotional data have indicated that many of our students have struggled with the effects of the pandemic. This would amount to about fifty percent of our student population. Our math and English data shows a decline in our ACT data while science, stem, reading, writing, and ELA data shows a slight increase. Our elementary data shows a decline in math over the course of this school year. We will implement programs to address learning loss.

Our district has spent money to ensure social distancing could be achieved throughout the school campus for things like plexiglass dividers, additional student desks to replace collaborative learning environments, and personal protective equipment.

We are more fortunate than many school districts because we were able to have in-person learning during the 2020-2021 school year. I believe this allowed our district to address many students’ deficits. We are planning to begin addressing learning loss beginning this summer.

Does the district have remaining ESSER I funding that it has not yet spent as of the date of ESSER II application submission? | Yes

Please summarize how the district will use its remaining ESSER I and ESSER I SPED funding and what it hopes to accomplish with these funds.

We are providing an additional school bus route to ensure our students can continue to social distance on school buses. The remaining funds will be used to pay for the bus drivers salary. Our district continues to purchase supplies and sanitation equipment to ensure our students and staff are as safe as possible throughout this pandemic.
Please review the following allowable uses of ESSER II funds before completing the narrative and Excel template portion of the application.

- Coordination of preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies with State, local, Tribal, and territorial public health departments, and other relevant agencies, to improve coordinated responses among such entities to prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus.
- Providing principals and others school leaders with the resources necessary to address the needs of their individual schools.
- Activities to address the unique needs of low-income children or students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and foster care youth, including how outreach and service delivery will meet the needs of each population.
- Developing and implementing procedures and systems to improve the preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies.
- Training and professional development for staff of the local educational agency on sanitation and minimizing the spread of infectious diseases.
- Purchasing supplies to sanitize and clean the facilities of a local educational agency, including buildings operated by such agency.
- Planning for, coordinating, and implementing activities during long-term closures, including providing meals to eligible students, providing technology for online learning to all students, providing guidance for carrying out requirements under the IDEA and ensuring other educational services can continue to be provided consistent with all Federal, State, and local requirements.
- Purchasing educational technology (including hardware, software, and connectivity) for students who are served by the local educational agency that aids in regular and substantive educational interaction between students and their classroom instructors, including low-income students and children with disabilities, which may include assistive technology or adaptive equipment.
- Providing mental health services and supports.
- Planning and implementing activities related to summer learning and supplemental afterschool programs, including providing classroom instruction or online learning during the summer months and addressing the needs of low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, migrant students, students experiencing homelessness, and children in foster care.
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- Inspection, testing, maintenance, repair, replacement, and upgrade projects to improve the indoor air quality in school facilities, including mechanical and non-mechanical heating, ventilation, and air conditioning systems, filtering, purification and other air cleaning, fans, control systems, and window and door repair and replacement.
- Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities.
- Other activities that are necessary to maintain the operation of and continuity of services in local educational agencies and continuing to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.

Please note: "Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities," identified as an allowable use under ESSER III in the American Rescue Plan, is also permissible under ESSER II.
Plan for ESSER II Direct District Allocation and KSDE Per-Student Additional Allocation (If Applicable)

Please summarize how the district proposes using its ESSER II direct district allocation (and its KSDE per-student additional allocation, if applicable) to address incremental COVID-19 needs.

Our district has hired additional staff to address our pandemic needs from the pandemic. We made a part time custodian full time to address the additional time required to set up and take down additional cafeteria tables and plexiglass partitions to promote social distancing in our gymnasium for lunch. We hired an English language aide to address learning loss with our ELL students. The board just approved the district to hire a MTSS teacher for next year to help low achieving students in the junior high/high school that don't qualify for special education services.

We plan to purchase social emotional curriculum, student improvement services and student enrichment services through Greenbush. The district will enhance our before and after school programs for students needing additional classroom support.

We are purchasing iWave air purifiers and Merv 13 air filters to provide better air quality in all our classrooms.

How will the district determine the impact of its ESSER II direct district allocation expenditures (and additional per-student allocation, if applicable) on students?

Assessment data will reflect student improvement over the course of ESSER funding period, so the district can track student improvement. Our goal is for all students to be at grade level or better. Hopefully, we can improve attendance by improving the air quality with merv 13 air filters and iwave air purifiers. The district hopes this will reduce the number of students that get sick. This will be tracked with daily attendance.

Notes on ESSER II application Excel template:

- Plans and budgets should be submitted for at least a 12 month period but do not need to account for the full duration of the program or the full allocation amount. Funds will remain accessible to the LEA until September 30, 2023 and there will be additional opportunities to submit further requests/plans in the future.
- Following ESSER II application approval and initiation of funds draw down, districts will be required to report to the Commissioner's Task Force on ESSER II expenditures and impact on a monthly basis throughout the program. This ESSER II reporting will be required as a part of regular ESSER program reporting, which will capture past expenditures across funding streams (ESSER I, ESSER I SPED, ESSER II, ESSER II SPED, ESSER II KSDE Per Student Allocation). Districts may be asked to provide expenditures by fund, function, object, account, and ESSER II allowable use as part of ongoing ESSER reporting.
- This reporting will not replace any reporting required by the federal government. KSDE will work to maximize compatibility between its reporting requirements and those of the federal government as much as possible to minimize burden on districts.

Please download and complete the ESSER II application template here to provide details on ESSER II budgeted expenditures across allowable uses and KSDE accounting codes.

Local Education Agency (LEA) Assurances

Section I. General Grant Assurances for Federal Funds

Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA will comply with all requirements of:
The LEA will make a good faith effort, on a continuing basis, to maintain a drug-free workplace, in accordance with the measures in 34 CFR Part 84, Subpart B and the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988; The Education Department General Administrative Regulations (EDGAR) 34 CFR 76 requirements, including:

34 CFR §76.500(a) Federal statutes and regulations on nondiscrimination.

(a) A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the following statutes and regulations:

- Discrimination on the basis of age | The Age Discrimination Act (42 U.S.C. 6101 et seq.) | 34 CFR part 110.

(b) A State or subgrantee that is a covered entity as defined in §108.3 of this title shall comply with the nondiscrimination requirements of the Boy Scouts of America Equal Access Act, 20 U.S.C. 7905, 34 CFR part 108.


34 CFR §76.650 Private schools; purpose of §§76.651-76.662.

(a) Under some programs, the authorizing statute requires that a State and its subgrantees provide for participation by students enrolled in private schools. Sections 76.651-76.662 apply to those programs and provide rules for that participation. These sections do not affect the authority of the State or a subgrantee to enter into a contract with a private party.

(b) If any other rules for participation of students enrolled in private schools apply under a particular program, they are in the authorizing statute or implementing regulations for that program.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3 and 3474)

34 CFR §76.700 Compliance with statutes, regulations, State plan, and applications.

A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the State plan and applicable statutes, regulations, and approved applications, and shall use Federal funds in accordance with those statutes, regulations, plan, and applications.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.701 The State or subgrantee administers or supervises each project.

A State or a subgrantee shall directly administer or supervise the administration of each project.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.702 Fiscal control and fund accounting procedures.

A State and a subgrantee shall use fiscal control and fund accounting procedures that insure proper disbursement of and accounting for Federal funds.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.709 Funds may be obligated during a “carryover period.”

(a) If a State or a subgrantee does not obligate all of its grant or subgrant funds by the end of the fiscal year for which Congress appropriated the funds, it may obligate the remaining funds during a carryover period of one additional fiscal year.

(b) The State shall return to the Federal Government any carryover funds not obligated by the end of the carryover period by the State and its subgrantees.

(Authority: U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1225(b), and 3474)


34 CFR §76.722 Subgrantee reporting requirements.

A State may require a subgrantee to submit reports in a manner and format that assists the State in complying with the requirements under 34 CFR 76.720 and in carrying out other responsibilities under the program.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1231a, and 3474)

[72 FR 3703, Jan. 25, 2007]

34 CFR §76.730 Records related to grant funds.

A State and a subgrantee shall keep records that fully show:

(a) The amount of funds under the grant or subgrant;
(b) How the State or subgrantee uses the funds;
(c) The total cost of the project;
(d) The share of that cost provided from other sources; and
Section II. Specific Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) Grant Assurances

The LEA assures that funds shall only be used for any of the following:

- Coordination of preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies with State, local, Tribal, and territorial public health departments, and other relevant agencies, to improve coordinated responses among such entities to prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus.
- Providing principals and others school leaders with the resources necessary to address the needs of their individual schools.
- Activities to address the unique needs of low-income children or students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and foster care youth, including how outreach and service delivery will meet the needs of each population.
• Developing and implementing procedures and systems to improve the preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies.
• Training and professional development for staff of the local educational agency on sanitation and minimizing the spread of infectious diseases.
• Purchasing supplies to sanitize and clean the facilities of a local educational agency, including buildings operated by such agency.
• Planning for and coordinating during long-term closures, including for how to provide meals to eligible students, how to provide technology for online learning to all students, how to provide guidance for carrying out requirements under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. 1401 et seq.) and how to ensure other educational services can continue to be provided consistent with all Federal, State, and local requirements.
• Purchasing educational technology (including hardware, software, and connectivity) for students who are served by the local educational agency that aids in regular and substantive educational interaction between students and their classroom instructors, including low-income students and students with disabilities, which may include assistive technology or adaptive equipment.
• Providing mental health services and supports.
• Planning and implementing activities related to summer learning and supplemental afterschool programs, including providing classroom instruction or online learning during the summer months and addressing the needs of low income students, students with disabilities, English learners, migrant students, students experiencing homelessness, and children in foster care.
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• School facility repairs and improvements to enable operation of schools to reduce risk of virus transmission and exposure to environmental health hazards, and to support student health needs.
• Inspection, testing, maintenance, repair, replacement, and upgrade projects to improve the indoor air quality in school facilities, including mechanical and non-mechanical heating, ventilation, and air conditioning systems, filtering, purification and other air cleaning, fans, control systems, and window and door repair and replacement.
• Other activities that are necessary to maintain the operation of and continuity of services in local educational agencies and continuing to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.

Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA shall comply with all applicable requirements of the Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) authorized by the Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act, 2021 (CRRSAA), including:
CONTINUED PAYMENT TO EMPLOYEES
SEC. 18006. A local educational agency, State, institution of higher education, or other entity that receives funds under “Education Stabilization Fund”, shall to the greatest extent practicable, continue to pay its employees and contractors during the period of any disruptions or closures related to coronavirus.

Certification
To the best of my knowledge and belief, all the information and data in this agreement are true and correct. I acknowledge and agree that the failure to comply with all Assurances and Certifications in this Agreement, all relevant provisions and requirements of the CARES Act, Pub. L. No. 116-136 (March 27, 2020), or any other applicable law or regulation may result in liability under the False Claims Act, 31 U.S.C. § 3729, et seq.; OMB Guidelines to Agencies on Governmentwide Debarment and Suspension (Nonprocurement) in 2 CFR part 180, as adopted and amended as regulations of the Department in 2 CFR part 3485; and 18 USC § 1001, as appropriate.

Electronic Signature  Rick Simoncic
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<td>Sub teachers for classrooms who have teachers remoting in due to COVID quarantines, Remote learning teachers for kids who are on remote due to COVID, Summer School teachers, MTSS teacher for the JH/HS level to help with student learning loss due to COVID.</td>
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<td>Per applicant: FY21: $4000 for Substitute Teacher Salaries for 2nd semester teachers having to remote in due to Covid so they have coverage in the classroom. $24,500 is the long term substitute teachers to allow for the elementary remote students to have a dedicated teacher. FY22: $13,000 Summer School teachers salaries Elem, JH, and HS. $65,000 MTSS Teacher for the JH/HS. Summer school for referred kids: Elementary 3 weeks, 5 days a week, 3 hours a day, 5 teachers, estimated 50 kids; JH 3 weeks, 4 days a week, 3 hours a day, 4 teachers, estimated 40 kids; and HS 3 weeks, 4 days a week, 6 hours a day, 2 teachers, estimated 15 students.</td>
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<td>Teachers pay for after school tutoring programs at all levels to help with student loss from COVID.</td>
<td>$ 32,500</td>
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<td>The district hired a Bilingual Aide to address learning loss for our non-english speaking students.</td>
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| Eligible Direct Allocation | Instruction | Unemployment Compensation | 12. Addressing learning loss among students, including vulnerable populations | Unemployment paid for salaries listed above position | $1,000 | $500 | $500 | $- | $- | 73530
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Eligible Direct Allocation | General Supplies and Materials | 10. Providing mental health services and supports | Software to address the social emotional needs for our students. | $20,320 | $10,160 | $10,160 | $- | $- | 73500
| Eligible Direct Allocation | Operation and Maintenance of Plant Services (All except Transportation) | Regular Non-Certified Salaries | 5. Procedures and systems to improve LEA preparedness and response efforts | Half time custodian added to help with additional cleaning measures to help prevent the spread of COVID. Additional lunchroom time set up and take down of tables and plexiglass partitions. | $27,500 | $13,500 | $14,000 | $- | $- | 73570
| Eligible Direct Allocation | Social Security Contributions | 5. Procedures and systems to improve LEA preparedness and response efforts | Employer fica match for salary of the part time custodian position. | $2,000 | $1,000 | $1,000 | $- | $- | 73580
| Eligible Direct Allocation | Operation and Maintenance of Plant Services (All except Transportation) | Unemployment Compensation | 5. Procedures and systems to improve LEA preparedness and response efforts | Unemployment for the part time custodian position. | $200 | $100 | $100 | $- | $- | 73590
| Eligible Direct Allocation | General Supplies and Materials | 14. Inspection, testing, maintenance, repair, replacement and upgrade projects to improve the indoor air quality in school facilities | Air filters and iWave air purifiers for HVAC units to encourage a healthy environment and to prevent the spread of COVID. | $10,000 | $- | $10,000 | $- | $- | 73600

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<td>7. Purchasing supplies to sanitize and clean LEA and school facilities No touch faucets/flushers &amp; other sanitation supplies to prevent the spread of COVID.</td>
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<td>8. Planning for and coordinating during long-term closures, including on how to provide meals, technology for online learning, guidance for carrying out IDEA requirements, and providing educational services consistent with applicable requirements Greenbush School Improvement Services - support in the areas of curriculum, instruction, assessment, and accreditation. Greenbush Student Enrichment Services - engage students in learning experiences impossible in traditional school settings (science center, ropes course, virtual enrichment labs, student leadership programs, outdoor education, hands-on learning experiences). These programs will help address learning loss due to COVID school closures.</td>
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<td>Pitsco Education Curricular program including STREAM Missions. STEM/Coding curriculum. Curriculum that creates learning opportunities that build the collaboration and problem-solving skills needed for a lifetime of learning and working, enables students to make connections among the four areas of STEM learning. Utilizing this curriculum in Elementary Summer School and in school year 2021-22.</td>
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<td>Summer camp enrichment experience at Greenbush Abernathy Science Center for elementary summer school.</td>
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Select an Applicant Type
| Unified School District

Applicant / Entity Name
| USD 258 Humboldt

Applicant / Mailing Address
| 801 New York

Applicant / First and Last Name of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director
| Kay Lewis

Applicant / Email Address of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director
| kylewiss@usd258.net

Applicant / Phone Number
| 6204733121

All questions in the section below are optional, and offer an opportunity to upload or enter information that is typically asked for on grant opportunities.

(for EANS and ESSER grant applications - please skip the questions below, and scroll to the bottom to complete your User Profile information.)

Application details

Full District Name
| Unified School District Humboldt

District Number
| 258

Mailing Address | Street Address
| 801 New York St.
The district K-12 students have been impacted by COVID this year. Even though we were in person and we also had some remote learners at the same time we had some learning loss from March 2020 until now. After viewing our Fastbridge data our district was 51% at risk overall. By viewing our sub group population we see that our special education and free and reduced students had the most impact of student learning loss. Overall our students social emotional health suffered as well. We had 48% fall in the at-risk category of the SABRS Assessment.

Does the district have remaining ESSER I funding that it has not yet spent as of the date of ESSER II application submission?

Yes

Please summarize how the district will use its remaining ESSER I and ESSER I SPED funding and what it hopes to accomplish with these funds.

The remaining ESSER money will be spent on part time custodians that were hired and a part time cook. The ESSER I SPED funding has already been spent.

Please review the following allowable uses of ESSER II funds before completing the narrative and Excel template portion of the application.


- Coordination of preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies with State, local, Tribal, and territorial public health departments, and other relevant agencies, to improve coordinated responses among such entities to prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus.
- Providing principals and others school leaders with the resources necessary to address the needs of their individual schools.
- Activities to address the unique needs of low-income children or students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and foster care youth, including how outreach and service delivery will meet the needs of each population.
- Developing and implementing procedures and systems to improve the preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies.
- Training and professional development for staff of the local educational agency on sanitation and minimizing the spread of infectious diseases.
- Purchasing supplies to sanitize and clean the facilities of a local educational agency, including buildings operated by such agency.
- Planning for, coordinating, and implementing activities during long-term closures, including providing meals to eligible students, providing technology for online learning to all students, providing guidance for carrying out requirements under the IDEA and ensuring other educational services can continue to be provided consistent with all Federal, State, and local requirements.
- Purchasing educational technology (including hardware, software, and connectivity) for students who are served by the local educational agency that aids in regular and substantive educational interaction between students and their classroom instructors, including low-income students and children with disabilities, which may include assistive technology or adaptive equipment.
- Providing mental health services and supports.
- Planning and implementing activities related to summer learning and supplemental afterschool programs, including providing classroom instruction or online learning during the summer months and addressing the needs of low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, migrant students, students experiencing homelessness, and children in foster care.
- Addressing learning loss among students, including low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and children and youth in foster care, of the local educational agency, including by—(A) Administering and using high-quality assessments that are valid and reliable, to accurately assess students’ academic progress and assist educators in meeting students’ academic needs, including through differentiating instruction. (B) Implementing evidence-based activities to meet the comprehensive needs of students. (C) Providing information and assistance to parents and families on how they can effectively support students, including in a distance learning environment. (D) Tracking student attendance and improving student engagement in distance education.
- School facility repairs and improvements to enable operation of schools to reduce risk of virus transmission and exposure to environmental health hazards, and to support student health needs.
- Inspection, testing, maintenance, repair, replacement, and upgrade projects to improve the indoor air quality in school facilities, including mechanical and non-mechanical heating, ventilation, and air conditioning systems, filtering, purification and other air cleaning, fans, control systems, and window and door repair and replacement.
- Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities.
- Other activities that are necessary to maintain the operation of and continuity of services in local educational agencies and continuing to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.

Please note: "Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities," identified as an allowable use under ESSER III in the American Rescue Plan, is also permissible under ESSER II.

**Plan for ESSER II Direct District Allocation and KSDE Per-Student Additional Allocation (If Applicable)**

Please summarize how the district proposes using its ESSER II direct district allocation (and its KSDE per-student additional allocation, if applicable) to address incremental COVID-19 needs.
The district K-12 students have been impacted by covid this year. Even though we were in person and we also had some remote learners at the same time we had some learning loss from March 2020 until now. After viewing our Fastbridge data our district was 51% at risk overall. To help with this gap we are planning on summer school, using money to cover teachers for additional training in the use of science in reading, math and how to look at data from our Fastbridge assessment which we just purchased this year. We are looking at strengthening our elementary with using decodable readers, Really Great Reading and through purchasing assessment tools. We are also purchasing computers at the high school for in person and remote learning for next school year. We are purchasing Core Essentials for additional curriculum for social emotional for our K-12 students.

How will the district determine the impact of its ESSER II direct district allocation expenditures (and additional per-student allocation, if applicable) on students?

We will determine the effectiveness of our expenditures through our assessments of Fastbridge and STAR. We will view sub groups and have weekly meeting on students.

Notes on ESSER II application Excel template:

- Plans and budgets should be submitted for at least a 12 month period but do not need to account for the full duration of the program or the full allocation amount. Funds will remain accessible to the LEA until September 30, 2023 and there will be additional opportunities to submit further requests/plans in the future.

- Following ESSER II application approval and initiation of funds draw down, districts will be required to report to the Commissioner's Task Force on ESSER II expenditures and impact on a monthly basis throughout the program. This ESSER II reporting will be required as a part of regular ESSER program reporting, which will capture past expenditures across funding streams (ESSER I, ESSER I SPED, ESSER II, ESSER II SPED, ESSER II KSDE Per Student Allocation). Districts may be asked to provide expenditures by fund, function, object, account, and ESSER II allowable use as part of ongoing ESSER reporting.

- This reporting will not replace any reporting required by the federal government. KSDE will work to maximize compatibility between its reporting requirements and those of the federal government as much as possible to minimize burden on districts.

Please download and complete the ESSER II application template here to provide details on ESSER II budgeted expenditures across allowable uses and KSDE accounting codes.

ESSERII-ApplicationTemplat... (148 KiB download)

Local Education Agency (LEA) Assurances

Section I. General Grant Assurances for Federal Funds

Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA will comply with all requirements of:
The LEA will make a good faith effort, on a continuing basis, to maintain a drug-free workplace, in accordance with the measures in 34 CFR Part 84, Subpart B and the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988;
The Education Department General Administrative Regulations (EDGAR) 34 CFR 76 requirements, including:
34 CFR §76.500(a) Federal statutes and regulations on nondiscrimination.
(a) A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the following statutes and regulations:
Discrimination on the basis of age | The Age Discrimination Act (42 U.S.C. 6101 et seq.) | 34 CFR part 110.

(b) A State or subgrantee that is a covered entity as defined in §108.3 of this title shall comply with the nondiscrimination requirements of the Boy Scouts of America Equal Access Act, 20 U.S.C. 7905, 34 CFR part 108.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.650 Private schools; purpose of §§76.651-76.662.

(a) Under some programs, the authorizing statute requires that a State and its subgrantees provide for participation by students enrolled in private schools. Sections 76.651-76.662 apply to those programs and provide rules for that participation. These sections do not affect the authority of the State or a subgrantee to enter into a contract with a private party.

(b) If any other rules for participation of students enrolled in private schools apply under a particular program, they are in the authorizing statute or implementing regulations for that program.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3 and 3474)

34 CFR §76.700 Compliance with statutes, regulations, State plan, and applications.
A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the State plan and applicable statutes, regulations, and approved applications, and shall use Federal funds in accordance with those statutes, regulations, plan, and applications.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.701 The State or subgrantee administers or supervises each project.
A State or a subgrantee shall directly administer or supervise the administration of each project.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.702 Fiscal control and fund accounting procedures.
A State and a subgrantee shall use fiscal control and fund accounting procedures that insure proper disbursement of and accounting for Federal funds.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.709 Funds may be obligated during a “carryover period.”
(a) If a State or a subgrantee does not obligate all of its grant or subgrant funds by the end of the fiscal year for which Congress appropriated the funds, it may obligate the remaining funds during a carryover period of one additional fiscal year.

(b) The State shall return to the Federal Government any carryover funds not obligated by the end of the carryover period by the State and its subgrantees.

(Authority: U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1225(b), and 3474)

34 CFR §76.722 Subgrantee reporting requirements.
A State may require a subgrantee to submit reports in a manner and format that assists the State in complying with the requirements under 34 CFR 76.720 and in carrying out other responsibilities under the program.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1231a, and 3474)
[72 FR 3703, Jan. 25, 2007]

34 CFR §76.730 Records related to grant funds.
A State and a subgrantee shall keep records that fully show:
(a) The amount of funds under the grant or subgrant;
(b) How the State or subgrantee uses the funds;
(c) The total cost of the project;
(d) The share of that cost provided from other sources; and
(e) Other records to facilitate an effective audit.

(Approved by the Office of Management and Budget under control number 1880-0513)

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1232f)

34 CFR §76.731 Records related to compliance.
A State and a subgrantee shall keep records to show its compliance with program requirements.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))
The Uniform Grant Guidance, 2 CFR §200 all applicable subrecipient requirements, including but not limited to:
2 CFR Subpart D – Post Federal Award Requirements
§200.302 Financial management.
§200.303 Internal controls.
§200.305 Payment.
§200.313 Equipment.
§200.314 Supplies.
§200.318 General procurement standards.
§200.320 Methods of procurement to be followed;
2 CFR 200 Subpart E: Cost Principles:
§200.403 Factors affecting allowability of costs.
§200.404 Reasonable costs.
§200.405 Allocable costs.
§200.413 Direct costs.
§200.415 Required certifications.
§200.430 Compensation—personal services.
The Debarment and Suspension, 34 CFR Part 85, Section 85.510, Participants’ Responsibilities and makes the following certification by signing this application:
The prospective lower-tier participant certifies, by submission of this proposal, that neither it nor its principals is presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction by any federal department or agency.
Where the prospective lower-tier participant is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, such prospective participant shall attach an explanation to this proposal.
This certification is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was made or entered into. Submission of this certification is a prerequisite for making or entering into this transaction imposed by Section 1352, Title 31, U.S. Code. Any person who fails to file the required certification shall be subject to a civil penalty of not less than $10,000 for such failure.

Section II. Specific Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) Grant Assurances

The LEA assures that funds shall only be used for any of the following:

- Coordination of preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies with State, local, Tribal, and territorial public health departments, and other relevant agencies, to improve coordinated responses among such entities to prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus.
- Providing principals and others school leaders with the resources necessary to address the needs of their individual schools.
- Activities to address the unique needs of low-income children or students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and foster care youth, including how outreach and service delivery will meet the needs of each population.
- Developing and implementing procedures and systems to improve the preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies.
- Training and professional development for staff of the local educational agency on sanitation and minimizing the spread of infectious diseases.
- Purchasing supplies to sanitize and clean the facilities of a local educational agency, including buildings operated by such agency.
- Planning for and coordinating during long-term closures, including for how to provide meals to eligible students, how to provide technology for online learning to all students, how to provide guidance for carrying out requirements under the
Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. 1401 et seq.) and how to ensure other educational services can continue to be provided consistent with all Federal, State, and local requirements.

- Purchasing educational technology (including hardware, software, and connectivity) for students who are served by the local educational agency that aids in regular and substantive educational interaction between students and their classroom instructors, including low-income students and students with disabilities, which may include assistive technology or adaptive equipment.
- Providing mental health services and supports.
- Planning and implementing activities related to summer learning and supplemental afterschool programs, including providing classroom instruction or online learning during the summer months and addressing the needs of low income students, students with disabilities, English learners, migrant students, students experiencing homelessness, and children in foster care.
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Electronic Signature       Kay Lewis
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<td>Summer School: We will have summer school for students to help close the achievement gap due to covid. Students were chosen based on Fastbridge scores. 40% below</td>
<td>$16,100</td>
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<td>59300</td>
<td>Seven teachers, one para: 60 students invited- K-12th, H.S. 4 days, Elementary/Middle 5 days. 4 hours total a day. Covering Math &amp; Reading. (Phone Call 5/7/21)</td>
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<td>12. Addressing learning loss among students, including vulnerable populations</td>
<td>We will use subs to help pay for professional development on evidence based activities to meet the comprehensive needs of students. LETRS training, additional training for Fastbridge and how to look at the data, a program that will help meet the needs of teaching the science of math.</td>
<td>$21,600</td>
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<td>Paying for subs to cover classes to allow for teachers to engage in PD to learn strategies that close the learning gap caused by COVID (Phone Call 5/7/21)</td>
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<td>Fastbridge will be utilized as our high quality assessment to accurately access student's academic progress and assist teachers in meeting students academic needs.</td>
<td>$5,400</td>
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<td>Assess students for the learning gaps caused by COVID in March 2020 and additionally, gaps due to students quarantining throughout the school year.</td>
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<td>Equipment</td>
<td>9. Purchasing educational technology (including hardware, software, and connectivity) for the LEA's students</td>
<td>The computers will be utilized for in person learning to address achievement gaps caused by covid. This is for 25 computers.</td>
<td>$28,250</td>
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<td>Computers to support interventions during in-person learning. (Phone Call 5/7/21)</td>
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<td>We will use the Bridges Math learning centers for summer school to improve number sense for students. This will also be used during the school year for classroom and math intervention use. The elementary shows they are at 38% considered at-risk on Fastbridge to close assessment. We need to close this learning gap created by COVID and students quarantining.</td>
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<td>We are purchasing the Core Essential curriculum K-12 for social emotional well being of our students due to COVID. This is evidence based curriculum. We have 51% of our students are at-risk according to my SAEBRS data. This curriculum will be partnered with Second Step which we already have in place.</td>
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<td>STAR/AR Assessment will be utilized as our high quality assessment to accurately access student's academic progress and educational needs caused by COVID, as well as assist teachers in meeting students academic needs,</td>
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<td>We plan to utilize decodable readers at the elementary level during summer school and also during reading groups. Our elementary students scored 38% at-risk according to the Fastbridge data. We will have summer school for students to help close the achievement gap due to covid.</td>
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<td>Workbooks</td>
<td>Really Great Reading is a great reading resource that TASN recommends for reading. This program will be utilized to meet the comprehensive reading needs of our students. This program will be used for core instruction and intervention for K-5s. Really Great Reading will be used in both summer school and during the school year to provide interventions to students who have an identified learning loss. (Phone call 5/7/21).</td>
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Applicant / Entity Name | USD 263 Mulvane
Applicant / Mailing Address
628 E Mulvane
PO Box 130
Mulvane, KS 67110
Applicant / First and Last Name of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director | Dr. Jay Ensley
Applicant / Email Address of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director | jensley@usd263.org
Applicant / Phone Number | 316-777-1102

All questions in the section below are optional, and offer an opportunity to upload or enter information that is typically asked for on grant opportunities.

(for EANS and ESSER grant applications - please skip the questions below, and scroll to the bottom to complete your User Profile information.)

Applicant / Federal EIN (if applicable) | 48-6006243
Applicant / Website Address (if applicable) | USD263.com
Fiscal Agent / Name (if applicable) | Carolyn Young
COVID-19 has required our district to adjust nearly every aspect of what it means to be “in school”. This year, our students participated in a hybrid learning model (halftime on-site and half-time remote) for the 1st, 2nd, and 3rd 9 weeks. Then, transitioned to full-time on-site for the final 9 weeks.

During the Hybrid and Remote Learning modes, our academic achievement data has shown a decline in some places, particularly in early reading skills for grades K-1st - impacting approximately 250 students. Overall Reading and Math scores for grades 3-9 have shown some increases and some decreases, yet, have held steady showing no significant loss or gain.

Please briefly describe the impacts of COVID-19 on the district and its Pre-K through 12 students, including any relevant data where possible (e.g., cost impact, learning loss, emotional impact on students). If there has been a disproportionate impact on a special population in the district (e.g., students with disabilities, English Learners, students in foster care, students in poverty, etc.), please describe the impact and provide the number of Pre-K through 12 students in that population.
Finally, we have also observed an escalation of severe behavior for students with family distress or mental health concerns at all grade levels – specifically impacting 40-50 students. We have also seen an escalation in emotional responses from parents and community members, particularly regarding leadership decisions.

Does the district have remaining ESSER I funding that it has not yet spent as of the date of ESSER II application submission?

No

Please review the following allowable uses of ESSER II funds before completing the narrative and Excel template portion of the application.

- Coordination of preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies with State, local, Tribal, and territorial public health departments, and other relevant agencies, to improve coordinated responses among such entities to prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus.
- Providing principals and others school leaders with the resources necessary to address the needs of their individual schools.
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- Purchasing supplies to sanitize and clean the facilities of a local educational agency, including buildings operated by such agency.
- Planning for, coordinating, and implementing activities during long-term closures, including providing meals to eligible students, providing technology for online learning to all students, providing guidance for carrying out requirements under the IDEA and ensuring other educational services can continue to be provided consistent with all Federal, State, and local requirements.
- Purchasing educational technology (including hardware, software, and connectivity) for students who are served by the local educational agency that aids in regular and substantive educational interaction between students and their classroom instructors, including low-income students and children with disabilities, which may include assistive technology or adaptive equipment.
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Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities.

Other activities that are necessary to maintain the operation of and continuity of services in local educational agencies and continuing to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.

Please note: “Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities,” identified as an allowable use under ESSER III in the American Rescue Plan, is also permissible under ESSER II.

Plan for ESSER II Direct District Allocation and KSDE Per-Student Additional Allocation (If Applicable)

Please summarize how the district proposes using its ESSER II direct district allocation (and its KSDE per-student additional allocation, if applicable) to address incremental COVID-19 needs.

A summer learning program, Wildcat University, will be available to any currently enrolled student. Students who choose to attend will receive 3 hours of individualized instruction in reading and math based on FASTBridge data. Wildcat University will be 4 days/week for 4 weeks and class sizes will be at 15 students or less. Early reading scores will be addressed through additional staff and specialized training. Adding a 1st-grade teacher will decrease the class size to better address Tier 2 interventions. Over 50% of our incoming 1st-grade students are performing below the benchmark, so Tier 2 interventions will need to be done by the regular education teacher. In addition, all teachers in grades K-3 will receive 5 days of Pathways training. A core group of teacher-leaders in grades K-3 have attended LETRS training and will provide support to their respective grade levels. We plan to purchase the 95% group and 6-minute solution for a tier 2 curriculum intervention resource. We also plan to add a Special Education case manager for Primary school (grades K-2) to answer the additional needs observed from the last year being hybrid and remote the majority of the time. The escalation in the severity of behavior will be addressed through additional staff and specialized training. Adding a social worker for the High School will eliminate sharing this service between buildings, and address the increased social-emotional needs at the secondary level over the last year. In addition, we will contract with Capturing Kids Hearts for year 1 implementation to better equip all staff with specific strategies to build positive relationships and facilitate a positive culture. We believe this will help reset our schools as everyone comes back together full time in the fall.

How will the district determine the impact of its ESSER II direct district allocation expenditures (and additional per-student allocation, if applicable) on students?

Our district will continue to assess academic and behavior data each Fall, Winter, & Spring using FASTBridge assessments and curriculum-based measures. In addition, we will review ACT & ACT WorkKeys and KCTC survey data. We will also review KSDE quantitative data for Kansas Assessments, Graduation Rate, and Post-Secondary Success. Adjustments to our KESA goals will be made by our District and Building Leadership Teams as we review this data to ensure we continue implementing strategies that meet the needs of our students.

Notes on ESSER II application Excel template:

- Plans and budgets should be submitted for at least a 12 month period but do not need to account for the full duration of the program or the full allocation amount. Funds will remain accessible to the LEA until September 30, 2023 and there will be additional opportunities to submit further requests/plans in the future.

- Following ESSER II application approval and initiation of funds draw down, districts will be required to report to the Commissioner’s Task Force on ESSER II expenditures and impact on a monthly basis throughout the program. This ESSER II reporting will be required as a part of regular ESSER program reporting, which will capture past expenditures across funding streams (ESSER I, ESSER I SPED, ESSER II, ESSER II SPED, ESSER II KSDE Per Student Allocation). Districts may be...
asked to provide expenditures by fund, function, object, account, and ESSER II allowable use as part of ongoing ESSER reporting.

- This reporting will not replace any reporting required by the federal government. KSDE will work to maximize compatibility between its reporting requirements and those of the federal government as much as possible to minimize burden on districts.

Please download and complete the ESSER II application template here to provide details on ESSER II budgeted expenditures across allowable uses and KSDE accounting codes.

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Local Education Agency (LEA) Assurances

Section I. General Grant Assurances for Federal Funds

Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA will comply with all requirements of:

The LEA will make a good faith effort, on a continuing basis, to maintain a drug-free workplace, in accordance with the measures in 34 CFR Part 84, Subpart B and the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988;

The Education Department General Administrative Regulations (EDGAR) 34 CFR 76 requirements, including:

34 CFR §76.500(a) Federal statutes and regulations on nondiscrimination.

(a) A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the following statutes and regulations:

- Discrimination on the basis of age | The Age Discrimination Act (42 U.S.C. 6101 et seq.) | 34 CFR part 110.

(b) A State or subgrantee that is a covered entity as defined in §108.3 of this title shall comply with the nondiscrimination requirements of the Boy Scouts of America Equal Access Act, 20 U.S.C. 7905, 34 CFR part 108.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))


34 CFR §76.650 Private schools; purpose of §§76.651-76.662.

(a) Under some programs, the authorizing statute requires that a State and its subgrantees provide for participation by students enrolled in private schools. Sections 76.651-76.662 apply to those programs and provide rules for that participation. These sections do not affect the authority of the State or a subgrantee to enter into a contract with a private party.

(b) If any other rules for participation of students enrolled in private schools apply under a particular program, they are in the authorizing statute or implementing regulations for that program.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3 and 3474)

34 CFR §76.700 Compliance with statutes, regulations, State plan, and applications.

A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the State plan and applicable statutes, regulations, and approved applications, and shall use Federal funds in accordance with those statutes, regulations, plan, and applications.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.701 The State or subgrantee administers or supervises each project.

A State or a subgrantee shall directly administer or supervise the administration of each project.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.702 Fiscal control and fund accounting procedures.

A State and a subgrantee shall use fiscal control and fund accounting procedures that insure proper disbursement of and
accounting for Federal funds.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.709 Funds may be obligated during a “carryover period.”

(a) If a State or a subgrantee does not obligate all of its grant or subgrant funds by the end of the fiscal year for which Congress appropriated the funds, it may obligate the remaining funds during a carryover period of one additional fiscal year.

(b) The State shall return to the Federal Government any carryover funds not obligated by the end of the carryover period by the State and its subgrantees.

(Authority: U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1225(b), and 3474)


34 CFR §76.722 Subgrantee reporting requirements.

A State may require a subgrantee to submit reports in a manner and format that assists the State in complying with the requirements under 34 CFR 76.720 and in carrying out other responsibilities under the program.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1231a, and 3474)

[72 FR 3703, Jan. 25, 2007]

34 CFR §76.730 Records related to grant funds.

A State and a subgrantee shall keep records that fully show:

(a) The amount of funds under the grant or subgrant;

(b) How the State or subgrantee uses the funds;

(c) The total cost of the project;

(d) The share of that cost provided from other sources; and

(e) Other records to facilitate an effective audit.

(Approved by the Office of Management and Budget under control number 1880-0513)

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1232f)


34 CFR §76.731 Records related to compliance.

A State and a subgrantee shall keep records to show its compliance with program requirements.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

The Uniform Grant Guidance, 2 CFR §200 all applicable subrecipient requirements, including but not limited to:

2 CFR Subpart D – Post Federal Award Requirements

§200.302 Financial management.

§200.303 Internal controls.

§200.305 Payment.

§200.313 Equipment.

§200.314 Supplies.

§200.318 General procurement standards.

§200.320 Methods of procurement to be followed;

2 CFR 200 Subpart E: Cost Principles:

§200.403 Factors affecting allowability of costs.

§200.404 Reasonable costs.

§200.405 Allocable costs.

§200.413 Direct costs.

§200.415 Required certifications.

§200.430 Compensation—personal services.

The Debarment and Suspension, 34 CFR Part 85, Section 85.510, Participants’ Responsibilities and makes the following certification by signing this application:

The prospective lower-tier participant certifies, by submission of this proposal, that neither it nor its principals is presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction by any federal department or agency.

Where the prospective lower-tier participant is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, such prospective participant shall attach an explanation to this proposal.

This certification is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was made or entered into. Submission of this certification is a prerequisite for making or entering into this transaction imposed by Section
Section II. Specific Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) Grant Assurances

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Electronic Signature │ Jay M. Ensley
Date │ 05/12/2021

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<td>11A. Planning and implementing summer learning or enrichment programs</td>
<td>Wildcat University Summer Learning Program for Grades K-12 to address learning loss in reading and math. Instruction will be based on FASTbridge data.</td>
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<td>95% Group, Pathways, &amp; LETRS curriculum materials and summer professional learning for teachers to use effectively. This curriculum will provide additional resources for general education teachers to provide Tier 2 reading support.</td>
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<td>IXL for all students grades K-8 to combines curriculum, a continuous diagnostic, individual guidance, and real-time analytics to help teachers differentiate instruction for each of their students</td>
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<td>Edgenuity &amp; MyPath for students grades 9-12 to provide students with age-appropriate, online instruction and give teachers the ability to monitor academic progress during remote learning or recovering from learning loss.</td>
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<td>2 Additional Tech Paras to implement &amp; support additional student devices added during COVID 19 remote &amp; hybrid learning modes.</td>
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<td>Securly software - parent access for home monitoring of student devices during COVID 19 remote &amp; hybrid learning modes</td>
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<td>1 Additional Special Education teacher for grades K-2. Following remote &amp; hybrid learning, we have seen an increased need for student academic and behavior supports in early grades. The additional teacher will serve students with IEPs in reading, math, and SEL skill development.</td>
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<td>Additional Social Worker is needed at Mulvane High School to assist students and families with resources &amp; counseling support. Due to COVID19, we have seen an increase in mental health concerns for students and families, especially those who were already in some type of distress.</td>
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| Eligible Direct Allocation Instruction | Personal Services - Salaries | 16. Other activities necessary to maintain LEA operations and services and employ existing LEA staff | Payment for additional staff duties resulting from COVID19 scheduling - teacher plan times used for working with students. | $6,100 | $6,100 | $- | $- | $- | $93 E 1000 110 | Per clarification email from district: Since March 29, 2021, we have transitioned from a Hybrid Learning Mode to nearly all being in a Full-day On-site Learning Mode. From this transition, beginning on 3/29/21, we have been using 3 teachers to teach (additional staff duties) during their plan period, to help cover classes and students through 5/26/21. Therefore, this would be a request for reimbursement for past expenses.

<p>| Eligible Direct Allocation Instructional Staff Training Services | Professional-Education Services | 10. Providing mental health services and supports | Capturing Kids Hearts- We would like to implement a system-wide Tier 1 support for SEL. After remote &amp; hybrid learning due to COVID19, we have seen an increase in emotional responses during communication and student escalated behavior. Budget includes Capturing Kids Hearts initial 2 day training for all district staff and coaching support for implemation. | $100,000 | $100,000 | $- | $- | $- | $93 E 2213 320 |</p>
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<td>$40,000</td>
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<td>$ - $ - $ - $ - 93 E 1000 110 Per clarification email from district: This school year we have used classified staff for additional staff duties and additional time worked before and after school, for temp checks, mask checks, at multiple entrances. This was funded by ESSER 1 until it was exhausted on November 29, 2020. The amount listed is a request for reimbursement for past expenses, for the additional staff duties from 11/29/20 through 5/26/21.</td>
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| 263-1-017 | Eligible | Direct Allocation | Instruction | Textbooks                                      | 12. Addressing learning loss among students, including vulnerable populations  
Six Minute Solution - Reading Fluency curriculum and materials for teachers to use effectively. This curriculum will provide additional resources for general education teachers to provide Tier 2 reading support.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | $1,155     |         |         |         |         |         | $1,155  |
| 263-1-018 | Eligible | Direct Allocation | Instruction | General Supplies and Materials                | 11A. Planning and implementing summer learning or enrichment programs  
Summer Program materials - Notebooks for organizing and planning for individualized plans of study to address individual student needs.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | $1,005     |         |         |         |         |         | $1,005  |
| 263-1-019 | Eligible | Direct Allocation | Instruction | Regular Certified Salaries                    | 16. Other activities necessary to maintain LEA operations and services and employ existing LEA staff  
1 Additional 1st grade teacher — FASTBridge early reading data indicates a significant loss (fall 2020 - winter 2021) for incoming 1st grade students. We have approx. 50% of students below benchmark, indicating a need for tiered supports within the general education classroom. An additional 1st grade teacher will reduce class size and assist in providing tier 1 supports. | $62,800    |         |         |         |         |         | $62,800 |
Applicant details

Thank you for creating a User Profile for the Kansas CommonApp!

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Select an Applicant Type | Unified School District

Applicant / Entity Name | Graham County-Hill City

Applicant / Mailing Address

- USD 281
- PO Box 309
- Hill City, KS 67642

Applicant / First and Last Name of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director | Dale Deighton

Applicant / Email Address of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director | DaleDeighton@usd281.com

Applicant / Phone Number | 785-321-2135

All questions in the section below are optional, and offer an opportunity to upload or enter information that is typically asked for on grant opportunities.

(for EANS and ESSER grant applications - please skip the questions below, and scroll to the bottom to complete your User Profile information.)

Fiscal Agent / Name (if applicable) | Dale Deighton

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Fiscal Agent / Mailing Address (if applicable)
Dale Deighton, Graham County
PO Box 309
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Would you like to additional district representatives to the application? | Yes |

Other District Representative 1 | Email Address | nancylaw@usd281.com |

Please briefly describe the impacts of COVID-19 on the district and its Pre-K through 12 students, including any relevant data where possible (e.g., cost impact, learning loss, emotional impact on students). If there has been a disproportionate impact on a special population in the district (e.g., students with disabilities, English Learners, students in foster care, students in poverty, etc.), please describe the impact and provide the number of Pre-K through 12 students in that population.

USD 281 has 57% economically disadvantaged population and the impact on our students when they had to be quarantined effected their ability to keep up the necessary learning.

Does the district have remaining ESSER I funding that it has not yet spent as of the date of ESSER II application submission? | No |

Please review the following allowable uses of ESSER II funds before completing the narrative and Excel template portion of the application.
- Coordination of preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies with State, local, Tribal, and territorial public health departments, and other relevant agencies, to improve coordinated responses among such entities to prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus.
- Providing principals and others school leaders with the resources necessary to address the needs of their individual schools.
- Activities to address the unique needs of low-income children or students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and foster care youth, including how outreach and service delivery will meet the needs of each population.
- Developing and implementing procedures and systems to improve the preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies.
- Training and professional development for staff of the local educational agency on sanitation and minimizing the spread of infectious diseases.
- Purchasing supplies to sanitize and clean the facilities of a local educational agency, including buildings operated by such agency.
- Planning for, coordinating, and implementing activities during long-term closures, including providing meals to eligible students, providing technology for online learning to all students, providing guidance for carrying out requirements under the IDEA and ensuring other educational services can continue to be provided consistent with all Federal, State, and local requirements.
- Purchasing educational technology (including hardware, software, and connectivity) for students who are served by the local educational agency that aids in regular and substantive educational interaction between students and their classroom instructors, including low-income students and children with disabilities, which may include assistive technology or adaptive equipment.
- Providing mental health services and supports.
- Planning and implementing activities related to summer learning and supplemental afterschool programs, including providing classroom instruction or online learning during the summer months and addressing the needs of low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, migrant students, students experiencing homelessness, and children in foster care.
- Addressing learning loss among students, including low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and children and youth in foster care, of the local educational agency, including by— (A) Administering and using high-quality assessments that are valid and reliable, to accurately assess students’ academic progress and assist educators in meeting students’ academic needs, including through differentiating instruction. (B) Implementing evidence-based activities to meet the comprehensive needs of students. (C) Providing information and assistance to parents and families on how they can effectively support students, including in a distance learning environment. (D) Tracking student attendance and improving student engagement in distance education.
- School facility repairs and improvements to enable operation of schools to reduce risk of virus transmission and exposure to environmental health hazards, and to support student health needs.
- Inspection, testing, maintenance, repair, replacement, and upgrade projects to improve the indoor air quality in school facilities, including mechanical and non-mechanical heating, ventilation, and air conditioning systems, filtering, purification and other air cleaning, fans, control systems, and window and door repair and replacement.
- Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities.
- Other activities that are necessary to maintain the operation of and continuity of services in local educational agencies and continuing to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.

Please note: "Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities," identified as an allowable use under ESSER III in the American Rescue Plan, is also permissible under ESSER II.

Plan for ESSER II Direct District Allocation and KSDE Per-Student Additional Allocation (If Applicable)
Please summarize how the district proposes using its ESSER II direct district allocation (and its KSDE per-student additional allocation, if applicable) to address incremental COVID-19 needs.

We are using the funds to purchase computers for our students, teachers, and classrooms. We are also using the funds to purchase software so that we can test for learning loss and the emotional effect that the pandemic has on our students. We are providing summer school for students that have had the most learning loss. We are employing a counselor to help with the social and emotional needs of both our students and staff.

How will the district determine the impact of its ESSER II direct district allocation expenditures (and additional per-student allocation, if applicable) on students?

With the purchase of the fastbridge program. We will be able to test the learning of our students and the emotional status of our students.

Notes on ESSER II application Excel template:

- Plans and budgets should be submitted for at least a 12 month period but do not need to account for the full duration of the program or the full allocation amount. Funds will remain accessible to the LEA until September 30, 2023 and there will be additional opportunities to submit further requests/plans in the future.
- Following ESSER II application approval and initiation of funds draw down, districts will be required to report to the Commissioner's Task Force on ESSER II expenditures and impact on a monthly basis throughout the program. This ESSER II reporting will be required as a part of regular ESSER program reporting, which will capture past expenditures across funding streams (ESSER I, ESSER I SPED, ESSER II, ESSER II SPED, ESSER II KSDE Per Student Allocation). Districts may be asked to provide expenditures by fund, function, object, account, and ESSER II allowable use as part of ongoing ESSER reporting.
- This reporting will not replace any reporting required by the federal government. KSDE will work to maximize compatibility between its reporting requirements and those of the federal government as much as possible to minimize burden on districts.

Please download and complete the ESSER II application template here to provide details on ESSER II budgeted expenditures across allowable uses and KSDE accounting codes.

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Local Education Agency (LEA) Assurances

Section I. General Grant Assurances for Federal Funds

Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA will comply with all requirements of:

The LEA will make a good faith effort, on a continuing basis, to maintain a drug-free workplace, in accordance with the measures in 34 CFR Part 84, Subpart B and the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988;
The Education Department General Administrative Regulations (EDGAR) 34 CFR 76 requirements, including:
34 CFR §76.500(a) Federal statutes and regulations on nondiscrimination.
(a) A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the following statutes and regulations:
- Discrimination on the basis of age | The Age Discrimination Act (42 U.S.C. 6101 et seq.) | 34 CFR part 110.
(b) A State or subgrantee that is a covered entity as defined in §108.3 of this title shall comply with the nondiscrimination requirements of the Boy Scouts of America Equal Access Act, 20 U.S.C. 7905, 34 CFR part 108.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))


34 CFR §76.650 Private schools; purpose of §§76.651-76.662.

(a) Under some programs, the authorizing statute requires that a State and its subgrantees provide for participation by students enrolled in private schools. Sections 76.651-76.662 apply to those programs and provide rules for that participation. These sections do not affect the authority of the State or a subgrantee to enter into a contract with a private party.

(b) If any other rules for participation of students enrolled in private schools apply under a particular program, they are in the authorizing statute or implementing regulations for that program.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3 and 3474)

34 CFR §76.700 Compliance with statutes, regulations, State plan, and applications.

A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the State plan and applicable statutes, regulations, and approved applications, and shall use Federal funds in accordance with those statutes, regulations, plan, and applications.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.701 The State or subgrantee administers or supervises each project.

A State or a subgrantee shall directly administer or supervise the administration of each project.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.702 Fiscal control and fund accounting procedures.

A State and a subgrantee shall use fiscal control and fund accounting procedures that insure proper disbursement of and accounting for Federal funds.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.709 Funds may be obligated during a “carryover period.”

(a) If a State or a subgrantee does not obligate all of its grant or subgrant funds by the end of the fiscal year for which Congress appropriated the funds, it may obligate the remaining funds during a carryover period of one additional fiscal year.

(b) The State shall return to the Federal Government any carryover funds not obligated by the end of the carryover period by the State and its subgrantees.

(Authority: U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1225(b), and 3474)


34 CFR §76.722 Subgrantee reporting requirements.

A State may require a subgrantee to submit reports in a manner and format that assists the State in complying with the requirements under 34 CFR 76.720 and in carrying out other responsibilities under the program.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1231a, and 3474)

[72 FR 3703, Jan. 25, 2007]

34 CFR §76.730 Records related to grant funds.

A State and a subgrantee shall keep records that fully show:

(a) The amount of funds under the grant or subgrant;

(b) How the State or subgrantee uses the funds;

(c) The total cost of the project;

(d) The share of that cost provided from other sources; and

(e) Other records to facilitate an effective audit.

(Approved by the Office of Management and Budget under control number 1880-0513)

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1232f)


34 CFR §76.731 Records related to compliance.

A State and a subgrantee shall keep records to show its compliance with program requirements.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

The Uniform Grant Guidance, 2 CFR §200 all applicable subrecipient requirements, including but not limited to:

2 CFR Subpart D – Post Federal Award Requirements
§200.302 Financial management.
§200.303 Internal controls.
§200.305 Payment.
§200.313 Equipment.
§200.314 Supplies.
§200.318 General procurement standards.
§200.320 Methods of procurement to be followed;
2 CFR 200 Subpart E: Cost Principles:
§200.403 Factors affecting allowability of costs.
§200.404 Reasonable costs.
§200.405 Allocable costs.
§200.413 Direct costs.
§200.415 Required certifications.
§200.430 Compensation—personal services.
The Debarment and Suspension, 34 CFR Part 85, Section 85.510, Participants' Responsibilities and makes the following certification by signing this application:
The prospective lower-tier participant certifies, by submission of this proposal, that neither it nor its principals is presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction by any federal department or agency.
Where the prospective lower-tier participant is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, such prospective participant shall attach an explanation to this proposal.
This certification is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was made or entered into. Submission of this certification is a prerequisite for making or entering into this transaction imposed by Section 1352, Title 31, U.S. Code. Any person who fails to file the required certification shall be subject to a civil penalty of not less than $10,000 for such failure.

**Section II. Specific Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) Grant Assurances**

The LEA assures that funds shall only be used for any of the following:
- Coordination of preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies with State, local, Tribal, and territorial public health departments, and other relevant agencies, to improve coordinated responses among such entities to prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus.
- Providing principals and others school leaders with the resources necessary to address the needs of their individual schools.
- Activities to address the unique needs of low-income children or students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and foster care youth, including how outreach and service delivery will meet the needs of each population.
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• Providing mental health services and supports.

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• Other activities that are necessary to maintain the operation of and continuity of services in local educational agencies and continuing to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.

Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA shall comply with all applicable requirements of the Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) authorized by the Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act, 2021 (CRRSAA), including:

CONTINUED PAYMENT TO EMPLOYEES
SEC. 18006. A local educational agency, State, institution of higher education, or other entity that receives funds under “Education Stabilization Fund”, shall to the greatest extent practicable, continue to pay its employees and contractors during the period of any disruptions or closures related to coronavirus.

Certification

To the best of my knowledge and belief, all the information and data in this agreement are true and correct. I acknowledge and agree that the failure to comply with all Assurances and Certifications in this Agreement, all relevant provisions and requirements of the CARES Act, Pub. L. No. 116-136 (March 27, 2020), or any other applicable law or regulation may result in liability under the False Claims Act, 31 U.S.C. § 3729, et seq.; OMB Guidelines to Agencies on Governmentwide Debarment and Suspension (Nonprocurement) in 2 CFR part 180, as adopted and amended as regulations of the Department in 2 CFR part 3485; and 18 USC § 1001, as appropriate.

Electronic Signature ┌─────────────────────┐
│ Dale Deighton │

Date │ 05/07/2021

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Applicant details

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| Unified School District |

Applicant / Entity Name

| Colby Public Schools |

Applicant / Mailing Address

| 600 West Third Street |
| Colby KS, 67701 |

Applicant / First and Last Name of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director

| Katina Brenn |

Applicant / Email Address of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director

| Kbrenn@colbyeagles.org |

Applicant / Phone Number

| 7854605000 |

All questions in the section below are optional, and offer an opportunity to upload or enter information that is typically asked for on grant opportunities.

(for EANS and ESSER grant applications - please skip the questions below, and scroll to the bottom to complete your User Profile information.)

Application details

| Full District Name |
| Colby Public Schools |

| District Number |
| 315 |
Please briefly describe the impacts of COVID-19 on the district and its Pre-K through 12 students, including any relevant data where possible (e.g., cost impact, learning loss, emotional impact on students). If there has been a disproportionate impact on a special population in the district (e.g., students with disabilities, English Learners, students in foster care, students in poverty, etc.), please describe the impact and provide the number of Pre-K through 12 students in that population.

When the pandemic hit, our students were forced first into a long-term closure and then multiple quarantines. The district implemented online learning in order to continue educating our students forced to stay home. Due to the increase in chronic absenteeism we quickly realized that there were equity and access issues amongst many of our families that were magnified due to a growing unemployment rate. Our initial focus was on removing technology barriers that impeded learning through providing students and teachers with the technology and curriculum access necessary.

When our students were able to return to face-to-face instruction in the fall of 2020 our district’s focus shifted from long term remote learning to developing and implementing public health protocols to reduce additional learning loss due to quarantines. We worked with local health officials to determine the best strategies to reduce the number of students being exposed in our environment through PPE, additional sanitation supplies, and supplies that allowed us to implement social distancing standards.

Now that student attendance rates have increased and quarantines have decreased our focus is on assisting our students in rebounding from their learning loss through increasing both the amount and quality of learning time. The district will continue to provide access to continuous learning during student illnesses and/or quarantines. We will also use local diagnostic assessments to identify students academically at risk and provide summer programming to assist in reducing learning gaps and recovering skills/credits.

Does the district have remaining ESSER I funding that it has not yet spent as of the date of ESSER II application submission? | No
Please review the following allowable uses of ESSER II funds before completing the narrative and Excel template portion of the application.

- Coordination of preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies with State, local, Tribal, and territorial public health departments, and other relevant agencies, to improve coordinated responses among such entities to prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus.
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- Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities.
- Other activities that are necessary to maintain the operation of and continuity of services in local educational agencies and continuing to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.

Please note: "Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities," identified as an allowable use under ESSER III in the American Rescue Plan, is also permissible under ESSER II.
Plan for ESSER II Direct District Allocation and KSDE Per-Student Additional Allocation (If Applicable)

Please summarize how the district proposes using its ESSER II direct district allocation (and its KSDE per-student additional allocation, if applicable) to address incremental COVID-19 needs.

Allowable Use(s): Coordination of preparedness response efforts/ Developing and implementing procedures, systems strategies and public health protocols:
• 40 hours for district/building staff to work with local agencies on preparedness and response efforts. 
Allowable Use Cost = $11,052.24

Allowable Use(s): Resources needed at individual buildings
• Insulated food bags and carts to provide breakfast in classrooms to implement social distancing protocols.
Allowable Use Cost = $766.40

Allowable Use(s): PPE/supplies/sanitation
• Additional PPE and sanitize supplies to clean and sanitize the facilities.
Allowable Use Cost = $28,109.78

Allowable Use(s): Software/hardware/connectivity
• 125 laptops, cases, and power cords to provide equitable access to learning during quarantines to address learning loss. ($174,750.00)
• Zoom and curriculum connectivity to facilitate online learning during quarantines ($6,616.50)
• TVs/interactive panels/projectors/cameras/speakers to facilitate learning during quarantines ($41,878.17)
Allowable Use Cost = $223,244.67

Allowable Use(s): Mental health supports
• One-day presentation for student to discuss social emotional topics due to an increase in observable behaviors.
Allowable Use Cost = $600.00

Allowable Use(s): Summer learning
• Summer programming for general education, special education, ELL, and migrant students determined at risk by local assessments.
June 1- June 30
8:30-11:30/12:30-3:30 ELA/Math/Credit Recovery Sessions
14 licensed teachers and 6 teacher aides
Pay based on negotiated agreement and regular school year classified hourly rate ($80,000.00 in salaries + $10,000.00 supplies)
Allowable Use Cost =$90,000.00

Allowable Use(s): School facility to enable operation of schools to reduce risk of virus transmission and exposure
• Additional classroom desks/ tables to facilitate social distancing protocols ($1,312.23)
• Additional 30 lunchroom tables to open an a additional K-8 satellite lunchroom to facilitate social distancing protocols ($60,613.44)
• Equipment to covert water fountains to bottle filling stations to implement health protocols (2,146.84)
Allowable Use Cost = $64,072.51

Allowable Use(s): To improve the indoor air quality
• Additional air purifier filters.
Allowable Use Cost = $600.40
Total Cost = $418,446.00

How will the district determine the impact of its ESSER II direct district allocation expenditures (and additional per-student allocation, if applicable) on students?

The district will determine the impact of ESSER II expenditures through:
• increased student access to learning as measured by device checkout and program log in rates;
• increased student diagnostic local assessment scores as measured by assessment screening reports;
• increased attendance as measured by student information system reports; and
Notes on ESSER II application Excel template:

- Plans and budgets should be submitted for at least a 12 month period but do not need to account for the full duration of the program or the full allocation amount. Funds will remain accessible to the LEA until September 30, 2023 and there will be additional opportunities to submit further requests/plans in the future.
- Following ESSER II application approval and initiation of funds draw down, districts will be required to report to the Commissioner's Task Force on ESSER II expenditures and impact on a monthly basis throughout the program. This ESSER II reporting will be required as a part of regular ESSER program reporting, which will capture past expenditures across funding streams (ESSER I, ESSER I SPED, ESSER II, ESSER II SPED, ESSER II KSDE Per Student Allocation). Districts may be asked to provide expenditures by fund, function, object, account, and ESSER II allowable use as part of ongoing ESSER reporting.
- This reporting will not replace any reporting required by the federal government. KSDE will work to maximize compatibility between its reporting requirements and those of the federal government as much as possible to minimize burden on districts.

Please download and complete the ESSER II application template [here](https://example.com) to provide details on ESSER II budgeted expenditures across allowable uses and KSDE accounting codes.

Local Education Agency (LEA) Assurances

Section I. General Grant Assurances for Federal Funds

Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA will comply with all requirements of:
The LEA will make a good faith effort, on a continuing basis, to maintain a drug-free workplace, in accordance with the measures in 34 CFR Part 84, Subpart B and the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988; The Education Department General Administrative Regulations (EDGAR) 34 CFR 76 requirements, including: 34 CFR §76.500(a) Federal statutes and regulations on nondiscrimination.

(a) A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the following statutes and regulations:
- Discrimination on the basis of age | The Age Discrimination Act (42 U.S.C. 6101 et seq.) | 34 CFR part 110.

(b) A State or subgrantee that is a covered entity as defined in §108.3 of this title shall comply with the nondiscrimination requirements of the Boy Scouts of America Equal Access Act, 20 U.S.C. 7905, 34 CFR part 108.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))
34 CFR §76.650 Private schools; purpose of §§76.651-76.662.

(a) Under some programs, the authorizing statute requires that a State and its subgrantees provide for participation by students enrolled in private schools. Sections 76.651-76.662 apply to those programs and provide rules for that participation. These sections do not affect the authority of the State or a subgrantee to enter into a contract with a private party.

(b) If any other rules for participation of students enrolled in private schools apply under a particular program, they are in the
authorizing statute or implementing regulations for that program.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3 and 3474)

34 CFR §76.700 Compliance with statutes, regulations, State plan, and applications.

A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the State plan and applicable statutes, regulations, and approved applications, and shall use Federal funds in accordance with those statutes, regulations, plan, and applications.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.701 The State or subgrantee administers or supervises each project.

A State or a subgrantee shall directly administer or supervise the administration of each project.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.702 Fiscal control and fund accounting procedures.

A State and a subgrantee shall use fiscal control and fund accounting procedures that insure proper disbursement of and accounting for Federal funds.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.709 Funds may be obligated during a “carryover period.”

(a) If a State or a subgrantee does not obligate all of its grant or subgrant funds by the end of the fiscal year for which Congress appropriated the funds, it may obligate the remaining funds during a carryover period of one additional fiscal year.

(b) The State shall return to the Federal Government any carryover funds not obligated by the end of the carryover period by the State and its subgrantees.

(Authority: U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1225(b), and 3474)


34 CFR §76.722 Subgrantee reporting requirements.

A State may require a subgrantee to submit reports in a manner and format that assists the State in complying with the requirements under 34 CFR 76.720 and in carrying out other responsibilities under the program.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1231a, and 3474)

[72 FR 3703, Jan. 25, 2007]

34 CFR §76.730 Records related to grant funds.

A State and a subgrantee shall keep records that fully show:

(a) The amount of funds under the grant or subgrant;

(b) How the State or subgrantee uses the funds;

(c) The total cost of the project;

(d) The share of that cost provided from other sources; and

(e) Other records to facilitate an effective audit.

(Approved by the Office of Management and Budget under control number 1880-0513)

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1232f)


34 CFR §76.731 Records related to compliance.

A State and a subgrantee shall keep records to show its compliance with program requirements.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

The Uniform Grant Guidance, 2 CFR §200 all applicable subrecipient requirements, including but not limited to:

2 CFR Subpart D – Post Federal Award Requirements

§200.302 Financial management.

§200.303 Internal controls.

§200.305 Payment.

§200.313 Equipment.

§200.314 Supplies.

§200.318 General procurement standards.

§200.320 Methods of procurement to be followed;

2 CFR 200 Subpart E: Cost Principles:

§200.403 Factors affecting allowability of costs.

§200.404 Reasonable costs.

§200.405 Allocable costs.

§200.413 Direct costs.
§200.415 Required certifications.
§200.430 Compensation—personal services.
The Debarment and Suspension, 34 CFR Part 85, Section 85.510, Participants' Responsibilities and makes the following certification by signing this application:
The prospective lower-tier participant certifies, by submission of this proposal, that neither it nor its principals is presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction by any federal department or agency.
Where the prospective lower-tier participant is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, such prospective participant shall attach an explanation to this proposal.
This certification is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was made or entered into. Submission of this certification is a prerequisite for making or entering into this transaction imposed by Section 1352, Title 31, U.S. Code. Any person who fails to file the required certification shall be subject to a civil penalty of not less than $10,000 for such failure.

Section II. Specific Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) Grant Assurances

The LEA assures that funds shall only be used for any of the following:
• Coordination of preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies with State, local, Tribal, and territorial public health departments, and other relevant agencies, to improve coordinated responses among such entities to prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus.
• Providing principals and others school leaders with the resources necessary to address the needs of their individual schools.
• Activities to address the unique needs of low-income children or students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and foster care youth, including how outreach and service delivery will meet the needs of each population.
• Developing and implementing procedures and systems to improve the preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies.
• Training and professional development for staff of the local educational agency on sanitation and minimizing the spread of infectious diseases.
• Purchasing supplies to sanitize and clean the facilities of a local educational agency, including buildings operated by such agency.
• Planning for and coordinating during long-term closures, including for how to provide meals to eligible students, how to provide technology for online learning to all students, how to provide guidance for carrying out requirements under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. 1401 et seq.) and how to ensure other educational services can continue to be provided consistent with all Federal, State, and local requirements.
• Purchasing educational technology (including hardware, software, and connectivity) for students who are served by the local educational agency that aids in regular and substantive educational interaction between students and their classroom instructors, including low-income students and students with disabilities, which may include assistive technology or adaptive equipment.
• Providing mental health services and supports.
• Planning and implementing activities related to summer learning and supplemental afterschool programs, including providing classroom instruction or online learning during the summer months and addressing the needs of low income students, students with disabilities, English learners, migrant students, students experiencing homelessness, and children in foster care.
• Addressing learning loss among students, including low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and children and youth in foster care, of the local educational agency.
agency, including by— (A) Administering and using high-quality assessments that are valid and reliable, to accurately assess students’ academic progress and assist educators in meeting students’ academic needs, including through differentiating instruction. (B) Implementing evidence-based activities to meet the comprehensive needs of students. (C) Providing information and assistance to parents and families on how they can effectively support students, including in a distance learning environment. (D) Tracking student attendance and improving student engagement in distance education.

- School facility repairs and improvements to enable operation of schools to reduce risk of virus transmission and exposure to environmental health hazards, and to support student health needs.
- Inspection, testing, maintenance, repair, replacement, and upgrade projects to improve the indoor air quality in school facilities, including mechanical and non-mechanical heating, ventilation, and air conditioning systems, filtering, purification and other air cleaning, fans, control systems, and window and door repair and replacement.
- Other activities that are necessary to maintain the operation of and continuity of services in local educational agencies and continuing to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.

Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA shall comply with all applicable requirements of the Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) authorized by the Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act, 2021 (CRRSAA), including:

CONTINUED PAYMENT TO EMPLOYEES
SEC. 18006. A local educational agency, State, institution of higher education, or other entity that receives funds under “Education Stabilization Fund”, shall to the greatest extent practicable, continue to pay its employees and contractors during the period of any disruptions or closures related to coronavirus.

Certification

To the best of my knowledge and belief, all the information and data in this agreement are true and correct. I acknowledge and agree that the failure to comply with all Assurances and Certifications in this Agreement, all relevant provisions and requirements of the CARES Act, Pub. L. No. 116-136 (March 27, 2020), or any other applicable law or regulation may result in liability under the False Claims Act, 31 U.S.C. § 3729, et seq.; OMB Guidelines to Agencies on Governmentwide Debarment and Suspension (Nonprocurement) in 2 CFR part 180, as adopted and amended as regulations of the Department in 2 CFR part 3485; and 18 USC § 1001, as appropriate.

Electronic Signature  Katina Brenn
Date  05/10/2021

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Application details

Full District Name | Golden Plains

District Number | 316
Please briefly describe the impacts of COVID-19 on the district and its Pre-K through 12 students, including any relevant data where possible (e.g., cost impact, learning loss, emotional impact on students). If there has been a disproportionate impact on a special population in the district (e.g., students with disabilities, English Learners, students in foster care, students in poverty, etc.), please describe the impact and provide the number of Pre-K through 12 students in that population.

Although the direct impact on students at Golden Plains appeared to be minimal because school was not paused or switched to remote (we did provide a remote option) during the 2020-2021 year, we believe there was a social emotional impact that led to a loss of learning. Data from academic screeners showed an increase in tier 2 and tier 3 students at several grade levels from the fall to winter benchmark in both reading and math. We also had to make an extraordinary amount of DCF (Division of Children and Families) calls during the year, especially following the winter break. We do not know if this was because of additional stress on parents/students caused by Covid/unemployment, but the assumption is that it likely had something to do with it.

Does the district have remaining ESSER I funding that it has not yet spent as of the date of ESSER II application submission?

Please summarize how the district will use its remaining ESSER I and ESSER I SPED funding and what it hopes to accomplish with these funds.

We only have ESSER I SPED ($2,375) funds remaining. At this time, we have not decided on the best use of these funds.

Please review the following allowable uses of ESSER II funds before completing the narrative and Excel template portion of the application.


- Coordination of preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies with State, local, Tribal, and territorial public health departments, and other relevant agencies, to improve coordinated responses among such entities to prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus.
- Providing principals and others school leaders with the resources necessary to address the needs of their individual schools.
- Activities to address the unique needs of low-income children or students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and foster care youth, including how outreach and service delivery will meet the needs of each population.
- Developing and implementing procedures and systems to improve the preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies.
- Training and professional development for staff of the local educational agency on sanitation and minimizing the spread of infectious diseases.
- Purchasing supplies to sanitize and clean the facilities of a local educational agency, including buildings operated by such agency.
- Planning for, coordinating, and implementing activities during long-term closures, including providing meals to eligible students, providing technology for online learning to all students, providing guidance for carrying out requirements under the IDEA and ensuring other educational services can continue to be provided consistent with all Federal, State, and local requirements.
- Purchasing educational technology (including hardware, software, and connectivity) for students who are served by the local educational agency that aids in regular and substantive educational interaction between students and their classroom instructors, including low-income students and children with disabilities, which may include assistive technology or adaptive equipment.
- Providing mental health services and supports.
- Planning and implementing activities related to summer learning and supplemental afterschool programs, including providing classroom instruction or online learning during the summer months and addressing the needs of low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, migrant students, students experiencing homelessness, and children in foster care.
- Addressing learning loss among students, including low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and children and youth in foster care, of the local educational agency, including by— (A) Administering and using high-quality assessments that are valid and reliable, to accurately assess students’ academic progress and assist educators in meeting students’ academic needs, including through differentiating instruction. (B) Implementing evidence-based activities to meet the comprehensive needs of students. (C) Providing information and assistance to parents and families on how they can effectively support students, including in a distance learning environment. (D) Tracking student attendance and improving student engagement in distance education.
- School facility repairs and improvements to enable operation of schools to reduce risk of virus transmission and exposure to environmental health hazards, and to support student health needs.
- Inspection, testing, maintenance, repair, replacement, and upgrade projects to improve the indoor air quality in school facilities, including mechanical and non-mechanical heating, ventilation, and air conditioning systems, filtering, purification and other air cleaning, fans, control systems, and window and door repair and replacement.
- Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities.
- Other activities that are necessary to maintain the operation of and continuity of services in local educational agencies and continuing to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.

Please note: "Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities," identified as an allowable use under ESSER III in the American Rescue Plan, is also permissible under ESSER II.

Plan for ESSER II Direct District Allocation and KSDE Per-Student Additional Allocation (If Applicable)

Please summarize how the district proposes using its ESSER II direct district allocation (and its KSDE per-student additional allocation, if applicable) to address incremental COVID-19 needs.
Golden Plains has exciting plans to improve and expand our educational programs to address the COVID-19 needs of our students. We have scheduled a summer “boot camp” professional development with KS MTSS to provide training to all licensed staff and paraprofessionals. This training will encompass all MTSS strategies, most importantly, using data to drive decision making and address student needs. Included with this plan is the purchase of the Fastbridge screener, student intervention curriculum, and a social emotional curriculum.

Also in the plan is the purchase of online and hybrid textbooks as needed. This purchase will greatly mitigate the effects of future COVID-19 outbreaks for all students. Students will be provided continuous access to high-quality, standards-based curriculum regardless of attendance status. Remote learning will be easily facilitated with the new curriculum.

We also plan to add two new positions in the district to help students with learning loss, social emotional difficulties, and to mitigate future learning loss due to the COVID-19 pandemic.

Position one is for a math and reading interventionist team leader. This person will be responsible for student interventions and professional development to personnel providing interventions designed to address learning loss due to COVID-19 circumstances. Learning losses will be identified using Fastbridge data and corrected using the aforementioned intervention curricula.

Position two is for a Student Advocate Coordinator. This position will be responsible for developing and implementing a program to provide resources and strategies to students and families dealing with aspects of social emotional stress and the issues that coincide with that stress. Student counseling services, coordinating local professional resources with students/families in need, and peer mentoring are examples of strategies to be implemented. Resources/strategies from the Northwest Kansas Educational Service Center’s Project EVERS will also be implemented through this position.

How will the district determine the impact of its ESSER II direct district allocation expenditures (and additional per-student allocation, if applicable) on students?

We will use data collected from assessments such as Fastbridge, ACT, KS Assessments, and student grades to determine the academic impact of our ESSER II allocation. We will use data from new and existing parent, student, and teacher surveys, in addition to student office referrals to determine the impact on students and families regarding social emotional concerns and improvement.

Notes on ESSER II application Excel template:

- Plans and budgets should be submitted for at least a 12 month period but do not need to account for the full duration of the program or the full allocation amount. Funds will remain accessible to the LEA until September 30, 2023 and there will be additional opportunities to submit further requests/plans in the future.

- Following ESSER II application approval and initiation of funds draw down, districts will be required to report to the Commissioner’s Task Force on ESSER II expenditures and impact on a monthly basis throughout the program. This ESSER II reporting will be required as a part of regular ESSER program reporting, which will capture past expenditures across funding streams (ESSER I, ESSER I SPED, ESSER II, ESSER II SPED, ESSER II KSDE Per Student Allocation). Districts may be asked to provide expenditures by fund, function, object, account, and ESSER II allowable use as part of ongoing ESSER reporting.

- This reporting will not replace any reporting required by the federal government. KSDE will work to maximize compatibility between its reporting requirements and those of the federal government as much as possible to minimize burden on districts.

Please download and complete the ESSER II application template here to provide details on ESSER II budgeted expenditures across allowable uses and KSDE accounting codes.
Local Education Agency (LEA) Assurances

Section I. General Grant Assurances for Federal Funds

Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA will comply with all requirements of:

The LEA will make a good faith effort, on a continuing basis, to maintain a drug-free workplace, in accordance with the measures in 34 CFR Part 84, Subpart B and the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988;

The Education Department General Administrative Regulations (EDGAR) 34 CFR 76 requirements, including:

34 CFR §76.500(a) Federal statutes and regulations on nondiscrimination.

(a) A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the following statutes and regulations:

- Discrimination on the basis of age | The Age Discrimination Act (42 U.S.C. 6101 et seq.) | 34 CFR part 110.

(b) A State or subgrantee that is a covered entity as defined in §108.3 of this title shall comply with the nondiscrimination requirements of the Boy Scouts of America Equal Access Act, 20 U.S.C. 7905, 34 CFR part 108.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))


34 CFR §76.650 Private schools; purpose of §§76.651-76.662.

(a) Under some programs, the authorizing statute requires that a State and its subgrantees provide for participation by students enrolled in private schools. Sections 76.651-76.662 apply to those programs and provide rules for that participation. These sections do not affect the authority of the State or a subgrantee to enter into a contract with a private party.

(b) If any other rules for participation of students enrolled in private schools apply under a particular program, they are in the authorizing statute or implementing regulations for that program.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3 and 3474)

34 CFR §76.700 Compliance with statutes, regulations, State plan, and applications.

A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the State plan and applicable statutes, regulations, and approved applications, and shall use Federal funds in accordance with those statutes, regulations, plan, and applications.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.701 The State or subgrantee administers or supervises each project.

A State or a subgrantee shall directly administer or supervise the administration of each project.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.702 Fiscal control and fund accounting procedures.

A State and a subgrantee shall use fiscal control and fund accounting procedures that insure proper disbursement of and accounting for Federal funds.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.709 Funds may be obligated during a “carryover period.”

(a) If a State or a subgrantee does not obligate all of its grant or subgrant funds by the end of the fiscal year for which Congress appropriated the funds, it may obligate the remaining funds during a carryover period of one additional fiscal year.

(b) The State shall return to the Federal Government any carryover funds not obligated by the end of the carryover period by the State and its subgrantees.

(Authority: U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1225(b), and 3474)


34 CFR §76.722 Subgrantee reporting requirements.

A State may require a subgrantee to submit reports in a manner and format that assists the State in complying with the requirements under 34 CFR 76.720 and in carrying out other responsibilities under the program.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1231a, and 3474)

[72 FR 3703, Jan. 25, 2007]
34 CFR §76.730 Records related to grant funds. A State and a subgrantee shall keep records that fully show:
(a) The amount of funds under the grant or subgrant;
(b) How the State or subgrantee uses the funds;
(c) The total cost of the project;
(d) The share of that cost provided from other sources; and
(e) Other records to facilitate an effective audit.
(Approved by the Office of Management and Budget under control number 1880-0513)
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.731 Records related to compliance. A State and a subgrantee shall keep records to show its compliance with program requirements.
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1232f)

The Uniform Grant Guidance, 2 CFR §200 all applicable subrecipient requirements, including but not limited to:
2 CFR Subpart D – Post Federal Award Requirements
$200.302 Financial management.
$200.303 Internal controls.
$200.305 Payment.
$200.313 Equipment.
$200.314 Supplies.
$200.318 General procurement standards.
$200.320 Methods of procurement to be followed;
2 CFR 200 Subpart E: Cost Principles:
$200.403 Factors affecting allowability of costs.
$200.404 Reasonable costs.
$200.405 Allocable costs.
$200.413 Direct costs.
$200.415 Required certifications.
$200.430 Compensation—personal services.
The Debarment and Suspension, 34 CFR Part 85, Section 85.510, Participants’ Responsibilities and makes the following certification by signing this application:
The prospective lower-tier participant certifies, by submission of this proposal, that neither it nor its principals is presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction by any federal department or agency.
Where the prospective lower-tier participant is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, such prospective participant shall attach an explanation to this proposal.
This certification is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was made or entered into. Submission of this certification is a prerequisite for making or entering into this transaction imposed by Section 1352, Title 31, U.S. Code. Any person who fails to file the required certification shall be subject to a civil penalty of not less than $10,000 for such failure.

Section II. Specific Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) Grant Assurances

The LEA assures that funds shall only be used for any of the following:
- Coordination of preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies with State, local, Tribal, and territorial public health departments, and other relevant agencies, to improve coordinated responses among such entities to
prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus.

- Providing principals and others school leaders with the resources necessary to address the needs of their individual schools.
- Activities to address the unique needs of low-income children or students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and foster care youth, including how outreach and service delivery will meet the needs of each population.
- Developing and implementing procedures and systems to improve the preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies.
- Training and professional development for staff of the local educational agency on sanitation and minimizing the spread of infectious diseases.
- Purchasing supplies to sanitize and clean the facilities of a local educational agency, including buildings operated by such agency.
- Planning for and coordinating during long-term closures, including for how to provide meals to eligible students, how to provide technology for online learning to all students, how to provide guidance for carrying out requirements under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. 1401 et seq.) and how to ensure other educational services can continue to be provided consistent with all Federal, State, and local requirements.
- Purchasing educational technology (including hardware, software, and connectivity) for students who are served by the local educational agency that aids in regular and substantive educational interaction between students and their classroom instructors, including low-income students and students with disabilities, which may include assistive technology or adaptive equipment.
- Providing mental health services and supports.
- Planning and implementing activities related to summer learning and supplemental afterschool programs, including providing classroom instruction or online learning during the summer months and addressing the needs of low income students, students with disabilities, English learners, migrant students, students experiencing homelessness, and children in foster care.
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- School facility repairs and improvements to enable operation of schools to reduce risk of virus transmission and exposure to environmental health hazards, and to support student health needs.
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- Other activities that are necessary to maintain the operation of and continuity of services in local educational agencies and continuing to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.

Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA shall comply with all applicable requirements of the Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) authorized by the Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act, 2021 (CRRSAA), including:

CONTINUED PAYMENT TO EMPLOYEES
SEC. 18006. A local educational agency, State, institution of higher education, or other entity that receives funds under “Education Stabilization Fund”, shall to the greatest extent practicable, continue to pay its employees and contractors during the period of any disruptions or closures related to coronavirus.

Certification
To the best of my knowledge and belief, all the information and data in this agreement are true and correct. I acknowledge and agree that the failure to comply with all Assurances and Certifications in this Agreement, all relevant provisions and requirements of the CARES Act, Pub. L. No. 116-136 (March 27, 2020), or any other applicable law or regulation may result in
liability under the False Claims Act, 31 U.S.C. § 3729, et seq.; OMB Guidelines to Agencies on Governmentwide Debarment and Suspension (Nonprocurement) in 2 CFR part 180, as adopted and amended as regulations of the Department in 2 CFR part 3485; and 18 USC § 1001, as appropriate.

Electronic Signature | Robert A Schiltz
Date | 05/05/2021

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Per narrative, This position will be responsible for developing and implementing a program to provide resources and strategies to students and families dealing with aspects of social emotional stress and the issues that coincide with that stress. Student counseling services, coordinating local professional resources with students/families in need, and peer mentoring are examples of strategies to be implemented. Resources/strategies from the Northwest Kansas Educational Service Center's Project EVERS will also be implemented through this position.

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Applicant details

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Unified School District

Applicant / Entity Name

USD 320 Wamego

Applicant / Mailing Address

1008 8th Street
Wamego, KS 66547

Applicant / First and Last Name of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director

Tim Winter, Superintendent

Applicant / Email Address of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director

wintert@usd320.com

Applicant / Phone Number

785-456-7643

All questions in the section below are optional, and offer an opportunity to upload or enter information that is typically asked for on grant opportunities.

(for EANS and ESSER grant applications - please skip the questions below, and scroll to the bottom to complete your User Profile information.)

Applicant / Federal EIN (if applicable)

480699341

Applicant / Website Address (if applicable)

www.usd320.com

Applicant / W9 or Year-end Financial Statement (if applicable)

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Application details

Full District Name | Wamego Public Schools
District Number | 320
Mailing Address | 1008 8th Street
City | Wamego
Zip Code | 66547
Authorized Representative of the District | Kathryn Mayeld
Authorized Representative of the District | Business Manager/Board Clerk
Authorized Representative of the District | mayieldk@usd320.com
Authorized Representative of the District | +17854567643
Would you like to additional district representatives to the application? | Yes
Other District Representative 1 | wintert@usd320.com
Other District Representative 2 | meitlers@usd320.com

Please briefly describe the impacts of COVID-19 on the district and its Pre-K through 12 students, including any relevant data where possible (e.g., cost impact, learning loss, emotional impact on students). If there has been a disproportionate impact on a special population in the district (e.g., students with disabilities, English Learners, students in foster care, students in poverty, etc.), please describe the impact and provide the number of Pre-K through 12 students in that population.
Students’ social and emotional states have suffered due to hybrid, wearing masks, using desk shields, and cohorting. Current 1st grade students missed a quarter of their foundational learning in reading and number sense in Kindergarten. 42% of 1st grade students had no risk in FASTbridge in the fall and that fell to only 30% in the Winter. Because of the lost learning, students are not able to typically progress. Some of our most needy families continue to struggle with accessing community resources and mental health support. High school students’ feeling of isolation has increased, creating a need for positive peer interactions.

Does the district have remaining ESSER I funding that it has not yet spent as of the date of ESSER II application submission? Yes

Please summarize how the district will use its remaining ESSER I and ESSER I SPED funding and what it hopes to accomplish with these funds. Remaining funds are encumbered but not paid out as of this date. Funding is for air filtration, PPE, sanitizing and cleaning supplies. ($1259.71)

Please review the following allowable uses of ESSER II funds before completing the narrative and Excel template portion of the application.

- Coordination of preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies with State, local, Tribal, and territorial public health departments, and other relevant agencies, to improve coordinated responses among such entities to prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus.
- Providing principals and others school leaders with the resources necessary to address the needs of their individual schools.
- Activities to address the unique needs of low-income children or students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and foster care youth, including how outreach and service delivery will meet the needs of each population.
- Developing and implementing procedures and systems to improve the preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies.
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- Purchasing supplies to sanitize and clean the facilities of a local educational agency, including buildings operated by such agency.
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- Providing mental health services and supports.
- Planning and implementing activities related to summer learning and supplemental afterschool programs, including providing classroom instruction or online learning during the summer months and addressing the needs of low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, migrant students, students experiencing homelessness, and children in foster care.
• Addressing learning loss among students, including low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and children and youth in foster care, of the local educational agency, including by—(A) Administering and using high-quality assessments that are valid and reliable, to accurately assess students’ academic progress and assist educators in meeting students’ academic needs, including through differentiating instruction. (B) Implementing evidence-based activities to meet the comprehensive needs of students. (C) Providing information and assistance to parents and families on how they can effectively support students, including in a distance learning environment. (D) Tracking student attendance and improving student engagement in distance education.

• School facility repairs and improvements to enable operation of schools to reduce risk of virus transmission and exposure to environmental health hazards, and to support student health needs.

• Inspection, testing, maintenance, repair, replacement, and upgrade projects to improve the indoor air quality in school facilities, including mechanical and non-mechanical heating, ventilation, and air conditioning systems, filtering, purification and other air cleaning, fans, control systems, and window and door repair and replacement.

• Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities.

• Other activities that are necessary to maintain the operation of and continuity of services in local educational agencies and continuing to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.

Please note: “Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities,” identified as an allowable use under ESSER III in the American Rescue Plan, is also permissible under ESSER II.

Plan for ESSER II Direct District Allocation and KSDE Per-Student Additional Allocation (If Applicable)

Please summarize how the district proposes using its ESSER II direct district allocation (and its KSDE per-student additional allocation, if applicable) to address incremental COVID-19 needs.

Summer learning will be offered to those elementary students who are most at risk of continuing to fall behind reading and math expectations. Summer learning for our Kindergarten through 2nd grade students will focus on foundational reading skills such as phonemic awareness, phonological awareness, phonics, and fluency. Students in grade 3 through 5 will focus on fluency and comprehension reading skills as well as basic math skills necessary for progression to the upper grades. We will utilize approximately 16 staff to service about 100 students in our elementary summer academy. Our middle school summer academy will provide learning opportunities based on the KSDE’s competencies and provide a structure for social emotional learning. 7 staff will service approximately 60 students at our middle school. Our high school summer learning academy will provide experiences for students who need additional social emotional support. The high school summer academy will employ 3 teachers to serve about 40 students who need additional academic, postsecondary success, and emotional support. 2 ESOL certified teachers and one ESOL paraprofessional will support 10 students with limited English proficiency. All summer academies will run for 15 days with 4 hours/day of instruction. We will also use funds for air filtration, PPE, sanitizing, and cleaning supplies. Additional CNA staff will remain with the district to assist our nursing staff to meet the health needs of our students. An additional bus driver will remain on staff to provide transportation for our at risk students who live in city limits, but struggle to get to school. Funding will provide instructional support to our middle school teachers to help address the learning loss through an MTSS facilitator. An additional counselor at the high school will provide mental and social support.

How will the district determine the impact of its ESSER II direct district allocation expenditures (and additional per-student allocation, if applicable) on students?

aReading and aMath scores should improve and progress monitoring will be used for our early reading students. We should see students’ scores improve with their attendance in our summer learning program. More families will utilize the mental health and community resources available to them. MTSS will be implemented with fidelity and instructional support will be in place at Wamego Middle School. Sanitation and cleaning will continue to be provided so that our students and staff can stay healthy. High school students mental, social, and emotional needs will be met more effectively. Interim assessment scores will improve over time.

Notes on ESSER II application Excel template:
Plans and budgets should be submitted for at least a 12 month period but do not need to account for the full duration of the program or the full allocation amount. Funds will remain accessible to the LEA until September 30, 2023 and there will be additional opportunities to submit further requests/plans in the future.

Following ESSER II application approval and initiation of funds draw down, districts will be required to report to the Commissioner’s Task Force on ESSER II expenditures and impact on a monthly basis throughout the program. This ESSER II reporting will be required as a part of regular ESSER program reporting, which will capture past expenditures across funding streams (ESSER I, ESSER I SPED, ESSER II, ESSER II SPED, ESSER II KSDE Per Student Allocation). Districts may be asked to provide expenditures by fund, function, object, account, and ESSER II allowable use as part of ongoing ESSER reporting.

This reporting will not replace any reporting required by the federal government. KSDE will work to maximize compatibility between its reporting requirements and those of the federal government as much as possible to minimize burden on districts.

Please download and complete the ESSER II application template [here](https://example.com) to provide details on ESSER II budgeted expenditures across allowable uses and KSDE accounting codes.

**Local Education Agency (LEA) Assurances**

**Section I. General Grant Assurances for Federal Funds**

Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA will comply with all requirements of:

The LEA will make a good faith effort, on a continuing basis, to maintain a drug-free workplace, in accordance with the measures in 34 CFR Part 84, Subpart B and the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988;

The Education Department General Administrative Regulations (EDGAR) 34 CFR 76 requirements, including:

34 CFR §76.500(a) Federal statutes and regulations on nondiscrimination.

(a) A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the following statutes and regulations:


- Discrimination on the basis of age | The Age Discrimination Act (42 U.S.C. 6101 et seq.) | 34 CFR part 110.

(b) A State or subgrantee that is a covered entity as defined in §108.3 of this title shall comply with the nondiscrimination requirements of the Boy Scouts of America Equal Access Act, 20 U.S.C. 7905, 34 CFR part 108.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))


34 CFR §76.650 Private schools; purpose of §§76.651-76.662.

(a) Under some programs, the authorizing statute requires that a State and its subgrantees provide for participation by students enrolled in private schools. Sections 76.651-76.662 apply to those programs and provide rules for that participation. These sections do not affect the authority of the State or a subgrantee to enter into a contract with a private party.

(b) If any other rules for participation of students enrolled in private schools apply under a particular program, they are in the authorizing statute or implementing regulations for that program.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3 and 3474)

34 CFR §76.700 Compliance with statutes, regulations, State plan, and applications.

A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the State plan and applicable statutes, regulations, and approved applications, and
shall use Federal funds in accordance with those statutes, regulations, plan, and applications.
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))
34 CFR §76.701 The State or subgrantee administers or supervises each project.
A State or a subgrantee shall directly administer or supervise the administration of each project.
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))
34 CFR §76.702 Fiscal control and fund accounting procedures.
A State and a subgrantee shall use fiscal control and fund accounting procedures that insure proper disbursement of and accounting for Federal funds.
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))
34 CFR §76.709 Funds may be obligated during a “carryover period.”
(a) If a State or a subgrantee does not obligate all of its grant or subgrant funds by the end of the fiscal year for which Congress appropriated the funds, it may obligate the remaining funds during a carryover period of one additional fiscal year.
(b) The State shall return to the Federal Government any carryover funds not obligated by the end of the carryover period by the State and its subgrantees.
(Authority: U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1225(b), and 3474)
34 CFR §76.722 Subgrantee reporting requirements.
A State may require a subgrantee to submit reports in a manner and format that assists the State in complying with the requirements under 34 CFR 76.720 and in carrying out other responsibilities under the program.
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1231a, and 3474)
[72 FR 3703, Jan. 25, 2007]
34 CFR §76.730 Records related to grant funds.
A State and a subgrantee shall keep records that fully show:
(a) The amount of funds under the grant or subgrant;
(b) How the State or subgrantee uses the funds;
(c) The total cost of the project;
(d) The share of that cost provided from other sources; and
(e) Other records to facilitate an effective audit.
(Approved by the Office of Management and Budget under control number 1880-0513)
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1232f)
34 CFR §76.731 Records related to compliance.
A State and a subgrantee shall keep records to show its compliance with program requirements.
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))
The Uniform Grant Guidance, 2 CFR §200 all applicable subrecipient requirements, including but not limited to:
2 CFR Subpart D – Post Federal Award Requirements
§200.302 Financial management.
§200.303 Internal controls.
§200.305 Payment.
§200.313 Equipment.
§200.314 Supplies.
§200.318 General procurement standards.
§200.320 Methods of procurement to be followed;
2 CFR 200 Subpart E: Cost Principles:
§200.403 Factors affecting allowability of costs.
§200.404 Reasonable costs.
§200.405 Allocable costs.
§200.413 Direct costs.
§200.415 Required certifications.
§200.430 Compensation—personal services.
The Debarment and Suspension, 34 CFR Part 85, Section 85.510, Participants’ Responsibilities and makes the following certification by signing this application:
The prospective lower-tier participant certifies, by submission of this proposal, that neither it nor its principals is presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction by any federal department or agency.

Where the prospective lower-tier participant is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, such prospective participant shall attach an explanation to this proposal.

This certification is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was made or entered into. Submission of this certification is a prerequisite for making or entering into this transaction imposed by Section 1352, Title 31, U.S. Code. Any person who fails to file the required certification shall be subject to a civil penalty of not less than $10,000 for such failure.

Section II. Specific Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) Grant Assurances

The LEA assures that funds shall only be used for any of the following:

- Coordination of preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies with State, local, Tribal, and territorial public health departments, and other relevant agencies, to improve coordinated responses among such entities to prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus.
- Providing principals and others school leaders with the resources necessary to address the needs of their individual schools.
- Activities to address the unique needs of low-income children or students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and foster care youth, including how outreach and service delivery will meet the needs of each population.
- Developing and implementing procedures and systems to improve the preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies.
- Training and professional development for staff of the local educational agency on sanitation and minimizing the spread of infectious diseases.
- Purchasing supplies to sanitize and clean the facilities of a local educational agency, including buildings operated by such agency.
- Planning for and coordinating during long-term closures, including for how to provide meals to eligible students, how to provide technology for online learning to all students, how to provide guidance for carrying out requirements under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. 1401 et seq.) and how to ensure other educational services can continue to be provided consistent with all Federal, State, and local requirements.
- Purchasing educational technology (including hardware, software, and connectivity) for students who are served by the local educational agency that aids in regular and substantive educational interaction between students and their classroom instructors, including low-income students and students with disabilities, which may include assistive technology or adaptive equipment.
- Providing mental health services and supports.
- Planning and implementing activities related to summer learning and supplemental afterschool programs, including providing classroom instruction or online learning during the summer months and addressing the needs of low income students, students with disabilities, English learners, migrant students, students experiencing homelessness, and children in foster care.
- Addressing learning loss among students, including low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and children and youth in foster care, of the local educational agency, including by—(A) Administering and using high-quality assessments that are valid and reliable, to accurately assess students’ academic progress and assist educators in meeting students’ academic needs, including through differentiating instruction. (B) Implementing evidence-based activities to meet the comprehensive needs of students. (C) Providing
information and assistance to parents and families on how they can effectively support students, including in a distance learning environment. (D) Tracking student attendance and improving student engagement in distance education.

- School facility repairs and improvements to enable operation of schools to reduce risk of virus transmission and exposure to environmental health hazards, and to support student health needs.
- Inspection, testing, maintenance, repair, replacement, and upgrade projects to improve the indoor air quality in school facilities, including mechanical and non-mechanical heating, ventilation, and air conditioning systems, filtering, purification and other air cleaning, fans, control systems, and window and door repair and replacement.
- Other activities that are necessary to maintain the operation of and continuity of services in local educational agencies and continuing to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.

Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA shall comply with all applicable requirements of the Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) authorized by the Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act, 2021 (CRRSAA), including:

CONTINUED PAYMENT TO EMPLOYEES

SEC. 18006. A local educational agency, State, institution of higher education, or other entity that receives funds under "Education Stabilization Fund", shall to the greatest extent practicable, continue to pay its employees and contractors during the period of any disruptions or closures related to coronavirus.

Certification

To the best of my knowledge and belief, all the information and data in this agreement are true and correct. I acknowledge and agree that the failure to comply with all Assurances and Certifications in this Agreement, all relevant provisions and requirements of the CARES Act, Pub. L. No. 116-136 (March 27, 2020), or any other applicable law or regulation may result in liability under the False Claims Act, 31 U.S.C. § 3729, et seq.; OMB Guidelines to Agencies on Governmentwide Debarment and Suspension (Nonprocurement) in 2 CFR part 180, as adopted and amended as regulations of the Department in 2 CFR part 3485; and 18 USC § 1001, as appropriate.

Electronic Signature │ Kathryn Mayfield

Date │ 04/26/2021

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Expenditure 320-1-002
- Addressing learning loss among students, including vulnerable populations
- Assisting students who have fallen behind due to COVID-19
- Teacher salaries for summer learning for students who are most at risk of continuing to fall behind in reading and math expectations due to COVID-19.
- Summer learning for our Kindergarten through 2nd grade students will focus on foundational reading skills such as phonemic awareness, phonological awareness, phonics, and fluency. Students in grade 3 through 5 will focus on fluency and comprehension reading skills as well as basic math skills necessary for progression to the upper grades. MS 6-8 will also focus on reading and math skills as well as social emotion needs/learning. We will utilize approximately 28 staff to service about 160.

Expenditure 320-1-003
- Addressing learning loss among students, including vulnerable populations
- Assisting students who have fallen behind due to COVID-19
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Expenditure 320-1-004
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- Assisting students who have fallen behind due to COVID-19
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Applicant details

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Select an Applicant Type | Unified School District

Applicant / Entity Name | USD 323 Rock Creek

Applicant / Mailing Address
9353 Flush Road
St. George, KS 66535

Applicant / First and Last Name of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director | Kevin Logan

Applicant / Email Address of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director | logank@rockcreekschools.org

Applicant / Phone Number | 785-494-8597

All questions in the section below are optional, and offer an opportunity to upload or enter information that is typically asked for on grant opportunities.

(for EANS and ESSER grant applications - please skip the questions below, and scroll to the bottom to complete your User Profile information.)

Application details

Full District Name | Rock Creek

District Number | 323
Please briefly describe the impacts of COVID-19 on the district and its Pre-K through 12 students, including any relevant data where possible (e.g., cost impact, learning loss, emotional impact on students). If there has been a disproportionate impact on a special population in the district (e.g., students with disabilities, English Learners, students in foster care, students in poverty, etc.), please describe the impact and provide the number of Pre-K through 12 students in that population.

The mission of USD 323 Rock Creek has been negatively impacted during both the 2019-2020 and 2020-2021 School years. The abrupt cancellation of classes and the move to our “Continuous Learning” format in March 2020 slowed or stopped the academic growth of many of our most at-risk students, 564 of our 1150 students meet one or more of the at-risk criteria. The choice of a “remote” learning option, and the disruptions caused by student and staff quarantines, further advanced learning loss, especially for the at-risk children. In addition to learning remotely; our in-person learners and staff had to communicate while having their faces covered. We also took time hourly to wash or sanitize our hands and cleaning frequently touched surfaces, taking even more time away from the teaching/learning process. In both school years, the educational environment was not ideal and teachers could not be as effective as they have been in previous years in educating our children.

Does the district have remaining ESSER I funding that it has not yet spent as of the date of ESSER II application submission?

Please summarize how the district will use its remaining ESSER I and ESSER I SPED funding and what it hopes to accomplish with these funds.

ESSER I Sped funding was used for extra duty pay for both certified professionals and paraprofessionals because of the extra duties caused by the Covid 19 Pandemic in the 2020-21 school year. The extra duty pay for certified professionals covered the additional time required for new duties with writing Remote Learning Plans (RLP) to provide compliant IEPs for remote/hybrid learning and implementation. This work included writing the RLPs, communicating with the team, communicating with parents/guardians, scheduling meetings, attending IEP amendment meetings, sending out letters,
implementing the RLP, implementing remote/hybrid learning, modified quarantines, RLP services documentation, etc. The extra duty pay for paraprofessionals included new duties with serving more students in groups than typical because of limited grouping options due to C-19 exposure, increased instructional duties, cleaning/sanitizing of materials and surfaces between groups, supporting students in remote learning and modified quarantines, and para workload increase due to covering absences of other paras with Covid positive test or exposure.

Please review the following allowable uses of ESSER II funds before completing the narrative and Excel template portion of the application.

- Coordination of preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies with State, local, Tribal, and territorial public health departments, and other relevant agencies, to improve coordinated responses among such entities to prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus.
- Providing principals and others school leaders with the resources necessary to address the needs of their individual schools.
- Activities to address the unique needs of low-income children or students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and foster care youth, including how outreach and service delivery will meet the needs of each population.
- Developing and implementing procedures and systems to improve the preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies.
- Training and professional development for staff of the local educational agency on sanitation and minimizing the spread of infectious diseases.
- Purchasing supplies to sanitize and clean the facilities of a local educational agency, including buildings operated by such agency.
- Planning for, coordinating, and implementing activities during long-term closures, including providing meals to eligible students, providing technology for online learning to all students, providing guidance for carrying out requirements under the IDEA and ensuring other educational services can continue to be provided consistent with all Federal, State, and local requirements.
- Purchasing educational technology (including hardware, software, and connectivity) for students who are served by the local educational agency that aids in regular and substantive educational interaction between students and their classroom instructors, including low-income students and children with disabilities, which may include assistive technology or adaptive equipment.
- Providing mental health services and supports.
- Planning and implementing activities related to summer learning and supplemental afterschool programs, including providing classroom instruction or online learning during the summer months and addressing the needs of low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, migrant students, students experiencing homelessness, and children in foster care.
- Addressing learning loss among students, including low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and children in foster care, of the local educational agency, including by—(A) Administering and using high-quality assessments that are valid and reliable, to accurately assess students’ academic progress and assist educators in meeting students’ academic needs, including through differentiating instruction. (B) Implementing evidence-based activities to meet the comprehensive needs of students. (C) Providing information and assistance to parents and families on how they can effectively support students, including in a distance learning environment. (D) Tracking student attendance and improving student engagement in distance education.
- School facility repairs and improvements to enable operation of schools to reduce risk of virus transmission and exposure to environmental health hazards, and to support student health needs.
- Inspection, testing, maintenance, repair, replacement, and upgrade projects to improve the indoor air quality in school facilities, including mechanical and non-mechanical heating, ventilation, and air conditioning systems, filtering, purification and other air cleaning, fans, control systems, and window and door repair and replacement.
• Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities.
• Other activities that are necessary to maintain the operation of and continuity of services in local educational agencies and continuing to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.

Please note: "Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities," identified as an allowable use under ESSER III in the American Rescue Plan, is also permissible under ESSER II.

Plan for ESSER II Direct District Allocation and KSDE Per-Student Additional Allocation (If Applicable)

Please summarize how the district proposes using its ESSER II direct district allocation (and its KSDE per-student additional allocation, if applicable) to address incremental COVID-19 needs.

USD 323 has already used some ESSER 2 funds to:
Provide wellness/temperature checks when students & staff enter the building,
Subscribe to learning links (software and on-line programming) when students chose remote or when they were quarantined, and
Hire licensed staff to direct and monitor “remote” learners.
USD 323 will use ESSER 2 funds to:
Offer a meaningful and focused summer school opportunity for our most at-risk students,
Present targeted professional development opportunities for our faculty on trauma, specifically related to trauma experienced during the Covid pandemic,
Extend learning opportunities beyond the regular school day, and
Supply teachers with additional resources: i.e. hands-on, software, and workbook based to help with learning loss during the pandemic.

How will the district determine the impact of its ESSER II direct district allocation expenditures (and additional per-student allocation, if applicable) on students?

USD 323 Rock Creek will/has look(ed) at:
Our student growth on: State Assessments, Nationally Normed Assessment (FastBridge), and Classroom Assessments.
Our student attendance rate should improve; we will not have remote learners, quarantines will lessen, and our in-person student numbers will increase as students return from other non-USD 323 virtual and homeschool options, and
We have already seen a drop in the number of lost student days resulting from fewer quarantines, due to lessening Covid exposure and good hygiene through wellness/temperature checks.

Notes on ESSER II application Excel template:

• Plans and budgets should be submitted for at least a 12 month period but do not need to account for the full duration of the program or the full allocation amount. Funds will remain accessible to the LEA until September 30, 2023 and there will be additional opportunities to submit further requests/plans in the future.
• Following ESSER II application approval and initiation of funds draw down, districts will be required to report to the Commissioner’s Task Force on ESSER II expenditures and impact on a monthly basis throughout the program. This ESSER II reporting will be required as a part of regular ESSER program reporting, which will capture past expenditures across funding streams (ESSER I, ESSER I SPED, ESSER II, ESSER II SPED, ESSER II KSDE Per Student Allocation). Districts may be asked to provide expenditures by fund, function, object, account, and ESSER II allowable use as part of ongoing ESSER reporting.
• This reporting will not replace any reporting required by the federal government. KSDE will work to maximize compatibility between its reporting requirements and those of the federal government as much as possible to minimize burden on districts.

Please download and complete the ESSER II application template here to provide details on ESSER II budgeted expenditures across allowable uses and KSDE accounting codes.
Local Education Agency (LEA) Assurances

Section I. General Grant Assurances for Federal Funds

Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA will comply with all requirements of:

The LEA will make a good faith effort, on a continuing basis, to maintain a drug-free workplace, in accordance with the measures in 34 CFR Part 84, Subpart B and the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988;

The Education Department General Administrative Regulations (EDGAR) 34 CFR 76 requirements, including:

34 CFR §76.500(a) Federal statutes and regulations on nondiscrimination.

(a) A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the following statutes and regulations:

- Discrimination on the basis of age | The Age Discrimination Act (42 U.S.C. 6101 et seq.) | 34 CFR part 110.

(b) A State or subgrantee that is a covered entity as defined in §108.3 of this title shall comply with the nondiscrimination requirements of the Boy Scouts of America Equal Access Act, 20 U.S.C. 7905, 34 CFR part 108.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))


34 CFR §76.650 Private schools; purpose of §§76.651-76.662.

(a) Under some programs, the authorizing statute requires that a State and its subgrantees provide for participation by students enrolled in private schools. Sections 76.651-76.662 apply to those programs and provide rules for that participation. These sections do not affect the authority of the State or a subgrantee to enter into a contract with a private party.

(b) If any other rules for participation of students enrolled in private schools apply under a particular program, they are in the authorizing statute or implementing regulations for that program.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3 and 3474)

34 CFR §76.700 Compliance with statutes, regulations, State plan, and applications.

A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the State plan and applicable statutes, regulations, and approved applications, and shall use Federal funds in accordance with those statutes, regulations, plan, and applications.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.701 The State or subgrantee administers or supervises each project.

A State or a subgrantee shall directly administer or supervise the administration of each project.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.702 Fiscal control and fund accounting procedures.

A State and a subgrantee shall use fiscal control and fund accounting procedures that insure proper disbursement of and accounting for Federal funds.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.709 Funds may be obligated during a “carryover period.”

(a) If a State or a subgrantee does not obligate all of its grant or subgrant funds by the end of the fiscal year for which Congress appropriated the funds, it may obligate the remaining funds during a carryover period of one additional fiscal year.

(b) The State shall return to the Federal Government any carryover funds not obligated by the end of the carryover period by the State and its subgrantees.

(Authority: U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1225(b), and 3474)

34 CFR §76.722 Subgrantee reporting requirements.  
A State may require a subgrantee to submit reports in a manner and format that assists the State in complying with the requirements under 34 CFR 76.720 and in carrying out other responsibilities under the program.  
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1231a, and 3474)  
[72 FR 3703, Jan. 25, 2007]  

34 CFR §76.730 Records related to grant funds.  
A State and a subgrantee shall keep records that fully show:  
(a) The amount of funds under the grant or subgrant;  
(b) How the State or subgrantee uses the funds;  
(c) The total cost of the project;  
(d) The share of that cost provided from other sources; and  
(e) Other records to facilitate an effective audit.  
(Approved by the Office of Management and Budget under control number 1880-0513)  
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1232f)  

34 CFR §76.731 Records related to compliance.  
A State and a subgrantee shall keep records to show its compliance with program requirements.  
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))  
The Uniform Grant Guidance, 2 CFR §200 all applicable subrecipient requirements, including but not limited to:  
2 CFR Subpart D – Post Federal Award Requirements  
§200.302 Financial management.  
§200.303 Internal controls.  
§200.305 Payment.  
§200.313 Equipment.  
§200.314 Supplies.  
§200.318 General procurement standards.  
§200.320 Methods of procurement to be followed;  
2 CFR 200 Subpart E: Cost Principles:  
§200.403 Factors affecting allowability of costs.  
§200.404 Reasonable costs.  
§200.405 Allocable costs.  
§200.413 Direct costs.  
§200.415 Required certifications.  
§200.430 Compensation—personal services.  
The Debarment and Suspension, 34 CFR Part 85, Section 85.510, Participants’ Responsibilities and makes the following certification by signing this application:  
The prospective lower-tier participant certifies, by submission of this proposal, that neither it nor its principals is presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction by any federal department or agency.  
Where the prospective lower-tier participant is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, such prospective participant shall attach an explanation to this proposal.  
This certification is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was made or entered into. Submission of this certification is a prerequisite for making or entering into this transaction imposed by Section 1352, Title 31, U.S. Code. Any person who fails to file the required certification shall be subject to a civil penalty of not less than $10,000 for such failure.  

Section II. Specific Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) Grant Assurances  
The LEA assures that funds shall only be used for any of the following:  
• Any activity authorized by the ESEA of 1965, including the Native Hawaiian Education Act and the Alaska Native Educational Equity, Support, and Assistance Act (20 U.S.C. 6301 et seq.), the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. 1400 et

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| 323-1-001     | Eligible           | Direct Allocation | Support Services - Instruction | Purchased Professional &amp; Technical Services | 10. Providing mental health services and supports | Training to all staff on Trauma Informed Care especially the impact due to covid-19. | $5,000 | $- | $5,000 | $- | $- | $- | 67310 |
| 323-1-002     | Eligible           | Direct Allocation | Instruction | General Supplies and Materials (includes computer software) | 12. Addressing learning loss among students, including vulnerable populations | Purchase of Math Manipulatives and other curricular resources for Math. Local assessment data indicates learning loss related to math during the covid-19 timeframe. | $31,100 | $- | $31,100 | $- | $- | $- | 67250 |
| 323-1-003     | Eligible           | Direct Allocation | Instruction | Software Services | 9. Purchasing educational technology (including hardware, software, and connectivity) for the LEA's students | Acellus and Edenuity will provide supplemental instructional and curricular resources to address learning needs of students in a remote environment. In addition these programs will be used to supplement in class teacher instruction. Need for this is due to loss of instruction time during covid-19. | $42,622 | $35,061 | $7,561 | $- | $- | $- | 67210 |
| 323-1-004     | Eligible           | Direct Allocation | Instruction | Regular Non-Certified Salaries | 5. Procedures and systems to improve LEA preparedness and response efforts | Utilized instructional aides for temperature checks each morning upon arrival of staff and students during covid-19 in school instructional days. | $5,500 | $5,500 | $- | $- | $- | $- | 67205 |
| 323-1-005 | Eligible | Direct Allocation | Instruction | Social Security Contributions | 5. Procedures and systems to improve LEA preparedness and response efforts | Social Security matching for Instructional Aide salaries taking temperature checks for the 2020-21 school year. | $421 | $421 | $- | $- | $- | 67207 |
| 323-1-006 | Eligible | Direct Allocation | Instruction | Regular Certified Salaries | 11A. Planning and implementing summer learning or enrichment programs | Certified staff identified students with learning loss during covid-19 timeframe, will offer additional resources for 12 additional days in June for 125 students of District enrollment of 1161 and into the next school year for Middle School Students three days a week/ 1.5 hours a day. | $25,327 | $18,814 | $6,513 | $- | $- | 67205 |
| 323-1-007 | Eligible | Direct Allocation | Instruction | Regular Certified Salaries | 12. Addressing learning loss among students, including vulnerable populations | Hired an additional certified instructor to help with remote learners that were not otherwise able to attend school in person during covid-19 | $45,685 | $45,685 | $- | $- | $- | 67205 |
| 323-1-008 | Eligible | Direct Allocation | Instruction | Group Insurance | 12. Addressing learning loss among students, including vulnerable populations | Health insurance group coverage for an additional staff member hired to support remote learners during 2020-21 school year | $5,662 | $5,662 | $- | $- | $- | 67206 |
| 323-1-009 | Eligible | Direct Allocation | Instruction | Social Security Contributions | 12. Addressing learning loss among students, including vulnerable populations | Social Security Matching for an additional staff member hired to support remote learners during 2020-21 school year | $2,949 | $2,949 | $- | $- | $- | 67207 |</p>
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Applicant details

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| Unified School District |

Applicant / Entity Name

| Cunningham USD 332 |

Applicant / Mailing Address

| PO Box 67  
104 W 4th St  
Cunningham, KS 67035 |

Applicant / First and Last Name of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director

| Robert Reed |

Applicant / Email Address of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director

| robert.reed@usd332.com |

Applicant / Phone Number

| 620-298-3271 |

All questions in the section below are optional, and offer an opportunity to upload or enter information that is typically asked for on grant opportunities.

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Applicant / Federal EIN (if applicable)

| 48-0698617 |

Fiscal Agent / Name (if applicable)

| Stacy Webster |

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| stacy.webster@usd332.com |
Please briefly describe the impacts of COVID-19 on the district and its Pre-K through 12 students, including any relevant data where possible (e.g., cost impact, learning loss, emotional impact on students). If there has been a disproportionate impact on a special population in the district (e.g., students with disabilities, English Learners, students in foster care, students in poverty, etc.), please describe the impact and provide the number of Pre-K through 12 students in that population.

Due to the rural demographics of our district, many students had issues with accessing the digital resources that we offered during remote learning. Several students did not complete work and their grades suffered because of this issue. Some students had to be brought in to school for one-on-one learning to address missing assignments and learning loss while their peers were in remote learning due to their failure to be able to access the internet or to turn in assignments because of poor parental support. Several students missed speech services, para, or resource support because they did not have internet access or parental support.

Does the district have remaining ESSER II funding that it has not yet spent as of the date of ESSER II application submission?

No

- Coordination of preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies with State, local, Tribal, and territorial public health departments, and other relevant agencies, to improve coordinated responses among such entities to prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus.
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- Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities.
- Other activities that are necessary to maintain the operation of and continuity of services in local educational agencies and continuing to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.

Please note: "Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities," identified as an allowable use under ESSER III in the American Rescue Plan, is also permissible under ESSER II.

Plan for ESSER II Direct District Allocation and KSDE Per-Student Additional Allocation (If Applicable)

Please summarize how the district proposes using its ESSER II direct district allocation (and its KSDE per-student additional allocation, if applicable) to address incremental COVID-19 needs.
The district will offer a Jump Start summer program for grades K-8 in order to address deficiencies in reading and math. The funds will be used to pay teacher salaries for 2 weeks 4hrs/day for 5days/week during summer 2021 and summer 2022 and new MobyMax curriculum which can be accessed from school or home. For Grades 9-12 summer credit recovery will be offered. We would like to improve Wi-Fi performance by putting in additional wireless access points throughout all buildings. We will purchase 100 student chrome book laptops for grades 6th - 12th to improve distance learning and access. Our district will update HVAC systems in our K-2 classrooms in order to improve filtration and air quality.

How will the district determine the impact of its ESSER II direct district allocation expenditures (and additional per-student allocation, if applicable) on students?

Jump Start students will take pre- and post-assessments to show impact. Our connectivity will improve within the individual classrooms by adding wireless access points. This would help rural students during instances of remote learning because they would be able to access the broadband from outside of the building if they are not able to access the internet at home. We will provide devices to 100% of our secondary students. The HVAC improvements will help to improve student health and attendance. Our SIS will be used to track attendance records for comparison.

Notes on ESSER II application Excel template:

- Plans and budgets should be submitted for at least a 12 month period but do not need to account for the full duration of the program or the full allocation amount. Funds will remain accessible to the LEA until September 30, 2023 and there will be additional opportunities to submit further requests/plans in the future.
- Following ESSER II application approval and initiation of funds draw down, districts will be required to report to the Commissioner's Task Force on ESSER II expenditures and impact on a monthly basis throughout the program. This ESSER II reporting will be required as a part of regular ESSER program reporting, which will capture past expenditures across funding streams (ESSER I, ESSER I SPED, ESSER II, ESSER II SPED, ESSER II KSDE Per Student Allocation). Districts may be asked to provide expenditures by fund, function, object, account, and ESSER II allowable use as part of ongoing ESSER reporting.
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Please download and complete the ESSER II application template here to provide details on ESSER II budgeted expenditures across allowable uses and KSDE accounting codes.

Local Education Agency (LEA) Assurances

Section I. General Grant Assurances for Federal Funds

Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA will comply with all requirements of:
The LEA will make a good faith effort, on a continuing basis, to maintain a drug-free workplace, in accordance with the measures in 34 CFR Part 84, Subpart B and the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988;
The Education Department General Administrative Regulations (EDGAR) 34 CFR 76 requirements, including:
34 CFR §76.500(a) Federal statutes and regulations on nondiscrimination.
(a) A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the following statutes and regulations:


Discrimination on the basis of age | The Age Discrimination Act (42 U.S.C. 6101 et seq.) | 34 CFR part 110.

(b) A State or subgrantee that is a covered entity as defined in §108.3 of this title shall comply with the nondiscrimination requirements of the Boy Scouts of America Equal Access Act, 20 U.S.C. 7905, 34 CFR part 108.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))


34 CFR §76.650 Private schools; purpose of §§76.651-76.662.

(a) Under some programs, the authorizing statute requires that a State and its subgrantees provide for participation by students enrolled in private schools. Sections 76.651-76.662 apply to those programs and provide rules for that participation. These sections do not affect the authority of the State or a subgrantee to enter into a contract with a private party.

(b) If any other rules for participation of students enrolled in private schools apply under a particular program, they are in the authorizing statute or implementing regulations for that program.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3 and 3474)

34 CFR §76.700 Compliance with statutes, regulations, State plan, and applications.

A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the State plan and applicable statutes, regulations, and approved applications, and shall use Federal funds in accordance with those statutes, regulations, plan, and applications.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.701 The State or subgrantee administers or supervises each project.

A State or a subgrantee shall directly administer or supervise the administration of each project.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.702 Fiscal control and fund accounting procedures.

A State and a subgrantee shall use fiscal control and fund accounting procedures that insure proper disbursement of and accounting for Federal funds.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.709 Funds may be obligated during a “carryover period.”

(a) If a State or a subgrantee does not obligate all of its grant or subgrant funds by the end of the fiscal year for which Congress appropriated the funds, it may obligate the remaining funds during a carryover period of one additional fiscal year.

(b) The State shall return to the Federal Government any carryover funds not obligated by the end of the carryover period by the State and its subgrantees.

(Authority: U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1225(b), and 3474)


34 CFR §76.722 Subgrantee reporting requirements.

A State may require a subgrantee to submit reports in a manner and format that assists the State in complying with the requirements under 34 CFR 76.720 and in carrying out other responsibilities under the program.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1231a, and 3474)

[72 FR 3703, Jan. 25, 2007]

34 CFR §76.730 Records related to grant funds.

A State and a subgrantee shall keep records that fully show:

(a) The amount of funds under the grant or subgrant;

(b) How the State or subgrantee uses the funds;

(c) The total cost of the project;

(d) The share of that cost provided from other sources; and

(e) Other records to facilitate an effective audit.

(Approved by the Office of Management and Budget under control number 1880-0513)

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1232f)

34 CFR §76.731 Records related to compliance.
A State and a subgrantee shall keep records to show its compliance with program requirements.
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))
The Uniform Grant Guidance, 2 CFR §200 all applicable subrecipient requirements, including but not limited to:
2 CFR Subpart D – Post Federal Award Requirements
§200.302 Financial management.
§200.303 Internal controls.
§200.305 Payment.
§200.313 Equipment.
§200.314 Supplies.
§200.318 General procurement standards.
§200.320 Methods of procurement to be followed;
2 CFR 200 Subpart E: Cost Principles:
§200.403 Factors affecting allowability of costs.
§200.404 Reasonable costs.
§200.405 Allocable costs.
§200.413 Direct costs.
§200.415 Required certications.
§200.430 Compensation—personal services.
The Debarment and Suspension, 34 CFR Part 85, Section 85.510, Participants' Responsibilities and makes the following
certication by signing this application:
The prospective lower-tier participant certifies, by submission of this proposal, that neither it nor its principals is presently
debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this
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Where the prospective lower-tier participant is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certication, such prospective
participant shall attach an explanation to this proposal.
This certication is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was made or
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1352, Title 31, U.S. Code. Any person who fails to file the required certification shall be subject to a civil penalty of not less than
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Section II. Specific Elementary and Secondary School
Emergency Relief (ESSER) Grant Assurances

The LEA assures that funds shall only be used for any of the following:
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seq.) (“IDEA”), the Adult Education and Family Literacy Act (20 U.S.C. 1400 et seq.), the Carl D. Perkins Career and Technical
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<td>Per narrative, &quot;We would like to improve Wi-Fi performance by putting in additional wireless access points throughout all buildings. We will purchase 100 student chrome book laptops for grades 6th - 12th to improve distance learning and access.&quot;  Per applicant in response to an inquiry if technology addresses learning loss as identified in the narrative as well. &quot;Yes because this will provide 1 to 1 technology for all students 6-12 for at school and at home use in the event of remote learning. It will also allow for at home access to programs provided to help with learning loss.&quot; Allowable to a) reimburse the district for prior remote learning expenses b) incur new expenses related to actual current/perpetual remote learning circumstances, and/or c) to budget for potential future remote learning expenses. Please note that expenses should not be incurred to purchase property to hold in the unlikely event of potential future remote learning needs.</td>
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Applicant / Entity Name | Holton USD #336

Applicant / Mailing Address
515 Pennsylvania Ave.
Holton, KS 66436

Applicant / First and Last Name of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director | Robert Davies

Applicant / Email Address of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director | b.davies@holtonks.net

Applicant / Phone Number | 7853643650

All questions in the section below are optional, and offer an opportunity to upload or enter information that is typically asked for on grant opportunities.

(for EANS and ESSER grant applications - please skip the questions below, and scroll to the bottom to complete your User Profile information.)

Applicant / Board Member List (if applicable)

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Please briefly describe the impacts of COVID-19 on the district and its Pre-K through 12 students, including any relevant data where possible (e.g., cost impact, learning loss, emotional impact on students). If there has been a disproportionate impact on a special population in the district (e.g., students with disabilities, English Learners, students in foster care, students in poverty, etc.), please describe the impact and provide the number of Pre-K through 12 students in that population.

When the pandemic struck in March of 2020, our staff, families, and students were thrust into so much turmoil and uncertainty it is amazing we accomplished anything. We learned a lot about what we could expect from different ages and types of students. We were fortunate to remain in-person for most of the 2020-2021 school year, as long as we could keep staff healthy. We initially saw a lot of social emotional issues in the beginning of the school year and this will take some time to fully comprehend the damage created by the isolation that was caused from March until September. Districtwide we are showing loss in reading and have a few plans to help student make gains. The elementary needs some help with resources for Tier 2 and Tier 3 reading interventions. The MS and HS need someone to "push in" and sparingly "pull out" (much like Title services in our elementary school) to help deliver on demand tier 2 and tier 3 reading interventions. This person will also transition to help ELA teachers develop skills necessary to take over to help all students make the necessary gains to be able to keep up with peers. We have a Guatemalan population that would have been devastated had we not been in person in September. No special populations seem to have any extra issues and again, we are thankful we were able to be in-person.

Does the district have remaining ESSER funding that it has not yet spent as of | Yes |
the date of ESSER II application submission?

Please summarize how the district will use its remaining ESSER I and ESSER I SPED funding and what it hopes to accomplish with these funds.

We will use these funds like we will use ESSER II funds. To help better our students due to issues caused by the pandemic and we will use them for supplies to help keep us in session and in-person.

Please review the following allowable uses of ESSER II funds before completing the narrative and Excel template portion of the application.

- Coordination of preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies with State, local, Tribal, and territorial public health departments, and other relevant agencies, to improve coordinated responses among such entities to prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus.
- Providing principals and others school leaders with the resources necessary to address the needs of their individual schools.
- Activities to address the unique needs of low-income children or students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and foster care youth, including how outreach and service delivery will meet the needs of each population.
- Developing and implementing procedures and systems to improve the preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies.
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- Purchasing supplies to sanitize and clean the facilities of a local educational agency, including buildings operated by such agency.
- Planning for, coordinating, and implementing activities during long-term closures, including providing meals to eligible students, providing technology for online learning to all students, providing guidance for carrying out requirements under the IDEA and ensuring other educational services can continue to be provided consistent with all Federal, State, and local requirements.
- Purchasing educational technology (including hardware, software, and connectivity) for students who are served by the local educational agency that aids in regular and substantive educational interaction between students and their classroom instructors, including low-income students and children with disabilities, which may include assistive technology or adaptive equipment.
- Providing mental health services and supports.
- Planning and implementing activities related to summer learning and supplemental afterschool programs, including providing classroom instruction or online learning during the summer months and addressing the needs of low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, migrant students, students experiencing homelessness, and children in foster care.
- Addressing learning loss among students, including low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and children and youth in foster care, of the local educational agency, including by— (A) Administering and using high-quality assessments that are valid and reliable, to accurately assess students’ academic progress and assist educators in meeting students’ academic needs, including through differentiating instruction. (B) Implementing evidence-based activities to meet the comprehensive needs of students. (C) Providing information and assistance to parents and families on how they can effectively support students, including in a distance learning environment. (D) Tracking student attendance and improving student engagement in distance education.
- School facility repairs and improvements to enable operation of schools to reduce risk of virus transmission and exposure to environmental health hazards, and to support student health needs.
• Inspection, testing, maintenance, repair, replacement, and upgrade projects to improve the indoor air quality in school facilities, including mechanical and non-mechanical heating, ventilation, and air conditioning systems, filtering, purification and other air cleaning, fans, control systems, and window and door repair and replacement.

• Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities.

• Other activities that are necessary to maintain the operation of and continuity of services in local educational agencies and continuing to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.

**Please note:** “Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities,” identified as an allowable use under ESSER III in the American Rescue Plan, is also permissible under ESSER II.

### Plan for ESSER II Direct District Allocation and KSDE Per-Student Additional Allocation (If Applicable)

Please summarize how the district proposes using its ESSER II direct district allocation (and its KSDE per-student additional allocation, if applicable) to address incremental COVID-19 needs.

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| Our chart has details as well - We have identified through fastbridge testing from last year to this year that our number one issue, districtwide, is reading loss in many of our students. We have many student who require tier 2 and tier 3 reading interventions so we are asking for those resources upfront to start working on this now. The district just hired a curriculum director whose specialty is reading and the reading process and she is working after hours with us to look at data and our materials we have in place to assess what we have missing. We need resources Prek-5 and we need an interventionist (coach?) in the MS and HS to help retrain MS and HS staff on how to better help student with these skills. We are spending money on summer school for Grade K-12 to help kickstart this process as well. We have an aging HS facility that has an older HVAC system that is at end of life and a Capital Outlay budget that is not able to fix this all at once. We are charging 8 mills and receive 65% State Aid. We have been working with Trane the last three years to complete this in phases and we have unit ventilators we can not purchase parts for so ventilation in some areas has been sacrificed. We have work we can do this summer and add more to this to fix more areas. With Capital Outlay Being drained for HVAC, we also are requesting cleaning equipment and some fountain with bottle fillers so we can socially distance for the student who can not be vaccinated. We are also asking to be reimbursed for COVID leave like businesses were able to request. Again, the attachment has more details as well. |

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How will the district determine the impact of its ESSER II direct district allocation expenditures (and additional per-student allocation, if applicable) on students?

We will be able to assess our reading gains over the next three years with testing scores from Fastbridge as we have baseline data from 2020 and this school year and we can utilize other data points as well moving forward such as state assessments.

### Notes on ESSER II application Excel template:

• Plans and budgets should be submitted for at least a 12 month period but do not need to account for the full duration of the program or the full allocation amount. Funds will remain accessible to the LEA until September 30, 2023 and there will be additional opportunities to submit further requests/plans in the future.

• Following ESSER II application approval and initiation of funds draw down, districts will be required to report to the Commissioner's Task Force on ESSER II expenditures and impact on a monthly basis throughout the program. This ESSER II reporting will be required as a part of regular ESSER program reporting, which will capture past expenditures across funding streams (ESSER I, ESSER I SPED, ESSER II, ESSER II SPED, ESSER II KSDE Per Student Allocation). Districts may be asked to provide expenditures by fund, function, object, account, and ESSER II allowable use as part of ongoing ESSER reporting.

• This reporting will not replace any reporting required by the federal government. KSDE will work to maximize compatibility between its reporting requirements and those of the federal government as much as possible to minimize burden on districts.
Please download and complete the ESSER II application template [here](#) to provide details on ESSER II budgeted expenditures across allowable uses and KSDE accounting codes.

ESSERII-Holton USD #336 A... (150 KiB download)

**Local Education Agency (LEA) Assurances**

**Section I. General Grant Assurances for Federal Funds**

Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA will comply with all requirements of:

- The LEA will make a good faith effort, on a continuing basis, to maintain a drug-free workplace, in accordance with the measures in 34 CFR Part 84, Subpart B and the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988;
- The Education Department General Administrative Regulations (EDGAR) 34 CFR 76 requirements, including:
  - 34 CFR §76.500(a) Federal statutes and regulations on nondiscrimination.
    - (a) A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the following statutes and regulations:
      - Discrimination on the basis of age | The Age Discrimination Act (42 U.S.C. 6101 et seq.) | 34 CFR part 110.
    - (b) A State or subgrantee that is a covered entity as defined in §108.3 of this title shall comply with the nondiscrimination requirements of the Boy Scouts of America Equal Access Act, 20 U.S.C. 7905, 34 CFR part 108.
      - (Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

- 34 CFR §76.650 Private schools; purpose of §§76.651-76.662.
  - (a) Under some programs, the authorizing statute requires that a State and its subgrantees provide for participation by students enrolled in private schools. Sections 76.651-76.662 apply to those programs and provide rules for that participation. These sections do not affect the authority of the State or a subgrantee to enter into a contract with a private party.
  - (b) If any other rules for participation of students enrolled in private schools apply under a particular program, they are in the authorizing statute or implementing regulations for that program.
    - (Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3 and 3474)

- 34 CFR §76.700 Compliance with statutes, regulations, State plan, and applications.
  - A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the State plan and applicable statutes, regulations, and approved applications, and shall use Federal funds in accordance with those statutes, regulations, plan, and applications.
    - (Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

- 34 CFR §76.701 The State or subgrantee administers or supervises each project.
  - A State or a subgrantee shall directly administer or supervise the administration of each project.
    - (Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

- 34 CFR §76.702 Fiscal control and fund accounting procedures.
  - A State and a subgrantee shall use fiscal control and fund accounting procedures that insure proper disbursement of and accounting for Federal funds.
    - (Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

- 34 CFR §76.709 Funds may be obligated during a “carryover period.”
  - (a) If a State or a subgrantee does not obligate all of its grant or subgrant funds by the end of the fiscal year for which Congress appropriated the funds, it may obligate the remaining funds during a carryover period of one additional fiscal year.
  - (b) The State shall return to the Federal Government any carryover funds not obligated by the end of the carryover period by the State and its subgrantees.
    - (Authority: U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1225(b), and 3474)
Section II. Specific Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) Grant Assurances

The LEA assures that funds shall only be used for any of the following:

Coordination of preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies with State, local, Tribal, and territorial public health departments, and other relevant agencies, to improve coordinated responses among such entities to prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus.

Providing principals and others school leaders with the resources necessary to address the needs of their individual schools.

Activities to address the unique needs of low-income children or students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and foster care youth, including how outreach and service delivery will meet the needs of each population.

Developing and implementing procedures and systems to improve the preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies.

Training and professional development for staff of the local educational agency on sanitation and minimizing the spread of infectious diseases.

Purchasing supplies to sanitize and clean the facilities of a local educational agency, including buildings operated by such agency.

Planning for and coordinating during long-term closures, including for how to provide meals to eligible students, how to provide technology for online learning to all students, how to provide guidance for carrying out requirements under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. 1401 et seq.) and how to ensure other educational services can continue to be provided consistent with all Federal, State, and local requirements.

Purchasing educational technology (including hardware, software, and connectivity) for students who are served by the local educational agency that aids in regular and substantive educational interaction between students and their classroom instructors, including low-income students and students with disabilities, which may include assistive technology or adaptive equipment.

Providing mental health services and supports.

Planning and implementing activities related to summer learning and supplemental afterschool programs, including providing classroom instruction or online learning during the summer months and addressing the needs of low income students, students with disabilities, English learners, migrant students, students experiencing homelessness, and children in foster care.

Addressing learning loss among students, including low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and children and youth in foster care, of the local educational agency, including by— (A) Administering and using high-quality assessments that are valid and reliable, to accurately assess students’ academic progress and assist educators in meeting students’ academic needs, including through differentiating instruction. (B) Implementing evidence-based activities to meet the comprehensive needs of students. (C) Providing information and assistance to parents and families on how they can effectively support students, including in a distance learning environment. (D) Tracking student attendance and improving student engagement in distance education.

School facility repairs and improvements to enable operation of schools to reduce risk of virus transmission and exposure to environmental health hazards, and to support student health needs.

Inspection, testing, maintenance, repair, replacement, and upgrade projects to improve the indoor air quality in school facilities, including mechanical and non-mechanical heating, ventilation, and air conditioning systems, filtering, purification and other air cleaning, fans, control systems, and window and door repair and replacement.

Other activities that are necessary to maintain the operation of and continuity of services in local educational agencies and continuing to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.

Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA shall comply with all applicable requirements of the Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) authorized by the Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act, 2021 (CRRSA), including:

CONTINUED PAYMENT TO EMPLOYEES

SEC. 18006. A local educational agency, State, institution of higher education, or other entity that receives funds under
“Education Stabilization Fund”, shall to the greatest extent practicable, continue to pay its employees and contractors during the period of any disruptions or closures related to coronavirus.

**Certification**

To the best of my knowledge and belief, all the information and data in this agreement are true and correct. I acknowledge and agree that the failure to comply with all Assurances and Certifications in this Agreement, all relevant provisions and requirements of the CARES Act, Pub. L. No. 116-136 (March 27, 2020), or any other applicable law or regulation may result in liability under the False Claims Act, 31 U.S.C. § 3729, et seq.; OMB Guidelines to Agencies on Governmentwide Debarment and Suspension (Nonprocurement) in 2 CFR part 180, as adopted and amended as regulations of the Department in 2 CFR part 3485; and 18 USC § 1001, as appropriate.

Electronic Signature │ Robert L. Davies

Date │ 04/28/2021

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<td>MS/HS Interventionist - We have not hired this position so this is an estimate due to needing to be approved before we can really hire and know who may apply and where the person may qualify on our salary schedule. We also have a negotiation process that has not started so this will be hard to nail down until all things are finalized.</td>
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Per narrative, to address identified learning loss (reading).
<p>| Direct Allocation | Instruction | Group Insurance | 12. Addressing learning loss among students, including vulnerable populations | MS/HS Interventionist - This is also an estimate as we have not completed negotiations and we do not know what benefits the new person may choose. | $10,113 | $- | $10,113 | $- | $- | $89020 |
| Direct Allocation | Instruction | Regular Certified Salaries | 16. Other activities necessary to maintain LEA operations and services and employ existing LEA staff | Covid leave for teachers, administrators etc. including Sub coverage pay (if applicable). This was used from August 2020 to April 16, 2021 for covid leave. Businesses were given tax credits and relief for allowing employees to use up to 10 days of leave for covid related absences based on certain criteria. Public schools were not able to recoup these expenses so this is the total we had for this category for the certified staff. | $32,121 | $32,121 | $- | $- | $- | $89020 |
| Direct Allocation | Instruction | Regular Non-Certified Salaries | 16. Other activities necessary to maintain LEA operations and services and employ existing LEA staff | Covid leave for non-certified staff. This was used from August 2020 to April 16, 2021 for covid leave. Businesses were given tax credits and relief for allowing employees to use up to 10 days of leave for covid related absences based on certain criteria. Public schools were not able to recoup these expenses so this is the total we had for this category for the non-certified staff. | $16,305 | $16,305 | $- | $- | $- | $89020 |</p>
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Applicant / Entity Name  |  USD 337 ROYAL VALLEY
Applicant / Mailing Address
101 W MAIN ST
MAYETTA, KS 66509
Applicant / First and Last Name of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director  |  Aaric Davis
Applicant / Email Address of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director  |  davisa@rv337.org
Applicant / Phone Number  |  785-966-2246

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Applicant / Website Address (if applicable)  |  www.rv337.com
Applicant / Child Care Licensing Number (if applicable)  |  48454-014
Applicant / Mission Statement (if applicable)

The mission of the Royal Valley Public Schools is to ensure that each student is actively engaged in the learning process and in developing the citizenship skills necessary to become a responsible, productive member of the global workforce.

Applicant / W9 or Year-end Financial Statement (if applicable)
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Fiscal Agent / Name (if applicable)  |  Sherri Schulte
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Application details

Full District Name  |  Royal Valley
District Number  |  337
Mailing Address | Street Address  |  101 W. Main Street
Mailing Address | City  |  Mayetta
Mailing Address | Zip Code  |  66509
Authorized Representative of the District | Name  |  Aaric Davis
Authorized Representative of the District | Position or Title  |  Superintendent
Authorized Representative of the District | Email Address  |  davisa@rv337.org
Authorized Representative of the District | Phone Number  |  +17859662246
Would you like to additional district representatives to the application? | No

Please briefly describe the impacts of COVID-19 on the district and its Pre-K through 12 students, including any relevant data where possible (e.g., cost impact, learning loss, emotional impact on students). If there has been a disproportionate impact on a special population in the district (e.g., students with disabilities, English Learners, students in foster care, students in poverty, etc.), please describe the impact and provide the number of Pre-K through 12 students in that population.

USD #337 has been impacted by the pandemic by academic learning loss, we are also struggling to keep all of our 7-12 students engaged in the learning environment due to continuous learning and remote learning disruptions. We are seeing HS students and MS failing courses at 2 to 3 times the usual rate. Our elementary school students have been on-site for a majority of the school year, but lost a nine-weeks of quality instruction last spring which has an impact on learning from a long-term perspective. In addition to learning loss from continuous learning, we have had teachers and students placed in quarantine that have disrupted learning for many students. We have tried to stay on top of social emotional factors for our students and staff, but our HS SAEBRS screener indicates that we have seen a sharp increase in at-risk students due to social emotional factors in grades 10, 11, and 12. As far as cost is concerned, we have funded a majority of our PPE, Covid supplies, and Covid protocols through SPARKS funds and ESSER I funds. A majority of our ongoing cost revolves around the need to reduce class sizes for social distancing this past year and providing additional academic support for students through summer learning opportunities and interventions for reading and math at the middle school and high school levels.

Does the district have remaining ESSER I funding that it has not yet spent as of the date of ESSER II application submission? | Yes

Please summarize how the district will use its remaining ESSER I and ESSER I SPED funding and what it hopes to accomplish with these funds.

We have spent the funds for ESSER I, but are not planning to draw the remaining balance down until May 7, 2021. The expenses that will be drawn down on May 7th are related to additional services that were provided during the school year to handle covid protocols.

Please review the following allowable uses of ESSER II funds before completing the narrative and Excel template portion of the application.

- Coordination of preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies with State, local, Tribal, and territorial public health departments, and other relevant agencies, to improve coordinated responses among such entities to prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus.
- Providing principals and others school leaders with the resources necessary to address the needs of their individual schools.
- Activities to address the unique needs of low-income children or students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and foster care youth, including how outreach and service delivery will meet the needs of each population.
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• Other activities that are necessary to maintain the operation of and continuity of services in local educational agencies and continuing to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.

Please note: “Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities,” identified as an allowable use under ESSER III in the American Rescue Plan, is also permissible under ESSER II.

Plan for ESSER II Direct District Allocation and KSDE Per-Student Additional Allocation (If Applicable)

Please summarize how the district proposes using its ESSER II direct district allocation (and its KSDE per-student additional allocation, if applicable) to address incremental COVID-19 needs.

USD 337 proposes to use its ESSER II allocations to reimburse the district for the cost of adding a 5th section of 1st grade during the 2020-2021 school year. This section was added to allow for social distancing in the classroom due to the large number of students in this grade level. (90 students). Next, we would like to provide summer academic opportunities for our students in grades K-12. We plan to offer a 2 week STEM camp for students in grades k-5, academic support for at-risk students in grades 5-8 for 3 weeks, and a credit recovery program for students in grades 9-12 for three weeks. To continue our support for our 5-12 students, we are adding an MTSS interventionist and coordinator position that will help with screening, interventions, and training for other staff support team members to close achievement gaps caused by the disrupted learning environment during the pandemic.

How will the district determine the impact of its ESSER II direct district allocation expenditures (and additional per-student allocation, if applicable) on students?
We will continue to monitor our academic progress using MAP testing this year and we are switching to FastBridge for next year to screen students and monitor progress in reading and in math. We will also continue to monitor student grades, attendance, office discipline referrals and SAEBRS for social emotional risk factors.

Notes on ESSER II application Excel template:

- Plans and budgets should be submitted for at least a 12 month period but do not need to account for the full duration of the program or the full allocation amount. Funds will remain accessible to the LEA until September 30, 2023 and there will be additional opportunities to submit further requests/plans in the future.
- Following ESSER II application approval and initiation of funds draw down, districts will be required to report to the Commissioner's Task Force on ESSER II expenditures and impact on a monthly basis throughout the program. This ESSER II reporting will be required as a part of regular ESSER program reporting, which will capture past expenditures across funding streams (ESSER I, ESSER I SPED, ESSER II, ESSER II SPED, ESSER II KSDE Per Student Allocation). Districts may be asked to provide expenditures by fund, function, object, account, and ESSER II allowable use as part of ongoing ESSER reporting.
- This reporting will not replace any reporting required by the federal government. KSDE will work to maximize compatibility between its reporting requirements and those of the federal government as much as possible to minimize burden on districts.

Please download and complete the ESSER II application template here to provide details on ESSER II budgeted expenditures across allowable uses and KSDE accounting codes.

Local Education Agency (LEA) Assurances

Section I. General Grant Assurances for Federal Funds

Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA will comply with all requirements of:
The LEA will make a good faith effort, on a continuing basis, to maintain a drug-free workplace, in accordance with the measures in 34 CFR Part 84, Subpart B and the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988;
The Education Department General Administrative Regulations (EDGAR) 34 CFR 76 requirements, including: 34 CFR §76.500(a) Federal statutes and regulations on nondiscrimination.
(a) A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the following statutes and regulations:
- Discrimination on the basis of age | The Age Discrimination Act (42 U.S.C. 6101 et seq.) | 34 CFR part 110.
(b) If any other rules for participation of students enrolled in private schools apply under a particular program, they are in the...
authorizing statute or implementing regulations for that program.  
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3 and 3474)

34 CFR §76.700 Compliance with statutes, regulations, State plan, and applications.  
A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the State plan and applicable statutes, regulations, and approved applications, and shall use Federal funds in accordance with those statutes, regulations, plan, and applications.  
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.701 The State or subgrantee administers or supervises each project.  
A State or a subgrantee shall directly administer or supervise the administration of each project.  
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.702 Fiscal control and fund accounting procedures.  
A State and a subgrantee shall use fiscal control and fund accounting procedures that insure proper disbursement of and accounting for Federal funds.  
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.709 Funds may be obligated during a “carryover period.”  
(a) If a State or a subgrantee does not obligate all of its grant or subgrant funds by the end of the fiscal year for which Congress appropriated the funds, it may obligate the remaining funds during a carryover period of one additional fiscal year.  
(b) The State shall return to the Federal Government any carryover funds not obligated by the end of the carryover period by the State and its subgrantees.  
(Authority: U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1225(b), and 3474)


34 CFR §76.722 Subgrantee reporting requirements.  
A State may require a subgrantee to submit reports in a manner and format that assists the State in complying with the requirements under 34 CFR 76.720 and in carrying out other responsibilities under the program.  
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1231a, and 3474)

[72 FR 3703, Jan. 25, 2007]

34 CFR §76.730 Records related to grant funds.  
A State and a subgrantee shall keep records that fully show:  
(a) The amount of funds under the grant or subgrant;  
(b) How the State or subgrantee uses the funds;  
(c) The total cost of the project;  
(d) The share of that cost provided from other sources; and  
(e) Other records to facilitate an effective audit.  
(Approved by the Office of Management and Budget under control number 1880-0513)  
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1232d)


34 CFR §76.731 Records related to compliance.  
A State and a subgrantee shall keep records to show its compliance with program requirements.  
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

The Uniform Grant Guidance, 2 CFR §200 all applicable subrecipient requirements, including but not limited to:  
2 CFR Subpart D – Post Federal Award Requirements  
§200.302 Financial management.  
§200.303 Internal controls.  
§200.305 Payment.  
§200.313 Equipment.  
§200.314 Supplies.  
§200.318 General procurement standards.  
§200.320 Methods of procurement to be followed;  
2 CFR 200 Subpart E: Cost Principles:  
§200.403 Factors affecting allowability of costs.  
§200.404 Reasonable costs.  
§200.405 Allocable costs.  
§200.413 Direct costs.
§200.415 Required certifications.
§200.430 Compensation—personal services.
The Debarment and Suspension, 34 CFR Part 85, Section 85.510, Participants’ Responsibilities and makes the following certification by signing this application:
The prospective lower-tier participant certifies, by submission of this proposal, that neither it nor its principals is presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction by any federal department or agency.
Where the prospective lower-tier participant is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, such prospective participant shall attach an explanation to this proposal.
This certification is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was made or entered into. Submission of this certification is a prerequisite for making or entering into this transaction imposed by Section 1352, Title 31, U.S. Code. Any person who fails to file the required certification shall be subject to a civil penalty of not less than $10,000 for such failure.

Section II. Specific Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) Grant Assurances

The LEA assures that funds shall only be used for any of the following:

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Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA shall comply with all applicable requirements of the Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) authorized by the Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act, 2021 (CRRSAA), including:

CONTINUED PAYMENT TO EMPLOYEES
SEC. 18006. A local educational agency, State, institution of higher education, or other entity that receives funds under “Education Stabilization Fund”, shall to the greatest extent practicable, continue to pay its employees and contractors during the period of any disruptions or closures related to coronavirus.

Certification

To the best of my knowledge and belief, all the information and data in this agreement are true and correct. I acknowledge and agree that the failure to comply with all Assurances and Certifications in this Agreement, all relevant provisions and requirements of the CARES Act, Pub. L. No. 116-136 (March 27, 2020), or any other applicable law or regulation may result in liability under the False Claims Act, 31 U.S.C. § 3729, et seq.; OMB Guidelines to Agencies on Governmentwide Debarment and Suspension (Nonprocurement) in 2 CFR part 180, as adopted and amended as regulations of the Department in 2 CFR part 3485; and 18 USC § 1001, as appropriate.

Electronic Signature | Aaric S. Davis
Date | 04/29/2021

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| 337-1-005 | Eligible | Direct Allocation | Vehicle Operation | Gasoline | 11A. Planning and implementing summer learning or enrichment programs | USD 337 will be running 4 routes to and from summer school programming as explained above in lines 16. There will be 4 routes each day to and from summer school for 15 days. This line item is specifically for the summer of 2021 | $3,400 | $ - | $3,400 | $ - | $ - | 4400 |
| 337-1-006 | Eligible | Direct Allocation | Instruction | SUPPLIES AND MATERIALS | 11A. Planning and implementing summer learning or enrichment programs | USD 337 will be purchasing between 60 and 84 student curriculum packets/kits for the STEM camp at the elementary school as a part of their summer camp described in line 16. These kits and programming provides instructor materials and student consumables for STEM projects. | $10,920 | $ - | $10,920 | $ - | $ - | 86200 |
### Eligible Direct Allocation

**12. Addressing learning loss among students, including vulnerable populations**

USD 337 has added a new position for an MTSS Coordinator/Interventionist for grades 5-12. This position will help address learning loss stemming from the disrupted learning environment due to continuous learning, remote learning during the 2019-20 and 2020-21 school years. The position will serve as coordinator for both the middle school and the high school but will only serve as an interventionist for the middle school. Current high school staff members will implement interventions at the HS level.

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### Eligible Direct Allocation

**14. Inspection, testing, maintenance, repair, replacement and upgrade projects to improve the indoor air quality in school facilities**

USD 337 is working to replace the PTAC units currently installed in a wing of our elementary school that provide heat and cooling throughout the school year. The current PTAC units do not incorporate any outside air into these classrooms which creates a less safe air quality with the COVID virus present. The plan is to replace the PTAC units in 13 classrooms at the elementary school with new rooftop fresh air systems and a variable refrigerant heating and cooling system. This new cooling system is estimated to cost around $400,000 and the district is only asking for a portion of this to be covered with ESSER II funds. The new system will improve the air quality for all students and staff in these 13 classrooms.

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Application details

Full District Name   |   Valley Falls
District Number   |   338
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We are a small rural district. Additional costs of COVID have been around $300,000 additional dollars to our budget that we were not expecting. If it weren’t for the generosity of our county and the SPARKS monies, we would not have been able to provide the instructional tools or put into play strategic protocols for reopening. We have been fortunate to be in school all year brick and mortar. However, in school face to face, doesn’t come without challenges. We have had short spurts where we combined classes as we did not have enough staff to supervise appropriately. We have had times where we were missing 45% of our student body due to quarantine and COVID positive cases. During these times, we have been able to soldier through but we have still seen both academic and social impact on our students. In looking at our data, we are seeing about 25% of our students needing to fill gaps in learning from last spring. We have stepped up the intensity of our tiered system of support including social-emotional supports. We will continue to increase the intensity of the tiered system of supports and targeted supports of social-emotional learning for next year.

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Please summarize how the district proposes using its ESSER II direct district allocation (and its KSDE per-student additional allocation, if applicable) to address incremental COVID-19 needs.
The reason we were in session was due to the preplanning and implementing strategies of our staff. The majority of our requests will be for reimbursements for (15) developing strategies and implementing public health protocols. We purchased items such as masks, water bottles, lanyards (holding masks when at lunch and recess), small hand sanitizer bottles, and chair organizers for our younger students. We wash the masks and the water bottles at school. These items do not go home. We focused on making sure each student had individual access to sanitizing tools and ways to get what they needed without being exposed to other students who may have had COVID. We purchased traffic markers for our floors and sneeze guards in our offices. We added an additional sick room (original in the entry office) and provided all staff with individual sanitation items (7). We moved to paper products for lunchtime and provided tools so that the lunch ladies could prepare individual wrapped items for students allowing a more mitigating approach to serving lunch. We have been very successful with our practices. In addition to the public health protocol supports, we would like to request reimbursements for Edgenuity our summer school platform for HS summer school (11). Another reimbursement request would be for Zoom accounts for our teachers (9). We utilized the accounts to support students who were in quarantine (not sick) and helped the student be engaged with other students and the teacher when being at school was not an option. The last item was reimbursement for staff development. We hired Better Lessons to provide instructional coaching to our T2T teachers and new teachers who needed the tools to engaged students during synchronous learning utilizing the district’s new technology (16).

How will the district determine the impact of its ESSER II direct district allocation expenditures (and additional per-student allocation, if applicable) on students?

We can utilize the data we have collected this year to demonstrate that we have been in session and we are not seeing further digression in our FastBridge scores. This is directly related to our ability to mitigate and sanitize using the protocols mentioned above as examples. We did see students slide last year according to our data and big gaps in learning from last spring for some students. We know that research shows that our students do better when they can build face-to-face relationships and get the support they need on a daily basis. Our monies were spent to keep our students in the building and mitigate the risk of getting sick or needing to be quarantined due to exposure.

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(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))


34 CFR §76.650 Private schools; purpose of §§76.651-76.662.

(a) Under some programs, the authorizing statute requires that a State and its subgrantees provide for participation by students enrolled in private schools. Sections 76.651-76.662 apply to those programs and provide rules for that participation. These sections do not affect the authority of the State or a subgrantee to enter into a contract with a private party.

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(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3 and 3474)

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(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

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(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

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(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

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(Authority: U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1225(b), and 3474)


34 CFR §76.722 Subgrantee reporting requirements.

A State may require a subgrantee to submit reports in a manner and format that assists the State in complying with the requirements under 34 CFR 76.720 and in carrying out other responsibilities under the program.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1231a, and 3474)

[72 FR 3703, Jan. 25, 2007]

34 CFR §76.730 Records related to grant funds.

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(b) How the State or subgrantee uses the funds;

(c) The total cost of the project;
(d) The share of that cost provided from other sources; and
(e) Other records to facilitate an effective audit.

(Approved by the Office of Management and Budget under control number 1880-0513)

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1232f)


34 CFR §76.731 Records related to compliance.

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(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

The Uniform Grant Guidance, 2 CFR §200 all applicable subrecipient requirements, including but not limited to:

2 CFR Subpart D – Post Federal Award Requirements
§200.302 Financial management.
§200.303 Internal controls.
§200.305 Payment.
§200.313 Equipment.
§200.314 Supplies.
§200.318 General procurement standards.
§200.320 Methods of procurement to be followed;
2 CFR 200 Subpart E: Cost Principles:
§200.402 Factors affecting allowability of costs.
§200.403 Reasonable costs.
§200.405 Allocable costs.
§200.413 Direct costs.
§200.415 Required certifications.
§200.430 Compensation—personal services.

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The prospective lower-tier participant certifies, by submission of this proposal, that neither it nor its principals is presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction by any federal department or agency.

Where the prospective lower-tier participant is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, such prospective participant shall attach an explanation to this proposal.

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Section II. Specific Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) Grant Assurances

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CONTINUED PAYMENT TO EMPLOYEES
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Certification

To the best of my knowledge and belief, all the information and data in this agreement are true and correct. I acknowledge and agree that the failure to comply with all Assurances and Certifications in this Agreement, all relevant provisions and requirements of the CARES Act, Pub. L. No. 116-136 (March 27, 2020), or any other applicable law or regulation may result in liability under the False Claims Act, 31 U.S.C. § 3729, et seq.; OMB Guidelines to Agencies on Governmentwide Debarment and Suspension (Nonprocurement) in 2 CFR part 180, as adopted and amended as regulations of the Department in 2 CFR part 3485; and 18 USC § 1001, as appropriate.

Electronic Signature: Volora A. Hanzlicek
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<td>Zoom licenses for staff. Staff were expected to teach synchronous virtually with students when they were in quarantine (not sick). The license provided the teacher with more engagement tools.</td>
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<td>Expenditure is for a summer school platform to provide instruction to target the achievement gaps in content understanding in high school students due to the Pandemic. This is the first year for our summer school.</td>
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Allowable to a) reimburse the district for prior remote learning expenses b) incur new expenses related to actual current/perpetual remote learning circumstances, and/or c) to budget for potential future remote learning expenses. Please note that expenses should not be incurred to purchase property to hold in the unlikely event of potential future remote learning needs.
### 338-1-004

| Eligible | Direct Allocation | Support Services (Students) | SUPPLIES AND MATERIALS | 15. Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities | The district purchased water bottles, face masks, lanyards, school lunch paper products and bags for a sealing device in the kitchen that provides individual wrapping for food. These were all mitigating strategies. | $15,951 | $15,951 | $- | $- | $- | 65 |

### 338-1-005

| Eligible | Direct Allocation | Operation and Maintenance of Plant Services (All except Transportation) | General Supplies and Materials | 7. Purchasing supplies to sanitize and clean LEA and school facilities | Disinfectant, wipes, and chemical for cleaning | $6,588 | $6,588 | $- | $- | $- | 65 |
Kansas CommonApp (2020)
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Learning loss especially for those students whose homes are without technology and general family support for learning time. This population included students staying with grandparents or extended family, special education students, English language learners, and students in poverty. Of our district enrollment count of 800 students, approximately 50 are English language learners, 160 in poverty and 100 with special education needs. Social interactions as a result of social media influences. Remote learning isolated students to their homes with the social interactions occurring through social media. Many times the social media interactions influenced the decision making of students, especially 4th to 9th grade, in ways that formed poor decision making processes.

The additional planning for staff impacted learning loss through the duplication of services that were needed. Planning for both Remote (students that were in quarantine) and On-Site learning required created challenges in fully engaging students. The strain from this duplication also impacted the available energy needed by staff to maintain the same quality learning service during non-COVID times. At any given moment throughout the 2020-2021 school year (up to April 9th) there were between 8 and 200 students in quarantine. Remote learning was an option for students as well and this made up about 2% of our student population.

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The long term impact of increasing the speed of this program being implemented benefits students not just in the next few years, but many years to follow.

Another area is a focus on morale and a progressing culture focused on student learning. The plan includes the proposal of hiring additional guest teachers (substitute teachers) to support the classroom when the regular teacher is away. The additional staff would also be used when available with small groups of students to help with intervention or enrichment work.

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Kansas Assessment Program Results, Attendance Rates and Math, Reading and Behavior Universal Screening Results would be the base data points. Additional system metrics would also be monitored for impact to help determine components that remain after ESSER funds are complete.

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The Education Department General Administrative Regulations (EDGAR) 34 CFR 76 requirements, including:

34 CFR §76.500(a) Federal statutes and regulations on nondiscrimination.

(a) A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the following statutes and regulations:

- Discrimination on the basis of age | The Age Discrimination Act (42 U.S.C. 6101 et seq.) | 34 CFR part 110.

(b) A State or subgrantee that is a covered entity as defined in §108.3 of this title shall comply with the nondiscrimination requirements of the Boy Scouts of America Equal Access Act, 20 U.S.C. 7905, 34 CFR part 108.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))


34 CFR §76.650 Private schools; purpose of §§76.651-76.662.

(a) Under some programs, the authorizing statute requires that a State and its subgrantees provide for participation by students enrolled in private schools. Sections 76.651-76.662 apply to those programs and provide rules for that participation. These sections do not affect the authority of the State or a subgrantee to enter into a contract with a private party.

(b) If any other rules for participation of students enrolled in private schools apply under a particular program, they are in the authorizing statute or implementing regulations for that program.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3 and 3474)

34 CFR §76.700 Compliance with statutes, regulations, State plan, and applications.

A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the State plan and applicable statutes, regulations, and approved applications, and shall use Federal funds in accordance with those statutes, regulations, plan, and applications.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.701 The State or subgrantee administers or supervises each project.

A State or a subgrantee shall directly administer or supervise the administration of each project.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.702 Fiscal control and fund accounting procedures.

A State and a subgrantee shall use fiscal control and fund accounting procedures that insure proper disbursement of and accounting for Federal funds.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.709 Funds may be obligated during a “carryover period.”

(a) If a State or a subgrantee does not obligate all of its grant or subgrant funds by the end of the fiscal year for which Congress appropriated the funds, it may obligate the remaining funds during a carryover period of one additional fiscal year.

(b) The State shall return to the Federal Government any carryover funds not obligated by the end of the carryover period by the State and its subgrantees.

(Authority: U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1225(b), and 3474)
34 CFR §76.722 Subgrantee reporting requirements.

A State may require a subgrantee to submit reports in a manner and format that assists the State in complying with the requirements under 34 CFR 76.720 and in carrying out other responsibilities under the program.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1231a, and 3474)

34 CFR §76.730 Records related to grant funds.

A State and a subgrantee shall keep records that fully show:

(a) The amount of funds under the grant or subgrant;
(b) How the State or subgrantee uses the funds;
(c) The total cost of the project;
(d) The share of that cost provided from other sources; and
(e) Other records to facilitate an effective audit.

(Approved by the Office of Management and Budget under control number 1880-0513)

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1232f)

34 CFR §76.731 Records related to compliance.

A State and a subgrantee shall keep records to show its compliance with program requirements.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

The Uniform Grant Guidance, 2 CFR §200 all applicable subrecipient requirements, including but not limited to:

2 CFR Subpart D – Post Federal Award Requirements
§200.302 Financial management.
§200.303 Internal controls.
§200.305 Payment.
§200.313 Equipment.
§200.314 Supplies.
§200.318 General procurement standards.
§200.320 Methods of procurement to be followed;
2 CFR 200 Subpart E: Cost Principles:
§200.403 Factors affecting allowability of costs.
§200.404 Reasonable costs.
§200.405 Allocable costs.
§200.413 Direct costs.
§200.415 Required certifications.
§200.430 Compensation—personal services.

The Debarment and Suspension, 34 CFR Part 85, Section 85.510, Participants' Responsibilities and makes the following certification by signing this application:

The prospective lower-tier participant certifies, by submission of this proposal, that neither it nor its principals is presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction by any federal department or agency.

Where the prospective lower-tier participant is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, such prospective participant shall attach an explanation to this proposal.

This certification is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was made or entered into. Submission of this certification is a prerequisite for making or entering into this transaction imposed by Section 1352, Title 31, U.S. Code. Any person who fails to file the required certification shall be subject to a civil penalty of not less than $10,000 for such failure.

Section II. Specific Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) Grant Assurances

The LEA assures that funds shall only be used for any of the following:

Coordination of preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies with State, local, Tribal, and territorial public health departments, and other relevant agencies, to improve coordinated responses among such entities to prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus.

Providing principals and others school leaders with the resources necessary to address the needs of their individual schools.

Activities to address the unique needs of low-income children or students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and foster care youth, including how outreach and service delivery will meet the needs of each population.

Developing and implementing procedures and systems to improve the preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies.

Training and professional development for staff of the local educational agency on sanitation and minimizing the spread of infectious diseases.

Purchasing supplies to sanitize and clean the facilities of a local educational agency, including buildings operated by such agency.

Planning for and coordinating during long-term closures, including for how to provide meals to eligible students, how to provide technology for online learning to all students, how to provide guidance for carrying out requirements under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. 1401 et seq.) and how to ensure other educational services can continue to be provided consistent with all Federal, State, and local requirements.

Purchasing educational technology (including hardware, software, and connectivity) for students who are served by the local educational agency that aids in regular and substantive educational interaction between students and their classroom instructors, including low-income students and students with disabilities, which may include assistive technology or adaptive equipment.

Providing mental health services and supports.

Planning and implementing activities related to summer learning and supplemental afterschool programs, including providing classroom instruction or online learning during the summer months and addressing the needs of low income students, students with disabilities, English learners, migrant students, students experiencing homelessness, and children in foster care.

Addressing learning loss among students, including low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and children and youth in foster care, of the local educational agency, including by—(A) Administering and using high-quality assessments that are valid and reliable, to accurately assess students’ academic progress and assist educators in meeting students’ academic needs, including through differentiating instruction. (B) Implementing evidence-based activities to meet the comprehensive needs of students. (C) Providing information and assistance to parents and families on how they can effectively support students, including in a distance learning environment. (D) Tracking student attendance and improving student engagement in distance education.

School facility repairs and improvements to enable operation of schools to reduce risk of virus transmission and exposure to environmental health hazards, and to support student health needs.

Inspection, testing, maintenance, repair, replacement, and upgrade projects to improve the indoor air quality in school facilities, including mechanical and non-mechanical heating, ventilation, and air conditioning systems, filtering, purification and other air cleaning, fans, control systems, and window and door repair and replacement.

Other activities that are necessary to maintain the operation of and continuity of services in local educational agencies and continuing to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.

Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA shall comply with all applicable requirements of the Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) authorized by the Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act, 2021 (CRRSA), including:

CONTINUED PAYMENT TO EMPLOYEES
SEC. 18006. A local educational agency, State, institution of higher education, or other entity that receives funds under...
“Education Stabilization Fund”, shall to the greatest extent practicable, continue to pay its employees and contractors during the period of any disruptions or closures related to coronavirus.

**Certification**

To the best of my knowledge and belief, all the information and data in this agreement are true and correct. I acknowledge and agree that the failure to comply with all Assurances and Certifications in this Agreement, all relevant provisions and requirements of the CARES Act, Pub. L. No. 116-136 (March 27, 2020), or any other applicable law or regulation may result in liability under the False Claims Act, 31 U.S.C. § 3729, et seq.; OMB Guidelines to Agencies on Governmentwide Debarment and Suspension (Nonprocurement) in 2 CFR part 180, as adopted and amended as regulations of the Department in 2 CFR part 3485; and 18 USC § 1001, as appropriate.

Electronic Signature  |  Josh Swartz
Date                  |  05/11/2021

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<td>9. Purchasing educational technology (including hardware, software, and connectivity) for the LEA's students</td>
<td>SFY 2021 ($40,000) replacement of 5th/6th personal technology devices (Chromebooks) &amp; teacher iPad replacement ($30,000). Remote learning increased the breakage and usage rate of current device inventory.</td>
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<td>7. Purchasing supplies to sanitize and clean LEA and school facilities</td>
<td>SFY 2021 ($60,914) is for 3 floor scrubbers &amp; 3 buffers at all 3 school buildings. This equipment replaces an aging inventory of cleaning equipment. The updated equipment provides more time by the custodial staff in cleaning the additional surfaces required by our cleaning protocol.</td>
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<td>9. Purchasing educational technology (including hardware, software, and connectivity) for the LEA's students</td>
<td>Drafting classroom computers that allow for virtual completion of college credit. The need addressed is replacing an inventory that aged ahead of schedule from the additional usage for remote learning.</td>
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<td>Additional facilitator role responsible for supporting MTSS protocol implementation, facilitating learning data conversations specifically focusing on behavior, math and reading, and work closely with building teams and existing mental health team to support alignment.</td>
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<td>Rooftop Unit Replacement [3 units in SFY 2021, 2 units in SFY 2022, and 1 unit in SFY 2023] There are 119 rooftop units across all buildings in the district. The updated HVAC equipment addresses needed air quality improvements. These HVAC items are also at the end of their life and updated equipment includes technology enhancements to solve air quality concerns.</td>
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Allowable if CDC guidelines are met
| 361-1-006 | Eligible | Direct Allocation | Instruction | Full-Time Certified Salaries | 4. Activities to address the unique needs of low-income children, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and foster care youth, including outreach and service delivery | 2 FTE Guest Teachers @ $45,000 per teacher. Hiring 2 full time guest teachers (substitutes) matches with research that 85% of the school days have at least 2 guest teachers in the district. The remaining 15% of the time would be used to support classroom enrichment/intervention work. Learning loss occurs when the regular teacher is not in the classroom with this solution reducing the stress and strain on struggling learners. | $129,167 | $5,167 | $62,000 | $62,000 | $- | 80-1000-111-000 |
| 361-1-007 | Eligible | Direct Allocation | Instruction | General Supplies and Materials | 4. Activities to address the unique needs of low-income children, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and foster care youth, including outreach and service delivery | Additional intervention materials for classroom instruction that would benefit both math, reading, behavior and additional content areas. These resources would be specifically used for Tier 2 & Tier 3 interventions. | $43,633 | $14,544 | $14,544 | $14,545 | $- | 80-1000-610-000 |

Per narrative, Learning loss especially for those students whose homes are without technology and general family support for learning time. This population included students staying with grandparents or extended family, special education students, English language learners, and students in poverty. Of our district enrollment count of 800 students, approximately 50 are English language learners, 160 in poverty and 100 with special education needs. The additional planning for staff impacted learning loss through the duplication of services that were needed. Planning for both Remote (students that were in quarantine) and On Site learning required created challenges in fully engaging students.
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<td>16. Other activities necessary to maintain LEA operations and services and employ existing LEA staff</td>
<td>1D. Any activity authorized by the Carl D. Perkins Career and Technical Education Act of 2006.</td>
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<td>Additional technology integration support in order to best utilize technology purchased to support student learning. The integration of purchased technology is only as strong as the skill set of the staff using the technology. This role improves the effectiveness of the purchased technology and web-based instructional tools.</td>
<td>Rural Universal Services (RUS) Grant through a partnership with ESSDACK. The purpose of the grant is to provide a virtual learning opportunity that isn't possible through the barriers because of COVID protocol.</td>
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Per applicant, The tech integration support role impacts learning loss by supporting the classroom teacher in guidance and coaching to best use the technology while at the same time implementing the MTSS model. This role also supports families in using technology while away from school. Low income families benefit from this support. Allowable to a) reimburse the district for prior remote learning expenses b) incur new expenses related to actual current/perpetual remote learning circumstances, and/or c) to budget for potential future remote learning needs.
Applicant details

Thank you for creating a User Profile for the Kansas CommonApp!

Your User Profile will be linked to every application submitted under your login. You can always return to this page to keep your information current.

Select an Applicant Type  |  Unified School District
Applicant / Entity Name |  USD 363
Applicant / Mailing Address
PO Box 8
Holcomb, KS 67851

Applicant / First and Last Name of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director |  Michael Davis, Business Manager
Applicant / Email Address of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director |  mike.davis@usd363.com
Applicant / Phone Number |  620-277-2629

All questions in the section below are optional, and offer an opportunity to upload or enter information that is typically asked for on grant opportunities.

(for EANS and ESSER grant applications - please skip the questions below, and scroll to the bottom to complete your User Profile information.)

Applicant / Federal EIN (if applicable) |  48-6010502
Applicant / Website Address (if applicable) |  usd363.com
Fiscal Agent / Name (if applicable) |  Michael Davis
Fiscal Agent / Email (if applicable) |  mike.davis@usd363.com
**Fiscal Agent / Mailing Address (if applicable)**

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| Authorized Representative of the District | Position or Title | Superintendent of Schools |
| Authorized Representative of the District | Email Address      | scott.myers@usd363.com    |

| Authorized Representative of the District | Phone Number | +16202772629 |

Would you like to additional district representatives to the application? | Yes |

| Other District Representative 1 | Email Address | mike.davis@usd363.com |

| Other District Representative 2 | Email Address | robin.witzke@usd363.com |

Please briefly describe the impacts of COVID-19 on the district and its Pre-K through 12 students, including any relevant data where possible (e.g., cost impact, learning loss, emotional impact on students). If there has been a disproportionate impact on a special population in the district (e.g., students with disabilities, English Learners, students in foster care, students in poverty, etc.), please describe the impact and provide the number of Pre-K through 12 students in that population.

As expected, the pandemic has certainly taken its toll on our educational community here in Holcomb. While we were able to stay in school throughout the entire school year, this was not easily achieved. Toward that end, we implemented a variety of new safety-related protocols which included a District-Created Pandemic Plan that included details regarding social distancing, the wearing of masks and enhanced cleaning protocols.

While what we did was necessary and successful, this new way of doing things impacted our students both academically and emotionally. School SHOULD be a place of joy and wonderment, but when everyone is wearing a mask and is separated by physical barriers, it simply puts distance between people. And, we noticed throughout the year our students (and adults for...
that matter) have been emotionally accelerated. This has been documented through strategies found within our District Trauma Approach. One strategy within that approach is for students to provide their relative Zone of Regulation when entering the school each day. The data we gathered shows our students registered “Blue” (sad) or “Red” (angry) much more often than in the past.

While we had and still have strategies in place to deal with accelerated students, the sheer truth is this sort of emotional state negatively impacts the learning environment. Thus, we have noticed a learning loss throughout all grades within the district. To address this, we are expanding our summer school offering to be far more inclusive of students who simply need extra learning opportunities.

Does the district have remaining ESSER I funding that it has not yet spent as of the date of ESSER II application submission? Yes

Please summarize how the district will use its remaining ESSER I and ESSER I SPED funding and what it hopes to accomplish with these funds.

We have dedicated our ESSER I funding to pay the salaries and associated employer costs for the dedicated Remote Teacher and the four Homebound Instructional Liaisons (HILs) we brought on board this year. These five individuals kept up consistent communication with our Remote Students and with those students who had to stay at home while under orders to quarantine. The successes we enjoyed with our Remote Students this year ONLY took place due to the good, hard work of these five people. I cannot imagine the struggles we would have faced if we did not have these dedicated individuals.

Please review the following allowable uses of ESSER II funds before completing the narrative and Excel template portion of the application.

- Coordination of preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies with State, local, Tribal, and territorial public health departments, and other relevant agencies, to improve coordinated responses among such entities to prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus.
- Providing principals and others school leaders with the resources necessary to address the needs of their individual schools.
- Activities to address the unique needs of low-income children or students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and foster care youth, including how outreach and service delivery will meet the needs of each population.
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- Providing mental health services and supports.
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- Addressing learning loss among students, including low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and children and youth in foster care, of the local educational agency, including by— (A) Administering and using high-quality assessments that are valid and reliable, to accurately assess students’ academic progress and assist educators in meeting students’ academic needs, including through differentiating instruction. (B) Implementing evidence-based activities to meet the comprehensive needs of students. (C) Providing information and assistance to parents and families on how they can effectively support students, including in a distance learning environment. (D) Tracking student attendance and improving student engagement in distance education.
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- Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities.
- Other activities that are necessary to maintain the operation of and continuity of services in local educational agencies and continuing to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.

Please note: "Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities," identified as an allowable use under ESSER III in the American Rescue Plan, is also permissible under ESSER II.

Plan for ESSER II Direct District Allocation and KSDE Per-Student Additional Allocation (If Applicable)

Please summarize how the district proposes using its ESSER II direct district allocation (and its KSDE per-student additional allocation, if applicable) to address incremental COVID-19 needs.

We FULLY respect that education is a PEOPLE business, knowing we are only as good as our people. So, we are investing the VAST majority of our ESSER II funds on people to provide extended learning opportunities for our students and for meeting their socio-emotional needs.

First, we are expanding our Summer School experience, fully expecting to have more students involved with this opportunity. Students who have suffered learning loss are being invited to attend this expanded event; happily we are getting very positive responses from the parents of our students. To provide for our students, we will open individual grade sections K-5, with the possibility of opening extra sections if the numbers of students enrolled warrant it. Toward that end, we plan to keep the class sizes to no more than ten students per section. Each section will have a dedicated teacher and para professional. At the secondary level, we plan to continue with our longstanding “credit recovery” approach to summer school. We expect we will have ample numbers of students to bring on one middle school teacher and two high school teachers to facilitate the learning taking place.

Next year, we plan on bringing back our Remote Teacher to work with those families who chose to have their student(s) attend school remotely. Also, we will bring back the four Homebound Instructional Liaisons we employed this year to coordinate efforts between the families and the school. We also plan to bring on a District Student Advocate. This person will work intently with At-Risk students and with those who are accelerated due to life tensions. Lastly, so as to help with the volume of accelerated students at the K-5 level, we plan to bring on three elementary paraprofessionals to work with students in small groups, expanding our MTSS efforts.

How will the district determine the impact of its ESSER II direct district allocation expenditures (and additional per-student allocation, if applicable) on students?
We will keep careful data regarding student academic achievement throughout the year. As a part of our normal progress monitoring, we check how students are progressing three times a year, making course corrections as needed. We will continue with this, analyzing how the students are doing, keeping careful note of the students who attended summer school. Also, we will continue with our tracking of the Zones of Regulation self-identifications our students report and the use of the Peace Corners we maintain throughout the various levels of the district. Along with this, we will also track office/counselor referral data. Our newly created position – the District Student Advocate – will join the various School Intervention Teams and will play a pivotal part in the tracking of all of this data, working in concert with the principals and the school counselors to address needs as they arise.

Notes on ESSER II application Excel template:

- Plans and budgets should be submitted for at least a 12 month period but do not need to account for the full duration of the program or the full allocation amount. Funds will remain accessible to the LEA until September 30, 2023 and there will be additional opportunities to submit further requests/plans in the future.
- Following ESSER II application approval and initiation of funds draw down, districts will be required to report to the Commissioner's Task Force on ESSER II expenditures and impact on a monthly basis throughout the program. This ESSER II reporting will be required as a part of regular ESSER program reporting, which will capture past expenditures across funding streams (ESSER I, ESSER I SPED, ESSER II, ESSER II SPED, ESSER II KSDE Per Student Allocation). Districts may be asked to provide expenditures by fund, function, object, account, and ESSER II allowable use as part of ongoing ESSER reporting.
- This reporting will not replace any reporting required by the federal government. KSDE will work to maximize compatibility between its reporting requirements and those of the federal government as much as possible to minimize burden on districts.

Please download and complete the ESSER II application template [here](363_Holcomb_ESSER II Plan... (157 KiB download)) to provide details on ESSER II budgeted expenditures across allowable uses and KSDE accounting codes.

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**Local Education Agency (LEA) Assurances**

**Section I. General Grant Assurances for Federal Funds**

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CONTINUED PAYMENT TO EMPLOYEES
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Certification

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Electronic Signature | Dr. Scott Myers
Date | 04/29/2021

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<td>Due to COVID, we will have families that choose to use Remote Learning next year. Many of our families chose this option this past year, so we need to bring back our dedicated Remote Teacher. Along with working with our remote students, this teacher will also coordinate efforts between the families and the schools as students go in and out of quarantine</td>
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| 363-1-007 | Eligible | Direct Allocation | Instruction | Regular Non-Certified Salaries | 10. Providing mental health services and supports | With the onset of COVID, MANY of our students experienced increased angst and anxiety. To help address this, we plan to bring on additional personnel to help the students with their schooling and to help them regulate if/when they are emotionally accelerated. Our plan is to hire a Student Advocate, four Homebound Instructional Liaisons and three fulltime paraprofessionals. The Student Advocate will work intently with At-Risk students on a daily basis. This person will become that trusted adult mentor for struggling students, particularly at the secondary level. Along with helping with academic work, this person will be that rock for these students, helping them through their struggles. He or she will work closely with the school counselors to coordinate efforts. The Homebound Instructional Liaisons will work with the Remote Teacher to coordinate school business between the Remote Students and the district. The work these people completed this past year is a KEY reason our Remote Students experienced success this past year. The additional paraprofessionals will allow us to serve individual students’ needs better, particularly at the elementary level through our MTSS program. These approaches will have a positive impact on academic achievement, which, in turn, will have a positive impact on the emotional wellbeing of the students. | $196,000 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 196,000 | 34321 |
| Eligible Direct Allocation Instruction | Social Security Contributions | 10. Providing mental health services and supports | These are associated employment costs for bringing on additional people to serve the needs of our students | $18,207 | $- | $18,207 | $- | $- | 34331 |
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Yes

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Where the prospective lower-tier participant is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, such prospective participant shall attach an explanation to this proposal.
This certification is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was made or entered into. Submission of this certification is a prerequisite for making or entering into this transaction imposed by Section 1352, Title 31, U.S. Code. Any person who fails to file the required certification shall be subject to a civil penalty of not less than $10,000 for such failure.
Section II. Specific Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) Grant Assurances

The LEA assures that funds shall only be used for any of the following:


- Coordination of preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies with State, local, Tribal, and territorial public health departments, and other relevant agencies, to improve coordinated responses among such entities to prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus.

- Providing principals and others school leaders with the resources necessary to address the needs of their individual schools.

- Activities to address the unique needs of low-income children or students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and foster care youth, including how outreach and service delivery will meet the needs of each population.

- Developing and implementing procedures and systems to improve the preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies.

- Training and professional development for staff of the local educational agency on sanitation and minimizing the spread of infectious diseases.

- Purchasing supplies to sanitize and clean the facilities of a local educational agency, including buildings operated by such agency.

- Planning for and coordinating during long-term closures, including for how to provide meals to eligible students, how to provide technology for online learning to all students, how to provide guidance for carrying out requirements under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. 1401 et seq.) and how to ensure other educational services can continue to be provided consistent with all Federal, State, and local requirements.

- Purchasing educational technology (including hardware, software, and connectivity) for students who are served by the local educational agency that aids in regular and substantive educational interaction between students and their classroom instructors, including low-income students and students with disabilities, which may include assistive technology or adaptive equipment.

- Providing mental health services and supports.

- Planning and implementing activities related to summer learning and supplemental afterschool programs, including providing classroom instruction or online learning during the summer months and addressing the needs of low income students, students with disabilities, English learners, migrant students, students experiencing homelessness, and children in foster care.

- Addressing learning loss among students, including low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and children and youth in foster care, of the local educational agency, including by— (A) Administering and using high-quality assessments that are valid and reliable, to accurately assess students’ academic progress and assist educators in meeting students’ academic needs, including through differentiating instruction. (B) Implementing evidence-based activities to meet the comprehensive needs of students. (C) Providing information and assistance to parents and families on how they can effectively support students, including in a distance learning environment. (D) Tracking student attendance and improving student engagement in distance education.

- School facility repairs and improvements to enable operation of schools to reduce risk of virus transmission and exposure to environmental health hazards, and to support student health needs.

- Inspection, testing, maintenance, repair, replacement, and upgrade projects to improve the indoor air quality in school facilities, including mechanical and non-mechanical heating, ventilation, and air conditioning systems, filtering, purification and other air cleaning, fans, control systems, and window and door repair and replacement.

- Other activities that are necessary to maintain the operation of and continuity of services in local educational agencies and continuing to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.
Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA shall comply with all applicable requirements of the Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) authorized by the Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act, 2021 (CRRSAA), including:

CONTINUED PAYMENT TO EMPLOYEES
SEC. 18006. A local educational agency, State, institution of higher education, or other entity that receives funds under "Education Stabilization Fund", shall to the greatest extent practicable, continue to pay its employees and contractors during the period of any disruptions or closures related to coronavirus.

Certification

To the best of my knowledge and belief, all the information and data in this agreement are true and correct. I acknowledge and agree that the failure to comply with all Assurances and Certifications in this Agreement, all relevant provisions and requirements of the CARES Act, Pub. L. No. 116-136 (March 27, 2020), or any other applicable law or regulation may result in liability under the False Claims Act, 31 U.S.C. § 3729, et seq.; OMB Guidelines to Agencies on Governmentwide Debarment and Suspension (Nonprocurement) in 2 CFR part 180, as adopted and amended as regulations of the Department in 2 CFR part 3485; and 18 USC § 1001, as appropriate.

Electronic Signature | Jody A. Bruna
Date | 05/04/2021

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<td>Read Naturally Live Licenses to address reading learning losses for grades 7-12 related to Covid-19 quarantines and exposures.</td>
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Select an Applicant Type | Unified School District

Applicant / Entity Name | Woodson School District 366

Applicant / Mailing Address

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Yates Center, KS 66783

Applicant / First and Last Name of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director | Steve Pegram

Applicant / Email Address of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director | spegram@usd366.net

Applicant / Phone Number | 6206258804

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Application details

Full District Name | Woodson School District 366
The primary use of ESSER II funds is in technology, mental health, consortiums providing social-emotional and instructional supports. Items to enhance our depth of cleaning and software to provide for and ensure continued use of the same products to collect our district data while promoting social distancing in closed areas. As a school district that is experiencing continued declining enrollment and the loss of free lunch applications due to the USDA feeding program, the district has taken steps to ensure that the programs needed for our students and staff are still available. If it were not for ESSER II funding, many of the school district’s programs that promote social, emotional, and student/teacher learning would probably need to be dropped. Knowing that there is another round of funding through ESSER III, many items we listed are items we need to get ordered as soon as possible. Esser III will address afterschool programming, curriculum improvement, and enhanced summer school programming. Not knowing what would or wouldn’t be allowed, the district is patiently waiting for approval before placing these orders.

Does the district have remaining ESSER I funding that it has not yet spent as of the date of ESSER II application submission?

No

Please review the following allowable uses of ESSER II funds before completing the narrative and Excel template portion of the application.


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- Other activities that are necessary to maintain the operation of and continuity of services in local educational agencies and continuing to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.

Please note: "Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities," identified as an allowable use under ESSER III in the American Rescue Plan, is also permissible under ESSER II.

Plan for ESSER II Direct District Allocation and KSDE Per-Student Additional Allocation (If Applicable)

Please summarize how the district proposes using its ESSER II direct district allocation (and its KSDE per-student additional allocation, if applicable) to address incremental COVID-19 needs.
The district proposes to address the sanitation of the school through purchasing equipment to provide for social distancing and enhanced cleanliness. The district will also address student learning loss with supplemental software programs to help students make up for what they lost due to school closures. Other software requested will allow the district to make sure students are regaining what they lost during closure by providing standardized data to be evaluated and used by the teaching staff. The extension of summer school in days and time will help address some learning loss that has occurred. In the area of social-emotional, the district will target a variety of different strategies, such as mentoring, student surveys, and implementing social-emotional programming and classes. To help the teaching staff, who also was affected due to the school closing, professional development and services will be available for improved classroom instruction, implementation of social-emotional programs, and personalized opportunities for social-emotional support.

How will the district determine the impact of its ESSER II direct district allocation expenditures (and additional per-student allocation, if applicable) on students?

Students and staff will be surveyed as to how school is going for them, along with how they are doing in the social-emotional aspect of their lives. Using baseline data, the district will attempt to identify areas to address for both students and staff. The district will also determine the effectiveness of expenditures based on school attendance from the 2021 school year. If the cleanliness of the buildings is enhanced, one would assume that attendance should improve. Using baseline data from 2021, the district will review where students are during the 2022 school year in comparison to the prior school year. This information will be continually updated yearly. The district also plans to survey both students and staff as to their perceptions of how well things are going in the district with the additional supports that have been provided.

Notes on ESSER II application Excel template:

- Plans and budgets should be submitted for at least a 12 month period but do not need to account for the full duration of the program or the full allocation amount. Funds will remain accessible to the LEA until September 30, 2023 and there will be additional opportunities to submit further requests/plans in the future.
- Following ESSER II application approval and initiation of funds draw down, districts will be required to report to the Commissioner's Task Force on ESSER II expenditures and impact on a monthly basis throughout the program. This ESSER II reporting will be required as a part of regular ESSER program reporting, which will capture past expenditures across funding streams (ESSER I, ESSER I SPED, ESSER II, ESSER II SPED, ESSER II KSDE Per Student Allocation). Districts may be asked to provide expenditures by fund, function, object, account, and ESSER II allowable use as part of ongoing ESSER reporting.
- This reporting will not replace any reporting required by the federal government. KSDE will work to maximize compatibility between its reporting requirements and those of the federal government as much as possible to minimize burden on districts.

Please download and complete the ESSER II application template here to provide details on ESSER II budgeted expenditures across allowable uses and KSDE accounting codes.

ESSERII-Application final... (171 KiB download)

Local Education Agency (LEA) Assurances

Section I. General Grant Assurances for Federal Funds

Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA will comply with all requirements of:
The LEA will make a good faith effort, on a continuing basis, to maintain a drug-free workplace, in accordance with the measures in 34 CFR Part 84, Subpart B and the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988;
The Education Department General Administrative Regulations (EDGAR) 34 CFR 76 requirements, including:
34 CFR §76.500

(a) A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the following statutes and regulations:

- Discrimination on the basis of age | The Age Discrimination Act (42 U.S.C. 6101 et seq.) | 34 CFR part 110.

(b) A State or subgrantee that is a covered entity as defined in §108.3 of this title shall comply with the nondiscrimination requirements of the Boy Scouts of America Equal Access Act, 20 U.S.C. 7905, 34 CFR part 108.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))


34 CFR §76.650

Private schools; purpose of §§76.651-76.662.

(a) Under some programs, the authorizing statute requires that a State and its subgrantees provide for participation by students enrolled in private schools. Sections 76.651-76.662 apply to those programs and provide rules for that participation. These sections do not affect the authority of the State or a subgrantee to enter into a contract with a private party.

(b) If any other rules for participation of students enrolled in private schools apply under a particular program, they are in the authorizing statute or implementing regulations for that program.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3 and 3474)

34 CFR §76.700

Compliance with statutes, regulations, State plan, and applications.

A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the State plan and applicable statutes, regulations, and approved applications, and shall use Federal funds in accordance with those statutes, regulations, plan, and applications.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.701

The State or subgrantee administers or supervises each project.

A State or a subgrantee shall directly administer or supervise the administration of each project.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.702

Fiscal control and fund accounting procedures.

A State and a subgrantee shall use fiscal control and fund accounting procedures that insure proper disbursement of and accounting for Federal funds.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.709

Funds may be obligated during a “carryover period.”

(a) If a State or a subgrantee does not obligate all of its grant or subgrant funds by the end of the fiscal year for which Congress appropriated the funds, it may obligate the remaining funds during a carryover period of one additional fiscal year.

(b) The State shall return to the Federal Government any carryover funds not obligated by the end of the carryover period by the State and its subgrantees.

(Authority: U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1225(b), and 3474)


34 CFR §76.722

Subgrantee reporting requirements.

A State may require a subgrantee to submit reports in a manner and format that assists the State in complying with the requirements under 34 CFR 76.720 and in carrying out other responsibilities under the program.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1231a, and 3474)

72 FR 3703, Jan. 25, 2007

34 CFR §76.730

Records related to grant funds.

A State and a subgrantee shall keep records that fully show:

(a) The amount of funds under the grant or subgrant;
(b) How the State or subgrantee uses the funds;
(c) The total cost of the project;
(d) The share of that cost provided from other sources; and
(e) Other records to facilitate an effective audit.

(Approved by the Office of Management and Budget under control number 1880-0513)
Records related to compliance.

A State and a subgrantee shall keep records to show its compliance with program requirements.

34 CFR §76.731

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

The Uniform Grant Guidance, 2 CFR §200 all applicable subrecipient requirements, including but not limited to:

2 CFR Subpart D – Post Federal Award Requirements

§200.302 Financial management.

§200.303 Internal controls.

§200.305 Payment.

§200.313 Equipment.

§200.314 Supplies.

§200.318 General procurement standards.

§200.320 Methods of procurement to be followed;

2 CFR 200 Subpart E: Cost Principles:

§200.403 Factors affecting allowability of costs.

§200.404 Reasonable costs.

§200.405 Allocable costs.

§200.413 Direct costs.

§200.415 Required certifications.

§200.430 Compensation—personal services.

The Debarment and Suspension, 34 CFR Part 85, Section 85.510, Participants’ Responsibilities and makes the following certification by signing this application:

The prospective lower-tier participant certifies, by submission of this proposal, that neither it nor its principals is presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction by any federal department or agency.

Where the prospective lower-tier participant is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, such prospective participant shall attach an explanation to this proposal.

This certification is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was made or entered into. Submission of this certification is a prerequisite for making or entering into this transaction imposed by Section 1352, Title 31, U.S. Code. Any person who fails to file the required certification shall be subject to a civil penalty of not less than $10,000 for such failure.

Section II. Specific Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) Grant Assurances

The LEA assures that funds shall only be used for any of the following:


- Coordination of preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies with State, local, Tribal, and territorial public health departments, and other relevant agencies, to improve coordinated responses among such entities to prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus.

- Providing principals and others school leaders with the resources necessary to address the needs of their individual schools.

- Activities to address the unique needs of low-income children or students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and foster care youth, including how outreach and service delivery will meet the needs of each population.

- Developing and implementing procedures and systems to improve the preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies.
• Training and professional development for staff of the local educational agency on sanitation and minimizing the spread of infectious diseases.
• Purchasing supplies to sanitize and clean the facilities of a local educational agency, including buildings operated by such agency.
• Planning for and coordinating during long-term closures, including for how to provide meals to eligible students, how to provide technology for online learning to all students, how to provide guidance for carrying out requirements under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. 1401 et seq.) and how to ensure other educational services can continue to be provided consistent with all Federal, State, and local requirements.
• Purchasing educational technology (including hardware, software, and connectivity) for students who are served by the local educational agency that aids in regular and substantive educational interaction between students and their classroom instructors, including low-income students and students with disabilities, which may include assistive technology or adaptive equipment.
• Providing mental health services and supports.
• Planning and implementing activities related to summer learning and supplemental afterschool programs, including providing classroom instruction or online learning during the summer months and addressing the needs of low income students, students with disabilities, English learners, migrant students, students experiencing homelessness, and children in foster care.
• Addressing learning loss among students, including low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and children and youth in foster care, of the local educational agency, including by—(A) Administering and using high-quality assessments that are valid and reliable, to accurately assess students’ academic progress and assist educators in meeting students’ academic needs, including through differentiating instruction. (B) Implementing evidence-based activities to meet the comprehensive needs of students. (C) Providing information and assistance to parents and families on how they can effectively support students, including in a distance learning environment. (D) Tracking student attendance and improving student engagement in distance education.
• School facility repairs and improvements to enable operation of schools to reduce risk of virus transmission and exposure to environmental health hazards, and to support student health needs.
• Inspection, testing, maintenance, repair, replacement, and upgrade projects to improve the indoor air quality in school facilities, including mechanical and non-mechanical heating, ventilation, and air conditioning systems, filtering, purification and other air cleaning, fans, control systems, and window and door repair and replacement.
• Other activities that are necessary to maintain the operation of and continuity of services in local educational agencies and continuing to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.

Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA shall comply with all applicable requirements of the Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) authorized by the Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act, 2021 (CRRSAA), including:
CONTINUED PAYMENT TO EMPLOYEES
SEC. 18006. A local educational agency, State, institution of higher education, or other entity that receives funds under “Education Stabilization Fund”, shall to the greatest extent practicable, continue to pay its employees and contractors during the period of any disruptions or closures related to coronavirus.

Certification

To the best of my knowledge and belief, all the information and data in this agreement are true and correct. I acknowledge and agree that the failure to comply with all Assurances and Certifications in this Agreement, all relevant provisions and requirements of the CARES Act, Pub. L. No. 116-136 (March 27, 2020), or any other applicable law or regulation may result in liability under the False Claims Act, 31 U.S.C. § 3729, et seq.; OMB Guidelines to Agencies on Governmentwide Debarment and Suspension (Nonprocurement) in 2 CFR part 180, as adopted and amended as regulations of the Department in 2 CFR part 3485; and 18 USC § 1001, as appropriate.

Electronic Signature | Glenda Howard

Date | 04/26/2021

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<td>PK Frog Street English Curriculum-We are moving to this resource the PK teachers know will help more students at the PK level. It has become the leading resource used in our cooperative and other school districts in the area.</td>
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Provide more information how this relates to COVID-19: Applicant responded via email: To address learning loss by ensuring that students have the resources available to keep their technology devices operational to actively participate, work online, and complete assignments while at school. If devices don't operate students can't work in the classroom through programs purchased to address learning loss. Acutual Expense.
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<td>Fastbridge Assessment 3 Years-Three-year contract to ensure the district uses the same assessment tool through the pandemic and KESA periods to monitor student learning, meet dyslexia requirements. With declining enrollment and the potential loss of at-risk weighting, this purchase would assure that the district would have this program to provide consistent data.</td>
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<td>IXL site license K-12-3 years-Three-year contract ensures the district uses the same assessment tool through the pandemic and KESA periods to measure student learning and monitor student growth. With declining enrollment and the potential loss of at-risk weighting, this purchase would assure that the district would have this program to provide consistent data.</td>
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<td>Lexia Subscription-2 yr-Two-year contract to ensures the district uses the same assessment tool through the pandemic and KESA process to measure student learning. With declining enrollment and the potential loss of at-risk weighting, this purchase would assure that the district would have this program to provide consistent data to analyze.</td>
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<td>Provide more information how this relates to COVID-19; Applicant responded via email: To sanitize areas of the building, usually in high traffic areas, to prevent the spread of covid by providing a deeper cleaning of those areas.</td>
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<td>Restroom Cleaning System-2-Two units, one for the HS and one for the Elementary. These will provide better and deeper cleaning of the building restrooms and expedite the cleaning process to allow additional cleaning and sanitizing elsewhere.</td>
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<td>Scrubber/Extractor-2-One for each building in the district. This equipment will be used daily to clean and extract the water in the cafeterias of the district. At this time, the district does not have this type of equipment, and it is evident. This equipment will enhance the cleaning process by providing a better cleaning.</td>
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<td>Lotus Pro High Cap Unit/Stabilizer-cleaning chemical using water-2-One for each building. The district will be moving away from the use of chemicals as it moves through the pandemic. The devices ionize water to provide for a better cleaning of surfaces and floors. These devices will allow the district to reduce future chemical costs and provide for a better cleaning system.</td>
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<td>Cafeteria Tables/Stools-Tables - 10 HS and 6 Elementary. The district will move to long tables with students sitting on one side instead of facing one another. These tables replace round tables at the high school and provide additional tables at the elementary/MS. This process will provide for social distancing during the lunch period.</td>
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<td>Hand Sanitizer/Dispensers-Equipment to provide for hands free hand sanitation.</td>
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<td>PowerSchool-Enrollment Express-The district will use this program to provide online enrollment to promote social distancing. Enrollment will be encouraged to be completed online. All information, forms, and payment will be able to be made online.</td>
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<td>Specialized Learning Service-GB Social/Emotional program for district students. This program will provide support for students and work with teachers to provide for our students’ social/emotional needs.</td>
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<td>EAP-GB is an employee resource to address social/emotional issues that staff may be having. Staff members can call at any time to get advice, talk, or just vent with a professional in the area of social/emotional issues.</td>
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<td>EDTECH Academy-GB-Planning &amp; Implementing Activities. Greenbush support to provide remote learning and training for students who may be quarantines with COVID.</td>
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<td>Parents as Teachers-GB-To provide parents with the additional support they might need to address early learning in the preparation of preschool.</td>
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<td>School Improvement Services-GB provides teachers with the resources to improve delivery of instructional content to provide and improve instruction in all facets of educational delivery that addresses learning loss and remote learning.</td>
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<td>Administrative Services support through Greenbush provides administrators with resources, materials, support, and forums to discuss, address, and respond to issues concerning the impact of the COVID-19 pandemic on students, staff, and the school community.</td>
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<td>Crisis Prevention &amp; Response-GB To have resources available to the school district to address potential student/staff issues relating to COVID in the area of social-emotional and crisis support.</td>
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10. Providing mental health services and supports

Environmental Compliance Consortium-GB-Resource provides a professional response to issues involving COVID, such as cleaning, health issues, and pandemic response.

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8. Planning for and coordinating during long-term closures, including on how to provide meals, technology for online learning, guidance for carrying out IDEA requirements, and providing educational services consistent with applicable requirements.

Greenbush membership provides planning & implementing activities for remote learning, supporting possible long-term closure in food service, special education, possible professional development, etc.

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<td>4. Activities to address the unique needs of low-income children, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and foster care youth, including outreach and service delivery</td>
<td>To evaluate and address the impact of learning delays or loss in the areas of reading and literacy due to the COVID-19 pandemic. A Specialist in Literacy and Instruction will work closely with teachers and administrators to observe, evaluate, plan, and assist in preparing targeted instruction and lessons for teachers to use with students to mitigate identified losses or delays in these critical areas.</td>
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| 366-1-033 | Yes      | Direct Allocation | Instruction | Textbooks | 12. Addressing learning loss among students, including vulnerable populations | Provide instructional support for Spanish learning students in possible remote learning situations due to quarantine or COVID. | $7,797 | $7,797 | $- | $- | $- | $- | 7 | Allowable to a) reimburse the district for prior remote learning expenses b) incur new expenses related to actual current/perpetual remote learning circumstances, and/or c) to budget for potential future remote learning expenses. Please note that expenses should not be incurred to purchase property to hold in the unlikely event of potential future remote learning needs.
<p>| 366-1-034 | Eligible | Direct Allocation | Operation and Maintenance of Plant Services (All except Transportation) | Regular Non-Certified Salaries | 15. Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities | Custodial Salary-Extra Covid-Actual costs incurred for the additional custodian to address COVID. This was their final payment due to resignation from the district. | $1,284 | $1,284 | $- | $- | $- | $- | 7 |
| 366-1-035 | Eligible | Direct Allocation | Operation and Maintenance of Plant Services (All except Transportation) | Regular Non-Certified Salaries | 15. Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities | Custodial Salary-Extra Covid-Estimated salary to June 30, 2021, for replacement custodian to address COVID. | $5,000 | $5,000 | $- | $- | $- | $- | 7 |
| 366-1-036 | Eligible | Direct Allocation | Operation and Maintenance of Plant Services (All except Transportation) | Regular Non-Certified Salaries | 15. Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities | Custodial Salary-Extra Covid Cleaning Support-Estimated salaries of two additional COVID custodians for the 2022 school year. | $52,845 | $- | $52,845 | $- | $- | $- | 7 |</p>
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<td>Classroom lunch coverage eating in the classrooms (2021)-Actual cost incurred to provide social distancing at lunch. Due to room arrangements, one teacher coverted two classrooms during the lunch period and was compensated at the negotiated agreement rate.</td>
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### PURCHASED PROFESSIONAL AND TECHNICAL SERVICES

8. Planning for and coordinating during long-term closures, including on how to provide meals, technology for online learning, guidance for carrying out IDEA requirements, and providing educational services consistent with applicable requirements.

To address and enhance social and emotional support, instruction, and programming for students altered and impacted by the COVID-19 pandemic. We will focus on skills within our students through an intentional leadership-centered program. Themes of perseverance, compromise, hope, grit, determination, and trust will be discussed and addressed.

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### PROPERTY

13. School facility repairs and improvements to enable operation of schools to reduce risk of virus transmission and exposure to environmental health hazards, and to support student health needs.

Social Distancing - The district is replacing furniture in four classrooms, moving from tables, and moving to individual student desks for more classroom student separation.

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<th>Food Service-Sealing Machine-To be used in the summer and school year feeding program to provide packaged individual servings.</th>
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<td>Food Service-Paper Supply-Address the additional cost and use of paper products that can be disposed of and allow meals to be eaten in the classrooms, primarily breakfast. Should there be a COVID flare-up, students would eat in the classrooms using paper products as well.</td>
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<td>Chromebook chargers-To address the bizarre disappearance of chargers that tends to happen throughout the school year. Additional Chromebook chargers will allow students to have access to Chromebooks still when their charger disappears.</td>
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<td>District Zoom Licenses - To provide teachers with the tools to provide student learning while students are being quarantined (remote learning). Zoom is also used to provide outside classroom presentations without having the guests come into the school and provide district professional development and distance meetings.</td>
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<td>Document Cameras-To be used in conjunction with any outside the building student learning (remote) should the situation warrant.</td>
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<td>Lamp Words for Life-Motor Learning-Bases AAC-To address learning loss/LAMP Words for Life is structured to enable early success and allow the client’s vocabulary and communication skills to grow in a way that doesn’t require re-learning along the way.</td>
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<td>2021 Summer School includes a two-week session the last week of July and the first week of August. Six teachers, two paraeducators, an additional one hour each day have been added, along with student field trips and transportation to and from summer school added.</td>
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| Matt Rogers |

Applicant / Email Address of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director

| rogersm@usd380.com |

Applicant / Phone Number

| 7853826216 |

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Application details

| Full District Name  
| Vermillion Unified Schools |

| District Number  
| 380 |
Covid 19 required our district to purchase more cleaning supplies than we ever have. We brought our Reopening Team in off contract to help develop our plan for opening the schools. With everyone in masks, we are focusing on social emotional issues. We are purchasing Social Emotional curriculum for all of the staff to make sure we are addressing this need. We had to hire extra staff such as health aides to make sure we had sufficient health coverage in all of our buildings. The district purchased extra software programs to help with remote learning and remote teaching. (i.e. - IXL, Kami, Quaver, Zoom, Chromebook Chargers) and provide training for these programs. We also hired a Remote Learning Coordinator.

Through our use of Aimsweb, we noticed that there were more students who fell into tier 2 and 3 on our MTSS model. We hired some extra part time staff to help with the extra numbers in MTSS. We will hire some more staff if needed to provide MTSS services to the high school grades if possible.

Does the district have remaining ESSER I funding that it has not yet spent as of the date of ESSER II application submission?  
Yes

Please summarize how the district will use its remaining ESSER I and ESSER I SPED funding and what it hopes to accomplish with these funds.

We will continue to draw it down for expenses such as paying the extra salaries we have acquired. There is only enough for the remainder of the school year. We are waiting for our Co-Op to tell us when to draw down the SPED funds.

Please review the following allowable uses of ESSER II funds before completing the narrative and Excel template portion of the application.


- Coordination of preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies with State, local, Tribal, and territorial public health departments, and other relevant agencies, to improve coordinated responses among such entities to prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus.
- Providing principals and others school leaders with the resources necessary to address the needs of their individual schools.
- Activities to address the unique needs of low-income children or students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and foster care youth, including how outreach and service delivery will meet the needs of each population.
- Developing and implementing procedures and systems to improve the preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies.
- Training and professional development for staff of the local educational agency on sanitation and minimizing the spread of infectious diseases.
- Purchasing supplies to sanitize and clean the facilities of a local educational agency, including buildings operated by such agency.
- Planning for, coordinating, and implementing activities during long-term closures, including providing meals to eligible students, providing technology for online learning to all students, providing guidance for carrying out requirements under the IDEA and ensuring other educational services can continue to be provided consistent with all Federal, State, and local requirements.
- Purchasing educational technology (including hardware, software, and connectivity) for students who are served by the local educational agency that aids in regular and substantive educational interaction between students and their classroom instructors, including low-income students and children with disabilities, which may include assistive technology or adaptive equipment.
- Providing mental health services and supports.
- Planning and implementing activities related to summer learning and supplemental afterschool programs, including providing classroom instruction or online learning during the summer months and addressing the needs of low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, migrant students, students experiencing homelessness, and children in foster care.
- Addressing learning loss among students, including low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and children and youth in foster care, of the local educational agency, including by—(A) Administering and using high-quality assessments that are valid and reliable, to accurately assess students' academic progress and assist educators in meeting students' academic needs, including through differentiating instruction. (B) Implementing evidence-based activities to meet the comprehensive needs of students. (C) Providing information and assistance to parents and families on how they can effectively support students, including in a distance learning environment. (D) Tracking student attendance and improving student engagement in distance education.
- School facility repairs and improvements to enable operation of schools to reduce risk of virus transmission and exposure to environmental health hazards, and to support student health needs.
- Inspection, testing, maintenance, repair, replacement, and upgrade projects to improve the indoor air quality in school facilities, including mechanical and non-mechanical heating, ventilation, and air conditioning systems, filtering, purification and other air cleaning, fans, control systems, and window and door repair and replacement.
- Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities.
- Other activities that are necessary to maintain the operation of and continuity of services in local educational agencies and continuing to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.

**Please note:** "Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities," identified as an allowable use under ESSER III in the American Rescue Plan, is also permissible under ESSER II.

**Plan for ESSER II Direct District Allocation and KSDE Per-Student Additional Allocation (If Applicable)**

Please summarize how the district proposes using its ESSER II direct district allocation (and its KSDE per-student additional allocation, if applicable) to address incremental COVID-19 needs.
We will hire a Community Liaison who will help families in need. The liaison will allow us to help our families who need extra help due to the loss of wages due to Covid, or help with mental health issues, provide access to counseling, and any other needs the family may have. We will be purchasing SEL curriculum. (Too Good, School Connect). We are bringing in a speaker to talk about the social aspects of social media. We are hiring 2 part time paras to provide MTSS math to the high school grades. We will purchase a laptop computer for use in our MTSS program. We will be hiring two med aids at our early childhood building and be paying our nurses for hours in excess of the contracted 20 hours per week. We want to have a nurse or med aide in our buildings full time. We will purchase Fastbridge to help measure our students success. In year 2 we will be hiring District MTSS coordinators to help us close the learning gaps that the pandemic caused.

How will the district determine the impact of its ESSER II direct district allocation expenditures (and additional per-student allocation, if applicable) on students?

We will take their Fastbridge scores and checking to see if the extra support in MTSS is paying dividends and helping to close the gap created by Covid. We constantly survey students about how they are doing and feeling. We will use our SEL curriculum to gauge how our students are responding to the increase in social, emotional learning.

**Notes on ESSER II application Excel template:**

- Plans and budgets should be submitted for at least a 12 month period but do not need to account for the full duration of the program or the full allocation amount. Funds will remain accessible to the LEA until September 30, 2023 and there will be additional opportunities to submit further requests/plans in the future.
- Following ESSER II application approval and initiation of funds draw down, districts will be required to report to the Commissioner’s Task Force on ESSER II expenditures and impact on a monthly basis throughout the program. This ESSER II reporting will be required as a part of regular ESSER program reporting, which will capture past expenditures across funding streams (ESSER I, ESSER I SPED, ESSER II, ESSER II SPED, ESSER II KSDE Per Student Allocation). Districts may be asked to provide expenditures by fund, function, object, account, and ESSER II allowable use as part of ongoing ESSER reporting.
- This reporting will not replace any reporting required by the federal government. KSDE will work to maximize compatibility between its reporting requirements and those of the federal government as much as possible to minimize burden on districts.

Please download and complete the ESSER II application template [here](#) to provide details on ESSER II budgeted expenditures across allowable uses and KSDE accounting codes.

### Local Education Agency (LEA) Assurances

#### Section I. General Grant Assurances for Federal Funds

*Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA will comply with all requirements of:*

The LEA will make a good faith effort, on a continuing basis, to maintain a drug-free workplace, in accordance with the measures in 34 CFR Part 84, Subpart B and the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988;
The Education Department General Administrative Regulations (EDGAR) 34 CFR 76 requirements, including:
34 CFR §76.500(a) Federal statutes and regulations on nondiscrimination.

(a) A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the following statutes and regulations:
Discrimination on the basis of age | The Age Discrimination Act (42 U.S.C. 6101 et seq.) | 34 CFR part 110.

(b) A State or subgrantee that is a covered entity as defined in §108.3 of this title shall comply with the nondiscrimination requirements of the Boy Scouts of America Equal Access Act, 20 U.S.C. 7905, 34 CFR part 108.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))


34 CFR §76.650 Private schools; purpose of §§76.651-76.662.
(a) Under some programs, the authorizing statute requires that a State and its subgrantees provide for participation by students enrolled in private schools. Sections 76.651-76.662 apply to those programs and provide rules for that participation. These sections do not affect the authority of the State or a subgrantee to enter into a contract with a private party.

(b) If any other rules for participation of students enrolled in private schools apply under a particular program, they are in the authorizing statute or implementing regulations for that program.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3 and 3474)

34 CFR §76.700 Compliance with statutes, regulations, State plan, and applications.
A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the State plan and applicable statutes, regulations, and approved applications, and shall use Federal funds in accordance with those statutes, regulations, plan, and applications.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.701 The State or subgrantee administers or supervises each project.
A State or a subgrantee shall directly administer or supervise the administration of each project.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.702 Fiscal control and fund accounting procedures.
A State and a subgrantee shall use fiscal control and fund accounting procedures that insure proper disbursement of and accounting for Federal funds.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.709 Funds may be obligated during a “carryover period.”
(a) If a State or a subgrantee does not obligate all of its grant or subgrant funds by the end of the fiscal year for which Congress appropriated the funds, it may obligate the remaining funds during a carryover period of one additional fiscal year.

(b) The State shall return to the Federal Government any carryover funds not obligated by the end of the carryover period by the State and its subgrantees.

(Authority: U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1225(b), and 3474)


34 CFR §76.722 Subgrantee reporting requirements.
A State may require a subgrantee to submit reports in a manner and format that assists the State in complying with the requirements under 34 CFR 76.720 and in carrying out other responsibilities under the program.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1231a, and 3474)

[72 FR 3703, Jan. 25, 2007]

34 CFR §76.730 Records related to grant funds.
A State and a subgrantee shall keep records that fully show:
(a) The amount of funds under the grant or subgrant;
(b) How the State or subgrantee uses the funds;
(c) The total cost of the project;
(d) The share of that cost provided from other sources; and
(e) Other records to facilitate an effective audit.

(Approved by the Office of Management and Budget under control number 1880-0513)

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1232f)


34 CFR §76.731 Records related to compliance.
A State and a subgrantee shall keep records to show its compliance with program requirements.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

The Uniform Grant Guidance, 2 CFR §200 all applicable subrecipient requirements, including but not limited to:
The Debarment and Suspension, 34 CFR Part 85, Section 85.510, Participants’ Responsibilities and makes the following certification by signing this application:

The prospective lower-tier participant certifies, by submission of this proposal, that neither it nor its principals is presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction by any federal department or agency.

Where the prospective lower-tier participant is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, such prospective participant shall attach an explanation to this proposal.

This certification is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was made or entered into. Submission of this certification is a prerequisite for making or entering into this transaction imposed by Section 1352, Title 31, U.S. Code. Any person who fails to file the required certification shall be subject to a civil penalty of not less than $10,000 for such failure.

Section II. Specific Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) Grant Assurances

The LEA assures that funds shall only be used for any of the following:

- Coordination of preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies with State, local, Tribal, and territorial public health departments, and other relevant agencies, to improve coordinated responses among such entities to prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus.
- Providing principals and others school leaders with the resources necessary to address the needs of their individual schools.
- Activities to address the unique needs of low-income children or students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and foster care youth, including how outreach and service delivery will meet the needs of each population.
- Developing and implementing procedures and systems to improve the preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies.
- Training and professional development for staff of the local educational agency on sanitation and minimizing the spread of infectious diseases.
- Purchasing supplies to sanitize and clean the facilities of a local educational agency, including buildings operated by such agency.
- Planning for and coordinating during long-term closures, including for how to provide meals to eligible students, how to provide technology for online learning to all students, how to provide guidance for carrying out requirements under the
Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. 1401 et seq.) and how to ensure other educational services can continue to be provided consistent with all Federal, State, and local requirements.

- Purchasing educational technology (including hardware, software, and connectivity) for students who are served by the local educational agency that aids in regular and substantive educational interaction between students and their classroom instructors, including low-income students and students with disabilities, which may include assistive technology or adaptive equipment.
- Providing mental health services and supports.
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- Other activities that are necessary to maintain the operation of and continuity of services in local educational agencies and continuing to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.

Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA shall comply with all applicable requirements of the Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) authorized by the Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act, 2021 (CRRSA), including:

CONTINUED PAYMENT TO EMPLOYEES

SEC. 1806. A local educational agency, State, institution of higher education, or other entity that receives funds under “Education Stabilization Fund”, shall to the greatest extent practicable, continue to pay its employees and contractors during the period of any disruptions or closures related to coronavirus.

Certification

To the best of my knowledge and belief, all the information and data in this agreement are true and correct. I acknowledge and agree that the failure to comply with all Assurances and Certifications in this Agreement, all relevant provisions and requirements of the CARES Act, Pub. L. No. 116-136 (March 27, 2020), or any other applicable law or regulation may result in liability under the False Claims Act, 31 U.S.C. § 3729, et seq.; OMB Guidelines to Agencies on Governmentwide Debarment and Suspension (Nonprocurement) in 2 CFR part 180, as adopted and amended as regulations of the Department in 2 CFR part 3485; and 18 USC § 1001, as appropriate.

Electronic Signature  |  Matt L. Rogers
Date                  |  04/29/2021

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Applicant responded via email: We noticed the time away from our school had a large impact on our early childhood students. We purchased a Sensory Path which will help our youngest with social and emotional skills. We also want to improve their overall emotional wellbeing.

Applicant responded via email: When school buildings were closed and we could not figure out a way to deliver a quality music curriculum to everyone involved, we started looking for an online platform so we could provide the curriculum to our students even though they were not in class. When school opened back up we had numerous quarantines and still needed a way to allow our students to still do music. We didn't want to just tell them to sing or play your instrument and record it. We wanted to be able to do what we were doing in the classroom. Quaver is online so it allows us to offer a quality music experience no matter if the student is in school or not. Allowable to a) reimburse the district for prior remote learning expenses b) incur new expenses related to actual current/perpetual remote learning circumstances, and/or c) to budget for potential future remote learning expenses. Please note that expenses should not be incurred to purchase property to hold in the unlikely event of potential future remote learning needs.
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Applicant responded via email: When all the new reopening guidelines came out, we determined that we had a kindergarten class that was large. 28 students and we could not get anywhere close to 3 feet apart in the classroom. With our other classes, we didn't have that big of a number. We could at least get to 4 foot apart. In order to meet CDC, KSDE, and County Health recommendations, we split the class to help develop a smaller cohort group and this allowed us to spread these students out more. We had to hire a new teacher. This is the salary portion of the new teacher.
Thank you for creating a User Profile for the Kansas CommonApp!

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### Select an Applicant Type
- Unified School District

### Applicant / Entity Name
- Douglass Unified School District No 396

### Applicant / Mailing Address
- 921 E First St
  - Douglass, KS 67039

### Applicant / First and Last Name of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director
- LaChelle Prather

### Applicant / Email Address of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director
- lprather@usd396.net

### Applicant / Phone Number
- 316-747-3300

All questions in the section below are optional, and offer an opportunity to upload or enter information that is typically asked for on grant opportunities.

*(for EANS and ESSER grant applications - please skip the questions below, and scroll to the bottom to complete your User Profile information.)*

### Applicant / Federal EIN (if applicable)
- 48-0698278

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Application details

### Full District Name
- Douglass Public Schools
District Number  |  396  
Mailing Address | Street Address  |  921 E First St  
Mailing Address | City  |  Douglass  
Mailing Address | Zip Code  |  67039  
Authorized Representative of the District | Name  |  Robert D. Reynolds  
Authorized Representative of the District | Position or Title  |  Superintendent  
Authorized Representative of the District | Email Address  |  rreynolds@usd396.net  
Authorized Representative of the District | Phone Number  |  +13167473300  
Would you like to additional district representatives to the application?  |  Yes  
Other District Representative 1 | Email Address  |  lprather@usd396.net  

Please briefly describe the impacts of COVID-19 on the district and its Pre-K through 12 students, including any relevant data where possible (e.g., cost impact, learning loss, emotional impact on students). If there has been a disproportionate impact on a special population in the district (e.g., students with disabilities, English Learners, students in foster care, students in poverty, etc.), please describe the impact and provide the number of Pre-K through 12 students in that population.

The Douglass School District has been impacted by the Pandemic in multiple ways. Students have experienced learning loss due to short periods of remote learning. The pandemic has also created periods of isolation and family challenges which has caused social-emotional problems. Our focus for the past year has been to provide instructional support to our students to lessen the loss of learning. After reviewing our student classroom data, the district discovered that our tier-two and three students have been impacted the most and students have not progressed through the tiers as our data has shown in the past. This data has made it clear that we will need to provide more resources to overcome the learning loss that students have experienced.

Does the district have remaining ESSER I funding that it has not yet spent as of the date of ESSER II application submission?  |  No  

Please review the following allowable uses of ESSER II funds before completing the narrative and Excel template portion of the application.

• Coordination of preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies with State, local, Tribal, and territorial public health departments, and other relevant agencies, to improve coordinated responses among such entities to prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus.

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How will the district determine the impact of its ESSER II direct district allocation expenditures (and additional per-student allocation, if applicable) on students?

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CONTINUED PAYMENT TO EMPLOYEES

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**Certification**

To the best of my knowledge and belief, all the information and data in this agreement are true and correct. I acknowledge and agree that the failure to comply with all Assurances and Certifications in this Agreement, all relevant provisions and requirements of the CARES Act, Pub. L. No. 116-136 (March 27, 2020), or any other applicable law or regulation may result in liability under the False Claims Act, 31 U.S.C. § 3729, et seq.; OMB Guidelines to Agencies on Governmentwide Debarment and Suspension (Nonprocurement) in 2 CFR part 180, as adopted and amended as regulations of the Department in 2 CFR part 3485; and 18 USC § 1001, as appropriate.

Electronic Signature | Robert D. Reynolds
Date | 04/30/2021
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Application details

Full District Name | Riverton

District Number | 404
Please briefly describe the impacts of COVID-19 on the district and its Pre-K through 12 students, including any relevant data where possible (e.g., cost impact, learning loss, emotional impact on students). If there has been a disproportionate impact on a special population in the district (e.g., students with disabilities, English Learners, students in foster care, students in poverty, etc.), please describe the impact and provide the number of Pre-K through 12 students in that population.

Elementary data indicates a significant impact on early readers as a reduced number of students scored at or above grade level goals even before the shutdown. This lack of performance may be attributed to absenteeism that occurred before the pandemic was declared. However, low SES students fare much worse as only 40% of students in this subgroup are at or above grade level. Losing the final nine weeks of school has proven particularly challenging to our youngest students.

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Does the district have remaining ESSER I funding that it has not yet spent as of the date of ESSER II application submission?

Yes

Please summarize how the district will use its remaining ESSER I and ESSER I SPED funding and what it hopes to accomplish with these funds.
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[72 FR 3703, Jan. 25, 2007]

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(Approved by the Office of Management and Budget under control number 1880-0513)

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1232f)


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The Debarment and Suspension, 34 CFR Part 85, Section 85.510, Participants’ Responsibilities and makes the following certification by signing this application:

The prospective lower-tier participant certifies, by submission of this proposal, that neither it nor its principals is presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction by any federal department or agency.

Where the prospective lower-tier participant is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, such prospective participant shall attach an explanation to this proposal.

This certification is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was made or entered into. Submission of this certification is a prerequisite for making or entering into this transaction imposed by Section
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**Section II. Specific Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) Grant Assurances**

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Certification

To the best of my knowledge and belief, all the information and data in this agreement are true and correct. I acknowledge and agree that the failure to comply with all Assurances and Certifications in this Agreement, all relevant provisions and requirements of the CARES Act, Pub. L. No. 116-136 (March 27, 2020), or any other applicable law or regulation may result in liability under the False Claims Act, 31 U.S.C. § 3729, et seq.; OMB Guidelines to Agencies on Governmentwide Debarment and Suspension (Nonprocurement) in 2 CFR part 180, as adopted and amended as regulations of the Department in 2 CFR part 3485; and 18 USC § 1001, as appropriate.

Electronic Signature | Todd Berry

Date | 05/04/2021

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<td>We will be providing a summer school program to address learning loss and prevent summer slide. 12 staff members at $24/hr x 80 hours; 2 bus drivers at $19.95 per hour plus benefits.</td>
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<td>After-school programming to address the needs of students who will benefit from extended learning opportunities. 12 staff at $24/hr x 240 hours, 2 bus drivers at $19.95/ hour plus benefits.</td>
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<td>Maintain the employment of an elementary classroom teacher to maintain reduced class size and ensure our ability to continue meeting the needs of low income students and students with disabilities. Salary+benefits</td>
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<td>We will be hiring a half-day paraprofessional to work in our Title Math program to address student learning loss. 1 staff member at $13/hour x 740 hours plus benefits.</td>
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<td>12. Addressing learning loss among students, including vulnerable populations</td>
<td>We will be contracting services with Greenbush ERC to provide a specialist in literacy and instruction.</td>
<td>$15,000</td>
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<td>We will be purchasing a Fastbridge subscription from Illuminate Education. We will utilize this to collect data on students in both academics and social-emotional needs.</td>
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<td>We propose to purchase Zoom licensing for all teachers and administrators so that we have the ability to provide online instruction in the event of quarantine or short-term school closure.</td>
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<td>Allowable to a) reimburse the district for prior remote learning expenses b) incur new expenses related to actual current/perpetual remote learning circumstances, and/or c) to budget for potential future remote learning expenses. Please note that expenses should not be incurred to purchase property to hold in the unlikely event of potential future remote learning needs.</td>
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<td>District wide summer institute for professional development for implementation of FastBridge, curriculum development, instructional technology, etc. Two days at $24/hr x 62 teachers</td>
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Select an Applicant Type  |  Unified School District
Applicant / Entity Name  |  South Brown County, USD 430
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522 Central Ave
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Applicant / Email Address of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director  |  clinej@usd430.org
Applicant / Phone Number  |  785-486-2611

All questions in the section below are optional, and offer an opportunity to upload or enter information that is typically asked for on grant opportunities.

(for EANS and ESSER grant applications - please skip the questions below, and scroll to the bottom to complete your User Profile information.)

Application details

Full District Name  |  South Brown County
District Number  |  430
Please briefly describe the impacts of COVID-19 on the district and its Pre-K through 12 students, including any relevant data where possible (e.g., cost impact, learning loss, emotional impact on students). If there has been a disproportionate impact on a special population in the district (e.g., students with disabilities, English Learners, students in foster care, students in poverty, etc.), please describe the impact and provide the number of Pre-K through 12 students in that population.

Prior to COVID-19 our benchmark assessments and attendance were moving in the upward direction. During COVID, many of our students were without adequate and reliable devices and internet access to provide an effective learning environment. Through Sparks funding and the LiNK grant we were able to purchase additional Chromebooks for those in need. Also, a local communications company, Rainbow Communications, was able to offer hot spots in the area communities. Even with all of the technology growth, in Fall 2020 we had a drop of as much as 20.2 percentile points in Math and 11.16 percentile points in Reading. 90% of our grade levels lost ground in the Fall 2020 NWEA math benchmark assessment, 60% in reading. Attendance has been lower post pandemic. Attendance in each building has reduced by as much as 8%tile points. Another source of data that we use is SAEBRS, social, academic, emotional behavior risk screener. At our middle and high school level we have seen our SAEBRS, which is determined by teacher evaluations, reduce. On the other hand, our elementary school increased by 7% with a greater amount of students identified as needing social emotional intervention.

Does the district have remaining ESSER I funding that it has not yet spent as of the date of ESSER II application submission?

No

Please review the following allowable uses of ESSER II funds before completing the narrative and Excel template portion of the application.

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Please note: "Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities," identified as an allowable use under ESSER III in the American Rescue Plan, is also permissible under ESSER II.

Plan for ESSER II Direct District Allocation and KSDE Per-Student Additional Allocation (If Applicable)

Please summarize how the district proposes using its ESSER II direct district allocation (and its KSDE per-student additional allocation, if applicable) to address incremental COVID-19 needs.
USD 430 has created and will implement a new summer school program, “Ride the Wave”, for students in K-6 grades. Summer school will be held weekday mornings during the month of June. Each day, students will work with certified teachers with paraprofessional support on reading and math intervention or enrichment as well as social emotional learning. Each day will also include a fun camp activity for students to enjoy. Students will also receive breakfast and lunch while at the building. Transportation to and from school will be available. Elements of our current SEL program - Lions Quest will be used and supplemented with the Leader in Me principles. A school nurse will also be on duty during anytime students are on campus.

In order to address the need to socially distance our classrooms and to have the ability to move to an outdoor classroom environment when needed, we will be purchasing Interactive Clear Touch boards for our classrooms. This additional technology will allow greater movement within our district buildings and greenspace.

For our high school students, we will purchase an expanded Edgenuity plan for credit recovery. The Edgenuity schedule will be flexible for each student’s needs, a tutor also will be available for assistance.

In addition to our summer school offerings, we are looking forward to Fall 2021. Our 5-12 band instruments will be deep cleaned, purchasing materials for our middle school Intro to Agriculture course, and training for our new Reading Intervention materials will be completed. We are also looking to add a few positions within the district to meet the needs of our staff and students. The first position will be an Instructional Coach - a position working with our staff. The others will be Student Interventionists - one for each of our district buildings.

How will the district determine the impact of its ESSER II direct district allocation expenditures (and additional per-student allocation, if applicable) on students?

USD 430 will use our benchmark data to determine the academic impact of the ESSER II funds. We currently use NWEA Map and DIBELS to determine our MTSS tiers for Reading and NWEA Map and Acadience to determine our MTSS tiers for Math. The impact of these funds will be seen through our tier support needs. We will also look at our attendance data and our SAEBRS data for Social Emotional needs. With the help of TASN, SEL interventions will be implemented in Fall 2021. Physically, we will be able to see outdoor and portable learning environments for our students in each of the buildings.

Notes on ESSER II application Excel template:

- Plans and budgets should be submitted for at least a 12 month period but do not need to account for the full duration of the program or the full allocation amount. Funds will remain accessible to the LEA until September 30, 2023 and there will be additional opportunities to submit further requests/plans in the future.
- Following ESSER II application approval and initiation of funds draw down, districts will be required to report to the Commissioner's Task Force on ESSER II expenditures and impact on a monthly basis throughout the program. This ESSER II reporting will be required as a part of regular ESSER program reporting, which will capture past expenditures across funding streams (ESSER I, ESSER I SPED, ESSER II, ESSER II SPED, ESSER II KSDE Per Student Allocation). Districts may be asked to provide expenditures by fund, function, object, account, and ESSER II allowable use as part of ongoing ESSER reporting.
- This reporting will not replace any reporting required by the federal government. KSDE will work to maximize compatibility between its reporting requirements and those of the federal government as much as possible to minimize burden on districts.

Please download and complete the ESSER II application template here to provide details on ESSER II budgeted expenditures across allowable uses and KSDE accounting codes.

Local Education Agency (LEA) Assurances
Section I. General Grant Assurances for Federal Funds

Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA will comply with all requirements of:

The LEA will make a good faith effort, on a continuing basis, to maintain a drug-free workplace, in accordance with the measures in 34 CFR Part 84, Subpart B and the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988;
The Education Department General Administrative Regulations (EDGAR) 34 CFR 76 requirements, including:

34 CFR §76.500(a) Federal statutes and regulations on nondiscrimination.

(a) A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the following statutes and regulations:

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(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))


34 CFR §76.650 Private schools; purpose of §§76.651-76.662.

(a) Under some programs, the authorizing statute requires that a State and its subgrantees provide for participation by students enrolled in private schools. Sections 76.651-76.662 apply to those programs and provide rules for that participation. These sections do not affect the authority of the State or a subgrantee to enter into a contract with a private party.

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(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3 and 3474)

34 CFR §76.700 Compliance with statutes, regulations, State plan, and applications.

A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the State plan and applicable statutes, regulations, and approved applications, and shall use Federal funds in accordance with those statutes, regulations, plan, and applications.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.701 The State or subgrantee administers or supervises each project.

A State or a subgrantee shall directly administer or supervise the administration of each project.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.702 Fiscal control and fund accounting procedures.

A State and a subgrantee shall use fiscal control and fund accounting procedures that insure proper disbursement of and accounting for Federal funds.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.709 Funds may be obligated during a “carryover period.”

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(Authority: U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1225(b), and 3474)


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(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1231a, and 3474)

[72 FR 3703, Jan. 25, 2007]

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A State and a subgrantee shall keep records that fully show:

(a) The amount of funds under the grant or subgrant;
(b) How the State or subgrantee uses the funds;
(c) The total cost of the project;
(d) The share of that cost provided from other sources; and
(e) Other records to facilitate an effective audit.

(Approved by the Office of Management and Budget under control number 1880-0513)

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1232f)
34 CFR §76.731
Records related to compliance.
A State and a subgrantee shall keep records to show its compliance with program requirements.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))
The Uniform Grant Guidance, 2 CFR §200 all applicable subrecipient requirements, including but not limited to:
2 CFR Subpart D – Post Federal Award Requirements
§200.302 Financial management.
§200.303 Internal controls.
§200.305 Payment.
§200.313 Equipment.
§200.314 Supplies.
§200.318 General procurement standards.
§200.320 Methods of procurement to be followed;
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**Certification**

To the best of my knowledge and belief, all the information and data in this agreement are true and correct. I acknowledge and agree that the failure to comply with all Assurances and Certifications in this Agreement, all relevant provisions and requirements of the CARES Act, Pub. L. No. 116-136 (March 27, 2020), or any other applicable law or regulation may result in liability under the False Claims Act, 31 U.S.C. § 3729, et seq.; OMB Guidelines to Agencies on Governmentwide Debarment and Suspension (Nonprocurement) in 2 CFR part 180, as adopted and amended as regulations of the Department in 2 CFR part 3485; and 18 USC § 1001, as appropriate.
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| 430-1-004 | Eligible | Direct Allocation | Health Services | Regular Non-Certified Salaries | 11A. Planning and implementing summer learning or enrichment programs | Cover additional salaries to provide a Nurse on site during summer school extended learning programs | $2,495 | $2,495 | $- | $- | $- | $- | 81875 |

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### 12. Addressing learning loss among students, including vulnerable populations

| 430-1-006 | Eligible | Direct Allocation | Instruction | Regular Certified Salaries | Hiring of 3 Student Academic Interventionist, 1 per building. The Instructor creates a positive learning environment to facilitate the personal, social, and intellectual development of students. In order to respond to the individual needs and abilities of students, the Classroom instructor must work closely with other staff, and administration of the district. | $53,880 | $ - | $53,880 | $ - | $ - | 81850 |

### 11A. Planning and implementing summer learning or enrichment programs

| 430-1-007 | Eligible | Direct Allocation | Instruction | Regular Non-Certified Salaries | To cover additional salaries to implement the High School Credit Recovery program for students | $3,250 | $ - | $3,250 | $ - | $ - | 82100 |

### 16. Other activities necessary to maintain LEA operations and employ existing LEA staff

| 430-1-008 | Eligible | Direct Allocation | Operation and Maintenance of Plant Services (All except Transportation) | Regular Non-Certified Salaries | Cover additional salaries of hiring an additional custodian for the 21-22 school year to help with all the additional cleaning and sanitizing of the buildings. | $28,200 | $4,000 | $24,200 | $ - | $ - | 82115 |

### PURCHASED PROFESSIONAL AND TECHNICAL SERVICES

<p>| 430-1-009 | Eligible | Direct Allocation | Instruction | Purchased Professional and Technical Services | Provide training for k-8 staff associated with the new Reading Intervention curriculum that was purchased to target students that may have fallen behind during the pandemic. | $5,100 | $ - | $5,100 | $ - | $ - | 82300 |</p>
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Per applicant, This is for our CTE classes to promote and encourage hands-on activities for student achievement. Due to the loss of hands-on activities during the covid shutdown.

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| 445 Coffeyville

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| Coffeyville, KS 67337

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| Michael Speer

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| speerm@cvilleschools.com

Applicant / Phone Number
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Applicant / Federal EIN (if applicable)
| 48-0698616

Applicant / Website Address (if applicable)
| www.cvilleschools.com

Applicant / Mission Statement (if applicable)
Building on a culturally diverse community, USD 445 will prepare all students for life-long learning by providing resources for a comprehensive quality education in a safe environment that promotes high academic achievement and responsible citizenship in a global society.

Applicant / W9 or Year-end Financial Statement (if applicable)
Download Form W-9

Applicant / Board Member List (if applicable)

Fiscal Agent / Name (if applicable)  Michael W. Speer
Fiscal Agent / Email (if applicable)  speerm@cvilleschools.com

Application details

Full District Name  Unified School District No 445 Coffeyville
District Number  445
Mailing Address | Street Address  615 Ellis
Mailing Address | City  Coffeyville
Mailing Address | Zip Code  67337
Authorized Representative of the District | Name  Michael Speer
Authorized Representative of the District | Position or Title  Business Manager
Authorized Representative of the District | Email Address  speerm@cvilleschools.com
Authorized Representative of the District | Phone Number  +16202526400
Would you like to additional district representatives to the application?  No

Please briefly describe the impacts of COVID-19 on the district and its Pre-K through 12 students, including any relevant data where possible (e.g., cost impact, learning loss, emotional impact on students). If there has been a disproportionate impact on
a special population in the district (e.g., students with disabilities, English Learners, students in foster care, students in poverty, etc.), please describe the impact and provide the number of Pre-K through 12 students in that population.

The impact of COVID-19 resulted in a decline in academic performance for PK-12th grade students. Panorama shows students failing at least one class, has increased an average of 15% from the 2019-2020 school year to the 2020-2021 school year. There is a slight decline in MAP Math for students 7-12. There has been a disproportionate impact on the ESOL population with an average of 60% failing at least one class. Special education students failing at least one class increased by 10%. Students eligible for free and reduced failing at least one class increased by 16%.

According to the KCTC, there has been an increase in depression by 19% from 2020-2021. Students reporting that they attempted suicide within the month of the survey administration has increased by 54% from 2020-2021. The Student Risk Screening Scale - Internalizing and Externalizing (SRSS-IE) indicated that students in need of Tier 3 support (individualized and intense) increased 52% from 2020-2021 and students in need of Tier 2 support (individualized and intense) increased 10% from 2020-2021. Currently the district has 83 students in the Mental Health Intervention Program partnership with KSDE. Due to students having to be remote, the district has had to purchase laptops for all students. This has doubled our one to one technology from approximately 900-2000. The increase of technology usage on campuses has caused an increased need in bandwidth to each classroom. Also, with some students not having access to internet access points were purchased for families to use during remote learning.

Does the district have remaining ESSER I funding that it has not yet spent as of the date of ESSER II application submission?

Please review the following allowable uses of ESSER II funds before completing the narrative and Excel template portion of the application.


- Coordination of preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies with State, local, Tribal, and territorial public health departments, and other relevant agencies, to improve coordinated responses among such entities to prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus.

- Providing principals and others school leaders with the resources necessary to address the needs of their individual schools.

- Activities to address the unique needs of low-income children or students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and foster care youth, including how outreach and service delivery will meet the needs of each population.

- Developing and implementing procedures and systems to improve the preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies.

- Training and professional development for staff of the local educational agency on sanitation and minimizing the spread of infectious diseases.

- Purchasing supplies to sanitize and clean the facilities of a local educational agency, including buildings operated by such agency.

- Planning for, coordinating, and implementing activities during long-term closures, including providing meals to eligible students, providing technology for online learning to all students, providing guidance for carrying out requirements under the IDEA and ensuring other educational services can continue to be provided consistent with all Federal, State, and local requirements.

- Purchasing educational technology (including hardware, software, and connectivity) for students who are served by the local educational agency that aids in regular and substantive educational interaction between students and their classroom instructors, including low-income students and children with disabilities, which may include assistive technology or adaptive equipment.
• Providing mental health services and supports.

• Planning and implementing activities related to summer learning and supplemental afterschool programs, including providing classroom instruction or online learning during the summer months and addressing the needs of low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, migrant students, students experiencing homelessness, and children in foster care.

• Addressing learning loss among students, including low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and children and youth in foster care, of the local educational agency, including by— (A) Administering and using high-quality assessments that are valid and reliable, to accurately assess students' academic progress and assist educators in meeting students' academic needs, including through differentiating instruction. (B) Implementing evidence-based activities to meet the comprehensive needs of students. (C) Providing information and assistance to parents and families on how they can effectively support students, including in a distance learning environment. (D) Tracking student attendance and improving student engagement in distance education.

• School facility repairs and improvements to enable operation of schools to reduce risk of virus transmission and exposure to environmental health hazards, and to support student health needs.

• Inspection, testing, maintenance, repair, replacement, and upgrade projects to improve the indoor air quality in school facilities, including mechanical and non-mechanical heating, ventilation, and air conditioning systems, filtering, purification and other air cleaning, fans, control systems, and window and door repair and replacement.

• Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities.

• Other activities that are necessary to maintain the operation of and continuity of services in local educational agencies and continuing to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.

Please note: "Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities," identified as an allowable use under ESSER III in the American Rescue Plan, is also permissible under ESSER II.

Plan for ESSER II Direct District Allocation and KSDE Per-Student Additional Allocation (If Applicable)

Please summarize how the district proposes using its ESSER II direct district allocation (and its KSDE per-student additional allocation, if applicable) to address incremental COVID-19 needs.

To address the learning loss of students during the COVID-19 period, the district is implementing a new instructional model of Professional Learning Communities within all grade levels. These expenses will include paid staff training days as the PLC contractors. An instructional coach will be hired to breakdown student data and to work with instructors in developing strategies to target specific educational need of each student.

Funds will also be used to purchase upgraded network equipment due to the increased use of computers and live streaming both in the classroom and through connectivity with students at home. Internet connectivity options for students who do not have internet connection at home such as cellular hotspots will be purchased. Additional laptop computers will be purchased for use in the classrooms so students do not have to share computers to maintain social distance and will be used when students have to be at home.

Afterschool, summer, and intense targeted assistance programs will be implemented that will target students identified with educational deficiency needs.

To help curtail the spread of COVID-19 and to improve the air quality, replacement HVAC units will be purchased as the current units are approximately 20 years old. New units will have UV lighting to clean the air as it is circulated. In high traffic areas such as offices, smaller UV filtering systems will be purchased and installed. Cleaning supplies and chemicals designed to kill the coronavirus will continue to be purchased for the cleaning and sanitizing of the facilities. Basic supplies such as towels, sanitizer, chemical for ionizer sprayers for the cleaning of classrooms and high touch areas will be purchased. Various PPE supplies for students, staff and visitors will be purchased including appropriate signage for social distancing in line with local health requirements.

How will the district determine the impact of its ESSER II direct district allocation expenditures (and additional per-student allocation, if applicable) on students?
The district has implemented Panorama which will coordinate attendance, behavior, local assessment data, state standards, social-emotional criteria for each student. District staff will monitor each of these areas of students' growth. The Professional Learning Communities will then be able to determine what is the best course of action for the student to achieve set goals. The overall data will be used to monitor the district increased performance in all of these areas. In addition, monitoring of student grades and assignments will be done by classroom teachers if students have to be out of the classroom for a period of time.

Improved air quality and continued cleaning and sanitizing of the facilities will positively impact the attendance of students as they will be back in school every day.

Notes on ESSER II application Excel template:

- Plans and budgets should be submitted for at least a 12 month period but do not need to account for the full duration of the program or the full allocation amount. Funds will remain accessible to the LEA until September 30, 2023 and there will be additional opportunities to submit further requests/plans in the future.
- Following ESSER II application approval and initiation of funds draw down, districts will be required to report to the Commissioner's Task Force on ESSER II expenditures and impact on a monthly basis throughout the program. This ESSER II reporting will be required as a part of regular ESSER program reporting, which will capture past expenditures across funding streams (ESSER I, ESSER I SPED, ESSER II, ESSER II SPED, ESSER II KSDE Per Student Allocation). Districts may be asked to provide expenditures by fund, function, object, account, and ESSER II allowable use as part of ongoing ESSER reporting.
- This reporting will not replace any reporting required by the federal government. KSDE will work to maximize compatibility between its reporting requirements and those of the federal government as much as possible to minimize burden on districts.

Please download and complete the ESSER II application template here to provide details on ESSER II budgeted expenditures across allowable uses and KSDE accounting codes.

Local Education Agency (LEA) Assurances

Section I. General Grant Assurances for Federal Funds

Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA will comply with all requirements of:
The LEA will make a good faith effort, on a continuing basis, to maintain a drug-free workplace, in accordance with the measures in 34 CFR Part 84, Subpart B and the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988;
The Education Department General Administrative Regulations (EDGAR) 34 CFR 76 requirements, including:
34 CFR §76.500(a) Federal statutes and regulations on nondiscrimination.
(a) A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the following statutes and regulations:
  • Discrimination on the basis of race, color, or national origin | Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (45 U.S.C. 2000d through 2000d-4) | 34 CFR part 100.
  • Discrimination on the basis of age | The Age Discrimination Act (42 U.S.C. 6101 et seq.) | 34 CFR part 110.

(b) A State or subgrantee that is a covered entity as defined in §108.3 of this title shall comply with the nondiscrimination requirements of the Boy Scouts of America Equal Access Act, 20 U.S.C. 7905, 34 CFR part 108.
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))
34 CFR §76.650 Private schools; purpose of §§76.651-76.662.
(a) Under some programs, the authorizing statute requires that a State and its
subgrantees provide for participation by students enrolled in private schools. Sections 76.651-76.662 apply to those programs
and provide rules for that participation. These sections do not affect the authority of the State or a subgrantee to enter into a
contract with a private party.
(b) If any other rules for participation of students enrolled in private schools apply under a particular program, they are in the
authorizing statute or implementing regulations for that program.
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3 and 3474)

34 CFR §76.700 Compliance with statutes, regulations, State plan, and applications.
A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the State plan and applicable statutes, regulations, and approved applications, and
shall use Federal funds in accordance with those statutes, regulations, plan, and applications.
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.701 The State or subgrantee administers or supervises each project.
A State or a subgrantee shall directly administer or supervise the administration of each project.
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.702 Fiscal control and fund accounting procedures.
A State and a subgrantee shall use fiscal control and fund accounting procedures that insure proper disbursement of and
accounting for Federal funds.
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.709 Funds may be obligated during a “carryover period.”
(a) If a State or a subgrantee does not obligate all of its grant or subgrant funds by the end of the fiscal year for which Congress
appropriated the funds, it may obligate the remaining funds during a carryover period of one additional fiscal year.
(b) The State shall return to the Federal Government any carryover funds not obligated by the end of the carryover period by
the State and its subgrantees.
(Authority: U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1225(b), and 3474)
at 60 FR 41295, Aug. 11, 1995]

34 CFR §76.722 Subgrantee reporting requirements.
A State may require a subgrantee to submit reports in a manner and format that assists the State in complying with the
requirements under 34 CFR 76.720 and in carrying out other responsibilities under the program.
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1231a, and 3474)
[72 FR 3703, Jan. 25, 2007]

34 CFR §76.730 Records related to grant funds.
A State and a subgrantee shall keep records that fully show:
(a) The amount of funds under the grant or subgrant;
(b) How the State or subgrantee uses the funds;
(c) The total cost of the project;
(d) The share of that cost provided from other sources; and
(e) Other records to facilitate an effective audit.
(Approved by the Office of Management and Budget under control number 1880-0513)
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1232f)

34 CFR §76.731 Records related to compliance.
A State and a subgrantee shall keep records to show its compliance with program requirements.
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))
The Uniform Grant Guidance, 2 CFR §200 all applicable subrecipient requirements, including but not limited to:
2 CFR Subpart D – Post Federal Award Requirements
§200.302 Financial management.
§200.303 Internal controls.
§200.305 Payment.
§200.313 Equipment.
§200.314 Supplies.
§200.318 General procurement standards.
§200.320 Methods of procurement to be followed;
2 CFR 200 Subpart E: Cost Principles:
§200.403 Factors affecting allowability of costs.
§200.404 Reasonable costs.
§200.405 Allocable costs.
§200.413 Direct costs.
§200.415 Required certifications.
§200.430 Compensation—personal services.
The Debarment and Suspension, 34 CFR Part 85, Section 85.510, Participants’ Responsibilities and makes the following certification by signing this application:
The prospective lower-tier participant certifies, by submission of this proposal, that neither it nor its principals is presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction by any federal department or agency.
Where the prospective lower-tier participant is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, such prospective participant shall attach an explanation to this proposal.
This certification is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was made or entered into. Submission of this certification is a prerequisite for making or entering into this transaction imposed by Section 1352, Title 31, U.S. Code. Any person who fails to file the required certification shall be subject to a civil penalty of not less than $10,000 for such failure.

Section II. Specific Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) Grant Assurances

The LEA assures that funds shall only be used for any of the following:
• Coordination of preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies with State, local, Tribal, and territorial public health departments, and other relevant agencies, to improve coordinated responses among such entities to prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus.
• Providing principals and others school leaders with the resources necessary to address the needs of their individual schools.
• Activities to address the unique needs of low-income children or students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and foster care youth, including how outreach and service delivery will meet the needs of each population.
• Developing and implementing procedures and systems to improve the preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies.
• Training and professional development for staff of the local educational agency on sanitation and minimizing the spread of infectious diseases.
• Purchasing supplies to sanitize and clean the facilities of a local educational agency, including buildings operated by such agency.
• Planning for and coordinating during long-term closures, including for how to provide meals to eligible students, how to provide technology for online learning to all students, how to provide guidance for carrying out requirements under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. 1401 et seq.) and how to ensure other educational services can continue to be provided consistent with all Federal, State, and local requirements.
• Purchasing educational technology (including hardware, software, and connectivity) for students who are served by the local educational agency that aids in regular and substantive educational interaction between students and their classroom instructors, including low-income students and students with disabilities, which may include assistive technology or adaptive equipment.
• Providing mental health services and supports.
• Planning and implementing activities related to summer learning and supplemental afterschool programs, including providing classroom instruction or online learning during the summer months and addressing the needs of low income students, students with disabilities, English learners, migrant students, students experiencing homelessness, and children in foster care.
• Addressing learning loss among students, including low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and children and youth in foster care, of the local educational agency, including by— (A) Administering and using high-quality assessments that are valid and reliable, to accurately assess students' academic progress and assist educators in meeting students' academic needs, including through differentiating instruction. (B) Implementing evidence-based activities to meet the comprehensive needs of students. (C) Providing information and assistance to parents and families on how they can effectively support students, including in a distance learning environment. (D) Tracking student attendance and improving student engagement in distance education.
• School facility repairs and improvements to enable operation of schools to reduce risk of virus transmission and exposure to environmental health hazards, and to support student health needs.
• Inspection, testing, maintenance, repair, replacement, and upgrade projects to improve the indoor air quality in school facilities, including mechanical and non-mechanical heating, ventilation, and air conditioning systems, filtering, purification and other air cleaning, fans, control systems, and window and door repair and replacement.
• Other activities that are necessary to maintain the operation of and continuity of services in local educational agencies and continuing to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.

Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA shall comply with all applicable requirements of the Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) authorized by the Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act, 2021 (CRRSAA), including:

CONTINUED PAYMENT TO EMPLOYEES
SEC. 18006. A local educational agency, State, institution of higher education, or other entity that receives funds under "Education Stabilization Fund", shall to the greatest extent practicable, continue to pay its employees and contractors during the period of any disruptions or closures related to coronavirus.

Certification

To the best of my knowledge and belief, all the information and data in this agreement are true and correct. I acknowledge and agree that the failure to comply with all Assurances and Certifications in this Agreement, all relevant provisions and requirements of the CARES Act, Pub. L. No. 116-136 (March 27, 2020), or any other applicable law or regulation may result in liability under the False Claims Act, 31 U.S.C. § 3729, et seq.; OMB Guidelines to Agencies on Governmentwide Debarment and Suspension (Nonprocurement) in 2 CFR part 180, as adopted and amended as regulations of the Department in 2 CFR part 3485; and 18 USC § 1001, as appropriate.

Electronic Signature | Michael W. Speer

Date | 05/04/2021

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<td>Travel expenses for staff to visit other professional learning community districts to better address the student learning loss due to COVID and to better implement the PLC program within our schools. Hotel: 25 staff x $150/night = $3,750, Per Diem: 25 staff x $45 = $1,125, Total: $4,875</td>
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<td>For students who do not have connectivity at home, cellular hotspots will be obtained and checked out. This will allow for students to be able to connect from home and work on not only classroom assignments but also those enrichment opportunities to help make up for any learning loss. $30/mth. x 12 mths x 50 students x 2 yrs = $36,000</td>
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<td>Online textbook subscriptions will be purchased for students who have to be remote or for additional textbook support to students while they study at home to work on areas where learning loss has occurred due to the pandemic. This will be done on an individual student need basis and not a blanket grade level purchase. $1,200/grade level x 12 grade levels = $14,400</td>
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<td>Allowable to a) reimburse the district for prior remote learning expenses b) incur new expenses related to actual current/perpetual remote learning circumstances, and/or c) to budget for potential future remote learning expenses. Please note that expenses should not be incurred to purchase property to hold in the unlikely event of potential future remote learning needs.</td>
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### 445-1-019
| Eligible | Direct Allocation | Instruction | Computers and Related Equipment (Including Software if bought as a package) | With the increased use in technology and to further prevent the spread of COVID, LCD TVs will be placed in all classrooms so that students will be able to stream their laptops to the monitors so the entire class will be able to see. This will allow for students to share work while social-distancing within the classroom. Student who are remote will be able to be involved in the classroom and seen by the whole class as the teacher will be able to stream their live video to the entire class. Addition, 150 Dell Latitude 2-in-1 laptops will be purchased for student use. These computers will be used in the elementary building at the 2nd grade level so students do not have to share computers with other students, thus helping to prevent the spread of COVID. TVs: 125 classroom areas x $799 ea. = $99,875 Computers: 150 computers x $482 ea. = $72,300 | $172,175 | - | $172,175 | - | $99170 | Allowable to a) reimburse the district for prior remote learning expenses b) incur new expenses related to actual current/perpetual remote learning circumstances, and/or c) to budget for potential future remote learning expenses. Please note that expenses should not be incurred to purchase property to hold in the unlikely event of potential future remote learning needs. |

### 445-1-020
<p>| Eligible | Direct Allocation | Instruction | Technology-Related Hardware | School facility repairs and improvements to enable operation of schools to reduce risk of virus transmission and exposure to environmental health hazards, and to support student health needs | School network functions will need to be updated and improved due to the increased connectivity and media usage by students and staff. The increased connectivity and video/streaming usage in the classrooms due to the COVID pandemic has overwhelmed the district network. The new wireless controllers will negotiate the wireless network allowing for 10GB connection to the buildings and classrooms. 2 wireless network controllers and licensing for 2,000 users = $50,000 | $50,000 | - | $50,000 | - | $99171 | Allowable to a) reimburse the district for prior remote learning expenses b) incur new expenses related to actual current/perpetual remote learning circumstances, and/or c) to budget for potential future remote learning expenses. Please note that expenses should not be incurred to purchase property to hold in the unlikely event of potential future remote learning needs. |</p>
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<td>To help with the cleaning of furniture and to reduce the spread of COVID on high touch areas in the classrooms, two grade levels will have the cloth chairs replaced with hard plastic chairs to make it easier to spray and clean each night. The district only has two grade levels where cloth chairs are used. This will aid in implementing health protocols in operating the school. 150 chairs/grade level x 2 grade levels x $212.13/chair = $63,637</td>
<td>Additional days will be added to the school counselors' contract to allow them to coordinate efforts and mental health services for students who are experiencing high levels of anxiety and stress due to the COVID-19 pandemic and the return to school. These efforts will continue for 2 years during the summer months. 5 counselors x 5 days x $285/day average salary x 2 yrs. = $14,250</td>
<td>Additional days will be added to the clinical counselors' contract to allow them to coordinate efforts and mental health services for students who are experiencing high levels of anxiety and stress due to the COVID-19 pandemic and the return to school. These efforts will continue for 2 years during the summer months. 3 counselors x 5 days x $269/day average salary x 2 yrs. = $8,070</td>
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<td>Online student support program will be purchased that will have self-assessments for student social-emotional and mental health wellbeing. This will be targeted to those students who have a need and not tailored to the entire student population. $2,000/yr. x 2 yrs. = $4,000</td>
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<td>Purchasing PPE materials for 2,200 students, staff and school visitors including masks, gloves, etc. to reduce the spread of COVID. $9,000/yr. x 2 yrs. = $18,000</td>
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<td>Additional books and periodicals will be purchased to help facilitate student reading specifically for use by students with learning loss so parents will have materials at home to help student practice reading. These will be purchased for use at the elementary building only. $750/yr. x 2 yrs. = $1,500</td>
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| Eligible | Direct Allocation | Safety | Cleaning Supplies and Chemicals | 7. Purchasing supplies to sanitize and clean LEA and school facilities | Chemicals and usable supplies used to clean the district that are due to the COVID-19 pandemic. These cleaning chemicals and supplies have been implemented in response to the pandemic and include items such as Gen-a-Fect spray cleaner/sanitizer, spray bottles for the classrooms, face shields, N95 masks, hand sanitizing chemicals, vital oxide to spray the classrooms and traffic areas to sanitize and prevent the spread of COVID. Est. $15,000/yr. x 2 yrs. = $30,000 | $30,000 | $4,000 | $15,000 | $11,000 | $- | 99632 |
### 7. Purchasing Supplies to Sanitize and Clean LEA and School Facilities

Equipment used to sanitize and clean the facilities to help prevent the spread of COVID. Sprayers/ionizers are used to spray vital oxide and other chemicals in the classrooms, offices, and gymnasiums after each day. Backpack sprayers are used for bleachers and playground equipment to be sanitized after use.

- Victory Ionizers: 10 Victory Ionizers x $900 ea. = $9,000
- Backpack sprayers: 3 sprayers x $500 ea. = $1,500

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### 13. School Facility Repairs and Improvements to Enable Operation of Schools to Reduce Risk of Virus Transmission and Exposure to Environmental Health Hazards, and to Support Student Health Needs

Currently the elementary building as 6 classrooms that were originally designed as “team-teaching” rooms. These rooms have everything separate already, HVAC, electricity, kitchenette, ceiling light controls, etc, except that there is no wall where there should be to divide the room. To help in the prevention of the spread of the coronavirus and separation of the student groups we would like to put in a wall that would separate the one “team-teaching” rooms into two individual classrooms. The only thing that is needed is the wall with a little bit of electrical installed in it and possible repair of the ceiling tile where the new wall is placed. Everything else is already separated for the classrooms. By separating the classrooms, it will help to maintain the student cohort in a more confined classroom to help prevent COVID spread.

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Applicant details

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Select an Applicant Type | Unified School District

Applicant / Entity Name | USD 458

Applicant / Mailing Address
2008 N 155th Street
Basehor, KS 66007

Applicant / First and Last Name of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director | David Howard

Applicant / Email Address of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director | dhoward@usd458.org

Applicant / Phone Number | 913-724-1396

All questions in the section below are optional, and offer an opportunity to upload or enter information that is typically asked for on grant opportunities.

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Application details

Full District Name | Basehor-Linwood
District Number | 458
Mailing Address | Street Address | 2008 N 155th Street
Mailing Address | City | Basehor
Mailing Address | Zip Code | 66007
Authorized Representative of the District | Name | Pam Chenoweth
Authorized Representative of the District | Position or Title | Board Clerk
Authorized Representative of the District | Email Address | pchenoweth@usd458.org
Authorized Representative of the District | Phone Number | +19136627025
Would you like to additional district representatives to the application? | No

Please briefly describe the impacts of COVID-19 on the district and its Pre-K through 12 students, including any relevant data where possible (e.g., cost impact, learning loss, emotional impact on students). If there has been a disproportionate impact on a special population in the district (e.g., students with disabilities, English Learners, students in foster care, students in poverty, etc.), please describe the impact and provide the number of Pre-K through 12 students in that population.

During the course of the pandemic our students, staff, parents, and community have been deeply impacted. With many of our students living in rural areas, connectivity has been a continuing concern. We have limited connectivity for some students while trying to provide technology and assistive devices for them. With remote, hybrid, and on-site learning we had a myriad of opportunities available for our students to help make up for learning loss due to the pandemic. Student academic scores have decreased in our nationally normed screener, MAP. We have also seen social emotional concerns through our panorama survey. This year we served 2575 in our hybrid, remote, and onsite environment. An additional 373 students in our virtual school also received additional support this year. We have seen deeper impacts on our special populations with staff changes required to meet the needs due to the requirements of the pandemic safety concerns. The costs due to the changes to meet the needs of students and staff have increased with cleaning, staffing and additional resources. The pandemic has made a major impact on our budget, learning, and social-emotional health across the district.

Does the district have remaining ESSER I funding that it has not yet spent as of the date of ESSER II application submission? | No

Please review the following allowable uses of ESSER II funds before completing the narrative and Excel template portion of the application.

• Coordination of preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies with State, local, Tribal, and territorial public health departments, and other relevant agencies, to improve coordinated responses among such entities to prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus.
• Providing principals and others school leaders with the resources necessary to address the needs of their individual schools.
• Activities to address the unique needs of low-income children or students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and foster care youth, including how outreach and service delivery will meet the needs of each population.
• Developing and implementing procedures and systems to improve the preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies.
• Training and professional development for staff of the local educational agency on sanitation and minimizing the spread of infectious diseases.
• Purchasing supplies to sanitize and clean the facilities of a local educational agency, including buildings operated by such agency.
• Planning for, coordinating, and implementing activities during long-term closures, including providing meals to eligible students, providing technology for online learning to all students, providing guidance for carrying out requirements under the IDEA and ensuring other educational services can continue to be provided consistent with all Federal, State, and local requirements.
• Purchasing educational technology (including hardware, software, and connectivity) for students who are served by the local educational agency that aids in regular and substantive educational interaction between students and their classroom instructors, including low-income students and children with disabilities, which may include assistive technology or adaptive equipment.
• Providing mental health services and supports.
• Planning and implementing activities related to summer learning and supplemental afterschool programs, including providing classroom instruction or online learning during the summer months and addressing the needs of low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, migrant students, students experiencing homelessness, and children in foster care.
• Addressing learning loss among students, including low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and children and youth in foster care, of the local educational agency, including by—(A) Administering and using high-quality assessments that are valid and reliable, to accurately assess students' academic progress and assist educators in meeting students' academic needs, including through differentiating instruction. (B) Implementing evidence-based activities to meet the comprehensive needs of students. (C) Providing information and assistance to parents and families on how they can effectively support students, including in a distance learning environment. (D) Tracking student attendance and improving student engagement in distance education.
• School facility repairs and improvements to enable operation of schools to reduce risk of virus transmission and exposure to environmental health hazards, and to support student health needs.
• Inspection, testing, maintenance, repair, replacement, and upgrade projects to improve the indoor air quality in school facilities, including mechanical and non-mechanical heating, ventilation, and air conditioning systems, filtering, purification and other air cleaning, fans, control systems, and window and door repair and replacement.
• Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities.
• Other activities that are necessary to maintain the operation of and continuity of services in local educational agencies and continuing to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.

Please note: "Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities," identified as an allowable use under ESSER III in the American Rescue Plan, is also permissible under ESSER II.

Plan for ESSER II Direct District Allocation and KSDE Per-Student Additional Allocation (If Applicable)

Please summarize how the district proposes using its ESSER II direct district allocation (and its KSDE per-student additional allocation, if applicable) to address incremental COVID-19 needs.
One of our 1st steps to combat the learning loss is the development of our summer school programs. Each building has done a data-dive to determine which students are in need of enrichment due to the learning loss. Working together, our teams collaborated to develop their summer school platform. The funds will be used to pay for our staffing needs, resources, and supplies to meet the needs of this platform to decrease learning loss across the district at the K-12 level. This is a new program for us that has been specifically designed for learning loss due to COVID-19.

How will the district determine the impact of its ESSER II direct district allocation expenditures (and additional per-student allocation, if applicable) on students?

To determine the impact of our ESSER II funds, our district plans to continue to monitor students’ academic growth along with social emotional growth. Our team will utilize our universal screeners, MAP, item assessments and panorama. Gathering this data our teachers, administrators and support staff will collaborate to continually analyze the impacts of our programing to determine additional resources for student growth. Through this data-driven approach our team will continuously analyze our data to determine what is being effective from our ESSER II funded programs and what additional programs are needed to get our students back on track from the effects of the pandemic.

Notes on ESSER II application Excel template:

- Plans and budgets should be submitted for at least a 12 month period but do not need to account for the full duration of the program or the full allocation amount. Funds will remain accessible to the LEA until September 30, 2023 and there will be additional opportunities to submit further requests/plans in the future.
- Following ESSER II application approval and initiation of funds draw down, districts will be required to report to the Commissioner’s Task Force on ESSER II expenditures and impact on a monthly basis throughout the program. This ESSER II reporting will be required as a part of regular ESSER program reporting, which will capture past expenditures across funding streams (ESSER I, ESSER I SPED, ESSER II, ESSER II SPED, ESSER II KSDE Per Student Allocation). Districts may be asked to provide expenditures by fund, function, object, account, and ESSER II allowable use as part of ongoing ESSER reporting.
- This reporting will not replace any reporting required by the federal government. KSDE will work to maximize compatibility between its reporting requirements and those of the federal government as much as possible to minimize burden on districts.

Please download and complete the ESSER II application template here to provide details on ESSER II budgeted expenditures across allowable uses and KSDE accounting codes.

Local Education Agency (LEA) Assurances

Section I. General Grant Assurances for Federal Funds

Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA will comply with all requirements of:

The LEA will make a good faith effort, on a continuing basis, to maintain a drug-free workplace, in accordance with the measures in 34 CFR Part 84, Subpart B and the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988;
The Education Department General Administrative Regulations (EDGAR) 34 CFR 76 requirements, including:
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CONTINUED PAYMENT TO EMPLOYEES
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Certification

To the best of my knowledge and belief, all the information and data in this agreement are true and correct. I acknowledge and agree that the failure to comply with all Assurances and Certifications in this Agreement, all relevant provisions and requirements of the CARES Act, Pub. L. No. 116-136 (March 27, 2020), or any other applicable law or regulation may result in liability under the False Claims Act, 31 U.S.C. § 3729, et seq.; OMB Guidelines to Agencies on Governmentwide Debarment and Suspension (Nonprocurement) in 2 CFR part 180, as adopted and amended as regulations of the Department in 2 CFR part 3485; and 18 USC § 1001, as appropriate.

Electronic Signature | Pam F Chenoweth
Date | 05/06/2021

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Yes

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Please summarize how the district proposes using its ESSER II direct district allocation (and its KSDE per-student additional allocation, if applicable) to address incremental COVID-19 needs.

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How will the district determine the impact of its ESSER II direct district allocation expenditures (and additional per-student allocation, if applicable) on students?

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**Notes on ESSER II application Excel template:**

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<td>Provide additional information regarding how the curriculum needs ties to COVID-19; Applicant responded via email: When the district elementary administration and teaching staff observed decreases in student achievement from COVID in-person and remote learning, they explored their data in depth. We found that our current elementary curriculum was not meeting the needs of our students, especially those who were not in the classroom on a daily basis. With COVID 19 changing our instruction as well as how students learn, we found we need to make significant changes to catch our students up to master the Standards at their grade level.</td>
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| 465-1-003 | Eligible | Direct Allocation | Instruction Services - Salaries | 11A. Planning and implementing summer learning or enrichment programs | design and support for summer school programming | $170,000 | $ - | $170,000 | $ - | $ - | $ - | 32-1010-110-02 | Provide additional information regarding the number of staff and students that will benefit from this expenditure; Applicant responded via email: We anticipate 30-40% of our student population (at-risk) 800+ take advantage of the programming. There will be an estimate of 70-90 staff members gaining extra hours through the summer program. The program will run Monday through Thursday from 8 am to noon starting June 21 through July 15. There will be social/emotional components as well as academic.

| 465-1-004 | Eligible | Direct Allocation | Instruction Services - Salaries | 11B. Planning and implementing supplemental after-school programs | designing and support afterschool programming for at-risk students | $10,075 | $ - | $10,075 | $ - | $ - | $ - | 32-1010-110-01 | Provide additional information regarding the number of staff and students that will benefit from this expenditure; Applicant responded via email: After-school/tutoring programming will be based upon number of at-risk students observed by school staff. We anticipate 25-33% take advantage of the opportunity. This equates to 525-700 students PreK-12. Staffing will be based on need and enrollment of the program. Keeping groups under 10 students as the goal, we will need 50-70 staff members if our numbers of estimate hold. |
465-1-005  Eligible  Direct Allocation  Support Services (Instructional Staff)  Regular Certified Salaries 10. Providing mental health services and supports staff will be added to support learners and families; these positions will be temporary and based upon ESSER funding availability and includes counselors/social workers $ 280,000 $ 140,000 $ 140,000 $ - $ - $ 32-2200-110-00 Provide additional information regarding program; Applicant responded via email: Social Workers/Counselors/Family Engagement Specialists will be added to support and expand to meet students and families' needs around mental health and social-emotional areas of concern brought by COVID 19. Rebuilding trust and communication while connected families/students to resources available within the district and community. (this will be new 3-4 positions to the district)

465-1-006  Eligible  Direct Allocation  Support Services (Instructional Staff)  PURCHASED PROFESSIONAL AND TECHNICAL SERVICES 2. Coordination of COVID-19 preparedness and response efforts to add support and resources for staff that coordinate vaccinations and COVID testing; nurse aid $ 30,000 $ 30,000 $ - $ - $ - $ 32-2200-300-00

465-1-007  Eligible  Direct Allocation  Support Services (Instructional Staff)  Staff Travel 8. Planning for and coordinating during long-term closures, including on how to provide meals, technology for online learning, guidance for carrying out IDEA requirements, and providing educational services consistent with applicable requirements adding professional development for staff of new curriculum and assessments $ 65,000 $ 65,000 $ - $ - $ - $ 32-2200-581-00 Provide additional information regarding how the professional development relates to COVID-19; Applicant responded via email: Professional Development will be needed to address new curriculum and intervention supports that address learning loss from the COVID impacted school years. Additionally, we will be focusing on social-emotional supports through a trauma-informed program, that will require additional training for staff that will be ongoing, likely through a three-year process.
| Eligible | Direct Allocation | Operation and Maintenance of Plant Services (All except Transportation) | Equipment | 13. School facility repairs and improvements to enable operation of schools to reduce risk of virus transmission and exposure to environmental health hazards, and to support student health needs | 100,000 | $100,000 | $ - | $ - | $ - | 32-2600-730-00 |
Applicant details

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Applicant / Mailing Address

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| William R Pfannenstiel |

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| will.pfannenstiel@usd470.com |

Applicant / Phone Number

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Applicant / Federal EIN (if applicable)

| 486005443 |

Applicant / Website Address (if applicable)

| usd470.com |
USD 470 Arkansas City Public Schools is located in Cowley County and has a current enrollment of 2777 PreK-12th grade students of which 57% qualify for free or reduced meal prices. From September 9, 2020 - April 23, 2021, USD 470 students attended school in a remote learning format, a hybrid learning format, and onsite. During these periods of remote and hybrid learning, USD 470 students and teachers used distance learning as effectively as possible and improved throughout the process but, as data has indicated, can not replace onsite, in-person learning. The long duration of remote and hybrid learning has created learning loss for all students, in particular, those with disabilities, English Language Learners, foster care students, and students of poverty. USD 470 also recognizes a major impact on the social and emotional health of both our students and many of our staff members.

USD 470 plans to increase instructional time to address this learning loss and social-emotional health by providing extended learning through both summer school, increasing personnel, making changes to the curriculum, incorporating new and renewed software packages, and providing increased professional development. USD 470 will take strides to increase social distancing, and continue to maintain a high level of sanitation and personal protective equipment.

Does the district have remaining ESSER I funding that it has not yet spent as of the date of ESSER II application submission? | No
Please review the following allowable uses of ESSER II funds before completing the narrative and Excel template portion of the application.

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Plan for ESSER II Direct District Allocation and KSDE Per-Student Additional Allocation (If Applicable)

Please summarize how the district proposes using its ESSER II direct district allocation (and its KSDE per-student additional allocation, if applicable) to address incremental COVID-19 needs.

The COVID-19 pandemic has created a need in USD 470 to extend the learning opportunities for our students and put into place improved curricula that is better suited for multiple modes of learning and instruction and addresses the social and emotional needs of students. The following are our areas of focus to address and make up for lost learning opportunities.

Summer Learning - We are requesting funds to provide new opportunities for the students of our district that are focused on learning recovery. These funds would cover the total expense of summer school including resources, fees, utilities, and salaries for summer school teachers, counselors, teacher aides (SATs), administrators, bus drivers, and secretaries.

Curriculum and Personnel - This districtwide implementation of curriculum and professional development will require funds that are not available in the course of a normal budget cycle. In addition to curriculum focuses on math, reading, and social-emotional health, the district wishes to add additional teaching and administrative personnel for the 2021-22 school year to increase social distancing and more effectively meet the needs of students by providing additional one on one and small group instruction as well as support for the social and emotional needs of students. These funds will include literacy support services for professional development.

Communication - Communication with student families and the community is an area where USD 470 can make a vast improvement. During the pandemic, it became evident that communications, especially in the area of ESL homes, was a challenge. We are therefore requesting funds for an app called Talking Points that will allow for more effective translation in communications.

USD 470 wants to extend a thank you for your time and efforts in reviewing this application and assisting us in funding our plan to make a difference in the lives of students.

How will the district determine the impact of its ESSER II direct district allocation expenditures (and additional per-student allocation, if applicable) on students?

The district will use both formal and informal assessment data to steer students toward extended learning opportunities such as summer school and areas where PD is needed. These extended learning activities will range from a summer school enrichment model, to camps, band classes, and credit recovery. For communications, the district is basing the need for a new communicative app for use in communicating with families and the community.

Notes on ESSER II application Excel template:

- Plans and budgets should be submitted for at least a 12 month period but do not need to account for the full duration of the program or the full allocation amount. Funds will remain accessible to the LEA until September 30, 2023 and there will be additional opportunities to submit further requests/plans in the future.
- Following ESSER II application approval and initiation of funds draw down, districts will be required to report to the Commissioner’s Task Force on ESSER II expenditures and impact on a monthly basis throughout the program. This ESSER II reporting will be required as a part of regular ESSER program reporting, which will capture past expenditures across funding streams (ESSER I, ESSER I SPED, ESSER II, ESSER II SPED, ESSER II KSDE Per Student Allocation). Districts may be asked to provide expenditures by fund, function, object, account, and ESSER II allowable use as part of ongoing ESSER reporting.
- This reporting will not replace any reporting required by the federal government. KSDE will work to maximize compatibility between its reporting requirements and those of the federal government as much as possible to minimize burden on districts.

Please download and complete the ESSER II application template here to provide details on ESSER II budgeted expenditures across allowable uses and KSDE accounting codes.
Local Education Agency (LEA) Assurances

Section I. General Grant Assurances for Federal Funds

Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA will comply with all requirements of:
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(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))
34 CFR §76.650 Private schools; purpose of §§76.651-76.662.
(a) Under some programs, the authorizing statute requires that a State and its subgrantees provide for participation by students enrolled in private schools. Sections 76.651-76.662 apply to those programs and provide rules for that participation. These sections do not affect the authority of the State or a subgrantee to enter into a contract with a private party.
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(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3 and 3474)
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(Authority: U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1225(b), and 3474)
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34 CFR §76.730
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(b) How the State or subgrantee uses the funds;
(c) The total cost of the project;
(d) The share of that cost provided from other sources; and
(e) Other records to facilitate an effective audit.
(Approved by the Office of Management and Budget under control number 1880-0513)
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1232f)
34 CFR §76.731
Records related to compliance.
A State and a subgrantee shall keep records to show its compliance with program requirements.
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))
The Uniform Grant Guidance, 2 CFR §200 all applicable subrecipient requirements, including but not limited to:
2 CFR Subpart D – Post Federal Award Requirements
§200.302 Financial management.
§200.303 Internal controls.
§200.305 Payment.
§200.313 Equipment.
§200.314 Supplies.
§200.318 General procurement standards.
§200.320 Methods of procurement to be followed;
2 CFR 200 Subpart E: Cost Principles:
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Electronic Signature | Will Pfannenstiel

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<td>These funds will cover the social security portion of the 6 additional staff members needed to increase social distancing and provide increased individual and small group instruction for literacy and math supports.</td>
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<td>USD 470 plans to hire 1.5 additional assistant principals for the elementary (1) and middle school (.5) levels to increase social distancing and better address student academic, physical, and mental health needs. These positions are necessary due to the increased logistical requirements as well as an anticipated increase in enrollment and a need to more rapidly respond to emotional trauma resulting from the COVID 19 pandemic.</td>
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Clarification: Fiscal year budget; Applicant responded via email: Applicant requested expenditure move to FY 22; Applicant responded via email (5/13/21): The addition of 1.5 assistance principals will focus on learning recovery due to losses suffered due to the pandemic. Coverage of extended learning opportunities provided to students both during the summer and during the school year; providing professional development of teacher, supervising students and maintaining a positive learning environment; USD 470 Communities that Care survey results shows a substantial need for increased supports to curb depression and suicidal ideation.
### Table 1: Direct Allocation

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<td>USD 470 plans to implement equity and inclusion initiatives in the district. The addition of the Talking Points app and other communication tools allow for the district, buildings, and teachers to communicate more effectively with non-English speaking parents and community members. Family engagement and support activities are being planned to assist families as well. Communication with specific subgroups was a challenge during remote and hybrid learning. The Talking Points app will further assist the district in providing social and emotional support to all.</td>
<td>$21,000</td>
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Please provide information on the connect to COVID-19; Applicant responded via email: The Talking Points app is focused on strengthening the connection between teachers and families, especially low-income, non-English speaking households. Due to COVID 19, the district quickly learned that connectivity and communications within these households was a barrier to recapturing COVID caused lost/incomplete learning that presented a challenge to overcome. We know that distance learning cannot work without strong teacher-family communication strategies to overcome language barriers. Through CARES-SPARK the district was successful in greatly increasing our connectivity, leaving a focus on communication. Our district plan has a focus on strengthening these communicative areas for future distance learning scenarios, such as additional remote and hybrid learning brought on by possible new variants of COVID 19 or other instances that would require a move toward other learning models.

Allowable to a) reimburse the district for prior remote learning expenses b) incur new expenses related to actual current/perpetual remote learning circumstances, and/or c) to budget for potential future remote learning expenses. Please note that expenses should not be incurred to purchase property to hold in the unlikely event of potential future remote learning needs.

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<td>We plan to purchase a core curriculum resource for structured literacy and social-emotional learning. The resources currently in use are not sufficient to adaptively assess and address individual student intervention programs.</td>
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### 470-1-008

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<td>The social-emotional needs of students are in need of a systematic approach throughout the district. We are planning to purchase and implement a SEL curriculum to address student needs. This will involve the professional development of staff and contract services for mental health counseling for students.</td>
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Applicant responded via email: 470.003-13960_8 was listed for structured literacy programs that is all encompassing including social emotional learning (SEL) but did not include the fee for the SEL materials. 470.003-13960_10 includes the fees for the SEL part of the curricular package that also includes the professional development of staff and contract services for mental health counseling for students.

### 470-1-009

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<td>Summer Extended Learning: Used to pay for additional salaries/expenses for staff associated with summer extended learning including social security contribution. Number of days for Extended Learning - Summer School/Teacher Planning Days: Elementary (24/8), Middle School (24/8), High School (30/4), High School Credit Recovery courses (20/4), Greenbush Camps (9/0), Summer Band (15/0), Teaching Personnel required (All Levels) - Teachers (34), Coordinator (1), Counselors (2).</td>
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Please provide additional information regarding the software application as it relates to COVID-19; Applicant responded via email: 470.003-13960_8 was listed for structured literacy programs that is all encompassing including social emotional learning (SEL) but did not include the fee for the SEL materials. 470.003-13960_10 includes the fees for the SEL part of the curricular package that also includes the professional development of staff and contract services for mental health counseling for students.
<p>| 470-1-010 Eligible | Direct Allocation | Instruction | Regular Non-Certified Salaries | 11A. Planning and implementin g summer learning or enrichment programs | Summer Extended Learning: Used to pay for additional salaries/expenses for non-certified staff associated with summer extended learning including social security contribution. Number of days for Extended Learning - Summer School/Teacher Planning Days: Elementary (24/8), Middle School (24/8), High School (30/4), High School Credit Recovery courses (20/4), Greenbush Camps (9/0), Summer Band (15/0). Non-certified Personnel required: Student Assistant Team members and bilingual aides (24). | $48,114 | $48,114 | $ - | $ - | $ - | 003-13840 |
| 470-1-011 Eligible | Direct Allocation | Support Services (School Administration) | Regular Certified Salaries | 11A. Planning and implementin g summer learning or enrichment programs | Summer Extended Learning: Used to pay for additional salaries/expenses for administrative staff associated with summer extended learning including social security contribution. Number of days for Extended Learning - Summer School/Teacher Planning Days: Elementary (24/8), Middle School (24/8), High School (30/4), High School Credit Recovery courses (20/4), Greenbush Camps (9/0), Summer Band (15/0). Elementary Administrative Personnel required (3). | $12,618 | $12,618 | $ - | $ - | $ - | 003-14530 |
| 470-1-012 | Eligible | Direct Allocation | Instruction | General Supplies and Materials | 11A. Planning and implementing summer learning or enrichment programs | Summer Extended Learning: Used to cover additional learning materials, Greenbush camp fees, and PPE/sanitation supplies associated with summer extended learning. Number of days for Extended Learning - Summer School/Teacher Planning Days: Elementary (24/8), Middle School (24/8), High School (30/4), High School Credit Recovery courses (20/4), Greenbush Camps (9/0), Summer Band (15/0). | $18,575 | $18,575 | $- | $- | $- | 003-13960 |
| 470-1-013 | Eligible | Direct Allocation | Operation and Maintenance of Plant Services (All except Transportation) | Energy | 11A. Planning and implementing summer learning or enrichment programs | Summer Extended Learning: Used to cover additional utilities associated with summer extended learning. Number of days for Extended Learning - Summer School/Teacher Planning Days: Elementary (24/8), Middle School (24/8), High School (30/4), High School Credit Recovery courses (20/4), Greenbush Camps (9/0), Summer Band (15/0). | $6,065 | $6,065 | $- | $- | $- | 003-14740 |</p>
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Please provide additional information how the literacy services are related to COVID-19; Moved to FY 22 per Applicant's request. Applicant responded via email: However, due to and during the COVID 19 pandemic, USD 470, while teaching in remote and hybrid formats, found that pedagogical constructs were less successful in filling these learning gaps. In many cases our data reflects that there actually are increases in the learning gaps for students created by the loss of quality on-site instruction time with teachers. Filling the learning gaps of our students will require additional instruction time and new resources and supports going forward. The Greenbush Literacy Support Service will support literacy instruction, approaches, methodologies and provide literacy resources for educators and families. Resources provided include: instructional coaching and support, literacy resources for educators, and literacy resources for families with a goal of engaging families in joining the process, sharing family literacy data, and empowering families as readers.
Applicant details

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Select an Applicant Type | Unified School District

Applicant / Entity Name | Shawnee Mission

Applicant / Mailing Address

| 8200 W 71st Street

Applicant / First and Last Name of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director | Michael Fulton

Applicant / Email Address of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director | mikefulton@smsd.org

Applicant / Phone Number | 9139936476

All questions in the section below are optional, and offer an opportunity to upload or enter information that is typically asked for on grant opportunities.

(for EANS and ESSER grant applications - please skip the questions below, and scroll to the bottom to complete your User Profile information.)

Applicant / Federal EIN (if applicable) | 48-0764907

Applicant / Website Address (if applicable) | www.smsd.org

Application details
On April 12, 2021 the SMSD Board of Education was presented a comprehensive report detailing the impact of COVID 19 on SMSD's 26,000 students. The report identifies specific areas where disparate COVID-19 data exist for specific groups. For purposes of this application, disparate impact is defined as a substantial negative difference in data from a “normal” base-line year compared to data observed during the pandemic. Disparate data are evident with the following student groups (white, black, hispanic, ELL, SPED, free/reduced lunch) and specific areas (mathematics, english language arts, course failure rates, chronic absenteeism).

Anecdotal information observed by staff regarding the emotional impact of the pandemic on students and their families indicate clear need for social-emotional supports. Baseline data on social-emotional wellness are not available. These data were in the process of being collected during the 2019-20 school year. Spring 2020 data collection was disrupted by the pandemic. The same was true for student data associated with the district's diversity, equity and inclusion (DEI) initiative which is designed to support student development of personalized learning plans that prepare them to be college/career ready and graduate with the interpersonal skills they need for life success. Regardless, measures for these areas are in place and progress will be publicly reported as part SMSD's on-going program evaluation process.

Does the district have remaining ESSER I funding that it has not yet spent as of

Yes
the date of ESSER II application submission?

Please summarize how the district will use its remaining ESSER I and ESSER I SPED funding and what it hopes to accomplish with these funds.

The remaining funds available for ESSER I have been set aside for non-public schools.

Please review the following allowable uses of ESSER II funds before completing the narrative and Excel template portion of the application.

- Coordination of preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies with State, local, Tribal, and territorial public health departments, and other relevant agencies, to improve coordinated responses among such entities to prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus.
- Providing principals and other school leaders with the resources necessary to address the needs of their individual schools.
- Activities to address the unique needs of low-income children or students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and foster care youth, including how outreach and service delivery will meet the needs of each population.
- Developing and implementing procedures and systems to improve the preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies.
- Training and professional development for staff of the local educational agency on sanitation and minimizing the spread of infectious diseases.
- Purchasing supplies to sanitize and clean the facilities of a local educational agency, including buildings operated by such agency.
- Planning for, coordinating, and implementing activities during long-term closures, including providing meals to eligible students, providing technology for online learning to all students, providing guidance for carrying out requirements under the IDEA and ensuring other educational services can continue to be provided consistent with all Federal, State, and local requirements.
- Purchasing educational technology (including hardware, software, and connectivity) for students who are served by the local educational agency that aids in regular and substantive educational interaction between students and their classroom instructors, including low-income students and children with disabilities, which may include assistive technology or adaptive equipment.
- Providing mental health services and supports.
- Planning and implementing activities related to summer learning and supplemental afterschool programs, including providing classroom instruction or online learning during the summer months and addressing the needs of low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, migrant students, students experiencing homelessness, and children in foster care.
- Addressing learning loss among students, including low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and children and youth in foster care, of the local educational agency, including by— (A) Administering and using high-quality assessments that are valid and reliable, to accurately assess students’ academic progress and assist educators in meeting students’ academic needs, including through differentiating instruction. (B) Implementing evidence-based activities to meet the comprehensive needs of students. (C) Providing information and assistance to parents and families on how they can effectively support students, including in a distance learning environment. (D) Tracking student attendance and improving student engagement in distance education.
- School facility repairs and improvements to enable operation of schools to reduce risk of virus transmission and exposure to environmental health hazards, and to support student health needs.
Inspection, testing, maintenance, repair, replacement, and upgrade projects to improve the indoor air quality in school facilities, including mechanical and non-mechanical heating, ventilation, and air conditioning systems, filtering, purification and other air cleaning, fans, control systems, and window and door repair and replacement.

Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities.

Other activities that are necessary to maintain the operation of and continuity of services in local educational agencies and continuing to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.

Please note: “Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities,” identified as an allowable use under ESSER III in the American Rescue Plan, is also permissible under ESSER II.

Plan for ESSER II Direct District Allocation and KSDE Per-Student Additional Allocation (If Applicable)

Please summarize how the district proposes using its ESSER II direct district allocation (and its KSDE per-student additional allocation, if applicable) to address incremental COVID-19 needs.

All expenditures directly support areas and groups disparately as noted in section 1. The expenditures emphasize the importance of careful diagnosis of student learning needs. Teachers served on committees designed to develop and monitor planned expenditures provided by ESSER II. The following expenditures are designed to directly support disparate impact as follows.

Planned expenditures related to academic support include a commitment to hiring more elementary teachers and ten math teachers at middle and high school. This will reduce class sizes and increase opportunities for personalized attention to student learning. Plans also include hiring additional Instructional Coaches who provide job-embedded professional learning. With this addition, ALL staff will have full-time access to an instructional coach. This includes instructional coaching and English language support with our early childhood programs. We will also expand and enhance intervention resources for reading and math support at the secondary level, particularly where students may be at-risk for course failure and/or for not graduating on time. Plans include resources for professional learning designed to accelerate engagement with RTI and PLC protocols and resources for Pre-K-12. Finally, academic-focused expenditures will be allocated to provide scholarships for district provided summer programs, ensuring equitable access to these opportunities.

Planned expenditures related to social/emotional wellness include the addition of seven social worker positions and four high school counseling positions. These plans also include support for dedicated building substitutes so that teacher teams have increased flex time to collaborate to diagnose student needs and plan for instruction and intervention. Dedicated building subs will also have had time to develop relationships with students so that high-quality instruction and support continues even in the teacher’s absence.

Finally, planned expenditures for HVAC are intended to improve indoor air quality in designated buildings.

How will the district determine the impact of its ESSER II direct district allocation expenditures (and additional per-student allocation, if applicable) on students?

The district will determine the impact of allocated expenditures by continuing to track the data used to determine its specific needs in areas that include mathematics, English language arts, course failure rates, and chronic absenteeism. Academic performance will primarily be measured using NWEA MAP growth data with supporting measures such as results from the Kansas Assessments and the ACT. Academic and social/emotional effects will also be reflected through monitoring of attendance data (chronic absenteeism) and graduation rates. Determination of social and emotional impacts will be evaluated through surveys, as well as anecdotal feedback from staff, students, and parents.

Notes on ESSER II application Excel template:

- Plans and budgets should be submitted for at least a 12 month period but do not need to account for the full duration of the program or the full allocation amount. Funds will remain accessible to the LEA until September 30, 2023 and there will be additional opportunities to submit further requests/plans in the future.
Following ESSER II application approval and initiation of funds draw down, districts will be required to report to the Commissioner’s Task Force on ESSER II expenditures and impact on a monthly basis throughout the program. This ESSER II reporting will be required as a part of regular ESSER program reporting, which will capture past expenditures across funding streams (ESSER I, ESSER I SPED, ESSER II, ESSER II SPED, ESSER II KSDE Per Student Allocation). Districts may be asked to provide expenditures by fund, function, object, account, and ESSER II allowable use as part of ongoing ESSER reporting.

This reporting will not replace any reporting required by the federal government. KSDE will work to maximize compatibility between its reporting requirements and those of the federal government as much as possible to minimize burden on districts.

Please download and complete the ESSER II application template here to provide details on ESSER II budgeted expenditures across allowable uses and KSDE accounting codes.

Local Education Agency (LEA) Assurances

Section I. General Grant Assurances for Federal Funds

Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA will comply with all requirements of:
The LEA will make a good faith effort, on a continuing basis, to maintain a drug-free workplace, in accordance with the measures in 34 CFR Part 84, Subpart B and the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988;
The Education Department General Administrative Regulations (EDGAR) 34 CFR 76 requirements, including:
34 CFR §76.500(a) Federal statutes and regulations on nondiscrimination.
(a) A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the following statutes and regulations:
• Discrimination on the basis of race, color, or national origin | Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (45 U.S.C. 2000d through 2000d-4) | 34 CFR part 100.
Discrimination on the basis of age | The Age Discrimination Act (42 U.S.C. 6101 et seq.) | 34 CFR part 110.

(b) A State or subgrantee that is a covered entity as defined in §108.3 of this title shall comply with the nondiscrimination requirements of the Boy Scouts of America Equal Access Act, 20 U.S.C. 7905, 34 CFR part 108.
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))
34 CFR §76.650 Private schools; purpose of §§76.651-76.662.
(a) Under some programs, the authorizing statute requires that a State and its subgrantees provide for participation by students enrolled in private schools. Sections 76.651-76.662 apply to those programs and provide rules for that participation. These sections do not affect the authority of the State or a subgrantee to enter into a contract with a private party.
(b) If any other rules for participation of students enrolled in private schools apply under a particular program, they are in the authorizing statute or implementing regulations for that program.
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3 and 3474)
34 CFR §76.700 Compliance with statutes, regulations, State plan, and applications.
A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the State plan and applicable statutes, regulations, and approved applications, and shall use Federal funds in accordance with those statutes, regulations, plan, and applications.
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))
34 CFR §76.701 The State or subgrantee administers or supervises each project.
A State or a subgrantee shall directly administer or supervise the administration of each project.
34 CFR §76.702 Fiscal control and fund accounting procedures.
A State and a subgrantee shall use fiscal control and fund accounting procedures that insure proper disbursement of and accounting for Federal funds.

34 CFR §76.709 Funds may be obligated during a “carryover period.”
(a) If a State or a subgrantee does not obligate all of its grant or subgrant funds by the end of the fiscal year for which Congress appropriated the funds, it may obligate the remaining funds during a carryover period of one additional fiscal year.
(b) The State shall return to the Federal Government any carryover funds not obligated by the end of the carryover period by the State and its subgrantees.

34 CFR §76.722 Subgrantee reporting requirements.
A State may require a subgrantee to submit reports in a manner and format that assists the State in complying with the requirements under 34 CFR 76.720 and in carrying out other responsibilities under the program.

34 CFR §76.730 Records related to grant funds.
A State and a subgrantee shall keep records that fully show:
(a) The amount of funds under the grant or subgrant;  
(b) How the State or subgrantee uses the funds;  
(c) The total cost of the project;  
(d) The share of that cost provided from other sources; and  
(e) Other records to facilitate an effective audit.

34 CFR §76.731 Records related to compliance.
A State and a subgrantee shall keep records to show its compliance with program requirements.

The Uniform Grant Guidance, 2 CFR §200 all applicable subrecipient requirements, including but not limited to:
2 CFR Subpart D – Post Federal Award Requirements
§200.302 Financial management.
§200.303 Internal controls.
§200.305 Payment.
§200.313 Equipment.
§200.314 Supplies.
§200.318 General procurement standards.
§200.320 Methods of procurement to be followed;
2 CFR 200 Subpart E: Cost Principles:
§200.403 Factors affecting allowability of costs.
§200.404 Reasonable costs.
§200.405 Allocable costs.
§200.413 Direct costs.
§200.415 Required certifications.
§200.430 Compensation—personal services.

The Debarment and Suspension, 34 CFR Part 85, Section 85.510, Participants' Responsibilities and makes the following certification by signing this application:
The prospective lower-tier participant certifies, by submission of this proposal, that neither it nor its principals is presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction by any federal department or agency.
Where the prospective lower-tier participant is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, such prospective participant shall attach an explanation to this proposal.

This certification is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was made or entered into. Submission of this certification is a prerequisite for making or entering into this transaction imposed by Section 1352, Title 31, U.S. Code. Any person who fails to file the required certification shall be subject to a civil penalty of not less than $10,000 for such failure.

Section II. Specific Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) Grant Assurances

The LEA assures that funds shall only be used for any of the following:


- Coordination of preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies with State, local, Tribal, and territorial public health departments, and other relevant agencies, to improve coordinated responses among such entities to prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus.

- Providing principals and others school leaders with the resources necessary to address the needs of their individual schools.

- Activities to address the unique needs of low-income children or students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and foster care youth, including how outreach and service delivery will meet the needs of each population.

- Developing and implementing procedures and systems to improve the preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies.

- Training and professional development for staff of the local educational agency on sanitation and minimizing the spread of infectious diseases.

- Purchasing supplies to sanitize and clean the facilities of a local educational agency, including buildings operated by such agency.

- Planning for and coordinating during long-term closures, including for how to provide meals to eligible students, how to provide technology for online learning to all students, how to provide guidance for carrying out requirements under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. 1401 et seq.) and how to ensure other educational services can continue to be provided consistent with all Federal, State, and local requirements.

- Purchasing educational technology (including hardware, software, and connectivity) for students who are served by the local educational agency that aids in regular and substantive educational interaction between students and their classroom instructors, including low-income students and students with disabilities, which may include assistive technology or adaptive equipment.

- Providing mental health services and supports.

- Planning and implementing activities related to summer learning and supplemental afterschool programs, including providing classroom instruction or online learning during the summer months and addressing the needs of low income students, students with disabilities, English learners, migrant students, students experiencing homelessness, and children in foster care.

- Addressing learning loss among students, including low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and children and youth in foster care, of the local educational agency, including by—(A) Administering and using high-quality assessments that are valid and reliable, to accurately assess students’ academic progress and assist educators in meeting students’ academic needs, including through differentiating instruction. (B) Implementing evidence-based activities to meet the comprehensive needs of students. (C) Providing information and assistance to parents and families on how they can effectively support students, including in a distance learning environment. (D) Tracking student attendance and improving student engagement in distance education.

- School facility repairs and improvements to enable operation of schools to reduce risk of virus transmission and exposure to environmental health hazards, and to support student health needs.
• Inspection, testing, maintenance, repair, replacement, and upgrade projects to improve the indoor air quality in school facilities, including mechanical and non-mechanical heating, ventilation, and air conditioning systems, filtering, purification and other air cleaning, fans, control systems, and window and door repair and replacement.
• Other activities that are necessary to maintain the operation of and continuity of services in local educational agencies and continuing to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.

Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA shall comply with all applicable requirements of the Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) authorized by the Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act, 2021 (CRRSAA), including:

CONTINUED PAYMENT TO EMPLOYEES
SEC. 18006. A local educational agency, State, institution of higher education, or other entity that receives funds under “Education Stabilization Fund”, shall to the greatest extent practicable, continue to pay its employees and contractors during the period of any disruptions or closures related to coronavirus.

Certification

To the best of my knowledge and belief, all the information and data in this agreement are true and correct. I acknowledge and agree that the failure to comply with all Assurances and Certifications in this Agreement, all relevant provisions and requirements of the CARES Act, Pub. L. No. 116-136 (March 27, 2020), or any other applicable law or regulation may result in liability under the False Claims Act, 31 U.S.C. § 3729, et seq.; OMB Guidelines to Agencies on Governmentwide Debarment and Suspension (Nonprocurement) in 2 CFR part 180, as adopted and amended as regulations of the Department in 2 CFR part 3485; and 18 USC § 1001, as appropriate.

Electronic Signature               | Michelle Hubbard
Date                                  | 05/05/2021

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Requested more details of expenditures, district provided the following information:

- Technology needs - MacBooks/iPads for additional staff and Webex boards for schools for remote preparedness. Detailed use of funds in narrative in the common app.
- Allowable to a) reimburse the district for prior remote learning expenses
- b) incur new expenses related to actual current/perpetual remote learning circumstances, and/or c) to budget for potential future remote learning expenses. Please note that expenses should not be incurred to purchase property to hold in the unlikely event of potential future remote learning needs.
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Select an Applicant Type | Unified School District

Applicant / Entity Name | USD 105 Rawlins County

Applicant / Mailing Address

205 North 4th Street, Suite 1
Atwood, Kansas
67730

Applicant / First and Last Name of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director | Eric Stoddard

Applicant / Email Address of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director | estoddard@usd105.org

Applicant / Phone Number | 7856263236

All questions in the section below are optional, and offer an opportunity to upload or enter information that is typically asked for on grant opportunities.

(for EANS and ESSER grant applications - please skip the questions below, and scroll to the bottom to complete your User Profile information.)

Applicant / Website Address (if applicable) | www.usd105.org

Applicant / Mission Statement (if applicable)

USD #105 MISSION STATEMENT
Unified School District #105 shares responsibility with students, staff and the community in providing
a positive learning environment, within the financial means of the district that will allow all students to gain lifelong learning skills necessary to become productive and responsible members of an everchanging society.

Application details

Full District Name | Rawlins County Public Schools
District Number | 105
Mailing Address | Street Address | 205 North 4th Street, Suite 1, Atwood, KS
Mailing Address | City | Atwood
Mailing Address | Zip Code | 67730
Authorized Representative of the District | Name | Eric Stoddard
Authorized Representative of the District | Position or Title | Superintendent
Authorized Representative of the District | Email Address | estoddard@usd105.org
Authorized Representative of the District | Phone Number | +17856263236

Would you like to additional district representatives to the application? | Yes
Other District Representative 1 | Email Address | wdreyer@usd105.org
Other District Representative 2 | Email Address | egreen@usd105.org

Please briefly describe the impacts of COVID-19 on the district and its Pre-K through 12 students, including any relevant data where possible (e.g., cost impact, learning loss, emotional impact on students). If there has been a disproportionate impact on a special population in the district (e.g., students with disabilities, English Learners, students in foster care, students in poverty, etc.), please describe the impact and provide the number of Pre-K through 12 students in that population.

USD 105 has had a difficult year related to COVID. Rawlins was the second to last county in Kansas to have a COVID case, but it hit our school district and community in September. As a result, we have seen an increased amount of students who are struggling with their mental health. The pandemic has impacted our students with evidence of lower reading scores for our students. As a result of remote learning, we have learned how the increased usage has tested the technological capabilities of our district, including our Smartboards and teacher computers. Also, as a result of the free lunches and breakfast, we have seen a reduction in the amount of students who qualified for at-risk funding as a result of fewer families filling out the lunch applications. We have also seen a reduction of our enrollment by 24 students.

Does the district have remaining ESSER I funding that it has not yet spent as of | No
the date of ESSER II application submission?

Please review the following allowable uses of ESSER II funds before completing the narrative and Excel template portion of the application.

- Coordination of preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies with State, local, Tribal, and territorial public health departments, and other relevant agencies, to improve coordinated responses among such entities to prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus.
- Providing principals and others school leaders with the resources necessary to address the needs of their individual schools.
- Activities to address the unique needs of low-income children or students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and foster care youth, including how outreach and service delivery will meet the needs of each population.
- Developing and implementing procedures and systems to improve the preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies.
- Training and professional development for staff of the local educational agency on sanitation and minimizing the spread of infectious diseases.
- Purchasing supplies to sanitize and clean the facilities of a local educational agency, including buildings operated by such agency.
- Planning for, coordinating, and implementing activities during long-term closures, including providing meals to eligible students, providing technology for online learning to all students, providing guidance for carrying out requirements under the IDEA and ensuring other educational services can continue to be provided consistent with all Federal, State, and local requirements.
- Purchasing educational technology (including hardware, software, and connectivity) for students who are served by the local educational agency that aids in regular and substantive educational interaction between students and their classroom instructors, including low-income students and children with disabilities, which may include assistive technology or adaptive equipment.
- Providing mental health services and supports.
- Planning and implementing activities related to summer learning and supplemental afterschool programs, including providing classroom instruction or online learning during the summer months and addressing the needs of low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, migrant students, students experiencing homelessness, and children in foster care.
- Addressing learning loss among students, including low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and children and youth in foster care, of the local educational agency, including by— (A) Administering and using high-quality assessments that are valid and reliable, to accurately assess students’ academic progress and assist educators in meeting students’ academic needs, including through differentiating instruction. (B) Implementing evidence-based activities to meet the comprehensive needs of students. (C) Providing information and assistance to parents and families on how they can effectively support students, including in a distance learning environment. (D) Tracking student attendance and improving student engagement in distance education.
- School facility repairs and improvements to enable operation of schools to reduce risk of virus transmission and exposure to environmental health hazards, and to support student health needs.
- Inspection, testing, maintenance, repair, replacement, and upgrade projects to improve the indoor air quality in school facilities, including mechanical and non-mechanical heating, ventilation, and air conditioning systems, filtering, purification and other air cleaning, fans, control systems, and window and door repair and replacement.
- Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities.
- Other activities that are necessary to maintain the operation of and continuity of services in local educational agencies and continuing to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.
Please note: “Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities,” identified as an allowable use under ESSER III in the American Rescue Plan, is also permissible under ESSER II.

Plan for ESSER II Direct District Allocation and KSDE Per-Student Additional Allocation (If Applicable)

Please summarize how the district proposes using its ESSER II direct district allocation (and its KSDE per-student additional allocation, if applicable) to address incremental COVID-19 needs.

The district proposes to use its ESSER II direct district allocation to address incremental COVID-19 needs:

1. USD 105 has added an At-Risk teacher for the 2020-21 school year in our Elementary School to address learning loss in students. We will pay the remainder of her salary for fiscal 2021 and 2022 school years.
2. USD 105 will implement a new Social-Emotional Program called Second Step to address learning the Social-Emotional needs of our students.
3. USD 105 is implementing a new ELA program to address reading learning loss of our elementary students.
4. USD 105 will address technology needs of our classrooms by updating 14 classrooms with Smartboards and by updating staff technology with 10 new computers.
5. USD 105 is implementing a summer learning program to address learning loss of our students.

How will the district determine the impact of its ESSER II direct district allocation expenditures (and additional per-student allocation, if applicable) on students?

USD 105 will determine the impact of the ESSER II direct district allocation expenditures by using our data from our learning assessments and the social-emotional surveys taken by our students and families.

Notes on ESSER II application Excel template:

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(Approved by the Office of Management and Budget under control number 1880-0513)

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Eric Stoddard
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(c) The total cost of the project;
(d) The share of that cost provided from other sources; and
(e) Other records to facilitate an effective audit.
(Approved by the Office of Management and Budget under control number 1880-0513)
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1232f)
34 CFR §76.731 Records related to compliance.
A State and a subgrantee shall keep records to show its compliance with program requirements.
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))
The Uniform Grant Guidance, 2 CFR §200 all applicable subrecipient requirements, including but not limited to:
2 CFR Subpart D – Post Federal Award Requirements
§200.302 Financial management.
§200.303 Internal controls.
§200.305 Payment.
§200.313 Equipment.
§200.314 Supplies.
§200.318 General procurement standards.
§200.320 Methods of procurement to be followed;
2 CFR 200 Subpart E: Cost Principles:
§200.403 Factors affecting allowability of costs.
§200.404 Reasonable costs.
§200.405 Allocable costs.
§200.413 Direct costs.
§200.415 Required certifications.
§200.430 Compensation—personal services.
The Debarment and Suspension, 34 CFR Part 85, Section 85.510, Participants’ Responsibilities and makes the following
certification by signing this application:
The prospective lower-tier participant certifies, by submission of this proposal, that neither it nor its principals is presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction by any federal department or agency.

Where the prospective lower-tier participant is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, such prospective participant shall attach an explanation to this proposal.

This certification is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was made or entered into. Submission of this certification is a prerequisite for making or entering into this transaction imposed by Section 1352, Title 31, U.S. Code. Any person who fails to file the required certification shall be subject to a civil penalty of not less than $10,000 for such failure.

Section II. Specific Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) Grant Assurances

The LEA assures that funds shall only be used for any of the following:


- Coordination of preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies with State, local, Tribal, and territorial public health departments, and other relevant agencies, to improve coordinated responses among such entities to prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus.

- Providing principals and others school leaders with the resources necessary to address the needs of their individual schools.

- Activities to address the unique needs of low-income children or students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and foster care youth, including how outreach and service delivery will meet the needs of each population.

- Developing and implementing procedures and systems to improve the preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies.

- Planning for and coordinating during long-term closures, including for how to provide meals to eligible students, how to provide technology for online learning to all students, how to provide guidance for carrying out requirements under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. 1401 et seq.) and how to ensure other educational services can continue to be provided consistent with all Federal, State, and local requirements.

- Purchasing educational technology (including hardware, software, and connectivity) for students who are served by the local educational agency that aids in regular and substantive educational interaction between students and their classroom instructors, including low-income students and students with disabilities, which may include assistive technology or adaptive equipment.

- Providing mental health services and supports.

- Planning and implementing activities related to summer learning and supplemental afterschool programs, including providing classroom instruction or online learning during the summer months and addressing the needs of low income students, students with disabilities, English learners, migrant students, students experiencing homelessness, and children in foster care.

- Addressing learning loss among students, including low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and children and youth in foster care, of the local educational agency, including by—(A) Administering and using high-quality assessments that are valid and reliable, to accurately assess students’ academic progress and assist educators in meeting students’ academic needs, including through differentiating instruction. (B) Implementing evidence-based activities to meet the comprehensive needs of students. (C) Providing...
information and assistance to parents and families on how they can effectively support students, including in a distance learning environment. (D) Tracking student attendance and improving student engagement in distance education.

- School facility repairs and improvements to enable operation of schools to reduce risk of virus transmission and exposure to environmental health hazards, and to support student health needs.
- Inspection, testing, maintenance, repair, replacement, and upgrade projects to improve the indoor air quality in school facilities, including mechanical and non-mechanical heating, ventilation, and air conditioning systems, filtering, purification and other air cleaning, fans, control systems, and window and door repair and replacement.
- Other activities that are necessary to maintain the operation of and continuity of services in local educational agencies and continuing to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.

Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA shall comply with all applicable requirements of the Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) authorized by the Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act, 2021 (CRRSAA), including:

**CONTINUED PAYMENT TO EMPLOYEES**

SEC. 18006. A local educational agency, State, institution of higher education, or other entity that receives funds under “Education Stabilization Fund”, shall to the greatest extent practicable, continue to pay its employees and contractors during the period of any disruptions or closures related to coronavirus.

**Certification**

To the best of my knowledge and belief, all the information and data in this agreement are true and correct. I acknowledge and agree that the failure to comply with all Assurances and Certifications in this Agreement, all relevant provisions and requirements of the CARES Act, Pub. L. No. 116-136 (March 27, 2020), or any other applicable law or regulation may result in liability under the False Claims Act, 31 U.S.C. § 3729, et seq.; OMB Guidelines to Agencies on Governmentwide Debarment and Suspension (Nonprocurement) in 2 CFR part 180, as adopted and amended as regulations of the Department in 2 CFR part 3485; and 18 USC § 1001, as appropriate.

Electronic Signature  | Denise O’Dea

Date               | 05/18/2021

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**Other-** One full time secondary teacher to help students who are falling behind due to lost school time related to the pandemic/quarantine issues. Of our 161 grade 7-12 students, approximately 25 are failing at least one class and 12 are failing two or more classes. Teacher salary
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| Eligible Direct Allocation Instruction | Medicare - Employer's Contribution | Elementary teacher salaries to develop standards based grade cards to ensure all students receive comparable instruction. - Employer Medicare Contributions | $ 127 | $ 127 | $ - | $ - | $ - | 22-230-1000-221 | 10 K-6 Teachers Medicare-Pandemic/remote learning exposed discrepancies in the alignment of standards and content. Our elementary teachers will work 3 days during the summer to develop standards-based grade cards for all K-6 students. |
| Eligible Direct Allocation Instruction | Other Employee Benefits | Elementary teacher salaries to develop standards based grade cards to ensure all students receive comparable instruction. - State Unemployment Contributions | $ 9 | $ 9 | $ - | $ - | $ - | 22-230-1000-250 | 0 K-6 Teachers Unemployment-Pandemic/remote learning exposed discrepancies in the alignment of standards and content. Our elementary teachers will work 3 days during the summer to develop standards-based grade cards for all K-6 students. |
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Applicant details

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Select an Applicant Type | Unified School District

Applicant / Entity Name | Republic County USD 109

Applicant / Mailing Address

1205 19th Street
Belleville, KS 66935

Applicant / First and Last Name of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director | Larry Lyder

Applicant / Email Address of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director | llyder@usd109.org

Applicant / Phone Number | 785-527-5621

All questions in the section below are optional, and offer an opportunity to upload or enter information that is typically asked for on grant opportunities.

(for EANS and ESSER grant applications - please skip the questions below, and scroll to the bottom to complete your User Profile information.)

Applicant / Federal EIN (if applicable) | 37-1523428

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Would you like to additional district representatives to the application?  No

Please briefly describe the impacts of COVID-19 on the district and its Pre-K through 12 students, including any relevant data where possible (e.g., cost impact, learning loss, emotional impact on students). If there has been a disproportionate impact on a special population in the district (e.g., students with disabilities, English Learners, students in foster care, students in poverty, etc.), please describe the impact and provide the number of Pre-K through 12 students in that population.

The impacts of COVID-19 on our students range vastly from student to student as well in the nature of the impact from social-emotional to academic learning loss. Republic County does not have a diverse student population other than social-economic variants. The stress that we see in some families due to the results of the COVID-19 pandemic carries over to the students when they enter our buildings everyday. Additionally, we are seeing a huge need for early childhood care and programming in our community. Many daycares closed over the previous year due to kids not attending either from parents not working or isolation of students. We know that we need to provide some interventions and additional instructional support at the elementary level due to both the academic learning loss and social-emotional needs. At our junior/senior high the need is also present to address both areas of need. Without a school nurse, the district struggled through the year with facilitating the illness and monitoring students. Cost impacts on the district include the need for a nurse, additional staff to assist with small group instruction to close the academic loss, training for our building and teacher leaders on how lead through change, the expense of teachers outside their contract developing and redesigning curriculum and the need for a summer program to really address the needs of students in the areas of academic loss and social emotional.

Does the district have remaining ESSER I funding that it has not yet spent as of the date of ESSER II application submission?  No
Please review the following allowable uses of ESSER II funds before completing the narrative and Excel template portion of the application.

- Coordination of preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies with State, local, Tribal, and territorial public health departments, and other relevant agencies, to improve coordinated responses among such entities to prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus.
- Providing principals and others school leaders with the resources necessary to address the needs of their individual schools.
- Activities to address the unique needs of low-income children or students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and foster care youth, including how outreach and service delivery will meet the needs of each population.
- Developing and implementing procedures and systems to improve the preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies.
- Training and professional development for staff of the local educational agency on sanitation and minimizing the spread of infectious diseases.
- Purchasing supplies to sanitize and clean the facilities of a local educational agency, including buildings operated by such agency.
- Planning for, coordinating, and implementing activities during long-term closures, including providing meals to eligible students, providing technology for online learning to all students, providing guidance for carrying out requirements under the IDEA and ensuring other educational services can continue to be provided consistent with all Federal, State, and local requirements.
- Purchasing educational technology (including hardware, software, and connectivity) for students who are served by the local educational agency that aids in regular and substantive educational interaction between students and their classroom instructors, including low-income students and children with disabilities, which may include assistive technology or adaptive equipment.
- Providing mental health services and supports.
- Planning and implementing activities related to summer learning and supplemental afterschool programs, including providing classroom instruction or online learning during the summer months and addressing the needs of low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, migrant students, students experiencing homelessness, and children in foster care.
- Addressing learning loss among students, including low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and children and youth in foster care, of the local educational agency, including by—(A) Administering and using high-quality assessments that are valid and reliable, to accurately assess students’ academic progress and assist educators in meeting students’ academic needs, including through differentiating instruction. (B) Implementing evidence-based activities to meet the comprehensive needs of students. (C) Providing information and assistance to parents and families on how they can effectively support students, including in a distance learning environment. (D) Tracking student attendance and improving student engagement in distance education.
- School facility repairs and improvements to enable operation of schools to reduce risk of virus transmission and exposure to environmental health hazards, and to support student health needs.
- Inspection, testing, maintenance, repair, replacement, and upgrade projects to improve the indoor air quality in school facilities, including mechanical and non-mechanical heating, ventilation, and air conditioning systems, filtering, purification and other air cleaning, fans, control systems, and window and door repair and replacement.
- Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities.
- Other activities that are necessary to maintain the operation of and continuity of services in local educational agencies and continuing to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.

Please note: "Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities," identified as an allowable use under ESSER III in the American Rescue Plan, is also permissible under ESSER II.
Plan for ESSER II Direct District Allocation and KSDE Per-Student Additional Allocation (If Applicable)

Please summarize how the district proposes using its ESSER II direct district allocation (and its KSDE per-student additional allocation, if applicable) to address incremental COVID-19 needs.

To address the academic learning loss, social emotional needs, leadership challenges and monitoring health/illness situations, the district plans to utilize the ESSER II funds in the following ways:

1. Continue to pay for our new school nurse through the year 2021-2022 that we hired in April with ESSER 1 funds.
2. Pay for summer programming to address skills, enrichment and social emotional learning for students. This will include teacher/para salaries, transportation, supplies and other expenses.
3. Providing Adaptive Schools training to our teacher leaders and administrators to provide them with the tools and skills necessary to lead through the unprecedented changes.
4. Hire a student support specialist at our elementary to provide additional tiered support in academics and social-emotional learning to help close the academic learning loss gap.
5. Provide time and payment for outside of the teachers’ contract to redesign high school math scope and sequence to provide the necessary levels of intervention and curriculum placement to address the learning gaps in high school math.
6. Provide time and payment for outside of the teachers’ contract to redesign junior and senior high school seminar time and curriculum to provide the necessary levels of intervention and curriculum to address the social emotional learning needs of the students and provide additional academic support.
7. Hire an additional 1st grade teacher due to larger than normal incoming class (51 students) to help provide for social distancing in COVID-19 safety protocols, as well as, maintain a lower teacher-student ratio to help with instruction of struggling students.

How will the district determine the impact of its ESSER II direct district allocation expenditures (and additional per-student allocation, if applicable) on students?

The district staff will continue to monitor our local assessments, Fastbridge, state assessments, ACT/Aspire and other assessments. Absentees and discipline referrals will be looked at along with counselor notes for the social emotional impact.

Notes on ESSER II application Excel template:

- Plans and budgets should be submitted for at least a 12 month period but do not need to account for the full duration of the program or the full allocation amount. Funds will remain accessible to the LEA until September 30, 2023 and there will be additional opportunities to submit further requests/plans in the future.
- Following ESSER II application approval and initiation of funds draw down, districts will be required to report to the Commissioner's Task Force on ESSER II expenditures and impact on a monthly basis throughout the program. This ESSER II reporting will be required as a part of regular ESSER program reporting, which will capture past expenditures across funding streams (ESSER I, ESSER I SPED, ESSER II, ESSER II SPED, ESSER II KSDE Per Student Allocation). Districts may be asked to provide expenditures by fund, function, object, account, and ESSER II allowable use as part of ongoing ESSER reporting.
- This reporting will not replace any reporting required by the federal government. KSDE will work to maximize compatibility between its reporting requirements and those of the federal government as much as possible to minimize burden on districts.

Please download and complete the ESSER II application template [here](#) to provide details on ESSER II budgeted expenditures across allowable uses and KSDE accounting codes.

[109 RepublicCounty_ESSER... (159 KiB download)](#)
Local Education Agency (LEA) Assurances

Section I. General Grant Assurances for Federal Funds

Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA will comply with all requirements of:

The LEA will make a good faith effort, on a continuing basis, to maintain a drug-free workplace, in accordance with the measures in 34 CFR Part 84, Subpart B and the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988;

The Education Department General Administrative Regulations (EDGAR) 34 CFR 76 requirements, including:

34 CFR §76.500(a) Federal statutes and regulations on nondiscrimination.

(a) A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the following statutes and regulations:

- Discrimination on the basis of age | The Age Discrimination Act (42 U.S.C. 6101 et seq.) | 34 CFR part 110.

(b) A State or subgrantee that is a covered entity as defined in §108.3 of this title shall comply with the nondiscrimination requirements of the Boy Scouts of America Equal Access Act, 20 U.S.C. 7905, 34 CFR part 108.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))


34 CFR §76.650 Private schools; purpose of §§76.651-76.662.

(a) Under some programs, the authorizing statute requires that a State and its subgrantees provide for participation by students enrolled in private schools. Sections 76.651-76.662 apply to those programs and provide rules for that participation. These sections do not affect the authority of the State or a subgrantee to enter into a contract with a private party.

(b) If any other rules for participation of students enrolled in private schools apply under a particular program, they are in the authorizing statute or implementing regulations for that program.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3 and 3474)

34 CFR §76.700 Compliance with statutes, regulations, State plan, and applications.

A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the State plan and applicable statutes, regulations, and approved applications, and shall use Federal funds in accordance with those statutes, regulations, plan, and applications.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.701 The State or subgrantee administers or supervises each project.

A State or a subgrantee shall directly administer or supervise the administration of each project.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.702 Fiscal control and fund accounting procedures.

A State and a subgrantee shall use fiscal control and fund accounting procedures that insure proper disbursement of and accounting for Federal funds.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.709 Funds may be obligated during a “carryover period.”

(a) If a State or a subgrantee does not obligate all of its grant or subgrant funds by the end of the fiscal year for which Congress appropriated the funds, it may obligate the remaining funds during a carryover period of one additional fiscal year.

(b) The State shall return to the Federal Government any carryover funds not obligated by the end of the carryover period by the State and its subgrantees.

(Authority: U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1225(b), and 3474)


34 CFR §76.722 Subgrantee reporting requirements.

A State may require a subgrantee to submit reports in a manner and format that assists the State in complying with the requirements under 34 CFR 76.720 and in carrying out other responsibilities under the program.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1231a, and 3474)

[72 FR 3703, Jan. 25, 2007]
34 CFR §76.730 Records related to grant funds.
A State and a subgrantee shall keep records that fully show:
(a) The amount of funds under the grant or subgrant;
(b) How the State or subgrantee uses the funds;
(c) The total cost of the project;
(d) The share of that cost provided from other sources; and
(e) Other records to facilitate an effective audit.
(Approved by the Office of Management and Budget under control number 1880-0513)

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1232f)

34 CFR §76.731 Records related to compliance.
A State and a subgrantee shall keep records to show its compliance with program requirements.
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))
The Uniform Grant Guidance, 2 CFR §200 all applicable subrecipient requirements, including but not limited to:
2 CFR Subpart D – Post Federal Award Requirements
§200.302 Financial management.
§200.303 Internal controls.
§200.305 Payment.
§200.313 Equipment.
§200.314 Supplies.
§200.318 General procurement standards.
§200.320 Methods of procurement to be followed;
2 CFR 200 Subpart E: Cost Principles:
§200.403 Factors affecting allowability of costs.
§200.404 Reasonable costs.
§200.405 Allocable costs.
§200.413 Direct costs.
§200.415 Required certifications.
§200.430 Compensation—personal services.
The Debarment and Suspension, 34 CFR Part 85, Section 85.510, Participants’ Responsibilities and makes the following certification by signing this application:
The prospective lower-tier participant certifies, by submission of this proposal, that neither it nor its principals is presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction by any federal department or agency.
Where the prospective lower-tier participant is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, such prospective participant shall attach an explanation to this proposal.
This certification is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was made or entered into. Submission of this certification is a prerequisite for making or entering into this transaction imposed by Section 1352, Title 31, U.S. Code. Any person who fails to file the required certification shall be subject to a civil penalty of not less than $10,000 for such failure.

Section II. Specific Elementary and Secondary School
Emergency Relief (ESSER) Grant Assurances

The LEA assures that funds shall only be used for any of the following:
- Coordination of preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies with State, local, Tribal, and territorial public health departments, and other relevant agencies, to improve coordinated responses among such entities to
prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus.

- Providing principals and others school leaders with the resources necessary to address the needs of their individual schools.
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- Planning for and coordinating during long-term closures, including for how to provide meals to eligible students, how to provide technology for online learning to all students, how to provide guidance for carrying out requirements under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. 1401 et seq.) and how to ensure other educational services can continue to be provided consistent with all Federal, State, and local requirements.
- Purchasing educational technology (including hardware, software, and connectivity) for students who are served by the local educational agency that aids in regular and substantive educational interaction between students and their classroom instructors, including low-income students and students with disabilities, which may include assistive technology or adaptive equipment.
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- Other activities that are necessary to maintain the operation of and continuity of services in local educational agencies and continuing to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.

Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA shall comply with all applicable requirements of the Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) authorized by the Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act, 2021 (CRRSAA), including:

CONTINUED PAYMENT TO EMPLOYEES
SEC. 18006. A local educational agency, State, institution of higher education, or other entity that receives funds under “Education Stabilization Fund”, shall to the greatest extent practicable, continue to pay its employees and contractors during the period of any disruptions or closures related to coronavirus.

Certification

To the best of my knowledge and belief, all the information and data in this agreement are true and correct. I acknowledge and agree that the failure to comply with all Assurances and Certifications in this Agreement, all relevant provisions and requirements of the CARES Act, Pub. L. No. 116-136 (March 27, 2020), or any other applicable law or regulation may result in
liability under the False Claims Act, 31 U.S.C. § 3729, et seq.; OMB Guidelines to Agencies on Governmentwide Debarment and Suspension (Nonprocurement) in 2 CFR part 180, as adopted and amended as regulations of the Department in 2 CFR part 3485; and 18 USC § 1001, as appropriate.

Electronic Signature | Larry L Lyder
Date | 04/29/2021

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### 1A. Any activity authorized by the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965.

The Elementary Support Specialist at East Elementary in Republic County USD 109 will start in the 2021-2022 school year. The individual will be responsible for assisting with developing our Tier 3 interventions on the academic and social emotional levels for our elementary students who are showing regression due to the COVID Pandemic. As we have seen the number of students below grade level and lacking reading and math skills increase since the pandemic started (especially at the lower levels as they missed some foundational skills last spring), this position will work with those students one-on-one or in small groups to help build those foundational skills and assist in closing the academic learning loss of those students.

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**Tuition Reimbursement**


**Unemployment Tax New Elementary Support Specialist**


**Adaptive Schools Collaborative Training**

The professional development will be provided to our DLT (12 teachers) and administrators (4 administrators) for the Adaptive Schools Foundation Seminar and 1 Administrator to attend the Advance Seminar for Adaptive Schools. This training will provide staff with essential tools to help collaborate with stakeholders and lead the district through the continually changing times of COVID. Future Ready Schools workshop will also be attended by a couple of administrators. The Adaptive Schools will furthermore assist teacher leaders and administrators guidance while providing tools and skills to lead during the continuous changing times of the pandemic, communication strategies for various stakeholders and a variety of instructional strategies to be able to utilize in the classroom for more engagement of students and those students who might be remote.

**Teacher Stipend for Adaptive School Training**

For time outside of their contract time. 12 teachers for 4 days.
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| Eligible Direct Allocation | PROPERTY                           | Outdoor Tables and Seating--Due to COVID-19 is it necessary to provide for social distancing, especially when eating. These tables and seating will allow for outdoor seating to expand our the seating of our cafeteria allowing for more social distancing while eating. In addition to outdoor eating, which is better for ventilation with COVID-19, this will also allow for outdoor classroom space to help increase social distancing in response to COVID-19 and outdoor ventilation. | $ | 10,240 | $ | - | $ | 10,240 | $ | - | 92,100.700.200 | Updated Cost for Summer School (email 5/17/21)
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Select an Applicant Type  |  Unified School District
Applicant / Entity Name  |  Turner USD 202
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Application details

Full District Name  |  Turner-Kansas City
District Number  |  202
Would you like to additional district representatives to the application?  No

Please briefly describe the impacts of COVID-19 on the district and its Pre-K through 12 students, including any relevant data where possible (e.g., cost impact, learning loss, emotional impact on students). If there has been a disproportionately impact on a special population in the district (e.g., students with disabilities, English Learners, students in foster care, students in poverty, etc.), please describe the impact and provide the number of Pre-K through 12 students in that population.

When comparing our Winter 2020 MAP data to Winter 2021 MAP data, our mean student performance dropped an average of 3.3 RIT points in mathematics across grades 1-6. The most alarming drop was in first grade where there was a 6-point drop in the mean and in fourth grade where there was a 5-point drop in the mean. Our mean performance dropped an average of 1.9 RIT points in reading with the most significant decline was in first grade, 6 RIT points.

First semester, 272 (26.3%) Turner High School students had three or more Fs. In addition, 18.4% of remote only learners failed 6 or more classes first semester earning less than 1 credit towards graduation. Eighty-four (13.8%) Turner Middle School students failed both ELA and Math first semester. At Turner Middle School, 19.8% of remote only students failed six or more classes.

Ninety-one (91) TUSD students have more than 45 unexcused absences from school, one quarter of the school year. Four hundred and sixty-nine (469) TUSD students (12%) have between 20 and 45 unexcused absences from school.

Due to COVID-19, substitute teachers were financially incentivized to work in Turner and costs were high due to the number of staff absences and quarantines.

Funds were spent to purchase PPE for all staff, temperature kiosks in buildings, desk shields, air filtration, and signage across the district.

Technology needs became apparent while in a hybrid model which caused devices to be purchased, along with software to secure and manage the system.

Does the district have remaining ESSER I funding that it has not yet spent as of the date of ESSER II application submission?  Yes

Please summarize how the district will use its remaining ESSER I and ESSER I SPED funding and what it hopes to accomplish with these funds.
We have not drawn down all of our ESSER I allocation but the funds have been allocated. There are funds allocated for salary and benefits for certified staff hired for 20-21 school year that will be completed by 6/30/21. There are also some private school purchases that have not been paid for yet.

Please review the following allowable uses of ESSER II funds before completing the narrative and Excel template portion of the application.

- Coordination of preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies with State, local, Tribal, and territorial public health departments, and other relevant agencies, to improve coordinated responses among such entities to prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus.
- Providing principals and others school leaders with the resources necessary to address the needs of their individual schools.
- Activities to address the unique needs of low-income children or students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and foster care youth, including how outreach and service delivery will meet the needs of each population.
- Developing and implementing procedures and systems to improve the preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies.
- Training and professional development for staff of the local educational agency on sanitation and minimizing the spread of infectious diseases.
- Purchasing supplies to sanitize and clean the facilities of a local educational agency, including buildings operated by such agency.
- Planning for, coordinating, and implementing activities during long-term closures, including providing meals to eligible students, providing technology for online learning to all students, providing guidance for carrying out requirements under the IDEA and ensuring other educational services can continue to be provided consistent with all Federal, State, and local requirements.
- Purchasing educational technology (including hardware, software, and connectivity) for students who are served by the local educational agency that aids in regular and substantive educational interaction between students and their classroom instructors, including low-income students and children with disabilities, which may include assistive technology or adaptive equipment.
- Providing mental health services and supports.
- Planning and implementing activities related to summer learning and supplemental afterschool programs, including providing classroom instruction or online learning during the summer months and addressing the needs of low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, migrant students, students experiencing homelessness, and children in foster care.
- Addressing learning loss among students, including low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and children and youth in foster care, of the local educational agency, including by—(A) Administering and using high-quality assessments that are valid and reliable, to accurately assess students’ academic progress and assist educators in meeting students’ academic needs, including through differentiating instruction. (B) Implementing evidence-based activities to meet the comprehensive needs of students. (C) Providing information and assistance to parents and families on how they can effectively support students, including in a distance learning environment. (D) Tracking student attendance and improving student engagement in distance education.
- School facility repairs and improvements to enable operation of schools to reduce risk of virus transmission and exposure to environmental health hazards, and to support student health needs.
- Inspection, testing, maintenance, repair, replacement, and upgrade projects to improve the indoor air quality in school facilities, including mechanical and non-mechanical heating, ventilation, and air conditioning systems, filtering, purification and other air cleaning, fans, control systems, and window and door repair and replacement.
- Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities.
• Other activities that are necessary to maintain the operation of and continuity of services in local educational agencies and continuing to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.

Please note: "Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities," identified as an allowable use under ESSER III in the American Rescue Plan, is also permissible under ESSER II.

Plan for ESSER II Direct District Allocation and KSDE Per-Student Additional Allocation (If Applicable)

Please summarize how the district proposes using its ESSER II direct district allocation (and its KSDE per-student additional allocation, if applicable) to address incremental COVID-19 needs.

Turner began the year with two learning models: “Blended,”; students attended in-person alternating days, and “Remote”. The ESSER II funds are planned to intervene with students instructionally and socially with the intent to close educational gaps caused by COVID-19.

Turner is in the process of hiring additional instructional positions to intervene with identified students who have academic needs. These positions include content specialists in literacy and math at every elementary building. Secondary schools will receive “transition specialists” to support students who are at-risk due to instructional losses. Permanent substitutes will also be hired.

Additional planning time will be funded per employee for planning the transition to full in-person learning and create individualized student interventions based on COVID-19 educational gaps. This planning is occurring during fourth quarter of this school year and will occur to some extent during the upcoming year.

Turner will review our district curriculum and purchase a variety of instructional resources using ESSER II funds. Curricular resources for virtual learning with digital components will be recommended in the areas of intervention, music, health, reading, and math.

Increasing instructional time will occur through extended day tutoring and a comprehensive extended year program during the next two summers. Summer schools will occur at each level in our district as well as secondary credit recovery.

Socially/Emotionally, we plan to support students through trauma-sensitive resources and an updated SEL curriculum support from certified staff.

We recognize that COVID-19 challenges have been difficult for staff, and would like to use ESSER II funds for an “Employee Assistance Program”.

Lastly, ESSER II funds will be used to improve air quality at schools as well as update instructional technology that proved lacking during Remote and Blended instruction. Specifically, new student devices will be purchased as well as content filtering, cyber security awareness, and antivirus software.

How will the district determine the impact of its ESSER II direct district allocation expenditures (and additional per-student allocation, if applicable) on students?

Student performance data including the NWEA MAP, BAS, and the KAP will show academic recovery. Assessments aligned to the curriculum and embedded digital intervention programs will be used to measure progress more frequently.

A measure of recovery for our secondary students will be credit acquisition. The specialist positions will assist students in maintaining passing scores in new courses impacted by inadequate foundational knowledge.

Student data evaluation requires additional collaborative planning. Team functioning, 5Essentials surveys and data for evaluation TUSD efforts. We will evaluate the assistance program with usage data and staff attendance data.

Student social emotional health will be measured by the SRSS data administered three times annually and our data from the SOS. Our attendance and discipline data will also be examined.
Technology infrastructure evaluation by regular audits of our content filtering and antivirus protection. Cyber security will be evaluated by regular tests of our system and our users.

Notes on ESSER II application Excel template:
- Plans and budgets should be submitted for at least a 12 month period but do not need to account for the full duration of the program or the full allocation amount. Funds will remain accessible to the LEA until September 30, 2023 and there will be additional opportunities to submit further requests/plans in the future.
- Following ESSER II application approval and initiation of funds draw down, districts will be required to report to the Commissioner's Task Force on ESSER II expenditures and impact on a monthly basis throughout the program. This ESSER II reporting will be required as a part of regular ESSER program reporting, which will capture past expenditures across funding streams (ESSER I, ESSER I SPED, ESSER II, ESSER II SPED, ESSER II KSDE Per Student Allocation). Districts may be asked to provide expenditures by fund, function, object, account, and ESSER II allowable use as part of ongoing ESSER reporting.
- This reporting will not replace any reporting required by the federal government. KSDE will work to maximize compatibility between its reporting requirements and those of the federal government as much as possible to minimize burden on districts.

Please download and complete the ESSER II application template here to provide details on ESSER II budgeted expenditures across allowable uses and KSDE accounting codes.

202_Turner_ESSER II Plan... (155 KiB download)

Local Education Agency (LEA) Assurances

Section I. General Grant Assurances for Federal Funds

Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA will comply with all requirements of:
The LEA will make a good faith effort, on a continuing basis, to maintain a drug-free workplace, in accordance with the measures in 34 CFR Part 84, Subpart B and the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988;
The Education Department General Administrative Regulations (EDGAR) 34 CFR 76 requirements, including:
34 CFR §76.500(a) Federal statutes and regulations on nondiscrimination.
(a) A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the following statutes and regulations:
  • Discrimination on the basis of race, color, or national origin | Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (45 U.S.C. 2000d through 2000d-4) | 34 CFR part 100.
  • Discrimination on the basis of age | The Age Discrimination Act (42 U.S.C. 6101 et seq.) | 34 CFR part 110.
(b) A State or subgrantee that is a covered entity as defined in §108.3 of this title shall comply with the nondiscrimination requirements of the Boy Scouts of America Equal Access Act, 20 U.S.C. 7905, 34 CFR part 108.
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))
34 CFR §76.650 Private schools; purpose of §§76.651-76.662.
(a) Under some programs, the authorizing statute requires that a State and its subgrantees provide for participation by students enrolled in private schools. Sections 76.651-76.662 apply to those programs and provide rules for that participation. These sections do not affect the authority of the State or a subgrantee to enter into a contract with a private party.
(b) If any other rules for participation of students enrolled in private schools apply under a particular program, they are in the
authorizing statute or implementing regulations for that program.  
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3 and 3474)

34 CFR §76.700 Compliance with statutes, regulations, State plan, and applications.
A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the State plan and applicable statutes, regulations, and approved applications, and shall use Federal funds in accordance with those statutes, regulations, plan, and applications.  
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.701 The State or subgrantee administers or supervises each project.
A State or a subgrantee shall directly administer or supervise the administration of each project.  
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.702 Fiscal control and fund accounting procedures.
A State and a subgrantee shall use fiscal control and fund accounting procedures that insure proper disbursement of and accounting for Federal funds.  
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.709 Funds may be obligated during a “carryover period.”
(a) If a State or a subgrantee does not obligate all of its grant or subgrant funds by the end of the fiscal year for which Congress appropriated the funds, it may obligate the remaining funds during a carryover period of one additional fiscal year.  
(b) The State shall return to the Federal Government any carryover funds not obligated by the end of the carryover period by the State and its subgrantees.  
(Authority: U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1225(b), and 3474)


34 CFR §76.722 Subgrantee reporting requirements.
A State may require a subgrantee to submit reports in a manner and format that assists the State in complying with the requirements under 34 CFR 76.720 and in carrying out other responsibilities under the program.  
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1231a, and 3474)

[72 FR 3703, Jan. 25, 2007]

34 CFR §76.730 Records related to grant funds.
A State and a subgrantee shall keep records that fully show:
(a) The amount of funds under the grant or subgrant;  
(b) How the State or subgrantee uses the funds;  
(c) The total cost of the project;  
(d) The share of that cost provided from other sources; and  
(e) Other records to facilitate an effective audit.  
(Approved by the Office of Management and Budget under control number 1880-0513)  
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1232f)


34 CFR §76.731 Records related to compliance.
A State and a subgrantee shall keep records to show its compliance with program requirements.  
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

The Uniform Grant Guidance, 2 CFR §200 all applicable subrecipient requirements, including but not limited to:  
2 CFR Subpart D – Post Federal Award Requirements  
§200.302 Financial management.  
§200.303 Internal controls.  
§200.305 Payment.  
§200.313 Equipment.  
§200.314 Supplies.  
§200.318 General procurement standards.  
§200.320 Methods of procurement to be followed;  
2 CFR 200 Subpart E: Cost Principles:  
§200.403 Factors affecting allowability of costs.  
§200.404 Reasonable costs.  
§200.405 Allocable costs.  
§200.413 Direct costs.
§200.415 Required certifications.
§200.430 Compensation—personal services.
The Debarment and Suspension, 34 CFR Part 85, Section 85.510, Participants’ Responsibilities and makes the following certification by signing this application:

The prospective lower-tier participant certifies, by submission of this proposal, that neither it nor its principals is presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction by any federal department or agency.

Where the prospective lower-tier participant is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, such prospective participant shall attach an explanation to this proposal.

This certification is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was made or entered into. Submission of this certification is a prerequisite for making or entering into this transaction imposed by Section 1352, Title 31, U.S. Code. Any person who fails to file the required certification shall be subject to a civil penalty of not less than $10,000 for such failure.

Section II. Specific Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) Grant Assurances

The LEA assures that funds shall only be used for any of the following:

- Coordination of preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies with State, local, Tribal, and territorial public health departments, and other relevant agencies, to improve coordinated responses among such entities to prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus.
- Providing principals and others school leaders with the resources necessary to address the needs of their individual schools.
- Activities to address the unique needs of low-income children or students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and foster care youth, including how outreach and service delivery will meet the needs of each population.
- Developing and implementing procedures and systems to improve the preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies.
- Training and professional development for staff of the local educational agency on sanitation and minimizing the spread of infectious diseases.
- Purchasing supplies to sanitize and clean the facilities of a local educational agency, including buildings operated by such agency.
- Planning for and coordinating during long-term closures, including for how to provide meals to eligible students, how to provide technology for online learning to all students, how to provide guidance for carrying out requirements under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. 1401 et seq.) and how to ensure other educational services can continue to be provided consistent with all Federal, State, and local requirements.
- Purchasing educational technology (including hardware, software, and connectivity) for students who are served by the local educational agency that aids in regular and substantive educational interaction between students and their classroom instructors, including low-income students and students with disabilities, which may include assistive technology or adaptive equipment.
- Providing mental health services and supports.
- Planning and implementing activities related to summer learning and supplemental afterschool programs, including providing classroom instruction or online learning during the summer months and addressing the needs of low income students, students with disabilities, English learners, migrant students, students experiencing homelessness, and children in foster care.
- Addressing learning loss among students, including low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and children and youth in foster care, of the local educational
agency, including by—

(A) Administering and using high-quality assessments that are valid and reliable, to accurately assess students’ academic progress and assist educators in meeting students’ academic needs, including through differentiating instruction.
(B) Implementing evidence-based activities to meet the comprehensive needs of students.
(C) Providing information and assistance to parents and families on how they can effectively support students, including in a distance learning environment.
(D) Tracking student attendance and improving student engagement in distance education.

- School facility repairs and improvements to enable operation of schools to reduce risk of virus transmission and exposure to environmental health hazards, and to support student health needs.
- Inspection, testing, maintenance, repair, replacement, and upgrade projects to improve the indoor air quality in school facilities, including mechanical and non-mechanical heating, ventilation, and air conditioning systems, filtering, purification and other air cleaning, fans, control systems, and window and door repair and replacement.
- Other activities that are necessary to maintain the operation of and continuity of services in local educational agencies and continuing to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.

Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA shall comply with all applicable requirements of the Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) authorized by the Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act, 2021 (CRRSAA), including:

CONTINUED PAYMENT TO EMPLOYEES
SEC. 18006. A local educational agency, State, institution of higher education, or other entity that receives funds under “Education Stabilization Fund”, shall to the greatest extent practicable, continue to pay its employees and contractors during the period of any disruptions or closures related to coronavirus.

Certification

To the best of my knowledge and belief, all the information and data in this agreement are true and correct. I acknowledge and agree that the failure to comply with all Assurances and Certifications in this Agreement, all relevant provisions and requirements of the CARES Act, Pub. L. No. 116-136 (March 27, 2020), or any other applicable law or regulation may result in liability under the False Claims Act, 31 U.S.C. § 3729, et seq.; OMB Guidelines to Agencies on Governmentwide Debarment and Suspension (Nonprocurement) in 2 CFR part 180, as adopted and amended as regulations of the Department in 2 CFR part 3485; and 18 USC § 1001, as appropriate.

Electronic Signature | Kristen Woodbury
Date | 05/20/2021

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How many staff members, expected student numbers, program duration/times; Applicant responded via email: The tutoring will create approximately 1,100 hours of tutoring and extra help. The number of staff can vary depending on how many hours a staff member wants to tutor; Additional response: The tutoring is outside the duty day, the plan is after school tutoring, both the certified and classified staff are paid extra duty pay.
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How it relates to COVID-19: Applicant responded via email: Laptop chargers, parts, misc cords and supply items throughout the year. Replacement items to keep the student devices operational.
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- how it relates to COVID-19; Applicant responded via email: Estimated 650 MacBooks including software and service; Additional information: students used the devices for distance learning during COVID-19, used during remote learning and quarantine. Allowable to a) reimburse the district for prior remote learning expenses b) incur new expenses related to actual current/perpetual remote learning circumstances, and/or c) to budget for potential future remote learning expenses. Please note that expenses should not be incurred to purchase property to hold in the unlikely event of potential future remote learning needs.
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Applicant responded via email: 2 full time, 2 part time new staff focusing on Instructional staff training. Approximately 350 teachers will be receiving training.
Thank you for creating a User Profile for the Kansas CommonApp!

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Select an Applicant Type  |  Unified School District
Applicant / Entity Name  |  USD 209
Applicant / Mailing Address
PO Box 158
Moscow, KS 67952

Applicant / First and Last Name of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director  |  Stuart Moore
Applicant / Email Address of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director  |  smoore@pld.com
Applicant / Phone Number  |  620-598-2205

All questions in the section below are optional, and offer an opportunity to upload or enter information that is typically asked for on grant opportunities.

(for EANS and ESSER grant applications - please skip the questions below, and scroll to the bottom to complete your User Profile information.)

Application details

Full District Name  |  Moscow Public Schools
District Number  |  209
Mailing Address | Street Address  |  PO Box 158
The most significant impact of COVID-19 on our students has been learning loss. While our staff did an excellent job with our students last spring, remote learning is not nearly as productive or beneficial for student learning and achievement as on-site education. 29% of our student population is ESOL and 62% are disadvantaged socio-economically. These two factors further intensify the learning loss that has occurred. Our local math and reading data further substantiate the need for extra learning time. Our district is conducting summer school this year as part of our 21st Century Community Learning Center grant. However, more academic time is crucial for our students to close the learning gap caused by the pandemic.

Please review the following allowable uses of ESSER II funds before completing the narrative and Excel template portion of the application.

- Coordination of preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies with State, local, Tribal, and territorial public health departments, and other relevant agencies, to improve coordinated responses among such entities to
prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus.

• Providing principals and others school leaders with the resources necessary to address the needs of their individual schools.

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• Developing and implementing procedures and systems to improve the preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies.

• Training and professional development for staff of the local educational agency on sanitation and minimizing the spread of infectious diseases.

• Purchasing supplies to sanitize and clean the facilities of a local educational agency, including buildings operated by such agency.

• Planning for, coordinating, and implementing activities during long-term closures, including providing meals to eligible students, providing technology for online learning to all students, providing guidance for carrying out requirements under the IDEA and ensuring other educational services can continue to be provided consistent with all Federal, State, and local requirements.

• Purchasing educational technology (including hardware, software, and connectivity) for students who are served by the local educational agency that aids in regular and substantive educational interaction between students and their classroom instructors, including low-income students and children with disabilities, which may include assistive technology or adaptive equipment.

• Providing mental health services and supports.

• Planning and implementing activities related to summer learning and supplemental afterschool programs, including providing classroom instruction or online learning during the summer months and addressing the needs of low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, migrant students, students experiencing homelessness, and children in foster care.

• Addressing learning loss among students, including low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and children and youth in foster care, of the local educational agency, including by— (A) Administering and using high-quality assessments that are valid and reliable, to accurately assess students' academic progress and assist educators in meeting students' academic needs, including through differentiating instruction. (B) Implementing evidence-based activities to meet the comprehensive needs of students. (C) Providing information and assistance to parents and families on how they can effectively support students, including in a distance learning environment. (D) Tracking student attendance and improving student engagement in distance education.

• School facility repairs and improvements to enable operation of schools to reduce risk of virus transmission and exposure to environmental health hazards, and to support student health needs.

• Inspection, testing, maintenance, repair, replacement, and upgrade projects to improve the indoor air quality in school facilities, including mechanical and non-mechanical heating, ventilation, and air conditioning systems, filtration, purification and other air cleaning, fans, control systems, and window and door repair and replacement.

• Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities.

• Other activities that are necessary to maintain the operation of and continuity of services in local educational agencies and continuing to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.

Please note: “Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities,” identified as an allowable use under ESSER III in the American Rescue Plan, is also permissible under ESSER II.

Plan for ESSER II Direct District Allocation and KSDE Per-Student Additional Allocation (If Applicable)

Please summarize how the district proposes using its ESSER II direct district allocation (and its KSDE per-student additional allocation, if applicable) to address incremental COVID-19 needs.

Our district plans to add ten additional school days with students for the 2021-22 school year. Our board of education, administration, and teachers have already approved the calendar for next year with the additional ten days.
How will the district determine the impact of its ESSER II direct district allocation expenditures (and additional per-student allocation, if applicable) on students?

We will utilize local Math and Reading assessments in addition to a comparison between our 2021 and 2022 state assessment results to determine the impact of the extra 10 school days.

Notes on ESSER II application Excel template:

- Plans and budgets should be submitted for at least a 12 month period but do not need to account for the full duration of the program or the full allocation amount. Funds will remain accessible to the LEA until September 30, 2023 and there will be additional opportunities to submit further requests/plans in the future.
- Following ESSER II application approval and initiation of funds draw down, districts will be required to report to the Commissioner's Task Force on ESSER II expenditures and impact on a monthly basis throughout the program. This ESSER II reporting will be required as a part of regular ESSER program reporting, which will capture past expenditures across funding streams (ESSER I, ESSER I SPED, ESSER II, ESSER II SPED, ESSER II KSDE Per Student Allocation). Districts may be asked to provide expenditures by fund, function, object, account, and ESSER II allowable use as part of ongoing ESSER reporting.
- This reporting will not replace any reporting required by the federal government. KSDE will work to maximize compatibility between its reporting requirements and those of the federal government as much as possible to minimize burden on districts.

Please download and complete the ESSER II application template [here](#) to provide details on ESSER II budgeted expenditures across allowable uses and KSDE accounting codes.

Local Education Agency (LEA) Assurances

Section I. General Grant Assurances for Federal Funds

Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA will comply with all requirements of:

The LEA will make a good faith effort, on a continuing basis, to maintain a drug-free workplace, in accordance with the measures in 34 CFR Part 84, Subpart B and the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988;
The Education Department General Administrative Regulations (EDGAR) 34 CFR 76 requirements, including:

- 34 CFR §76.500(a) Federal statutes and regulations on nondiscrimination.
  (a) A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the following statutes and regulations:
     - Discrimination on the basis of age | The Age Discrimination Act (42 U.S.C. 6101 et seq.) | 34 CFR part 110.

(b) A State or subgrantee that is a covered entity as defined in §108.3 of this title shall comply with the nondiscrimination requirements of the Boy Scouts of America Equal Access Act, 20 U.S.C. 7905, 34 CFR part 108.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.650 Private schools; purpose of §§76.651-76.662.

(a) Under some programs, the authorizing statute requires that a State and its subgrantees provide for participation by students enrolled in private schools. Sections 76.651-76.662 apply to those programs and provide rules for that participation. These sections do not affect the authority of the State or a subgrantee to enter into a
contract with a private party.
(b) If any other rules for participation of students enrolled in private schools apply under a particular program, they are in the
authorizing statute or implementing regulations for that program.
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3 and 3474)
34 CFR §76.700 Compliance with statutes, regulations, State plan, and applications.
A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the State plan and applicable statutes, regulations, and approved applications, and
shall use Federal funds in accordance with those statutes, regulations, plan, and applications.
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))
34 CFR §76.701 The State or subgrantee administers or supervises each project.
A State or a subgrantee shall directly administer or supervise the administration of each project.
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))
34 CFR §76.702 Fiscal control and fund accounting procedures.
A State and a subgrantee shall use fiscal control and fund accounting procedures that insure proper disbursement of and
accounting for Federal funds.
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))
34 CFR §76.709 Funds may be obligated during a “carryover period.”
(a) If a State or a subgrantee does not obligate all of its grant or subgrant funds by the end of the fiscal year for which Congress
appropriated the funds, it may obligate the remaining funds during a carryover period of one additional fiscal year.
(b) The State shall return to the Federal Government any carryover funds not obligated by the end of the carryover period by
the State and its subgrantees.
(Authority: U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1225(b), and 3474)
at 60 FR 41295, Aug. 11, 1995]
34 CFR §76.722 Subgrantee reporting requirements.
A State may require a subgrantee to submit reports in a manner and format that assists the State in complying with the
requirements under 34 CFR 76.720 and in carrying out other responsibilities under the program.
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1231a, and 3474)
[72 FR 3703, Jan. 25, 2007]
34 CFR §76.730 Records related to grant funds.
A State and a subgrantee shall keep records that fully show:
(a) The amount of funds under the grant or subgrant;
(b) How the State or subgrantee uses the funds;
(c) The total cost of the project;
(d) The share of that cost provided from other sources; and
(e) Other records to facilitate an effective audit.
(Approved by the Office of Management and Budget under control number 1880-0513)
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1232f)
34 CFR §76.731 Records related to compliance.
A State and a subgrantee shall keep records to show its compliance with program requirements.
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))
The Uniform Grant Guidance, 2 CFR §200 all applicable subrecipient requirements, including but not limited to:
2 CFR Subpart D – Post Federal Award Requirements
§200.302 Financial management.
§200.303 Internal controls.
§200.305 Payment.
§200.313 Equipment.
§200.314 Supplies.
§200.318 General procurement standards.
§200.320 Methods of procurement to be followed;
2 CFR 200 Subpart E: Cost Principles:
§200.403 Factors affecting allowability of costs.
§200.404 Reasonable costs.
§200.405 Allocable costs.
§200.413 Direct costs.
§200.415 Required certifications.
§200.430 Compensation—personal services.

The Debarment and Suspension, 34 CFR Part 85, Section 85.510, Participants’ Responsibilities and makes the following certification by signing this application:
The prospective lower-tier participant certifies, by submission of this proposal, that neither it nor its principals is presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction by any federal department or agency.

Where the prospective lower-tier participant is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, such prospective participant shall attach an explanation to this proposal.

This certification is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was made or entered into. Submission of this certification is a prerequisite for making or entering into this transaction imposed by Section 1352, Title 31, U.S. Code. Any person who fails to file the required certification shall be subject to a civil penalty of not less than $10,000 for such failure.

Section II. Specific Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) Grant Assurances

The LEA assures that funds shall only be used for any of the following:

- Coordination of preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies with State, local, Tribal, and territorial public health departments, and other relevant agencies, to improve coordinated responses among such entities to prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus.
- Providing principals and others school leaders with the resources necessary to address the needs of their individual schools.
- Activities to address the unique needs of low-income children or students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and foster care youth, including how outreach and service delivery will meet the needs of each population.
- Developing and implementing procedures and systems to improve the preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies.
- Training and professional development for staff of the local educational agency on sanitation and minimizing the spread of infectious diseases.
- Purchasing supplies to sanitize and clean the facilities of a local educational agency, including buildings operated by such agency.
- Planning for and coordinating during long-term closures, including for how to provide meals to eligible students, how to provide technology for online learning to all students, how to provide guidance for carrying out requirements under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. 1401 et seq.) and how to ensure other educational services can continue to be provided consistent with all Federal, State, and local requirements.
- Purchasing educational technology (including hardware, software, and connectivity) for students who are served by the local educational agency that aids in regular and substantive educational interaction between students and their classroom instructors, including low-income students and students with disabilities, which may include assistive technology or adaptive equipment.
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• Other activities that are necessary to maintain the operation of and continuity of services in local educational agencies and continuing to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.

Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA shall comply with all applicable requirements of the Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) authorized by the Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act, 2021 (CRRSAA), including:
CONTINUED PAYMENT TO EMPLOYEES
SEC. 18006. A local educational agency, State, institution of higher education, or other entity that receives funds under “Education Stabilization Fund”, shall to the greatest extent practicable, continue to pay its employees and contractors during the period of any disruptions or closures related to coronavirus.

Certification
To the best of my knowledge and belief, all the information and data in this agreement are true and correct. I acknowledge and agree that the failure to comply with all Assurances and Certifications in this Agreement, all relevant provisions and requirements of the CARES Act, Pub. L. No. 116-136 (March 27, 2020), or any other applicable law or regulation may result in liability under the False Claims Act, 31 U.S.C. § 3729, et seq.; OMB Guidelines to Agencies on Governmentwide Debarment and Suspension (Nonprocurement) in 2 CFR part 180, as adopted and amended as regulations of the Department in 2 CFR part 3485; and 18 USC § 1001, as appropriate.

Electronic Signature | Stuart Moore
Date | 05/24/2021

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  Ulysses, KS 67880
Applicant / First and Last Name of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director  |  Stacy Figgins
Applicant / Email Address of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director  |  sfiggins@usd214.org
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Application details

Full District Name | USD #214 - Ulysses
District Number | 214
Mailing Address | 111 S Baughman
Mailing Address | City | Ulysses
Mailing Address | Zip Code | 67880
Authorized Representative of the District | Name | David Younger
Authorized Representative of the District | Position or Title | Superintendent
Authorized Representative of the District | Email Address | dyounger@usd214.org
Authorized Representative of the District | Phone Number | +16203563655
Would you like to additional district representatives to the application? | Yes
Other District Representative 1 | Email Address | sfiggins@usd214.org

Please briefly describe the impacts of COVID-19 on the district and its Pre-K through 12 students, including any relevant data where possible (e.g., cost impact, learning loss, emotional impact on students). If there has been a disproportionate impact on a special population in the district (e.g., students with disabilities, English Learners, students in foster care, students in poverty, etc.), please describe the impact and provide the number of Pre-K through 12 students in that population.

USD 214 – Ulysses has been fortunate in we have lost a minimal amount of instructional time. We started school one week late due to teacher planning and preparation but since that time we have been in school. One impact the pandemic has had on the district, especially early in the year, was the unknown. How long will we be in school, will I get quarantined, what happens if we go remote, these were the questions that caused anxiety among the students, staff, and parents.

Students and families who chose remote learning but were not very good at attending the remote sessions lost learning. We were successful at getting many of these students back in the classrooms but not all of them. We have targeted many of these students for the summer enrichment programs.

The Director of Student Learning’s primary focus next year will be to address the learning loss of all students in USD 214 – Ulysses and to continue the efforts started this summer by the teachers to improve student learning during the school year and next summer.
Does the district have remaining ESSER I funding that it has not yet spent as of the date of ESSER II application submission?

No

Please review the following allowable uses of ESSER II funds before completing the narrative and Excel template portion of the application.

- Coordination of preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies with State, local, Tribal, and territorial public health departments, and other relevant agencies, to improve coordinated responses among such entities to prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus.
- Providing principals and others school leaders with the resources necessary to address the needs of their individual schools.
- Activities to address the unique needs of low-income children or students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and foster care youth, including how outreach and service delivery will meet the needs of each population.
- Developing and implementing procedures and systems to improve the preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies.
- Training and professional development for staff of the local educational agency on sanitation and minimizing the spread of infectious diseases.
- Purchasing supplies to sanitize and clean the facilities of a local educational agency, including buildings operated by such agency.
- Planning for, coordinating, and implementing activities during long-term closures, including providing meals to eligible students, providing technology for online learning to all students, providing guidance for carrying out requirements under the IDEA and ensuring other educational services can continue to be provided consistent with all Federal, State, and local requirements.
- Purchasing educational technology (including hardware, software, and connectivity) for students who are served by the local educational agency that aids in regular and substantive educational interaction between students and their classroom instructors, including low-income students and children with disabilities, which may include assistive technology or adaptive equipment.
- Providing mental health services and supports.
- Planning and implementing activities related to summer learning and supplemental afterschool programs, including providing classroom instruction or online learning during the summer months and addressing the needs of low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, migrant students, students experiencing homelessness, and children in foster care.
- Addressing learning loss among students, including low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minority students, students experiencing homelessness, and children and youth in foster care, of the local educational agency, including by— (A) Administering and using high-quality assessments that are valid and reliable, to accurately assess students’ academic progress and assist educators in meeting students’ academic needs, including through differentiating instruction. (B) Implementing evidence-based activities to meet the comprehensive needs of students. (C) Providing information and assistance to parents and families on how they can effectively support students, including in a distance learning environment. (D) Tracking student attendance and improving student engagement in distance education.
- School facility repairs and improvements to enable operation of schools to reduce risk of virus transmission and exposure to environmental health hazards, and to support student health needs.
- Inspection, testing, maintenance, repair, replacement, and upgrade projects to improve the indoor air quality in school facilities, including mechanical and non-mechanical heating, ventilation, and air conditioning systems, filtering, purification and other air cleaning, fans, control systems, and window and door repair and replacement.
• Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities.
• Other activities that are necessary to maintain the operation of and continuity of services in local educational agencies and continuing to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.

Please note: "Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities," identified as an allowable use under ESSER III in the American Rescue Plan, is also permissible under ESSER II.

Plan for ESSER II Direct District Allocation and KSDE Per-Student Additional Allocation (If Applicable)

Please summarize how the district proposes using its ESSER II direct district allocation (and its KSDE per-student additional allocation, if applicable) to address incremental COVID-19 needs.

USD 214 – Ulysses proposes to use our ESSER II funds by providing students and opportunity this summer in enrichment and recovery programs for grades K-12 in our Summer Learning program. We have activities planned to help students continue their growth and improvement both educationally and emotionally. We currently have approximately 29 kindergarten; 36 first grade; 24 second grade; 39 third grade; 35 fourth grade; 24 fifth grade; 67 middle school; 35 high school students.

We have 21 certifed sta teaching these summer school sessions from early June to mid-July.

How will the district determine the impact of its ESSER II direct district allocation expenditures (and additional per-student allocation, if applicable) on students?

USD 214 – Ulysses has created programs and opportunities for our students to expand their learning opportunities, as well as, the opportunity to recover credits due to loss of learning during the pandemic. We will measure the impact these summer programs have by the summer participation and early assessments next fall.

The expectation is to continue an extended day learning during the school year and a summer learning program next summer before we can expect significant academic or emotional growth. The Afterschool Alliance found that students who attend a summer program for at least 20 days benef in math in the following fall and through spring. Those that attend for a second summer continue to benef in math and language arts and demonstrate social and emotional learning benefs throughout the following school year. “A Summer for Learning & Recovery”

Notes on ESSER II application Excel template:

• Plans and budgets should be submitted for at least a 12 month period but do not need to account for the full duration of the program or the full allocation amount. Funds will remain accessible to the LEA until September 30, 2023 and there will be additional opportunities to submit further requests/plans in the future.
• Following ESSER II application approval and initiation of funds draw down, districts will be required to report to the Commissioner's Task Force on ESSER II expenditures and impact on a monthly basis throughout the program. This ESSER II reporting will be required as a part of regular ESSER program reporting, which will capture past expenditures across funding streams (ESSER I, ESSER I SPED, ESSER II, ESSER II SPED, ESSER II KSDE Per Student Allocation). Districts may be asked to provide expenditures by fund, function, object, account, and ESSER II allowable use as part of ongoing ESSER reporting.
• This reporting will not replace any reporting required by the federal government. KSDE will work to maximize compatibility between its reporting requirements and those of the federal government as much as possible to minimize burden on districts.

Please download and complete the ESSER II application template here to provide details on ESSER II budgeted expenditures across allowable uses and KSDE accounting codes.
Local Education Agency (LEA) Assurances

Section I. General Grant Assurances for Federal Funds

Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA will comply with all requirements of:

The LEA will make a good faith effort, on a continuing basis, to maintain a drug-free workplace, in accordance with the measures in 34 CFR Part 84, Subpart B and the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988;

The Education Department General Administrative Regulations (EDGAR) 34 CFR 76 requirements, including:

34 CFR §76.500(a) Federal statutes and regulations on nondiscrimination.

(a) A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the following statutes and regulations:

- Discrimination on the basis of age | The Age Discrimination Act (42 U.S.C. 6101 et seq.) | 34 CFR part 110.

(b) A State or subgrantee that is a covered entity as defined in §108.3 of this title shall comply with the nondiscrimination requirements of the Boy Scouts of America Equal Access Act, 20 U.S.C. 7905, 34 CFR part 108.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.650 Private schools; purpose of §§76.651-76.662.

(a) Under some programs, the authorizing statute requires that a State and its subgrantees provide for participation by students enrolled in private schools. Sections 76.651-76.662 apply to those programs and provide rules for that participation. These sections do not affect the authority of the State or a subgrantee to enter into a contract with a private party.

(b) If any other rules for participation of students enrolled in private schools apply under a particular program, they are in the authorizing statute or implementing regulations for that program.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3 and 3474)

34 CFR §76.700 Compliance with statutes, regulations, State plan, and applications.

A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the State plan and applicable statutes, regulations, and approved applications, and shall use Federal funds in accordance with those statutes, regulations, plan, and applications.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.701 The State or subgrantee administers or supervises each project.

A State or a subgrantee shall directly administer or supervise the administration of each project.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.702 Fiscal control and fund accounting procedures.

A State and a subgrantee shall use fiscal control and fund accounting procedures that insure proper disbursement of and accounting for Federal funds.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.709 Funds may be obligated during a “carryover period.”

(a) If a State or a subgrantee does not obligate all of its grant or subgrant funds by the end of the fiscal year for which Congress appropriated the funds, it may obligate the remaining funds during a carryover period of one additional fiscal year.

(b) The State shall return to the Federal Government any carryover funds not obligated by the end of the carryover period by the State and its subgrantees.

(Authority: U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1225(b), and 3474)

34 CFR §76.722 Subgrantee reporting requirements.

A State may require a subgrantee to submit reports in a manner and format that assists the State in complying with the requirements under 34 CFR 76.720 and in carrying out other responsibilities under the program.
34 CFR §76.730
Records related to grant funds.
A State and a subgrantee shall keep records that fully show:
(a) The amount of funds under the grant or subgrant;
(b) How the State or subgrantee uses the funds;
(c) The total cost of the project;
(d) The share of that cost provided from other sources; and
(e) Other records to facilitate an effective audit.
(Approved by the Office of Management and Budget under control number 1880-0513)

34 CFR §76.731
Records related to compliance.
A State and a subgrantee shall keep records to show its compliance with program requirements.
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

The Uniform Grant Guidance, 2 CFR §200 all applicable subrecipient requirements, including but not limited to:
2 CFR Subpart D – Post Federal Award Requirements
§200.302 Financial management.
§200.303 Internal controls.
§200.305 Payment.
§200.313 Equipment.
§200.314 Supplies.
§200.318 General procurement standards.
§200.320 Methods of procurement to be followed;
2 CFR 200 Subpart E: Cost Principles:
§200.403 Factors affecting allowability of costs.
§200.404 Reasonable costs.
§200.405 Allocable costs.
§200.413 Direct costs.
§200.415 Required certifications.
§200.430 Compensation—personal services.
The Debarment and Suspension, 34 CFR Part 85, Section 85.510, Participants’ Responsibilities and makes the following
certification by signing this application:
The prospective lower-tier participant certifies, by submission of this proposal, that neither it nor its principals is presently
debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this
transaction by any federal department or agency.
Where the prospective lower-tier participant is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, such prospective
participant shall attach an explanation to this proposal.
This certification is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was made or
entered into. Submission of this certification is a prerequisite for making or entering into this transaction imposed by Section
1352, Title 31, U.S. Code. Any person who fails to file the required certification shall be subject to a civil penalty of not less than
$10,000 for such failure.

Section II. Specific Elementary and Secondary School
Emergency Relief (ESSER) Grant Assurances

The LEA assures that funds shall only be used for any of the following:
- Any activity authorized by the ESEA of 1965, including the Native Hawaiian Education Act and the Alaska Native Educational
  Equity, Support, and Assistance Act (20 U.S.C. 6301 et seq.), the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. 1400 et seq.)
  (“IDEA”), the Adult Education and Family Literacy Act (20 U.S.C. 1400 et seq.), the Carl D. Perkins Career and Technical
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• Planning for and coordinating during long-term closures, including for how to provide meals to eligible students, how to provide technology for online learning to all students, how to provide guidance for carrying out requirements under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. 1401 et seq.) and how to ensure other educational services can continue to be provided consistent with all Federal, State, and local requirements.
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Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA shall comply with all applicable requirements of the Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) authorized by the Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act, 2021 (CRRSAA), including:

CONTINUED PAYMENT TO EMPLOYEES
SEC. 18006. A local educational agency, State, institution of higher education, or other entity that receives funds under “Education Stabilization Fund”, shall to the greatest extent practicable, continue to pay its employees and contractors during the period of any disruptions or closures related to coronavirus.

Certification
To the best of my knowledge and belief, all the information and data in this agreement are true and correct. I acknowledge and agree that the failure to comply with all Assurances and Certifications in this Agreement, all relevant provisions and requirements of the CARES Act, Pub. L. No. 116-136 (March 27, 2020), or any other applicable law or regulation may result in liability under the False Claims Act, 31 U.S.C. § 3729, et seq.; OMB Guidelines to Agencies on Governmentwide Debarment and Suspension (Nonprocurement) in 2 CFR part 180, as adopted and amended as regulations of the Department in 2 CFR part 3485; and 18 USC § 1001, as appropriate.

Electronic Signature           | David Younger
Date                           | 05/18/2021

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Email response from district: Our goal this summer is to create high interest activities that will generate interest and participation among our students. The middle school wind energy and seed to stem courses are high interest activities that engage students in curriculum that is important to SW Kansas families. (Wind and agriculture) The units are interdisciplinary units that a middle school math and science teacher are collaborating on; as well as staff from the Kansas Energy Commission. These courses align with district and state standards. There are approximately 25 students enrolled in each class. The focus is on small groups and hands-on activities. The materials purchased for the wind energy class are used to create the wind turbines, measure the output of joules to calculate how much energy is being produced, and to help determine which turbine is most efficient. The stem to seed materials will be used to experience the growth cycle of a plant and its many different uses. The archery class is another high interest class that students have asked for. We want to get kids out of their homes and engaged with staff and students this summer. (social and emotional skills) The items purchased are the bow/arrow sets and targets. Again, we are trying to create high interest activities that students will participate in this summer and for the future. As I indicated in the original application, from my research, to show growth and improvement in our students these programs will need to continue next school year and next summer to show significant improvement of all areas of learning and social and emotional health.

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**Notes:**
- SS/MC tax associated with pay for one additional nurse hired due to needs created by COVID 19 related duties.
- Partial funding (50%) for the Director of Student Learning. A new position added to address the needs of students created by loss of learning due to COVID 19 related circumstances.
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| PO Box 2000  
| Olathe, KS 66063 |

**Applicant / First and Last Name of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director**  |  John Allison

**Applicant / Email Address of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director**  |  jallison@olatheschools.org

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**Full District Name**  |  Unified School District 233 Olathe

**District Number**  |  233
Please briefly describe the impacts of COVID-19 on the district and its Pre-K through 12 students, including any relevant data where possible (e.g., cost impact, learning loss, emotional impact on students). If there has been a disproportionate impact on a special population in the district (e.g., students with disabilities, English Learners, students in foster care, students in poverty, etc.), please describe the impact and provide the number of Pre-K through 12 students in that population.

While the Olathe Public School District has worked very hard to support all students during the COVID-19 Pandemic, some students have shown struggles with both social-emotional health and academic learning. Overall, academic data remains consistent with reading and math has slipped about 3% on the NWEA MAP Assessment. In addition, students and families have needed enhanced support in areas related to mental health. Much of this has been directly related to students who have been learning in less-consistent learning models this year. Additionally, the district currently has over 6,000 students enrolled in remote learning exclusively because of COVID. Many of these students will need high levels of support as they reenter school buildings in the fall for the first time in over 18 months.

A higher percentage (larger than the overall district %) of students who receive Free or Reduced lunch are enrolled in remote learning. The trend is the same for students who are English Language Learners. Both student groups will need additional support beyond what has historically been in place. Costs will be significant to provide “extra” for many students who need academic and/or social-emotional mental health support. Costs will be related to staff pay, transportation, materials, and instructional resources.

Does the district have remaining ESSER I funding that it has not yet spent as of the date of ESSER II application submission?

Yes
The district does not have any remaining ESSER I funds, however ESSER I SPED funds do remain. ESSER I SPED funds will be used for additional Extended School Year expenditures over the summer.

Please review the following allowable uses of ESSER II funds before completing the narrative and Excel template portion of the application.

- Coordination of preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies with State, local, Tribal, and territorial public health departments, and other relevant agencies, to improve coordinated responses among such entities to prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus.
- Providing principals and others school leaders with the resources necessary to address the needs of their individual schools.
- Activities to address the unique needs of low-income children or students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and foster care youth, including how outreach and service delivery will meet the needs of each population.
- Developing and implementing procedures and systems to improve the preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies.
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- Purchasing supplies to sanitize and clean the facilities of a local educational agency, including buildings operated by such agency.
- Planning for, coordinating, and implementing activities during long-term closures, including providing meals to eligible students, providing technology for online learning to all students, providing guidance for carrying out requirements under the IDEA and ensuring other educational services can continue to be provided consistent with all Federal, State, and local requirements.
- Purchasing educational technology (including hardware, software, and connectivity) for students who are served by the local educational agency that aids in regular and substantive educational interaction between students and their classroom instructors, including low-income students and children with disabilities, which may include assistive technology or adaptive equipment.
- Providing mental health services and supports.
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- Addressing learning loss among students, including low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and children and youth in foster care, of the local educational agency, including by— (A) Administering and using high-quality assessments that are valid and reliable, to accurately assess students' academic progress and assist educators in meeting students' academic needs, including through differentiating instruction. (B) Implementing evidence-based activities to meet the comprehensive needs of students. (C) Providing information and assistance to parents and families on how they can effectively support students, including in a distance learning environment. (D) Tracking student attendance and improving student engagement in distance education.
- School facility repairs and improvements to enable operation of schools to reduce risk of virus transmission and exposure to environmental health hazards, and to support student health needs.
- Inspection, testing, maintenance, repair, replacement, and upgrade projects to improve the indoor air quality in school facilities, including mechanical and non-mechanical heating, ventilation, and air conditioning systems, filtering, purification and other air cleaning, fans, control systems, and window and door repair and replacement.
- Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities.
- Other activities that are necessary to maintain the operation of and continuity of services in local educational agencies and continuing to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.
Please note: "Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities," identified as an allowable use under ESSER III in the American Rescue Plan, is also permissible under ESSER II.

Plan for ESSER II Direct District Allocation and KSDE Per-Student Additional Allocation (If Applicable)

Please summarize how the district proposes using its ESSER II direct district allocation (and its KSDE per-student additional allocation, if applicable) to address incremental COVID-19 needs.

The Olathe Public School District plans to use the vast majority of ESSER II funding to provide supports around learning loss and social-emotional supports to students. Over the next three years, we will be working strategically to systematically provide intervention to all students K-12 and related professional development for our staff. In addition, money will be earmarked for summer programming, before and afterschool SEL and academic opportunities, and additional ELL and counseling support. In addition, funds will also be set aside for close analysis and support of high school students nearing graduation. Interventions will be swiftly provided for students who appear to be at-risk of not being able to graduate.

How will the district determine the impact of its ESSER II direct district allocation expenditures (and additional per-student allocation, if applicable) on students?

The district will monitor success outcomes of ESSER funding within the regular data systems that are used. The district will continue the use of NWEA MAP to measure achievement and growth in the areas of reading and math. Additionally, the district will use Panorama SEL Assessment results to measure the work in areas related to Social-Emotional Learning.

Notes on ESSER II application Excel template:

- Plans and budgets should be submitted for at least a 12 month period but do not need to account for the full duration of the program or the full allocation amount. Funds will remain accessible to the LEA until September 30, 2023 and there will be additional opportunities to submit further requests/plans in the future.
- Following ESSER II application approval and initiation of funds draw down, districts will be required to report to the Commissioner’s Task Force on ESSER II expenditures and impact on a monthly basis throughout the program. This ESSER II reporting will be required as a part of regular ESSER program reporting, which will capture past expenditures across funding streams (ESSER I, ESSER I SPED, ESSER II, ESSER II SPED, ESSER II KSDE Per Student Allocation). Districts may be asked to provide expenditures by fund, function, object, account, and ESSER II allowable use as part of ongoing ESSER reporting.
- This reporting will not replace any reporting required by the federal government. KSDE will work to maximize compatibility between its reporting requirements and those of the federal government as much as possible to minimize burden on districts.

Please download and complete the ESSER II application template here to provide details on ESSER II budgeted expenditures across allowable uses and KSDE accounting codes.

ESSERII-ApplicationTempla... (164 KiB download)

Local Education Agency (LEA) Assurances

Section I. General Grant Assurances for Federal Funds

Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA will comply with all requirements of:
The LEA will make a good faith effort, on a continuing basis, to maintain a drug-free workplace, in accordance with the measures in 34 CFR Part 84, Subpart B and the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988;

The Education Department General Administrative Regulations (EDGAR) 34 CFR 76 requirements, including:

34 CFR §76.500(a) Federal statutes and regulations on nondiscrimination.

(a) A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the following statutes and regulations:

- Discrimination on the basis of age | The Age Discrimination Act (42 U.S.C. 6101 et seq.) | 34 CFR part 110.

(b) A State or subgrantee that is a covered entity as defined in §108.3 of this title shall comply with the nondiscrimination requirements of the Boy Scouts of America Equal Access Act, 20 U.S.C. 7905, 34 CFR part 108.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.650 Private schools; purpose of §§76.651-76.662.

(a) Under some programs, the authorizing statute requires that a State and its subgrantees provide for participation by students enrolled in private schools. Sections 76.651-76.662 apply to those programs and provide rules for that participation. These sections do not affect the authority of the State or a subgrantee to enter into a contract with a private party.

(b) If any other rules for participation of students enrolled in private schools apply under a particular program, they are in the authorizing statute or implementing regulations for that program.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3 and 3474)

34 CFR §76.700 Compliance with statutes, regulations, State plan, and applications.

A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the State plan and applicable statutes, regulations, and approved applications, and shall use Federal funds in accordance with those statutes, regulations, plan, and applications.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.701 The State or subgrantee administers or supervises each project.

A State or a subgrantee shall directly administer or supervise the administration of each project.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.702 Fiscal control and fund accounting procedures.

A State and a subgrantee shall use fiscal control and fund accounting procedures that insure proper disbursement of and accounting for Federal funds.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.709 Funds may be obligated during a “carryover period.”

(a) If a State or a subgrantee does not obligate all of its grant or subgrant funds by the end of the fiscal year for which Congress appropriated the funds, it may obligate the remaining funds during a carryover period of one additional fiscal year.

(b) The State shall return to the Federal Government any carryover funds not obligated by the end of the carryover period by the State and its subgrantees.

(Authority: U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1225(b), and 3474)

34 CFR §76.722 Subgrantee reporting requirements.

A State may require a subgrantee to submit reports in a manner and format that assists the State in complying with the requirements under 34 CFR 76.720 and in carrying out other responsibilities under the program.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1231a, and 3474)

34 CFR §76.730 Records related to grant funds.

A State and a subgrantee shall keep records that fully show:

(a) The amount of funds under the grant or subgrant;
(b) How the State or subgrantee uses the funds;
(c) The total cost of the project;
(d) The share of that cost provided from other sources; and
Section II. Specific Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) Grant Assurances

The LEA assures that funds shall only be used for any of the following:

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- Planning for and coordinating during long-term closures, including for how to provide meals to eligible students, how to provide technology for online learning to all students, how to provide guidance for carrying out requirements under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. 1401 et seq.) and how to ensure other educational services can continue to be provided consistent with all Federal, State, and local requirements.
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- Other activities that are necessary to maintain the operation of and continuity of services in local educational agencies and continuing to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.

Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA shall comply with all applicable requirements of the Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) authorized by the Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act, 2021 (CRRSAA), including:

CONTINUED PAYMENT TO EMPLOYEES
SEC. 18006. A local educational agency, State, institution of higher education, or other entity that receives funds under "Education Stabilization Fund", shall to the greatest extent practicable, continue to pay its employees and contractors during the period of any disruptions or closures related to coronavirus.

Certification

To the best of my knowledge and belief, all the information and data in this agreement are true and correct. I acknowledge and agree that the failure to comply with all Assurances and Certifications in this Agreement, all relevant provisions and requirements of the CARES Act, Pub. L. No. 116-136 (March 27, 2020), or any other applicable law or regulation may result in liability under the False Claims Act, 31 U.S.C. § 3729, et seq.; OMB Guidelines to Agencies on Governmentwide Debarment and Suspension (Nonprocurement) in 2 CFR part 180, as adopted and amended as regulations of the Department in 2 CFR part 3485; and 18 USC § 1001, as appropriate.

Electronic Signature | CASSY OSBORN
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| Eligible Direct Allocation | Guidance Services | Full-Time Certified Salaries | 10. Providing mental health services and supports | As with all things, the trauma experienced by our students has increased because of COVID-19. Having additional counselors, supporting our largest elementary schools over 500 students, will provide additional supports. | $556,844 | $ - | $278,422 | $278,422 | $ - | 007.2120.511100.000.0991.000

| Eligible Direct Allocation | Guidance Services | Social Security Contributions | 10. Providing mental health services and supports | As with all things, the trauma experienced by our students has increased because of COVID-19. Having additional counselors, supporting our largest elementary schools over 500 students, will provide additional supports. | $42,600 | $ - | $21,300 | $21,300 | $ - | 007.2120.522000.000.0991.000
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### Allocation 2: Unemployment Compensation

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### Allocation 3: Support Services - Instruction

11B. **Planning and implementing supplemental after-school programs**

Extended learning will focus as before and after school tutoring to fill learning gaps. Additionally, schools will provide opportunities for students to reconnect with their schools through before and after school clubs that will focus on SEL.

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| Eligible Direct Allocation | Support Services - Instruction | Unemployment Compensation | 11B. Planning and implementing supplemental after-school programs | Extended learning will focus as before and after school tutoring to fill learning gaps. Additionally, schools will provide opportunities for students to reconnect with their schools through before and after school clubs that will focus on SEL.

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| Eligible Direct Allocation | Instruction | Full-Time Certified Salaries | 11B. Planning and implementing supplemental after-school programs | Extended learning will focus as before and after school tutoring to fill learning gaps. Additionally, schools will provide opportunities for students to reconnect with their schools through before and after school clubs that will focus on SEL.

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| 233-1-024-20210608 | Eligible | Direct Allocation | Support Services - Instruction | Social Security Contributions | Over the summer, teams of teachers lead by the district's Learning Services Department will prepare curriculum documents, pacing guides, and instructional models to support students where they are as the 2021-2022 school year starts. Staff will work on the implementation and training of interventions related to reading and math. Additionally, staff will respond to district-wide data and make adjustment to related curriculum areas for implementation. | $ 7,100 | - | $ 7,100 | - | 007.2200.522000.000.0991.00 |
### 233-1-025-20210608
- **Eligible Direct Allocation**
- **Support Services - Instruction**
- **Unemployment Compensation**
- **Allocation**

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### 233-1-026-20210608
- **Eligible Direct Allocation**
- **Operation & Maintenance of Plant**
- **General Supplies and Materials** (includes computer software)

Cleaning and disinfecting supplies, including sanitizer, disinfectant, gloves, masks, and barriers.

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### 233-1-027-20210608
- **Eligible Direct Allocation**
- **Instruction**
- **Regular Certified Salaries**

The Olathe Public School District is opening a virtual school for the 2021/2022 school year. This is a result of the pandemic. The district currently has about 6,000 students learning remotely and many of the families have requested a similar option for next school year because of student or family health concerns. Additional staff and learning resources, trained and designed for virtual learning, are being developed or purchased. The district would not be moving this direction if remote learning was allowed and if COVID-19 had not happened.

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Applicant details

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Select an Applicant Type
- Unified School District

Applicant / Entity Name
- USD 251 North Lyon County

Applicant / Mailing Address
- PO Box 527
  - Americus, KS 66835

Applicant / First and Last Name of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director
- Nicolette Nuessen

Applicant / Email Address of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director
- nuessenn@usd251.org

Applicant / Phone Number
- 620-481-2085

All questions in the section below are optional, and offer an opportunity to upload or enter information that is typically asked for on grant opportunities.

(*for EANS and ESSER grant applications - please skip the questions below, and scroll to the bottom to complete your User Profile information.)*

Applicant / Federal EIN (if applicable)
- 48-0698346

Applicant / Website Address (if applicable)
- www.usd251.org

Applicant / W9 or Year-end Financial Statement (if applicable)
Download Form W-9
Application details

Full District Name | North Lyon County
District Number | 251
Mailing Address | PO Box 527
Mailing Address | Americus
Mailing Address | 66835
Authorized Representative of the District | Robert W. Blair
Authorized Representative of the District | Superintendent
Authorized Representative of the District | blairb@usd251.org
Authorized Representative of the District | +16204812085
Would you like to additional district representatives to the application? | Yes
Other District Representative 1 | nuessenn@usd251.org

Please briefly describe the impacts of COVID-19 on the district and its Pre-K through 12 students, including any relevant data where possible (e.g., cost impact, learning loss, emotional impact on students). If there has been a disproportionate impact on a special population in the district (e.g., students with disabilities, English Learners, students in foster care, students in poverty, etc.), please describe the impact and provide the number of Pre-K through 12 students in that population.

The overall impact of COVID-19 on our school district has been significant. From a budgetary standpoint, COVID-19 has negatively affected our district’s overall budget during the 2020-2021 school year. We have incurred additional expenses associated with the implementation of safety mitigation measures and the purchase of additional technology and classroom learning materials. Furthermore, our K-12 formative assessment data during the 2020-2021 school year has demonstrated a negative impact on our students in grades K-12. The most significant learning loss has taken place in grades K-5. More importantly, our special education population and at risk students have been impacted disproportionately with regard to learning loss. The emotional impact of COVID-19 on our students has been significant as well. Our SEL screening has indicated a significant increase in the percentage of students being referred for additional SEL interventions pertaining to behavior, absenteeism, and the need for counseling services.

Does the district have remaining ESSER I funding that it has not yet spent as of

Yes
the date of ESSER II application submission?

Please summarize how the district will use its remaining ESSER I and ESSER I SPED funding and what it hopes to accomplish with these funds.

The Special Education Coop Board of Directors will be deciding this month how to disperse these funds throughout the coop to address learning loss. At this time the planning is focused on providing extended school year opportunities.

Please review the following allowable uses of ESSER II funds before completing the narrative and Excel template portion of the application.

- Coordination of preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies with State, local, Tribal, and territorial public health departments, and other relevant agencies, to improve coordinated responses among such entities to prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus.
- Providing principals and others school leaders with the resources necessary to address the needs of their individual schools.
- Activities to address the unique needs of low-income children or students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and foster care youth, including how outreach and service delivery will meet the needs of each population.
- Developing and implementing procedures and systems to improve the preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies.
- Training and professional development for staff of the local educational agency on sanitation and minimizing the spread of infectious diseases.
- Purchasing supplies to sanitize and clean the facilities of a local educational agency, including buildings operated by such agency.
- Planning for, coordinating, and implementing activities during long-term closures, including providing meals to eligible students, providing technology for online learning to all students, providing guidance for carrying out requirements under the IDEA and ensuring other educational services can continue to be provided consistent with all Federal, State, and local requirements.
- Purchasing educational technology (including hardware, software, and connectivity) for students who are served by the local educational agency that aids in regular and substantive educational interaction between students and their classroom instructors, including low-income students and children with disabilities, which may include assistive technology or adaptive equipment.
- Providing mental health services and supports.
- Planning and implementing activities related to summer learning and supplemental afterschool programs, including providing classroom instruction or online learning during the summer months and addressing the needs of low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, migrant students, students experiencing homelessness, and children in foster care.
- Addressing learning loss among students, including low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and children and youth in foster care, of the local educational agency, including by— (A) Administering and using high-quality assessments that are valid and reliable, to accurately assess students' academic progress and assist educators in meeting students' academic needs, including through differentiating instruction. (B) Implementing evidence-based activities to meet the comprehensive needs of students. (C) Providing information and assistance to parents and families on how they can effectively support students, including in a distance learning environment. (D) Tracking student attendance and improving student engagement in distance education.
- School facility repairs and improvements to enable operation of schools to reduce risk of virus transmission and exposure to environmental health hazards, and to support student health needs.
Inspection, testing, maintenance, repair, replacement, and upgrade projects to improve the indoor air quality in school facilities, including mechanical and non-mechanical heating, ventilation, and air conditioning systems, filtering, purification and other air cleaning, fans, control systems, and window and door repair and replacement.

Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities.

Other activities that are necessary to maintain the operation of and continuity of services in local educational agencies and continuing to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.

Please note: "Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities," identified as an allowable use under ESSER III in the American Rescue Plan, is also permissible under ESSER II.

Plan for ESSER II Direct District Allocation and KSDE Per-Student Additional Allocation (If Applicable)

Please summarize how the district proposes using its ESSER II direct district allocation (and its KSDE per-student additional allocation, if applicable) to address incremental COVID-19 needs.

Our district plans to utilize its ESSER II direct district allocation and its KSDE per student additional allocation to address learning loss and improvements to classroom space. Student learning loss will be addressed by funding Extended School Year (Summer School) in the summers of 2021 and 2022. A second planned allocation to address learning loss will be to hire an additional Title I Reading Teacher in order to address learning loss for students in grades K-5. Finally, our school district plans to remodel an existing school building warehouse area to create an additional classroom for Pre-School to allow for smaller, socially distanced class sizes. The existing classrooms are all too small to accommodate the space needed for Pre-School students.

How will the district determine the impact of its ESSER II direct district allocation expenditures (and additional per-student allocation, if applicable) on students?

Following the implementation of our plans to address learning loss and facility improvements, we will continue to collect student data pertaining to reading performance, math performance, and social-emotional factors. It is our belief that student achievement and social-emotional wellness will improve as a result of the ESSER II allocations. As we analyze the data we plan to make any necessary modifications to our plans.

Notes on ESSER II application Excel template:

- Plans and budgets should be submitted for at least a 12 month period but do not need to account for the full duration of the program or the full allocation amount. Funds will remain accessible to the LEA until September 30, 2023 and there will be additional opportunities to submit further requests/plans in the future.
- Following ESSER II application approval and initiation of funds draw down, districts will be required to report to the Commissioner's Task Force on ESSER II expenditures and impact on a monthly basis throughout the program. This ESSER II reporting will be required as a part of regular ESSER program reporting, which will capture past expenditures across funding streams (ESSER I, ESSER I SPED, ESSER II, ESSER II SPED, ESSER II KSDE Per Student Allocation). Districts may be asked to provide expenditures by fund, function, object, account, and ESSER II allowable use as part of ongoing ESSER reporting.
- This reporting will not replace any reporting required by the federal government. KSDE will work to maximize compatibility between its reporting requirements and those of the federal government as much as possible to minimize burden on districts.

Please download and complete the ESSER II application template here to provide details on ESSER II budgeted expenditures across allowable uses and KSDE accounting codes.

ESSERII-ApplicationTempla... (148 KiB download)
Local Education Agency (LEA) Assurances

Section I. General Grant Assurances for Federal Funds

Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA will comply with all requirements of:

The LEA will make a good faith effort, on a continuing basis, to maintain a drug-free workplace, in accordance with the measures in 34 CFR Part 84, Subpart B and the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988;

The Education Department General Administrative Regulations (EDGAR) 34 CFR 76 requirements, including:

34 CFR §76.500(a) Federal statutes and regulations on nondiscrimination.

(a) A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the following statutes and regulations:

- Discrimination on the basis of age | The Age Discrimination Act (42 U.S.C. 6101 et seq.) | 34 CFR part 110.

(b) A State or subgrantee that is a covered entity as defined in §108.3 of this title shall comply with the nondiscrimination requirements of the Boy Scouts of America Equal Access Act, 20 U.S.C. 7905, 34 CFR part 108.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))


34 CFR §76.650 Private schools; purpose of §§76.651-76.662.

(a) Under some programs, the authorizing statute requires that a State and its subgrantees provide for participation by students enrolled in private schools. Sections 76.651-76.662 apply to those programs and provide rules for that participation. These sections do not affect the authority of the State or a subgrantee to enter into a contract with a private party.

(b) If any other rules for participation of students enrolled in private schools apply under a particular program, they are in the authorizing statute or implementing regulations for that program.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3 and 3474)

34 CFR §76.700 Compliance with statutes, regulations, State plan, and applications.

A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the State plan and applicable statutes, regulations, and approved applications, and shall use Federal funds in accordance with those statutes, regulations, plan, and applications.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.701 The State or subgrantee administers or supervises each project.

A State or a subgrantee shall directly administer or supervise the administration of each project.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.702 Fiscal control and fund accounting procedures.

A State and a subgrantee shall use fiscal control and fund accounting procedures that insure proper disbursement of and accounting for Federal funds.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.709 Funds may be obligated during a “carryover period.”

(a) If a State or a subgrantee does not obligate all of its grant or subgrant funds by the end of the fiscal year for which Congress appropriated the funds, it may obligate the remaining funds during a carryover period of one additional fiscal year.

(b) The State shall return to the Federal Government any carryover funds not obligated by the end of the carryover period by the State and its subgrantees.

(Authority: U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1225(b), and 3474)


34 CFR §76.722 Subgrantee reporting requirements.

A State may require a subgrantee to submit reports in a manner and format that assists the State in complying with the requirements under 34 CFR 76.720 and in carrying out other responsibilities under the program.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1231a, and 3474)

[72 FR 3703, Jan. 25, 2007]
34 CFR §76.730 Records related to grant funds. A State and a subgrantee shall keep records that fully show:
(a) The amount of funds under the grant or subgrant;
(b) How the State or subgrantee uses the funds;
(c) The total cost of the project;
(d) The share of that cost provided from other sources; and
(e) Other records to facilitate an effective audit.
(Approved by the Office of Management and Budget under control number 1880-0513)
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.731 Records related to compliance. A State and a subgrantee shall keep records to show its compliance with program requirements.
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))
The Uniform Grant Guidance, 2 CFR §200 all applicable subrecipient requirements, including but not limited to:
2 CFR Subpart D – Post Federal Award Requirements
§200.302 Financial management.
§200.303 Internal controls.
§200.305 Payment.
§200.313 Equipment.
§200.314 Supplies.
§200.318 General procurement standards.
§200.320 Methods of procurement to be followed;
2 CFR 200 Subpart E: Cost Principles:
§200.403 Factors affecting allowability of costs.
§200.404 Reasonable costs.
§200.405 Allocable costs.
§200.413 Direct costs.
§200.415 Required certifications.
§200.430 Compensation—personal services.
The Debarment and Suspension, 34 CFR Part 85, Section 85.510, Participants’ Responsibilities and makes the following certification by signing this application:
The prospective lower-tier participant certifies, by submission of this proposal, that neither it nor its principals is presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction by any federal department or agency.
Where the prospective lower-tier participant is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, such prospective participant shall attach an explanation to this proposal.
This certification is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was made or entered into. Submission of this certification is a prerequisite for making or entering into this transaction imposed by Section 1352, Title 31, U.S. Code. Any person who fails to file the required certification shall be subject to a civil penalty of not less than $10,000 for such failure.

Section II. Specific Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) Grant Assurances
The LEA assures that funds shall only be used for any of the following:
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prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus.

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Electronic Signature | Robert W. Blair

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Applicant / Mailing Address | 1700 W 7th Ave
Emporia, KS 66801
Applicant / First and Last Name of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director | Danielle Rollman
Applicant / Email Address of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director | danielle.rollman@usd253.net
Applicant / Phone Number | 6203412224

All questions in the section below are optional, and offer an opportunity to upload or enter information that is typically asked for on grant opportunities.

(for EANS and ESSER grant applications - please skip the questions below, and scroll to the bottom to complete your User Profile information.)
Throughout the 2020-2021 school year, families were provided the choice to have their child attend remotely or in person. A percentage of students at the secondary level attended a hybrid model so were not in person each day in order to implement mitigation strategies. The district reviewed the learning structure monthly to determine any necessary changes due to the COVID-19 local spread. This ever-changing mode of learning resulted in reduced attendance, increased chronic absenteeism, and decreased engagement. There was a loss in kindergarten readiness data as indicated by the ASQ. Fine motor, problem solving, communication, and social-emotional all indicated a decrease. There was an increase of course failures at the secondary level. One example is 42% of freshman students failed a course in trimester 2. NWEA MAP data indicated a learning loss particularly in the area of math at almost all grade levels for the all student category. Subgroups indicated more of a learning loss in the area of reading. Although all grade levels indicated growth, students did not make the growth on NWEA MAPS that they have in previous years.

Does the district have remaining ESSER I funding that it has not yet spent as of the date of ESSER II application submission?

Yes

Please summarize how the district will use its remaining ESSER I and ESSER I SPED funding and what it hopes to accomplish with these funds.

The remaining ESSER I district funds will be used to offset food expenses for the required free meal program due to declining student feeding counts for reimbursement. We will also be reimbursing the district’s general fund for classroom materials that were bought by the school for remote online learning and social distancing setup. Any remaining funds will be spent to...
purchase additional cafeteria tables for assigned seating to maintain social distancing in preparation for all students to be back full time on-site in the fall semester.

At this time we are unsure how the remaining ESSER I SPED funds will be used.

Please review the following allowable uses of ESSER II funds before completing the narrative and Excel template portion of the application.

- Coordination of preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies with State, local, Tribal, and territorial public health departments, and other relevant agencies, to improve coordinated responses among such entities to prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus.
- Providing principals and others school leaders with the resources necessary to address the needs of their individual schools.
- Activities to address the unique needs of low-income children or students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and foster care youth, including how outreach and service delivery will meet the needs of each population.
- Developing and implementing procedures and systems to improve the preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies.
- Training and professional development for staff of the local educational agency on sanitation and minimizing the spread of infectious diseases.
- Purchasing supplies to sanitize and clean the facilities of a local educational agency, including buildings operated by such agency.
- Planning for, coordinating, and implementing activities during long-term closures, including providing meals to eligible students, providing technology for online learning to all students, providing guidance for carrying out requirements under the IDEA and ensuring other educational services can continue to be provided consistent with all Federal, State, and local requirements.
- Purchasing educational technology (including hardware, software, and connectivity) for students who are served by the local educational agency that aids in regular and substantive educational interaction between students and their classroom instructors, including low-income students and children with disabilities, which may include assistive technology or adaptive equipment.
- Providing mental health services and supports.
- Planning and implementing activities related to summer learning and supplemental afterschool programs, including providing classroom instruction or online learning during the summer months and addressing the needs of low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, migrant students, students experiencing homelessness, and children in foster care.
- Addressing learning loss among students, including low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and children and youth in foster care, of the local educational agency, including by— (A) Administering and using high-quality assessments that are valid and reliable, to accurately assess students' academic progress and assist educators in meeting students' academic needs, including through differentiating instruction. (B) Implementing evidence-based activities to meet the comprehensive needs of students. (C) Providing information and assistance to parents and families on how they can effectively support students, including in a distance learning environment. (D) Tracking student attendance and improving student engagement in distance education.
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- Inspection, testing, maintenance, repair, replacement, and upgrade projects to improve the indoor air quality in school facilities, including mechanical and non-mechanical heating, ventilation, and air conditioning systems, filtering, purification and other air cleaning, fans, control systems, and window and door repair and replacement.
- Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities.
Other activities that are necessary to maintain the operation of and continuity of services in local educational agencies and continuing to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.

Please note: "Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities," identified as an allowable use under ESSER III in the American Rescue Plan, is also permissible under ESSER II.

Plan for ESSER II Direct District Allocation and KSDE Per-Student Additional Allocation (If Applicable)

Please summarize how the district proposes using its ESSER II direct district allocation (and its KSDE per-student additional allocation, if applicable) to address incremental COVID-19 needs.

Academic Opportunity (Elementary and EMS):
Objectives:
Provide a safe, mid-summer learning environment for academically (or cognitively) vulnerable children.
Work to potentially reduce the “summer slide”
Engage students in learning experiences that offer a language and text-rich environment where they can practice inquiry, reading, writing, speaking and mathematics application.
Duration and frequency of summer school program:
Three-week time frame for 3 hours each day.
Staffing:
18 elementary teachers and 24 instructional aides to provide additional support
15 middle school teachers and 16 instructional aides to provide additional support
Transporation:
Transportation will be provided for students who need it.

Academic Opportunity (EHS)
EHS will provide additional adult support to meet the needs of summer credit recovery or course retake options due to the increased number of students needing these options.
Summer Credit Recovery is a voluntary program. Students can take a course to recover and earn credit. Students who scored a 40-59% will be allowed to recover credit. Credit recovery is to help keep students on track for graduating.
Summer Course Retake is another voluntary opportunity where students can retake a course in its entirety and earn credit.
Dates:
June 7 - July 2

SEL Opportunity (Elementary and Secondary)
Objectives:
For current students with documented social-emotional needs or behavioral intervention plans in place, student support specialists, counselors and school psychologists will:
provide social-emotional support throughout the summer as students prepare to return to full-time onsite attendance in the fall through individual or small group sessions.
Work to potentially reduce any social anxiety which students may have developed over the past year.
Work to provide support to assist students who have behavioral struggles be more successful in all settings.
Duration and frequency of SEL support
up to 80 hours of SEL support per staff member offered in June and July

How will the district determine the impact of its ESSER II direct district allocation expenditures (and additional per-student allocation, if applicable) on students?

Academic: USD253 will utilize FastBridge, Interim Assessments, and state assessments to monitor academic progress throughout the school year. Student standard grades at the elementary level will be reviewed to monitor the number of students mastering concepts throughout the year. Grades 6-12 will review course grades and determine improvement in the number of students passing each course. For grades 9-12, USD253 will also review the number of students retaking courses,
the number of students recovering credits, as well as, the number of students getting back on track to graduate. Graduation rates might be an indicator of success.

Social-Emotional: We would use SAEBRS as an indicator of success as a result of extra SEL support provided by SSS/Counselors over the summer. Additionally, a drop in discipline referrals might be an indicator. We should also see an improvement in student attendance as compared to 20-21.

Notes on ESSER II application Excel template:

- Plans and budgets should be submitted for at least a 12 month period but do not need to account for the full duration of the program or the full allocation amount. Funds will remain accessible to the LEA until September 30, 2023 and there will be additional opportunities to submit further requests/plans in the future.
- Following ESSER II application approval and initiation of funds draw down, districts will be required to report to the Commissioner's Task Force on ESSER II expenditures and impact on a monthly basis throughout the program. This ESSER II reporting will be required as a part of regular ESSER program reporting, which will capture past expenditures across funding streams (ESSER I, ESSER I SPED, ESSER II, ESSER II SPED, ESSER II KSDE Per Student Allocation). Districts may be asked to provide expenditures by fund, function, object, account, and ESSER II allowable use as part of ongoing ESSER reporting.
- This reporting will not replace any reporting required by the federal government. KSDE will work to maximize compatibility between its reporting requirements and those of the federal government as much as possible to minimize burden on districts.

Please download and complete the ESSER II application template [here](#) to provide details on ESSER II budgeted expenditures across allowable uses and KSDE accounting codes.

**Local Education Agency (LEA) Assurances**

**Section I. General Grant Assurances for Federal Funds**

**Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA will comply with all requirements of:**
The LEA will make a good faith effort, on a continuing basis, to maintain a drug-free workplace, in accordance with the measures in 34 CFR Part 84, Subpart B and the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988;
The Education Department General Administrative Regulations (EDGAR) 34 CFR 76 requirements, including:
34 CFR §76.500(a) Federal statutes and regulations on nondiscrimination.
(a) A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the following statutes and regulations:
- Discrimination on the basis of age | The Age Discrimination Act (42 U.S.C. 6101 et seq.) | 34 CFR part 110.

(b) A State or subgrantee that is a covered entity as defined in §108.3 of this title shall comply with the nondiscrimination requirements of the Boy Scouts of America Equal Access Act, 20 U.S.C. 7905, 34 CFR part 108.
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))
34 CFR §76.650 Private schools; purpose of §§76.651-76.662.
(a) Under some programs, the authorizing statute requires that a State and its subgrantees provide for participation by students enrolled in private schools. Sections 76.651-76.662 apply to those programs
and provide rules for that participation. These sections do not affect the authority of the State or a subgrantee to enter into a contract with a private party.

(b) If any other rules for participation of students enrolled in private schools apply under a particular program, they are in the authorizing statute or implementing regulations for that program.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3 and 3474)

34 CFR §76.700 Compliance with statutes, regulations, State plan, and applications.
A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the State plan and applicable statutes, regulations, and approved applications, and shall use Federal funds in accordance with those statutes, regulations, plan, and applications.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.701 The State or subgrantee administers or supervises each project.
A State or a subgrantee shall directly administer or supervise the administration of each project.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.702 Fiscal control and fund accounting procedures.
A State and a subgrantee shall use fiscal control and fund accounting procedures that insure proper disbursement of and accounting for Federal funds.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

(a) If a State or a subgrantee does not obligate all of its grant or subgrant funds by the end of the fiscal year for which Congress appropriated the funds, it may obligate the remaining funds during a carryover period of one additional fiscal year.
(b) The State shall return to the Federal Government any carryover funds not obligated by the end of the carryover period by the State and its subgrantees.

(Authority: U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1225(b), and 3474)

34 CFR §76.722 Subgrantee reporting requirements.
A State may require a subgrantee to submit reports in a manner and format that assists the State in complying with the requirements under 34 CFR 76.720 and in carrying out other responsibilities under the program.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1231a, and 3474)

34 CFR §76.730 Records related to grant funds.
A State and a subgrantee shall keep records that fully show:
(a) The amount of funds under the grant or subgrant;
(b) How the State or subgrantee uses the funds;
(c) The total cost of the project;
(d) The share of that cost provided from other sources; and
(e) Other records to facilitate an effective audit.

(Approved by the Office of Management and Budget under control number 1880-0513)

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1232f)

34 CFR §76.731 Records related to compliance.
A State and a subgrantee shall keep records to show its compliance with program requirements.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))
The Uniform Grant Guidance, 2 CFR §200 all applicable subrecipient requirements, including but not limited to:
2 CFR Subpart D – Post Federal Award Requirements
$200.302 Financial management.
$200.303 Internal controls.
$200.305 Payment.
$200.313 Equipment.
$200.314 Supplies.
$200.318 General procurement standards.
$200.320 Methods of procurement to be followed;
2 CFR 200 Subpart E: Cost Principles:
$200.403 Factors affecting allowability of costs.
§200.404 Reasonable costs.
§200.405 Allocable costs.
§200.413 Direct costs.
§200.415 Required certifications.
§200.430 Compensation—personal services.

The Debarment and Suspension, 34 CFR Part 85, Section 85.510, Participants’ Responsibilities and makes the following certification by signing this application:

The prospective lower-tier participant certifies, by submission of this proposal, that neither it nor its principals is presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction by any federal department or agency.

Where the prospective lower-tier participant is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, such prospective participant shall attach an explanation to this proposal.

This certification is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was made or entered into. Submission of this certification is a prerequisite for making or entering into this transaction imposed by Section 1352, Title 31, U.S. Code. Any person who fails to file the required certification shall be subject to a civil penalty of not less than $10,000 for such failure.

Section II. Specific Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) Grant Assurances

The LEA assures that funds shall only be used for any of the following:

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- Planning for and coordinating during long-term closures, including for how to provide meals to eligible students, how to provide technology for online learning to all students, how to provide guidance for carrying out requirements under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. 1401 et seq.) and how to ensure other educational services can continue to be provided consistent with all Federal, State, and local requirements.
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Electronic Signature           Danielle Rollman
Date                           05/24/2021

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Applicant details

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Select an Applicant Type  |  Unified School District

**Applicant / Entity Name**  |  Cheney USD 268

**Applicant / Mailing Address**

100 W 6th St  
Cheney KS 67025

**Applicant / First and Last Name of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director**  |  Makenzi Logsdon

**Applicant / Email Address of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director**  |  mlogsdon@usd268.org

**Applicant / Phone Number**  |  3165423512

All questions in the section below are optional, and offer an opportunity to upload or enter information that is typically asked for on grant opportunities.

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Application details

**Full District Name**  |  Cheney

**District Number**  |  268
Mailing Address | Street Address | 100 W 6th
Mailing Address | City | Cheney
Mailing Address | Zip Code | 67025

Authorized Representative of the District | Name | Makenzi Logsdon

Authorized Representative of the District | Position or Title | Board Clerk

Authorized Representative of the District | Email Address | mlogsdon@usd268.org

Authorized Representative of the District | Phone Number | +13165423512

Would you like to additional district representatives to the application? | No

Please briefly describe the impacts of COVID-19 on the district and its Pre-K through 12 students, including any relevant data where possible (e.g., cost impact, learning loss, emotional impact on students). If there has been a disproportionate impact on a special population in the district (e.g., students with disabilities, English Learners, students in foster care, students in poverty, etc.), please describe the impact and provide the number of Pre-K through 12 students in that population.

As of May 1, Cheney had 10% of students and staff test positive for Covid-19 in the 20-21 school year. In additional, this caused 100 of students and staff to quarantine throughout the school year as well as those who had to quarantine due to being close contacts from a variety of non-school related situations. The learning gaps were substantial with this group of students compared to peers on site every day.

Does the district have remaining ESSER I funding that it has not yet spent as of the date of ESSER II application submission? | No

Please review the following allowable uses of ESSER II funds before completing the narrative and Excel template portion of the application.

- Coordination of preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies with State, local, Tribal, and territorial public health departments, and other relevant agencies, to improve coordinated responses among such entities to prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus.
- Providing principals and others school leaders with the resources necessary to address the needs of their individual schools.
- Activities to address the unique needs of low-income children or students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and foster care youth, including how outreach and service delivery will meet the needs of each population.
Developing and implementing procedures and systems to improve the preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies.

Training and professional development for staff of the local educational agency on sanitation and minimizing the spread of infectious diseases.

Purchasing supplies to sanitize and clean the facilities of a local educational agency, including buildings operated by such agency.

Planning for, coordinating, and implementing activities during long-term closures, including providing meals to eligible students, providing technology for online learning to all students, providing guidance for carrying out requirements under the IDEA and ensuring other educational services can continue to be provided consistent with all Federal, State, and local requirements.

Purchasing educational technology (including hardware, software, and connectivity) for students who are served by the local educational agency that aids in regular and substantive educational interaction between students and their classroom instructors, including low-income students and children with disabilities, which may include assistive technology or adaptive equipment.

Providing mental health services and supports.

Planning and implementing activities related to summer learning and supplemental afterschool programs, including providing classroom instruction or online learning during the summer months and addressing the needs of low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, migrant students, students experiencing homelessness, and children in foster care.

Addressing learning loss among students, including low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and children and youth in foster care, of the local educational agency, including by— (A) Administering and using high-quality assessments that are valid and reliable, to accurately assess students' academic progress and assist educators in meeting students' academic needs, including through differentiating instruction. (B) Implementing evidence-based activities to meet the comprehensive needs of students. (C) Providing information and assistance to parents and families on how they can effectively support students, including in a distance learning environment. (D) Tracking student attendance and improving student engagement in distance education.

School facility repairs and improvements to enable operation of schools to reduce risk of virus transmission and exposure to environmental health hazards, and to support student health needs.

Inspection, testing, maintenance, repair, replacement, and upgrade projects to improve the indoor air quality in school facilities, including mechanical and non-mechanical heating, ventilation, and air conditioning systems, filtering, purification and other air cleaning, fans, control systems, and window and door repair and replacement.

Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities.

Other activities that are necessary to maintain the operation of and continuity of services in local educational agencies and continuing to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.

Please note: “Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities,” identified as an allowable use under ESSER III in the American Rescue Plan, is also permissible under ESSER II.

Plan for ESSER II Direct District Allocation and KSDE Per-Student Additional Allocation (If Applicable)

Please summarize how the district proposes using its ESSER II direct district allocation (and its KSDE per-student additional allocation, if applicable) to address incremental COVID-19 needs.

The majority of ESSER II funding will be allocated to additional personnel due to the impact of the pandemic. As allowed, much of the expenditures will be retroactive to the 20-21 school year. Our classrooms are not physically large. As a result, we have three teachers per grade level in “normal times”. We alter that when we go over 22 per grade level in K-2 and 25 in 3-5. Thus, with social distancing and the potential for learning loss in large numbers, we had 4 sections of 1st grade and 4 sections of 3rd grade. We used the bulk of our SPARKS money from Sedgwick County the first semester to make this happen and plan to use ESSER II for the period of January to August 2021. We had employed an additional nurse for patient monitoring and contract tracing. At semester, our scores were plummeting in third grade as they also faced a disproportionate amount of quarantine times so we added a third teacher to improve individual instruction. We also significantly increased cleaning supplies and technology inventory as noted on the attached spreadsheets. We plan to order a new ELA program to address
immediate learning loss at the elementary level and add a Curriculum Director to do a deep dive on the data elements Pre-K-12 for learning loss as our skeletal administrative staff does not have the time nor the resources to carry out this monumental task.

How will the district determine the impact of its ESSER II direct district allocation expenditures (and additional per-student allocation, if applicable) on students?

The district will determine the impact of expenditures tracking each individual student and his or her scores going forward, particularly those spending significant amounts of time in quarantine. Obviously, the supplies and technology have already been instituted as well as the nursing staff increased labor. It is the expectation that the Curriculum Director will be able to provide the buildings with the data at least every quarter. Social-Emotional and mental health data will also be a critical piece of this.

Notes on ESSER II application Excel template:

- Plans and budgets should be submitted for at least a 12 month period but do not need to account for the full duration of the program or the full allocation amount. Funds will remain accessible to the LEA until September 30, 2023 and there will be additional opportunities to submit further requests/plans in the future.
- Following ESSER II application approval and initiation of funds draw down, districts will be required to report to the Commissioner’s Task Force on ESSER II expenditures and impact on a monthly basis throughout the program. This ESSER II reporting will be required as a part of regular ESSER program reporting, which will capture past expenditures across funding streams (ESSER I, ESSER I SPED, ESSER II, ESSER II SPED, ESSER II KSDE Per Student Allocation). Districts may be asked to provide expenditures by fund, function, object, account, and ESSER II allowable use as part of ongoing ESSER reporting.
- This reporting will not replace any reporting required by the federal government. KSDE will work to maximize compatibility between its reporting requirements and those of the federal government as much as possible to minimize burden on districts.

Please download and complete the ESSER II application template here to provide details on ESSER II budgeted expenditures across allowable uses and KSDE accounting codes.

Local Education Agency (LEA) Assurances

Section I. General Grant Assurances for Federal Funds

Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA will comply with all requirements of:
The LEA will make a good faith effort, on a continuing basis, to maintain a drug-free workplace, in accordance with the measures in 34 CFR Part 84, Subpart B and the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988;
The Education Department General Administrative Regulations (EDGAR) 34 CFR 76 requirements, including:
34 CFR §76.500(a) Federal statutes and regulations on nondiscrimination.
(a) A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the following statutes and regulations:
- Discrimination on the basis of age | The Age Discrimination Act (42 U.S.C. 6101 et seq.) | 34 CFR part 110.
(b) A State or subgrantee that is a covered entity as defined in §108.3 of this title shall comply with the nondiscrimination requirements of the Boy Scouts of America Equal Access Act, 20 U.S.C. 7905, 34 CFR part 108.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))


34 CFR §76.650 Private schools; purpose of §§76.651-76.662.

(a) Under some programs, the authorizing statute requires that a State and its subgrantees provide for participation by students enrolled in private schools. Sections 76.651-76.662 apply to those programs and provide rules for that participation. These sections do not affect the authority of the State or a subgrantee to enter into a contract with a private party.

(b) If any other rules for participation of students enrolled in private schools apply under a particular program, they are in the authorizing statute or implementing regulations for that program.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3 and 3474)

34 CFR §76.700 Compliance with statutes, regulations, State plan, and applications.

A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the State plan and applicable statutes, regulations, and approved applications, and shall use Federal funds in accordance with those statutes, regulations, plan, and applications.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.701 The State or subgrantee administers or supervises each project.

A State or a subgrantee shall directly administer or supervise the administration of each project.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.702 Fiscal control and fund accounting procedures.

A State and a subgrantee shall use fiscal control and fund accounting procedures that insure proper disbursement of and accounting for Federal funds.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.709 Funds may be obligated during a “carryover period.”

(a) If a State or a subgrantee does not obligate all of its grant or subgrant funds by the end of the fiscal year for which Congress appropriated the funds, it may obligate the remaining funds during a carryover period of one additional fiscal year.

(b) The State shall return to the Federal Government any carryover funds not obligated by the end of the carryover period by the State and its subgrantees.

(Authority: U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1225(b), and 3474)


34 CFR §76.722 Subgrantee reporting requirements.

A State may require a subgrantee to submit reports in a manner and format that assists the State in complying with the requirements under 34 CFR 76.720 and in carrying out other responsibilities under the program.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1231a, and 3474)

[72 FR 3703, Jan. 25, 2007]

34 CFR §76.730 Records related to grant funds.

A State and a subgrantee shall keep records that fully show:

(a) The amount of funds under the grant or subgrant;

(b) How the State or subgrantee uses the funds;

(c) The total cost of the project;

(d) The share of that cost provided from other sources; and

(e) Other records to facilitate an effective audit.

(Approved by the Office of Management and Budget under control number 1880-0513)

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1232f)


34 CFR §76.731 Records related to compliance.

A State and a subgrantee shall keep records to show its compliance with program requirements.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

The Uniform Grant Guidance, 2 CFR §200 all applicable subrecipient requirements, including but not limited to:

2 CFR Subpart D – Post Federal Award Requirements

§200.302 Financial management.

§200.303 Internal controls.
$200.305 Payment.
$200.313 Equipment.
$200.314 Supplies.
$200.318 General procurement standards.
$200.320 Methods of procurement to be followed;
2 CFR 200 Subpart E: Cost Principles:
$200.403 Factors affecting allowability of costs.
$200.404 Reasonable costs.
$200.405 Allocable costs.
$200.413 Direct costs.
$200.415 Required certifications.
$200.430 Compensation—personal services.
The Debarment and Suspension, 34 CFR Part 85, Section 85.510, Participants’ Responsibilities and makes the following certification by signing this application:
The prospective lower-tier participant certifies, by submission of this proposal, that neither it nor its principals is presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction by any federal department or agency.
Where the prospective lower-tier participant is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, such prospective participant shall attach an explanation to this proposal.
This certification is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was made or entered into. Submission of this certification is a prerequisite for making or entering into this transaction imposed by Section 1352, Title 31, U.S. Code. Any person who fails to file the required certification shall be subject to a civil penalty of not less than $10,000 for such failure.

Section II. Specific Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) Grant Assurances

The LEA assures that funds shall only be used for any of the following:
- Coordination of preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies with State, local, Tribal, and territorial public health departments, and other relevant agencies, to improve coordinated responses among such entities to prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus.
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- Activities to address the unique needs of low-income children or students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and foster care youth, including how outreach and service delivery will meet the needs of each population.
- Developing and implementing procedures and systems to improve the preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies.
- Training and professional development for staff of the local educational agency on sanitation and minimizing the spread of infectious diseases.
- Purchasing supplies to sanitize and clean the facilities of a local educational agency, including buildings operated by such agency.
- Planning for and coordinating during long-term closures, including for how to provide meals to eligible students, how to provide technology for online learning to all students, how to provide guidance for carrying out requirements under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. 1401 et seq.) and how to ensure other educational services can continue to be provided consistent with all Federal, State, and local requirements.
• Purchasing educational technology (including hardware, software, and connectivity) for students who are served by the local educational agency that aids in regular and substantive educational interaction between students and their classroom instructors, including low-income students and students with disabilities, which may include assistive technology or adaptive equipment.
• Providing mental health services and supports.
• Planning and implementing activities related to summer learning and supplemental afterschool programs, including providing classroom instruction or online learning during the summer months and addressing the needs of low income students, students with disabilities, English learners, migrant students, students experiencing homelessness, and children in foster care.
• Addressing learning loss among students, including low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and children and youth in foster care, of the local educational agency, including by— (A) Administering and using high-quality assessments that are valid and reliable, to accurately assess students’ academic progress and assist educators in meeting students’ academic needs, including through differentiating instruction. (B) Implementing evidence-based activities to meet the comprehensive needs of students. (C) Providing information and assistance to parents and families on how they can effectively support students, including in a distance learning environment. (D) Tracking student attendance and improving student engagement in distance education.
• School facility repairs and improvements to enable operation of schools to reduce risk of virus transmission and exposure to environmental health hazards, and to support student health needs.
• Inspection, testing, maintenance, repair, replacement, and upgrade projects to improve the indoor air quality in school facilities, including mechanical and non-mechanical heating, ventilation, and air conditioning systems, filtering, purification and other air cleaning, fans, control systems, and window and door repair and replacement.
• Other activities that are necessary to maintain the operation of and continuity of services in local educational agencies and continuing to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.

Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA shall comply with all applicable requirements of the Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) authorized by the Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act, 2021 (CRRSAA), including:
CONTINUED PAYMENT TO EMPLOYEES
SEC. 18006. A local educational agency, State, institution of higher education, or other entity that receives funds under “Education Stabilization Fund”, shall to the greatest extent practicable, continue to pay its employees and contractors during the period of any disruptions or closures related to coronavirus.

Certification
To the best of my knowledge and belief, all the information and data in this agreement are true and correct. I acknowledge and agree that the failure to comply with all Assurances and Certifications in this Agreement, all relevant provisions and requirements of the CARES Act, Pub. L. No. 116-136 (March 27, 2020), or any other applicable law or regulation may result in liability under the False Claims Act, 31 U.S.C. § 3729, et seq.; OMB Guidelines to Agencies on Governmentwide Debarment and Suspension (Nonprocurement) in 2 CFR part 180, as adopted and amended as regulations of the Department in 2 CFR part 3485; and 18 USC § 1001, as appropriate.

Electronic Signature  |  Makenzi Logsdon
Date                 |  05/11/2021

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<td>Cheney is purchasing a new learning system for the elementary school for the 2021-2022 school year. Data shows that Pre-K - 5th grade (400 students), from the first semester of the 2020-2021 school year students experiencing remote learning at any time due to being sick or quarantining experienced a 7% increase in tier 3 learners and a 6% loss in tier 1 learners. The biggest loss was in current Kindergarten students who experiences a 19% increase in tier 3 learners. This new program is a tier 1-3 program compared to Cheney's current program being a tier 3 only program.</td>
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<td>Cheney is hiring a Curriculum Director. Data shows that since Covid, 6th grade has had 0 gains in reading, 7th grade tier 1 had a 1% gain, and 8th grade gained 5% in their tier 3 learners. Data shows that half of all Cheney's highschool students fell below the reading benchmark. The Curriculum Director will align and analyze the data and establish a benchmark system in both reading and math for all highschool students falling in tier 2 and tier 3. The director will also create a process for all grades to track progress and keep them on track.</td>
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<td>Cheney purchased 7 laptops for students who had to remote learn due to quarantining.</td>
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Select an Applicant Type | Unified School District
Applicant / Entity Name | USD 273 Beloit
Applicant / Mailing Address
| PO Box 547
Applicant / First and Last Name of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director | Tiffany Schroeder
Applicant / Email Address of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director | tschroeder@usd273.org
Applicant / Phone Number | 785-738-3261

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Applicant / Federal EIN (if applicable) | 48-0698615
Applicant / Website Address (if applicable) | usd273.org
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COVID-19 brought many challenges to our district, cohort groups were one of these challenges where we saw learning loss separating students from each other in grade levels. Adding a third grade teacher will allow us to give students more separation with more one-on-one learning with teachers. The same problem arose with our Title I program. Adding a Title I teacher to help with Reading and Math losses will help us gain instruction with our students to combat that learning loss. Another area of loss was with our performing arts curriculum. Due to our separating during COVID, our jr-sr high vocal music program suffered because we had one teacher to separate several cohort groups into. The additional of this part-time teacher will allow us to bring the performing arts in vocal music back to our jr-sr high students in a appropriate manner. All of these additional will help allow separation of students and keeping safety of our students, faculty and staff at the forefront in the future. Social-emotional needs grew during this time as well. The ESSER II funds are allowing us to add a K-12 social worker to work with our students to make gains back from where we were before the pandemic. Summer Enrichment school will allow our students opportunities to return back to normal instruction and offer back loss opportunities that happen during the pandemic. There was not enough Fontis-Pinnell curriculum to share during the pandemic. Therefore we are purchasing more Fontis-Finnell curriculum.

Does the district have remaining ESSER I funding that it has not yet spent as of the date of ESSER II application submission?

No
Please review the following allowable uses of ESSER II funds before completing the narrative and Excel template portion of the application.

- Coordination of preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies with State, local, Tribal, and territorial public health departments, and other relevant agencies, to improve coordinated responses among such entities to prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus.
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- Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities.
- Other activities that are necessary to maintain the operation of and continuity of services in local educational agencies and continuing to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.

Please note: "Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities," identified as an allowable use under ESSER III in the American Rescue Plan, is also permissible under ESSER II.
Plan for ESSER II Direct District Allocation and KSDE Per-Student Additional Allocation (If Applicable)

Please summarize how the district proposes using its ESSER II direct district allocation (and its KSDE per-student additional allocation, if applicable) to address incremental COVID-19 needs.

The district is adding staff to pick up learning loss caused during COVID and to allow us to separate cohort groups in the future in case the pandemic measures reoccur. The additional staff members will help in grade level, K-6 Math and Reading, and social-emotional in all grades K-12.

How will the district determine the impact of its ESSER II direct district allocation expenditures (and additional per-student allocation, if applicable) on students?

We will look at our AIMS Web scores, our state assessment scores and our Boys Town office referrals to use our data to compare the prior year to the pandemic, the pandemic year and the post-pandemic year to ensure that we are comparing and using our data to the best of our means. The social worker additional will allow us to work more one on one with social emotional needs and will be compared in the same manner. Fontis-Pinnell being in every student’s hand should allow for better use of the curriculum. Student impact of the performing arts will allow for more students to have the opportunity to participate in vocal music in the jr-sr high level.

Notes on ESSER II application Excel template:

- Plans and budgets should be submitted for at least a 12 month period but do not need to account for the full duration of the program or the full allocation amount. Funds will remain accessible to the LEA until September 30, 2023 and there will be additional opportunities to submit further requests/plans in the future.
- Following ESSER II application approval and initiation of funds draw down, districts will be required to report to the Commissioner’s Task Force on ESSER II expenditures and impact on a monthly basis throughout the program. This ESSER II reporting will be required as a part of regular ESSER program reporting, which will capture past expenditures across funding streams (ESSER I, ESSER I SPED, ESSER II, ESSER II SPED, ESSER II KSDE Per Student Allocation). Districts may be asked to provide expenditures by fund, function, object, account, and ESSER II allowable use as part of ongoing ESSER reporting.
- This reporting will not replace any reporting required by the federal government. KSDE will work to maximize compatibility between its reporting requirements and those of the federal government as much as possible to minimize burden on districts.

Please download and complete the ESSER II application template here to provide details on ESSER II budgeted expenditures across allowable uses and KSDE accounting codes.

Local Education Agency (LEA) Assurances

Section I. General Grant Assurances for Federal Funds

Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA will comply with all requirements of:

The LEA will make a good faith effort, on a continuing basis, to maintain a drug-free workplace, in accordance with the measures in 34 CFR Part 84, Subpart B and the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988;

The Education Department General Administrative Regulations (EDGAR) 34 CFR 76 requirements, including:
34 CFR §76.500(a) Federal statutes and regulations on nondiscrimination.
(a) A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the following statutes and regulations:
- Discrimination on the basis of age| The Age Discrimination Act (42 U.S.C. 6101 et seq.) | 34 CFR part 110.

(b) A State or subgrantee that is a covered entity as defined in §108.3 of this title shall comply with the nondiscrimination requirements of the Boy Scouts of America Equal Access Act, 20 U.S.C. 7905, 34 CFR part 108.
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))
34 CFR §76.650 Private schools; purpose of §§76.651-76.662.
(a) Under some programs, the authorizing statute requires that a State and its subgrantees provide for participation by students enrolled in private schools. Sections 76.651-76.662 apply to those programs and provide rules for that participation. These sections do not affect the authority of the State or a subgrantee to enter into a contract with a private party.
(b) If any other rules for participation of students enrolled in private schools apply under a particular program, they are in the authorizing statute or implementing regulations for that program.
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3 and 3474)
34 CFR §76.700 Compliance with statutes, regulations, State plan, and applications.
A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the State plan and applicable statutes, regulations, and approved applications, and shall use Federal funds in accordance with those statutes, regulations, plan, and applications.
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))
34 CFR §76.701 The State or subgrantee administers or supervises each project.
A State or a subgrantee shall directly administer or supervise the administration of each project.
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))
34 CFR §76.702 Fiscal control and fund accounting procedures.
A State and a subgrantee shall use fiscal control and fund accounting procedures that insure proper disbursement of and accounting for Federal funds.
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))
34 CFR §76.709 Funds may be obligated during a “carryover period.”
(a) If a State or a subgrantee does not obligate all of its grant or subgrant funds by the end of the fiscal year for which Congress appropriated the funds, it may obligate the remaining funds during a carryover period of one additional fiscal year.
(b) The State shall return to the Federal Government any carryover funds not obligated by the end of the carryover period by the State and its subgrantees.
(Authority: U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1225(b), and 3474)
34 CFR §76.722 Subgrantee reporting requirements.
A State may require a subgrantee to submit reports in a manner and format that assists the State in complying with the requirements under 34 CFR 76.720 and in carrying out other responsibilities under the program.
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1231a, and 3474)
[72 FR 3703, Jan. 25, 2007]
34 CFR §76.730 Records related to grant funds.
A State and a subgrantee shall keep records that fully show:
(a) The amount of funds under the grant or subgrant;
(b) How the State or subgrantee uses the funds;
(c) The total cost of the project;
(d) The share of that cost provided from other sources; and
(e) Other records to facilitate an effective audit.
(Approved by the Office of Management and Budget under control number 1880-0513)
A State and a subgrantee shall keep records to show its compliance with program requirements.

The Uniform Grant Guidance, 2 CFR §200 all applicable subrecipient requirements, including but not limited to:

- 2 CFR Subpart D – Post Federal Award Requirements
- §200.302 Financial management.
- §200.303 Internal controls.
- §200.305 Payment.
- §200.313 Equipment.
- §200.314 Supplies.
- §200.318 General procurement standards.
- §200.320 Methods of procurement to be followed;
- 2 CFR 200 Subpart E: Cost Principles:
  - §200.403 Factors affecting allowability of costs.
  - §200.404 Reasonable costs.
  - §200.405 Allocable costs.
  - §200.413 Direct costs.
  - §200.415 Required certifications.
- §200.430 Compensation—personal services.

The Debarment and Suspension, 34 CFR Part 85, Section 85.510, Participants’ Responsibilities and makes the following certification by signing this application:

The prospective lower-tier participant certifies, by submission of this proposal, that neither it nor its principals is presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction by any federal department or agency.

Where the prospective lower-tier participant is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, such prospective participant shall attach an explanation to this proposal.

This certification is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was made or entered into. Submission of this certification is a prerequisite for making or entering into this transaction imposed by Section 1352, Title 31, U.S. Code. Any person who fails to file the required certification shall be subject to a civil penalty of not less than $10,000 for such failure.

Section II. Specific Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) Grant Assurances

The LEA assures that funds shall only be used for any of the following:

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Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA shall comply with all applicable requirements of the Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) authorized by the Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act, 2021 (CRRSAA), including:
CONTINUED PAYMENT TO EMPLOYEES
SEC. 18006. A local educational agency, State, institution of higher education, or other entity that receives funds under “Education Stabilization Fund”, shall to the greatest extent practicable, continue to pay its employees and contractors during the period of any disruptions or closures related to coronavirus.

Certification

To the best of my knowledge and belief, all the information and data in this agreement are true and correct. I acknowledge and agree that the failure to comply with all Assurances and Certifications in this Agreement, all relevant provisions and requirements of the CARES Act, Pub. L. No. 116-136 (March 27, 2020), or any other applicable law or regulation may result in liability under the False Claims Act, 31 U.S.C. § 3729, et seq.; OMB Guidelines to Agencies on Governmentwide Debarment and Suspension (Nonprocurement) in 2 CFR part 180, as adopted and amended as regulations of the Department in 2 CFR part 3485; and 18 USC § 1001, as appropriate.

Electronic Signature | Jeff Travis
Date | 05/20/2021
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Applicant / Mailing Address

621 Center Ave, Ste 103
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There were dual impacts associated with the shutdown during the spring of 2020. The academic impact was documented during our fall assessments utilizing STAR Reading and Math. The number of students not meeting their targets rose by more than 30% in both the math and reading scores. That number did not change much during the winter and spring assessments, indicating that intensive intervention was necessary to get back on track. There was no significant difference in the needs of special populations, although our enrollment is small enough to mask these items.

The social-emotional impact of the COVID 19 shutdown was significant. We had increased behavioral issues, particularly in our middle school and elementary students. These impacts were especially noticeable in our low social-economic students and students, although there was an increase across the board. Around 40% of our students in grades K-8 qualify as low SES. In a student population of 260, that means that 104 students are in this category.

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Please summarize how the district proposes using its ESSER II direct district allocation (and its KSDE per-student additional allocation, if applicable) to address incremental COVID-19 needs.

The district will utilize the ESSER II funding in three main ways: Robust summer school and after school programs to address learning loss; hiring a Student Services Coordinator; continuing with an additional custodian to mitigate the spread of COVID-19 and other diseases.
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The Student Services Coordinator will act as a liaison between counselors, families, students, and the school to help reduce the social-emotional issues that arose during the shutdown time. Many of our young students were left to care for themselves during the shutdown, as their parents had to continue to work. These students needed the structured time that school provides, and they developed some negative habits without that structure. Our coordinator is working towards her counseling degree, and she should have that in place in a couple of years.

Finally, we hired an additional custodian with ESSER I monies. We intend to continue utilizing his services, as we saw a reduction in other illnesses over the past year.

How will the district determine the impact of its ESSER II direct district allocation expenditures (and additional per-student allocation, if applicable) on students?

The district will continue to monitor the students' progress in our STAR reading and math reports. If students are making the gains we expect, the reports in STAR should indicate that.

We also expect a reduction in discipline referrals, as our Student Services Coordinator works with our students, families and counselors.

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[72 FR 3703, Jan. 25, 2007]

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(c) The total cost of the project;  
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(e) Other records to facilitate an effective audit.  
(Approved by the Office of Management and Budget under control number 1880-0513)  
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1232f)  
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2 CFR Subpart D – Post Federal Award Requirements  
§200.302 Financial management.  
§200.303 Internal controls.  
§200.305 Payment.  
§200.313 Equipment.  
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§200.318 General procurement standards.  
§200.320 Methods of procurement to be followed;  
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§200.413 Direct costs.  
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certification by signing this application:  
The prospective lower-tier participant certifies, by submission of this proposal, that neither it nor its principals is presently  
debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this  
transaction by any federal department or agency.  
Where the prospective lower-tier participant is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, such prospective  
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CONTINUED PAYMENT TO EMPLOYEES

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Certification

To the best of my knowledge and belief, all the information and data in this agreement are true and correct. I acknowledge and agree that the failure to comply with all Assurances and Certifications in this Agreement, all relevant provisions and requirements of the CARES Act, Pub. L. No. 116-136 (March 27, 2020), or any other applicable law or regulation may result in liability under the False Claims Act, 31 U.S.C. § 3729, et seq.; OMB Guidelines to Agencies on Governmentwide Debarment and Suspension (Nonprocurement) in 2 CFR part 180, as adopted and amended as regulations of the Department in 2 CFR part 3485; and 18 USC § 1001, as appropriate.
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Application details

Full District Name | Chautauqua County Community School
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Our data has shown that some students show some disconnect from school and depression. We are seeing this in the JR-SR High from data from surveys, Community Care Survey, and MySabers. Attendance due to the pandemic has also been an issue as well. We are working to find ways to re-engage our students at school through professional development with staff and these new programs.

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[72 FR 3703, Jan. 25, 2007]

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(Approved by the Office of Management and Budget under control number 1880-0513)

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The prospective lower-tier participant certifies, by submission of this proposal, that neither it nor its principals is presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction by any federal department or agency.

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CONTINUED PAYMENT TO EMPLOYEES
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Certification
To the best of my knowledge and belief, all the information and data in this agreement are true and correct. I acknowledge and agree that the failure to comply with all Assurances and Certifications in this Agreement, all relevant provisions and requirements of the CARES Act, Pub. L. No. 116-136 (March 27, 2020), or any other applicable law or regulation may result in liability under the False Claims Act, 31 U.S.C. § 3729, et seq.; OMB Guidelines to Agencies on Governmentwide Debarment and Suspension (Nonprocurement) in 2 CFR part 180, as adopted and amended as regulations of the Department in 2 CFR part 3485; and 18 USC § 1001, as appropriate.
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<td>The pandemic has impacted the mental health of our students. In order to address the learning needs we also need to address the mental health needs. Our plan is to add an elementary counselor. We currently have only one counselor to serve close to 385 students. By providing more time and attention to our PreK-6 we will be able to offer more supports to all student in our school. Our data has shown our students are more depression and disengaged due to the pandemic. We want to be able to add the supports they need to be successful in the classroom and outside the classroom.</td>
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<td>In order to close the learning gaps due to the pandemic in reading for our K-3 student we plan to add a teacher for reading interventions. Our students missed important learning last school year and our data is showing gaps especially in early literacy. It will be our goal to have all students reading on grade level by 3rd grade. By adding this position we will be able to provide consistent and target assistance to students that show learning regression from lost instructional time during the pandemic.</td>
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<td>We want to expand our summer programs to include PreK-12 grade. We have budgeted 4 teachers ($11,142) to help provide ways to close the educational gaps caused by the pandemic. Prek-5 will have target assistance with reading and math and Jr-Sr High will build on project-based learning to re-engage our students in school. Courses in Metals, Woods, Drones, Computers, Art, credit recovery, individual tutoring will help re-engage, keep students on track to graduate, and provide for social emotional learning. We will be working in conjunction with our 21st Century Grant. We anticipate 15-20 middle school students, 10-15 high school students, and 50-60 elementary students.</td>
<td>We have budgeted $2000 for supplies and $3032 for curriculum. This budget will be used to support the summer school project-based learning and reading and math targeted assistance. Summer programs were needed to address the learning needs due to the pandemic and the learning loss data is showing from our students.</td>
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<td>They are purchasing the “Do the Math” curriculum for summer school. It is a research-based program that will work to help our students rebuild critical math foundations. We are seeing gaps in learning due to the pandemic. This program is designed for at-risk and struggling students who require more practice in math. This program will help during summer school to progress our students to reach grade-level proficiency. (Phone Call, 5/14/2021)</td>
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Addressing learning loss among students, including vulnerable populations

Our data has show that our student are not as engaged in learning as they were prior to the pandemic. We see the need to expand our CTE courses to provide student with more engaging, project-rich curriculum. We would like to add a part-time teacher in our agriculture programs to help our current teacher offer more hands-on experiences for our students. This would provide students who are interested in vocational careers the opportunity to work as a team, problem solve, build communication skills, and promote college/technical school readiness. With the pandemic our students lost opportunities to participate in many hands-on, project based learning. With the additional supports our CTE course could offer more hands-on experiences. Students would benefit from the additional time and instructor to help with those experiences. Paid as part-time teacher and instructional aide.

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Addressing learning gaps that have been caused by the pandemic. Those interventions will be focused on reading and math and other subject areas. K-12 site license for IXL Learning will provide intervention in math, ELA, science and social studies. This is a digital software that our students can use year round and can also be delivered remotely if necessary.

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Applicant details

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Select an Applicant Type  |  Unified School District
Applicant / Entity Name  |  Central Heights, USD 288
Applicant / Mailing Address
3521 Ellis Rd.
Richmond, KS 66080
Applicant / First and Last Name of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director  |  Nathan Hinrichs
Applicant / Email Address of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director  |  nhinrichs@usd288.org
Applicant / Phone Number  |  785-869-3455

All questions in the section below are optional, and offer an opportunity to upload or enter information that is typically asked for on grant opportunities.

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Application details

Full District Name  |  Central Heights
District Number  |  288
Mailing Address | Street Address  |  3521 Ellis Rd.
COVID has impacted the students of USD 288 in many ways. First, students were sent home from school last Spring and finished the school year remotely. This learning format worked for some students and others struggled and all students missed on the social and emotional benefits of being at school with their peers. This year, USD 288 has offered both in person and remote instruction to all students (their choice). At the beginning of the school year, we had 107 students choosing to stay home and learn remotely, we currently have 29. Providing instruction both remotely an in person has created many challenges, as additional professional development and technology were needed. In addition, cleaning, social distancing and safety protocols had to be put in place for the safety or students and staff, which was an adjustment for everyone involved. Fortunately, these items were paid for with ESSER-1 and SPARK funds. As the year has progressed, we have identified the need to address learning loss in the area of Elementary Math, as well as social and emotional needs in the Elementary and Secondary.

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Other activities that are necessary to maintain the operation of and continuity of services in local educational agencies and continuing to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.

Please note: “Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities," identified as an allowable use under ESSER III in the American Rescue Plan, is also permissible under ESSER II.

**Plan for ESSER II Direct District Allocation and KSDE Per-Student Additional Allocation (If Applicable)**

Please summarize how the district proposes using its ESSER II direct district allocation (and its KSDE per-student additional allocation, if applicable) to address incremental COVID-19 needs.

Central Heights proposes to utilize ESSER funds to address learning loss and student needs directly associated with COVID. We would like to hire an additional Counselor, which will be placed at the Middle School, the area identified as having the greatest Counseling need by our administrative team.

In addition to addressing the counseling needs created by the COVID, this position will oversee the implementation of our
new SEL curriculum, district wide. We also propose hiring a Title Math teacher at our elementary school to address learning loss, as a result of COVID. In addition, we propose hiring an At-Risk specialist to the elementary school to work with student one on one and in small groups to address social emotional and academic issues caused by the pandemic. Finally, we propose hiring an additional nurse, as the demands of COVID have created more work than our current nursing staff can handle.

How will the district determine the impact of its ESSER II direct district allocation expenditures (and additional per-student allocation, if applicable) on students?

The district will utilize a variety of data to determine the impact of these positions on our students. We will utilize both local Math assessments and state Math assessments, to determine the effectiveness of the Title Math position. We will utilize local SEL data, as well as attendance and office referral to determine the effectiveness of the Counselor position. We will utilize attendance, grade and SEL data to determine the effectiveness of the At-Risk position. Finally, we will utilize daily logs and over time hours to determine the effectiveness of the additional nursing position.

Notes on ESSER II application Excel template:

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Local Education Agency (LEA) Assurances

Section I. General Grant Assurances for Federal Funds

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(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

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**Select an Applicant Type** | Unified School District
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**Applicant / Entity Name** | Jolene Dempewolf
**Applicant / Mailing Address** | jdempewolf@usd294.org
**Applicant / First and Last Name of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director** | Jolene Dempewolf of USD 294, Board Clerk
**Applicant / Email Address of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director** | jdempewolf@usd294.org
**Applicant / Phone Number** | 7854753805

All questions in the section below are optional, and offer an opportunity to upload or enter information that is typically asked for on grant opportunities.

(for **EANS and ESSER grant applications** - please skip the questions below, and scroll to the bottom to complete your User Profile information.)

**Applicant / Federal EIN (if applicable)** | 48-0720777
**Fiscal Agent / Name (if applicable)** | Oberlin USD 294
**Fiscal Agent / Mailing Address (if applicable)**
| 131 East Commercial St
| Oberlin, KS 67749
Please briefly describe the impacts of COVID-19 on the district and its Pre-K through 12 students, including any relevant data where possible (e.g., cost impact, learning loss, emotional impact on students). If there has been a disproportionate impact on a special population in the district (e.g., students with disabilities, English Learners, students in foster care, students in poverty, etc.), please describe the impact and provide the number of Pre-K through 12 students in that population.

The impact of COVID-19 on our district centered on social emotion issues of isolation, depression and some substance abuse. We had one suicide attempt which made us dig deep into trauma issues with both student and faculty. Faculty at the high school are getting a more intense trauma training this summer.

It also affected our academics in some ways. Some students and families looked at homework as optional like last spring and we had some attendance issues at both elementary and secondary. Attitudes did eventually change but there were learning loss because of it. We will be using summer school to help with credit recovery and skills that were missed during the school year.

The social emotional, attendance and homework completion affected more of our at-risk population (poverty) than others. Though there were trauma issues that crossed all populations. We are over 50% as a district for F/R so it would be about 180 students.

Does the district have remaining ESSER I funding that it has not yet spent as of the date of ESSER II application submission?

Yes

Please summarize how the district will use its remaining ESSER I and ESSER I SPED funding and what it hopes to accomplish with these funds.
We have $100 left to spend on ESSER I funds and we will be spending it on PPE (sanitation chemical). It will be spent before the end of May.

Please review the following allowable uses of ESSER II funds before completing the narrative and Excel template portion of the application.

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- Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities.
- Other activities that are necessary to maintain the operation of and continuity of services in local educational agencies and continuing to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.
Please note: “Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities,” identified as an allowable use under ESSER III in the American Rescue Plan, is also permissible under ESSER II.

Plan for ESSER II Direct District Allocation and KSDE Per-Student Additional Allocation (If Applicable)

Please summarize how the district proposes using its ESSER II direct district allocation (and its KSDE per-student additional allocation, if applicable) to address incremental COVID-19 needs.

USD 294 Oberlin will be using ESSERII funds to address COVID-19 needs through academics, technology and building needs. Academically, we will purchase Fastbridge for our K-12 summative assessment tool. This tool will give us consistency on reporting our academic data with common language to explain results. Plus it also contains a social emotion survey which will be beneficial and with a consistent survey to use yearly to determine our needs.
For 7-12 credit recovery, we are planning to purchasing Edgenuity program for summer school and during the school year. We will also be offering summer school to work on skill deficits and credit recovery with those that need it at the secondary level. We are concentrating on working on skills that were missed or not mastered do to last spring and this year. With added technology from computer programs, wifi needs, one to one devices, we need to upgrade our cabling to Cat 6. Connectivity can be an issue. COVID-19 exposed some of our issues and to have a healthy technology backbone is crucial. We have many issues with ventilation in our old facilities. We have many windows that do not open or have been permanently sealed. We have two projects to install new windows that can be opened for ventilation.
We will be purchasing touch less faucets/toilets for the elementary school. This will help with sanitation and spreading of bacteria and viruses.
We have a sub shortage do to COVID-19 that we would like to hire a full time sub to help cover for teachers at are absent. As we push our students to participate in activities which will help with their social emotional well being and build friendships.
We discovered we do not have the needed band instruments to accommodate students. Need to buy more instruments.

How will the district determine the impact of its ESSER II direct district allocation expenditures (and additional per-student allocation, if applicable) on students?

With Fastbridge, we will have better data to analyze our student learning. Hopefully, when we assess our students in the fall, they will show improvement over last year because of the intense instructor on skills that were deficits. Edgenuity will help students make up credits and pass their classes.
With the touch less faucet/toilets, hopefully we will have less student sickness and cleaner bathroom facilities.
Cabling as well as window upgrades, the improvements to connectivity and fresh air and ventilation for the building will help with health of students and personnel.
Having a full time sub will mean that we will not have to double of classes as often which will help with instruction and student learning.
Having instruments so students can participate in band.

Notes on ESSER II application Excel template:

- Plans and budgets should be submitted for at least a 12 month period but do not need to account for the full duration of the program or the full allocation amount. Funds will remain accessible to the LEA until September 30, 2023 and there will be additional opportunities to submit further requests/plans in the future.
- Following ESSER II application approval and initiation of funds draw down, districts will be required to report to the Commissioner's Task Force on ESSER II expenditures and impact on a monthly basis throughout the program. This ESSER II reporting will be required as a part of regular ESSER program reporting, which will capture past expenditures across funding streams (ESSER I, ESSER I SPED, ESSER II, ESSER II SPED, ESSER II KSDE Per Student Allocation). Districts may be asked to provide expenditures by fund, function, object, account, and ESSER II allowable use as part of ongoing ESSER reporting.
- This reporting will not replace any reporting required by the federal government. KSDE will work to maximize compatibility between its reporting requirements and those of the federal government as much as possible to minimize burden on districts.
Please download and complete the ESSER II application template [here](#) to provide details on ESSER II budgeted expenditures across allowable uses and KSDE accounting codes.

ESSERII-ApplicationTempla... (154 KiB download)

## Local Education Agency (LEA) Assurances

### Section I. General Grant Assurances for Federal Funds

**Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA will comply with all requirements of:**

The LEA will make a good faith effort, on a continuing basis, to maintain a drug-free workplace, in accordance with the measures in 34 CFR Part 84, Subpart B and the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988; The Education Department General Administrative Regulations (EDGAR) 34 CFR 76 requirements, including:

34 CFR §76.500(a) Federal statutes and regulations on nondiscrimination.

(a) A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the following statutes and regulations:

- Discrimination on the basis of age | The Age Discrimination Act (42 U.S.C. 6101 et seq.) | 34 CFR part 110.

(b) A State or subgrantee that is a covered entity as defined in §108.3 of this title shall comply with the nondiscrimination requirements of the Boy Scouts of America Equal Access Act, 20 U.S.C. 7905, 34 CFR part 108.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))


34 CFR §76.650 Private schools; purpose of §§76.651-76.662.

(a) Under some programs, the authorizing statute requires that a State and its subgrantees provide for participation by students enrolled in private schools. Sections 76.651-76.662 apply to those programs and provide rules for that participation. These sections do not affect the authority of the State or a subgrantee to enter into a contract with a private party.

(b) If any other rules for participation of students enrolled in private schools apply under a particular program, they are in the authorizing statute or implementing regulations for that program.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3 and 3474)

34 CFR §76.700 Compliance with statutes, regulations, State plan, and applications.

A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the State plan and applicable statutes, regulations, and approved applications, and shall use Federal funds in accordance with those statutes, regulations, plan, and applications.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.701 The State or subgrantee administers or supervises each project.

A State or a subgrantee shall directly administer or supervise the administration of each project.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.702 Fiscal control and fund accounting procedures.

A State and a subgrantee shall use fiscal control and fund accounting procedures that insure proper disbursement of and accounting for Federal funds.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.709 Funds may be obligated during a "carryover period."

(a) If a State or a subgrantee does not obligate all of its grant or subgrant funds by the end of the fiscal year for which Congress appropriated the funds, it may obligate the remaining funds during a carryover period of one additional fiscal year.

(b) The State shall return to the Federal Government any carryover funds not obligated by the end of the carryover period by the State and its subgrantees.

(Authority: U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1225(b), and 3474)
34 CFR §76.722 Subgrantee reporting requirements.
A State may require a subgrantee to submit reports in a manner and format that assists the State in complying with the requirements under 34 CFR 76.720 and in carrying out other responsibilities under the program.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1231a, and 3474)

34 CFR §76.730 Records related to grant funds.
A State and a subgrantee shall keep records that fully show:

(a) The amount of funds under the grant or subgrant;
(b) How the State or subgrantee uses the funds;
(c) The total cost of the project;
(d) The share of that cost provided from other sources; and
(e) Other records to facilitate an effective audit.

(Approved by the Office of Management and Budget under control number 1880-0513)

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1232f)

34 CFR §76.731 Records related to compliance.
A State and a subgrantee shall keep records to show its compliance with program requirements.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

The Uniform Grant Guidance, 2 CFR §200 all applicable subrecipient requirements, including but not limited to:

2 CFR Subpart D – Post Federal Award Requirements
§200.302 Financial management.
§200.303 Internal controls.
§200.305 Payment.
§200.313 Equipment.
§200.314 Supplies.
§200.315 General procurement standards.
§200.320 Methods of procurement to be followed;
2 CFR 200 Subpart E: Cost Principles:
§200.403 Factors affecting allowability of costs.
§200.404 Reasonable costs.
§200.405 Allocable costs.
§200.413 Direct costs.
§200.415 Required certifications.
§200.430 Compensation—personal services.

The Debarment and Suspension, 34 CFR Part 85, Section 85.510, Participants’ Responsibilities and makes the following certification by signing this application:
The prospective lower-tier participant certifies, by submission of this proposal, that neither it nor its principals is presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction by any federal department or agency.

Where the prospective lower-tier participant is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, such prospective participant shall attach an explanation to this proposal.

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Section II. Specific Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) Grant Assurances

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**Applicant** / Mailing Address
| PO Box 797
| Salina, KS 67402-0797
**Applicant** / First and Last Name of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director | Lisa Peter
**Applicant** / Email Address of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director | lisa.peters@usd305.com
**Applicant** / Phone Number | 785-309-4764

All questions in the section below are optional, and offer an opportunity to upload or enter information that is typically asked for on grant opportunities.

(for EANS and ESSER grant applications - please skip the questions below, and scroll to the bottom to complete your User Profile information.)

Application details

**Full District Name** | Salina Unified School District 305
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**District Number** | 305
Please briefly describe the impacts of COVID-19 on the district and its Pre-K through 12 students, including any relevant data where possible (e.g., cost impact, learning loss, emotional impact on students). If there has been a disproportionate impact on a special population in the district (e.g., students with disabilities, English Learners, students in foster care, students in poverty, etc.), please describe the impact and provide the number of Pre-K through 12 students in that population.

School closure in the spring of 2020 negatively impacted student learning and social emotional growth, especially at the early grades. Kindergarten students missed the quarter of school when most students begin application of early literacy skills. The impact on reading and math development has become increasingly evident. More students are requiring supplemental instruction. District wide data indicates increased students not on grade level (reading 4% increase/math 5% increase.)

Grade 6-12 students were in a hybrid model for the first three quarters. The hybrid model was changed at the end of first quarter because of course failures (nearly doubled) and social emotional concerns. For quarter 2, we moved from a 2-day a week model to an AM/PM model. Secondary students experienced three schedule adjustments as we adjusted to address learning needs. Those schedule changes caused added stress and required students/staff to readjust. Course failures have resulted in the need for more credit and unit recovery.

We provided a remote option for families who were reluctant to reenter the comprehensive schools in the fall of 2020 due to health concerns. Some students excelled in that environment, but for many, the need for the consistency and structure of in-building instruction become quickly evident. To support struggling students, we deployed social worker and counselor resources to engage in conversations to transition students back into the comprehensive school.

We are encountering increased social-emotional needs. Social workers, family support specialists and counselors found the need to adjust daily practice to address these needs.

Does the district have remaining ESSER I funding that it has not yet spent as of Yes
Please summarize how the district will use its remaining ESSER I and ESSER I SPED funding and what it hopes to accomplish with these funds.

ESSER funds will continue to support salaries for remote teachers for nearly 700 students who chose remote instruction due to the pandemic. Instructional assistants were hired to supervise our classrooms when quarantine resulted in staff absences. This allows the regular classroom teacher to instruct remotely from home, providing continuity for our students. All funds will be expended by June 30, 2021.

Our grab and go food service required disposable containers and name badges to track who received the meals. The funds allowed us to ensure that every student had access to breakfast and lunch from March 2020 through the 2020-2021 school year.

Please review the following allowable uses of ESSER II funds before completing the narrative and Excel template portion of the application.

- Coordination of preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies with State, local, Tribal, and territorial public health departments, and other relevant agencies, to improve coordinated responses among such entities to prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus.
- Providing principals and others school leaders with the resources necessary to address the needs of their individual schools.
- Activities to address the unique needs of low-income children or students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and foster care youth, including how outreach and service delivery will meet the needs of each population.
- Developing and implementing procedures and systems to improve the preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies.
- Training and professional development for staff of the local educational agency on sanitation and minimizing the spread of infectious diseases.
- Purchasing supplies to sanitize and clean the facilities of a local educational agency, including buildings operated by such agency.
- Planning for, coordinating, and implementing activities during long-term closures, including providing meals to eligible students, providing technology for online learning to all students, providing guidance for carrying out requirements under the IDEA and ensuring other educational services can continue to be provided consistent with all Federal, State, and local requirements.
- Purchasing educational technology (including hardware, software, and connectivity) for students who are served by the local educational agency that aids in regular and substantive educational interaction between students and their classroom instructors, including low-income students and children with disabilities, which may include assistive technology or adaptive equipment.
- Providing mental health services and supports.
- Planning and implementing activities related to summer learning and supplemental afterschool programs, including providing classroom instruction or online learning during the summer months and addressing the needs of low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, migrant students, students experiencing homelessness, and children in foster care.
- Addressing learning loss among students, including low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and children and youth in foster care, of the local educational agency, including by— (A) Administering and using high-quality assessments that are valid and reliable, to accurately assess
students’ academic progress and assist educators in meeting students’ academic needs, including through differentiating instruction. (B) Implementing evidence-based activities to meet the comprehensive needs of students. (C) Providing information and assistance to parents and families on how they can effectively support students, including in a distance learning environment. (D) Tracking student attendance and improving student engagement in distance education.

- School facility repairs and improvements to enable operation of schools to reduce risk of virus transmission and exposure to environmental health hazards, and to support student health needs.
- Inspection, testing, maintenance, repair, replacement, and upgrade projects to improve the indoor air quality in school facilities, including mechanical and non-mechanical heating, ventilation, and air conditioning systems, filtering, purification and other air cleaning, fans, control systems, and window and door repair and replacement.
- Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities.
- Other activities that are necessary to maintain the operation of and continuity of services in local educational agencies and continuing to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.

Please note: "Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities," identified as an allowable use under ESSER III in the American Rescue Plan, is also permissible under ESSER II.

Plan for ESSER II Direct District Allocation and KSDE Per-Student Additional Allocation (If Applicable)

Please summarize how the district proposes using its ESSER II direct district allocation (and its KSDE per-student additional allocation, if applicable) to address incremental COVID-19 needs.

USD 305 will use ESSER funds to target pandemic related social-emotional learning loss and academic learning loss. The majority of funds will support direct service to students, but transportation to ensure students have access to before/after school supports will also be provided.

Our intention is to add social workers and family support personnel to address social emotional needs. Both will work to connect families and students with community and school supports. In addition, social workers will work during the school day with small groups of students to provide targeted SEL instruction. Social workers will also support students who are struggling to reengage in the comprehensive school environment.

Academic supports will be provided through interventionists, summer school, before and after school programs, credit recovery and reduced class size. Interventionists, classified and certified, will provide small group instruction targeted to gaps in learning at the elementary and middle school levels. Elementary summer school has been expanded to allow any student who wishes to participate to do so. Elementary summer learning will be in two 3-week sessions with one targeting reading development and the other targeting math development. Both sessions will have social-emotional and elective learning as well. Before and after school programs will be provided. At the elementary level those programs will provide small-group targeted skill instruction. At the secondary level, the focus will be supporting students who didn’t pass courses due to intermittent schooling during the pandemic. In addition, our performance-based diploma program will be expanded during the school day to increase access to in-school credit recovery for students who are unable to attend after-school sessions. Class-size reduction will allow us to target elementary needs, specifically at the early grades where the pandemic had a significant impact on reading development.

How will the district determine the impact of its ESSER II direct district allocation expenditures (and additional per-student allocation, if applicable) on students?

Each building identified pandemic-related needs and programming to address those needs as part of our application process. Buildings provided how they would identify students for support for each intervention and how they would evaluate success of the intervention. We plan to use a combination of academic and social emotional pre/post measures to determine impact of the programming supported by ESSER funds. We will use pre post phonemic awareness and phonics assessments for early literacy evaluation, the Benchmark Assessment System (BAS) for reading comprehension. In math, we will use the iReady math diagnostic assessments. Credits failed and recovered will be used to measure effectiveness of programming at the secondary level. SRSS screener data, course failures, requests for counselor support, self-harm assessments, and attendance will be used to measure SEL support impact.
Notes on ESSER II application Excel template:

- Plans and budgets should be submitted for at least a 12 month period but do not need to account for the full duration of the program or the full allocation amount. Funds will remain accessible to the LEA until September 30, 2023 and there will be additional opportunities to submit further requests/plans in the future.
- Following ESSER II application approval and initiation of funds draw down, districts will be required to report to the Commissioner's Task Force on ESSER II expenditures and impact on a monthly basis throughout the program. This ESSER II reporting will be required as a part of regular ESSER program reporting, which will capture past expenditures across funding streams (ESSER I, ESSER I SPED, ESSER II, ESSER II SPED, ESSER II KSDE Per Student Allocation). Districts may be asked to provide expenditures by fund, function, object, account, and ESSER II allowable use as part of ongoing ESSER reporting.
- This reporting will not replace any reporting required by the federal government. KSDE will work to maximize compatibility between its reporting requirements and those of the federal government as much as possible to minimize burden on districts.

Please download and complete the ESSER II application template here to provide details on ESSER II budgeted expenditures across allowable uses and KSDE accounting codes.

Local Education Agency (LEA) Assurances

Section I. General Grant Assurances for Federal Funds

Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA will comply with all requirements of:

The LEA will make a good faith effort, on a continuing basis, to maintain a drug-free workplace, in accordance with the measures in 34 CFR Part 84, Subpart B and the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988;

The Education Department General Administrative Regulations (EDGAR) 34 CFR 76 requirements, including:

34 CFR §76.500(a) Federal statutes and regulations on nondiscrimination.

(a) A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the following statutes and regulations:

- Discrimination on the basis of age | The Age Discrimination Act (42 U.S.C. 6101 et seq.) | 34 CFR part 110.

(b) A State or subgrantee that is a covered entity as defined in §108.3 of this title shall comply with the nondiscrimination requirements of the Boy Scouts of America Equal Access Act, 20 U.S.C. 7905, 34 CFR part 108.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))


34 CFR §76.650 Private schools; purpose of §§76.651-76.662.

(a) Under some programs, the authorizing statute requires that a State and its subgrantees provide for participation by students enrolled in private schools. Sections 76.651-76.662 apply to those programs and provide rules for that participation. These sections do not affect the authority of the State or a subgrantee to enter into a contract with a private party.

(b) If any other rules for participation of students enrolled in private schools apply under a particular program, they are in the authorizing statute or implementing regulations for that program.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3 and 3474)
34 CFR §76.700 Compliance with statutes, regulations, State plan, and applications.
A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the State plan and applicable statutes, regulations, and approved applications, and shall use Federal funds in accordance with those statutes, regulations, plan, and applications.
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.701 The State or subgrantee administers or supervises each project.
A State or a subgrantee shall directly administer or supervise the administration of each project.
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.702 Fiscal control and fund accounting procedures.
A State and a subgrantee shall use fiscal control and fund accounting procedures that insure proper disbursement of and accounting for Federal funds.
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.709 Funds may be obligated during a “carryover period.”
(a) If a State or a subgrantee does not obligate all of its grant or subgrant funds by the end of the fiscal year for which Congress appropriated the funds, it may obligate the remaining funds during a carryover period of one additional fiscal year.
(b) The State shall return to the Federal Government any carryover funds not obligated by the end of the carryover period by the State and its subgrantees.
(Authority: U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1225(b), and 3474)

34 CFR §76.722 Subgrantee reporting requirements.
A State may require a subgrantee to submit reports in a manner and format that assists the State in complying with the requirements under 34 CFR 76.720 and in carrying out other responsibilities under the program.
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1231a, and 3474)
[72 FR 3703, Jan. 25, 2007]

34 CFR §76.730 Records related to grant funds.
A State and a subgrantee shall keep records that fully show:
(a) The amount of funds under the grant or subgrant;
(b) How the State or subgrantee uses the funds;
(c) The total cost of the project;
(d) The share of that cost provided from other sources; and
(e) Other records to facilitate an effective audit.
(Approved by the Office of Management and Budget under control number 1880-0513)
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1232f)

34 CFR §76.731 Records related to compliance.
A State and a subgrantee shall keep records to show its compliance with program requirements.
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))
The Uniform Grant Guidance, 2 CFR §200 all applicable subrecipient requirements, including but not limited to:
2 CFR Subpart D – Post Federal Award Requirements
§200.302 Financial management.
§200.303 Internal controls.
§200.305 Payment.
§200.313 Equipment.
§200.314 Supplies.
§200.318 General procurement standards.
§200.320 Methods of procurement to be followed;
2 CFR 200 Subpart E: Cost Principles:
§200.403 Factors affecting allowability of costs.
§200.404 Reasonable costs.
§200.405 Allocable costs.
§200.413 Direct costs.
§200.415 Required certifications.
§200.430 Compensation—personal services.
The Debarment and Suspension, 34 CFR Part 85, Section 85.510, Participants’ Responsibilities and makes the following certification by signing this application:

The prospective lower-tier participant certifies, by submission of this proposal, that neither it nor its principals is presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction by any federal department or agency.

Where the prospective lower-tier participant is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, such prospective participant shall attach an explanation to this proposal.

This certification is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was made or entered into. Submission of this certification is a prerequisite for making or entering into this transaction imposed by Section 1352, Title 31, U.S. Code. Any person who fails to file the required certification shall be subject to a civil penalty of not less than $10,000 for such failure.

Section II. Specific Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) Grant Assurances

The LEA assures that funds shall only be used for any of the following:

- Coordination of preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies with State, local, Tribal, and territorial public health departments, and other relevant agencies, to improve coordinated responses among such entities to prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus.
- Providing principals and others school leaders with the resources necessary to address the needs of their individual schools.
- Activities to address the unique needs of low-income children or students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and foster care youth, including how outreach and service delivery will meet the needs of each population.
- Developing and implementing procedures and systems to improve the preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies.
- Training and professional development for staff of the local educational agency on sanitation and minimizing the spread of infectious diseases.
- Purchasing supplies to sanitize and clean the facilities of a local educational agency, including buildings operated by such agency.
- Planning for and coordinating during long-term closures, including for how to provide meals to eligible students, how to provide technology for online learning to all students, how to provide guidance for carrying out requirements under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. 1401 et seq.) and how to ensure other educational services can continue to be provided consistent with all Federal, State, and local requirements.
- Purchasing educational technology (including hardware, software, and connectivity) for students who are served by the local educational agency that aids in regular and substantive educational interaction between students and their classroom instructors, including low-income students and students with disabilities, which may include assistive technology or adaptive equipment.
- Providing mental health services and supports.
- Planning and implementing activities related to summer learning and supplemental afterschool programs, including providing classroom instruction or online learning during the summer months and addressing the needs of low income students, students with disabilities, English learners, migrant students, students experiencing homelessness, and children in foster care.
- Addressing learning loss among students, including low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and children and youth in foster care, of the local educational agency, including by—(A) Administering and using high-quality assessments that are valid and reliable, to accurately assess students’ academic progress and assist educators in meeting students’ academic needs, including through differentiating
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- School facility repairs and improvements to enable operation of schools to reduce risk of virus transmission and exposure to environmental health hazards, and to support student health needs.
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- Other activities that are necessary to maintain the operation of and continuity of services in local educational agencies and continuing to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.

Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA shall comply with all applicable requirements of the Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) authorized by the Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act, 2021 (CRRSAA), including:

CONTINUED PAYMENT TO EMPLOYEES

SEC. 18006. A local educational agency, State, institution of higher education, or other entity that receives funds under “Education Stabilization Fund”, shall to the greatest extent practicable, continue to pay its employees and contractors during the period of any disruptions or closures related to coronavirus.

Certification

To the best of my knowledge and belief, all the information and data in this agreement are true and correct. I acknowledge and agree that the failure to comply with all Assurances and Certifications in this Agreement, all relevant provisions and requirements of the CARES Act, Pub. L. No. 116-136 (March 27, 2020), or any other applicable law or regulation may result in liability under the False Claims Act, 31 U.S.C. § 3729, et seq.; OMB Guidelines to Agencies on Governmentwide Debarment and Suspension (Nonprocurement) in 2 CFR part 180, as adopted and amended as regulations of the Department in 2 CFR part 3485; and 18 USC § 1001, as appropriate.

Electronic Signature | Lisa Peters
Date | 05/14/2021

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| 305-1-012-20210608 | Eligible | Direct Allocation | Support Services (School Administration) | Worker’s Compensation | 11A. Planning and implementing summer learning or enrichment programs | $48 | $12 | $24 | $12 | $- | 1-31-2400-270-0000-41A-64953 |
|-------------------|----------|-------------------|----------------------------------------|----------------------|---------------------------------|_____|_____|_____|_____|____| 1-31-2400-270-0000-41A-64953 |
| USD 305 plans to add certified instructional staff to lower class sizes and provide additional help for students who have experienced learning loss. These include classroom teachers, classroom interventionists and virtual interventionists. Students who have gaps in learning due to the pandemic have been identified for additional instruction, whether in small group, pull-out interventions, push-in interventions, smaller classes or additional reteaching opportunities. 24.5 staff located in all 12 school buildings.
| 305-1-013-20210608 | Eligible | Direct Allocation | Instruction Software | 12. Addressing learning loss among students, including vulnerable populations | Purchase of iReady software which will be used to assess students and identify gaps in learning due to the pandemic. This purchase includes software for elementary reading and math as well as middle school math. | $360,000 | $160,795 | $199,205 | $- | $- | 1-31-1000-653-0000-412-64020 |
| USD 305 plans to add classified instructional staff to provide additional help for students who have experienced learning loss. Students who have gaps in learning due to the pandemic have been identified for additional instruction, whether in small group, pull-out interventions, push-in interventions, smaller classes or additional reteaching opportunities. 16 staff.
<p>| 305-1-014-20210608 | Eligible | Direct Allocation | Instruction Regular Certified Salaries | 12. Addressing learning loss among students, including vulnerable populations | USD 305 plans to add certified instructional staff to lower class sizes and provide additional help for students who have experienced learning loss. These include classroom teachers, classroom interventionists and virtual interventionists. Students who have gaps in learning due to the pandemic have been identified for additional instruction, whether in small group, pull-out interventions, push-in interventions, smaller classes or additional reteaching opportunities. 24.5 staff located in all 12 school buildings. | $2,455,684 | $- | $1,227,842 | $1,227,842 | $- | 1-31-1000-110 |
| 305-1-015-20210608 | Eligible | Direct Allocation | Instruction Regular Non-Certified Salaries | 12. Addressing learning loss among students, including vulnerable populations | USD 305 plans to add classified instructional staff to provide additional help for students who have experienced learning loss. Students who have gaps in learning due to the pandemic have been identified for additional instruction, whether in small group, pull-out interventions, push-in interventions, smaller classes or additional reteaching opportunities. 16 staff. | $621,362 | $- | $310,681 | $310,681 | $- | 1-31-1000-120 |</p>
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<td>USD 305 plans to hold professional development for classified staff (paraeducators and instructional assistants) before the start of the school year and during the school year. This training will focus on best practices for interventions for students who have suffered both academic and social emotional loss due to the pandemic. (51 staff at 3 elementary buildings)</td>
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| Eligible | Direct Allocation | Support Services (Students) | General Supplies and Materials | 7. Purchasing supplies to sanitize and clean LEA and school facilities | Purchase personal protective equipment (PPE) such as face masks, instrument bell covers, gloves, etc. to limit spread of COVID19 | $58,000 | $22,000 | $29,000 | $7,000 | $ - |
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Applicant details

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Select an Applicant Type | Unified School District

Applicant / Entity Name | Southeast of Saline USD 306

Applicant / Mailing Address

| 5056 E. K-4 Highway • Gypsum, KS 67448

Applicant / First and Last Name of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director | Roger Stumpf

Applicant / Email Address of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director | rstumpf@usd306.org

Applicant / Phone Number | 7855364291

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Application details

Full District Name | Southeast of Saline

District Number | 306

Mailing Address | Street Address | 5056 E. K-4 Highway
Southeast of Saline suffered 9-weeks of diminished learning when school was dismissed in the Spring of 2020. Although we have not lost a single day of instruction in the 20/21 school year, we have noticed significant impacts to our learning environment. Students are being referred and served by our counseling department and through our Mental Health Pilot Program at a much higher rate. Although we do not have a district operated preschool, we have done kindergarten roundup for next year and have concerns about the impact of wearing masks and social isolation. This continues up through all grades. Some students have performed higher with the alternative learning environments but they are the exception. We are seeing increasing fatigue in students and staff and high levels of stress and anxiety. Many of our mitigation strategies will focus on recovering lost academic skills and addressing the social emotional needs of our population. Much of the cost impact of the pandemic was covered by the Sparks and ESSER I money but those measures did not end at December when the money ran out. We have been covering the costs related to teaching in a pandemic since December and will be asking for some of ESSER II to reimburse those expenses.

Does the district have remaining ESSER I funding that it has not yet spent as of the date of ESSER II application submission? | No

Please review the following allowable uses of ESSER II funds before completing the narrative and Excel template portion of the application.


- Coordination of preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies with State, local, Tribal, and territorial public health departments, and other relevant agencies, to improve coordinated responses among such entities to prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus.
- Providing principals and others school leaders with the resources necessary to address the needs of their individual schools.
- Activities to address the unique needs of low-income children or students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and foster care youth, including how outreach and service delivery will meet the needs of each population.
- Developing and implementing procedures and systems to improve the preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies.
- Training and professional development for staff of the local educational agency on sanitation and minimizing the spread of infectious diseases.
- Purchasing supplies to sanitize and clean the facilities of a local educational agency, including buildings operated by such agency.
- Planning for, coordinating, and implementing activities during long-term closures, including providing meals to eligible students, providing technology for online learning to all students, providing guidance for carrying out requirements under the IDEA and ensuring other educational services can continue to be provided consistent with all Federal, State, and local requirements.
- Purchasing educational technology (including hardware, software, and connectivity) for students who are served by the local educational agency that aids in regular and substantive educational interaction between students and their classroom instructors, including low-income students and children with disabilities, which may include assistive technology or adaptive equipment.
- Providing mental health services and supports.
- Planning and implementing activities related to summer learning and supplemental afterschool programs, including providing classroom instruction or online learning during the summer months and addressing the needs of low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, migrant students, students experiencing homelessness, and children in foster care.
- Addressing learning loss among students, including low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and children and youth in foster care, of the local educational agency, including by— (A) Administering and using high-quality assessments that are valid and reliable, to accurately assess students' academic progress and assist educators in meeting students' academic needs, including through differentiating instruction. (B) Implementing evidence-based activities to meet the comprehensive needs of students. (C) Providing information and assistance to parents and families on how they can effectively support students, including in a distance learning environment. (D) Tracking student attendance and improving student engagement in distance education.
- School facility repairs and improvements to enable operation of schools to reduce risk of virus transmission and exposure to environmental health hazards, and to support student health needs.
- Inspection, testing, maintenance, repair, replacement, and upgrade projects to improve the indoor air quality in school facilities, including mechanical and non-mechanical heating, ventilation, and air conditioning systems, filtering, purification and other air cleaning, fans, control systems, and window and door repair and replacement.
- Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities.
- Other activities that are necessary to maintain the operation of and continuity of services in local educational agencies and continuing to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.

Please note: "Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities," identified as an allowable use under ESSER III in the American Rescue Plan, is also permissible under ESSER II.

Plan for ESSER II Direct District Allocation and KSDE Per-Student Additional Allocation (If Applicable)

Please summarize how the district proposes using its ESSER II direct district allocation (and its KSDE per-student additional allocation, if applicable) to address incremental COVID-19 needs.
We will use nearly a third of the ESSER II dollars to reimburse the district for covid related costs already incurred between the time Sparks and ESSER I ended and the time ESSER II was able to be accessed. These expenses include funding the three paraprofessionals and the three long term subs employed in August to assist the district with covid related absences and assist with covid protocols. We also have spent money on PPE and we have paid wages for our gating committee and our Leadership team meets as they met to review protocols and to plan for covid related expenditures like summer school. We will use funds to design and operate a summer school. We are purchasing a K-12 Social Emotional curriculum to address the growing trauma impacted number of students. We are purchasing an ACT preparatory program to address the decline in post secondary preparedness due to remote learning. We will hire two paras for 21-22 to address the needs of the at-risk and delayed related to remote learning and lost learning. One will serve K-6 and the other 7-12. We will send several elementary teachers to a reading training at ESSDACK to address systematic reading loss. We will bring our Elementary and ELA teachers in for one day training on the science of reading. We will pay for a block of decodable readers to increase access to the material needed for these reading programs to function efficiently. And we will purchase a one year extension to our math curriculum to account for the delay in our normal textbook adoption practices due to the work load associated with covid teaching.

How will the district determine the impact of its ESSER II direct district allocation expenditures (and additional per-student allocation, if applicable) on students?

Southeast of Saline will use the same data tracking that we used to identify learning losses to track the recovery of students through these programs. We are anxious to get our state assessment results back to add to our data pool. We use Fastbridge in the elementary and closely monitor ACT, PSAT, and now PACT scores for trendlines. Like most schools we are nervous about the post secondary success of the classes of 2020 and 2021. We will track college credit earned in HS as well as certificates earned in High School. We also contact graduates one year out to ascertain their progress towards the state definition of success.

Notes on ESSER II application Excel template:

- Plans and budgets should be submitted for at least a 12 month period but do not need to account for the full duration of the program or the full allocation amount. Funds will remain accessible to the LEA until September 30, 2023 and there will be additional opportunities to submit further requests/plans in the future.
- Following ESSER II application approval and initiation of funds draw down, districts will be required to report to the Commissioner's Task Force on ESSER II expenditures and impact on a monthly basis throughout the program. This ESSER II reporting will be required as a part of regular ESSER program reporting, which will capture past expenditures across funding streams (ESSER I, ESSER I SPED, ESSER II, ESSER II SPED, ESSER II KSDE Per Student Allocation). Districts may be asked to provide expenditures by fund, function, object, account, and ESSER II allowable use as part of ongoing ESSER reporting.
- This reporting will not replace any reporting required by the federal government. KSDE will work to maximize compatibility between its reporting requirements and those of the federal government as much as possible to minimize burden on districts.

Please download and complete the ESSER II application template here to provide details on ESSER II budgeted expenditures across allowable uses and KSDE accounting codes.

Local Education Agency (LEA) Assurances

Section I. General Grant Assurances for Federal Funds
Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA will comply with all requirements of:

The LEA will make a good faith effort, on a continuing basis, to maintain a drug-free workplace, in accordance with the measures in 34 CFR Part 84, Subpart B and the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988;

The Education Department General Administrative Regulations (EDGAR) 34 CFR 76 requirements, including:

34 CFR §76.500(a) Federal statutes and regulations on nondiscrimination.

(a) A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the following statutes and regulations:

- Discrimination on the basis of age | The Age Discrimination Act (42 U.S.C. 6101 et seq.) | 34 CFR part 110.

(b) A State or subgrantee that is a covered entity as defined in §108.3 of this title shall comply with the nondiscrimination requirements of the Boy Scouts of America Equal Access Act, 20 U.S.C. 7905, 34 CFR part 108.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))


34 CFR §76.650 Private schools; purpose of §§76.651-76.662.

(a) Under some programs, the authorizing statute requires that a State and its subgrantees provide for participation by students enrolled in private schools. Sections 76.651-76.662 apply to those programs and provide rules for that participation. These sections do not affect the authority of the State or a subgrantee to enter into a contract with a private party.

(b) If any other rules for participation of students enrolled in private schools apply under a particular program, they are in the authorizing statute or implementing regulations for that program.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3 and 3474)

34 CFR §76.700 Compliance with statutes, regulations, State plan, and applications.

A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the State plan and applicable statutes, regulations, and approved applications, and shall use Federal funds in accordance with those statutes, regulations, plan, and applications.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.701 The State or subgrantee administers or supervises each project.

A State or a subgrantee shall directly administer or supervise the administration of each project.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.702 Fiscal control and fund accounting procedures.

A State and a subgrantee shall use fiscal control and fund accounting procedures that insure proper disbursement of and accounting for Federal funds.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.709 Funds may be obligated during a “carryover period.”

(a) If a State or a subgrantee does not obligate all of its grant or subgrant funds by the end of the fiscal year for which Congress appropriated the funds, it may obligate the remaining funds during a carryover period of one additional fiscal year.

(b) The State shall return to the Federal Government any carryover funds not obligated by the end of the carryover period by the State and its subgrantees.

(Authority: U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1225(b), and 3474)


34 CFR §76.722 Subgrantee reporting requirements.

A State may require a subgrantee to submit reports in a manner and format that assists the State in complying with the requirements under 34 CFR 76.720 and in carrying out other responsibilities under the program.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1231a, and 3474)

[72 FR 3703, Jan. 25, 2007]

34 CFR §76.730 Records related to grant funds.

A State and a subgrantee shall keep records that fully show:

(a) The amount of funds under the grant or subgrant;

(b) How the State or subgrantee uses the funds;

(c) The total cost of the project;
Section II. Specific Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) Grant Assurances

The LEA assures that funds shall only be used for any of the following:

- Coordination of preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies with State, local, Tribal, and territorial public health departments, and other relevant agencies, to improve coordinated responses among such entities to prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus.
- Providing principals and others school leaders with the resources necessary to address the needs of their individual schools.
- Activities to address the unique needs of low-income children or students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and foster care youth, including how outreach and service
delivery will meet the needs of each population.

- Developing and implementing procedures and systems to improve the preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies.
- Training and professional development for staff of the local educational agency on sanitation and minimizing the spread of infectious diseases.
- Purchasing supplies to sanitize and clean the facilities of a local educational agency, including buildings operated by such agency.
- Planning for and coordinating during long-term closures, including for how to provide meals to eligible students, how to provide technology for online learning to all students, how to provide guidance for carrying out requirements under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. 1401 et seq.) and how to ensure other educational services can continue to be provided consistent with all Federal, State, and local requirements.
- Purchasing educational technology (including hardware, software, and connectivity) for students who are served by the local educational agency that aids in regular and substantive educational interaction between students and their classroom instructors, including low-income students and students with disabilities, which may include assistive technology or adaptive equipment.
- Providing mental health services and supports.
- Planning and implementing activities related to summer learning and supplemental afterschool programs, including providing classroom instruction or online learning during the summer months and addressing the needs of low-income students, students with disabilities, English learners, migrant students, students experiencing homelessness, and children in foster care.
- Addressing learning loss among students, including low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and children and youth in foster care, of the local educational agency, including by—(A) Administering and using high-quality assessments that are valid and reliable, to accurately assess students’ academic progress and assist educators in meeting students’ academic needs, including through differentiating instruction. (B) Implementing evidence-based activities to meet the comprehensive needs of students. (C) Providing information and assistance to parents and families on how they can effectively support students, including in a distance learning environment. (D) Tracking student attendance and improving student engagement in distance education.
- School facility repairs and improvements to enable operation of schools to reduce risk of virus transmission and exposure to environmental health hazards, and to support student health needs.
- Inspection, testing, maintenance, repair, replacement, and upgrade projects to improve the indoor air quality in school facilities, including mechanical and non-mechanical heating, ventilation, and air conditioning systems, filtering, purification and other air cleaning, fans, control systems, and window and door repair and replacement.
- Other activities that are necessary to maintain the operation of and continuity of services in local educational agencies and continuing to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.

Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA shall comply with all applicable requirements of the Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) authorized by the Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act, 2021 (CRRSAA), including:

CONTINUED PAYMENT TO EMPLOYEES

SEC. 18006. A local educational agency, State, institution of higher education, or other entity that receives funds under “Education Stabilization Fund”, shall to the greatest extent practicable, continue to pay its employees and contractors during the period of any disruptions or closures related to coronavirus.

**Certification**

To the best of my knowledge and belief, all the information and data in this agreement are true and correct. I acknowledge and agree that the failure to comply with all Assurances and Certifications in this Agreement, all relevant provisions and requirements of the CARES Act, Pub. L. No. 116-136 (March 27, 2020), or any other applicable law or regulation may result in liability under the False Claims Act, 31 U.S.C. § 3729, et seq.; OMB Guidelines to Agencies on Governmentwide Debarment and Suspension (Nonprocurement) in 2 CFR part 180, as adopted and amended as regulations of the Department in 2 CFR part 3485; and 18 USC § 1001, as appropriate.

Electronic Signature | Roger A. Stumpf
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<td>USD 306 hired 3 long term paras to assist with covid protocols and reduce class size. We also hired 3 full time substitute teachers to address increased absenteeism due to covid quarantine and illness. The money to pay these hires expired in December and we needed to “continue to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.”</td>
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<td>Staff were paid an hourly rate to meet in committees to “develop strategies and implementing public heath protocols for the reopening and continued operation of school facilities.” Gating committee met weekly for a while then bi-monthly. Meetings were 30 minutes paid at $20 per hour. Leadership committee met periodically to review remote learning issues and plan for learning loss.</td>
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<td>We purchased a number of different PPE items and cleaning supplies including disinfectants, vacuums, electrostatic sprayers, gloves, and more. These supplies were necessary both to directly attack the virus but also to quicken the cleaning process to allow for the extra burden covid cleaning put on our custodial staff.</td>
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<td>11A. Planning and implementing summer learning or enrichment programs</td>
<td>USD 306 has not operated an academic summer school so this implementation took a lot of planning. We are budgeting for 12 teachers working half days over three weeks hoping to service 120 students. Realistically we fear that we will get half that number of students to enroll. Our budget is attached to the application. Subsequent years of summer school will be funded through ESSER III.</td>
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<td>3. Providing principals and other school leaders with resources to address individual school needs</td>
<td>We felt it necessary to provide a comprehensive social emotional curriculum with the accompanying training to address the mental health and social deficits caused by social isolation and mask wearing during FY21. The counseling department chose Character Strong and the staff will be fully trained in the program May 3. This could have fallen under item 10 but we are part of the mental health pilot program and do not want to create conflict or confusion with those services already receiving financial assistance. The district will assume the ongoing costs of this program after this initial start up cost as we feel the needs of our students will not be resolved quickly and this program will provide long term benefits.</td>
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<td>12. Addressing learning loss among students, including vulnerable populations</td>
<td>KSDE has expressed much concern over those students who are close to graduation and have been discouraged from their post-secondary goals due to the remote learning and isolation of COVID teaching. In an effort to encourage post secondary goals and maximize the student incentive to move forward with college plans we plan to purchase an ACT test prep program that will be integrated into their college and career MTSS sessions being added into the HS schedule.</td>
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Applicant requested that FY 22 $1,985 be removed to comply with District Allocation.
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<th>We intend to hire two paraprofessionals to &quot;meet the comprehensive needs of students.&quot; One para will be assigned to K-6 and the other to 7-12. These are new positions in addition to our normal compliment of special education and title paras that will assist struggling students &quot;address learning loss, including low-income students, children with disabilities, and minorities.&quot; Budget includes salary and all associated costs. It will be our intention of continuing these two positions with funding from ESSER III for an additional two years.</th>
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<td>We will be sending several teachers and paraprofessionals to an intensive reading training at ESSDACK over the summer to &quot;address learning loss among students, including low-income, children with disabilities, and minorities by implementing evidence-based activities to meet the comprehensive needs of students.&quot;</td>
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Applicant requested that FY 21 budget be removed; Add FY22 $27,181
<p>| Eligible Direct Allocation | Support Services - School Administration | Debt Service &amp; Miscellaneous | 3. Providing principals and other school leaders with resources to address individual school needs | Teachers will be receiving multiple trainings over the summer in the science of reading and we find that we are short in decodable readers to implement these strategies in an effective and efficient way to remediate lost learning. This purchase will proved the elementary principal with the resources necessary to address the reading needs of our students. | $6,000 | $6,000 | $- | $- | $- | $- | 57-1-2400-800 |
|---------------------------|------------------------------------------|-----------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Eligible Direct Allocation | Support Services - Instruction           | Regular Certified Salaries   | 16. Other activities necessary to maintain LEA operations and services and employ existing LEA staff | Teachers were required to supervise students during mornings in the classroom in order to keep students from congregating in groups and to maintain cohorts for Covid protocols. This additional supervision should be compensated as per our negotiated agreement. Minimum 10 minutes for approximately 50 teachers over 170 days. This equates to about $2 per day or $12 per hour based on the 10 minute figure. | $25,000 | $25,000 | $- | $- | $- | $- | 57-4-2200-110 | Applicant requested FY21 $18,000 be amended to $25,000; Applicant clarified this is a reimbursement. |
| Eligible Direct Allocation | Instruction                              | Temporarily Certified Substitute Salaries for Certified Staff | 16. Other activities necessary to maintain LEA operations and services and employ existing LEA staff | USD 306 hired 3 full time substitute teachers to address increased absenteeism due to covid quarantine and illness. The money to pay these hires expired in December and we needed to “continue to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.” | $34,375 | $34,375 | $- | $- | $- | $- | 57-2-1000-115 |</p>
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Information as it relates to COVID-19; Applicant responded via email: We purchased several document cameras to assist with remote teaching during covid quarantine. We also purchased individual art supplies to reduce sharing in the age of covid because it is very difficult to sanitize every single surface. Allowable to a) reimburse the district for prior remote learning expenses b) incur new expenses related to actual current/perpetual remote learning circumstances, and/or c) to budget for potential future remote learning expenses. Please note that expenses should not be incurred to purchase property to hold in the unlikely event of potential future remote learning needs.
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Information as it relates to COVID-19: Applicant responded via email: We purchased a block of hot-spots with our SPARKS money. As quarantines declined we canceled most of the subscriptions but need to keep several active to help with the occasional quarantine of student or teacher. Hot-spots x 5 (April, May, June). With the additional at home use of devices we had to upgrade our content filter to provide filters off campus as well as on campus. Allowable to a) reimburse the district for prior remote learning expenses b) incur new expenses related to actual current/perpetual remote learning circumstances, and/or c) to budget for potential future remote learning expenses. Please note that expenses should not be incurred to purchase property to hold in the unlikely event of potential future remote learning needs.

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Applicant responded via email: More disinfectant as we went through so much more sanitizing every desk every hour.

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 Applicant details

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Select an Applicant Type
Unified School District

Applicant / Entity Name
Haven USD 312

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Applicant / Phone Number
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Application details

Full District Name
Haven

District Number
312
The lockdown in response to COVID-19 has interrupted our schooling this past year. While we have made efforts to maintain learning during this period, our students have had to rely more on their own resources to continue learning remotely. While we tried micro-cohorts at the elementary level teachers still had to adapt to new modes of instruction which put stress on them and the students. We found that we needed more technology to be more efficient in delivering online/remote instruction. We also found that we needed more staff members to help implement interventions and mental health services. Our mental health services are increasing. It is essential that our mental health issues be identified and treated because research shows mental health and academic achievement are linked. We need to work on building positive relationships in order to gain trust and confidence and be able to help students move forward to be successful. We have 47% of our student population that is ESOL, SPED or in poverty.

Does the district have remaining ESSER I funding that it has not yet spent as of the date of ESSER II application submission?

Yes

Please summarize how the district will use its remaining ESSER I and ESSER I SPED funding and what it hopes to accomplish with these funds.

We will be using the remaining ESSER I funds to pay teachers for their time during the time we had micro cohorts. In order to keep students in school we tried micro cohorts so that our elementary students could stay in school. In return some of our teachers did not get their full plan times or lunch times so we are using these funds to pay them for their time.
We are also using the ESSER I funds for additional positions that we hired for like temp takers, extra part time nurse, para’s, etc. We are also utilizing the remaining funds for supplies to clean and sanitize the buildings in the District.

Please review the following allowable uses of ESSER II funds before completing the narrative and Excel template portion of the application.


- Coordination of preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies with State, local, Tribal, and territorial public health departments, and other relevant agencies, to improve coordinated responses among such entities to prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus.

- Providing principals and others school leaders with the resources necessary to address the needs of their individual schools.

- Activities to address the unique needs of low-income children or students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and foster care youth, including how outreach and service delivery will meet the needs of each population.

- Developing and implementing procedures and systems to improve the preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies.

- Training and professional development for staff of the local educational agency on sanitation and minimizing the spread of infectious diseases.

- Purchasing supplies to sanitize and clean the facilities of a local educational agency, including buildings operated by such agency.

- Planning for, coordinating, and implementing activities during long-term closures, including providing meals to eligible students, providing technology for online learning to all students, providing guidance for carrying out requirements under the IDEA and ensuring other educational services can continue to be provided consistent with all Federal, State, and local requirements.

- Purchasing educational technology (including hardware, software, and connectivity) for students who are served by the local educational agency that aids in regular and substantive educational interaction between students and their classroom instructors, including low-income students and children with disabilities, which may include assistive technology or adaptive equipment.

- Providing mental health services and supports.

- Planning and implementing activities related to summer learning and supplemental afterschool programs, including providing classroom instruction or online learning during the summer months and addressing the needs of low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, migrant students, students experiencing homelessness, and children in foster care.

- Addressing learning loss among students, including low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and children and youth in foster care, of the local educational agency, including by— (A) Administering and using high-quality assessments that are valid and reliable, to accurately assess students’ academic progress and assist educators in meeting students’ academic needs, including through differentiating instruction. (B) Implementing evidence-based activities to meet the comprehensive needs of students. (C) Providing information and assistance to parents and families on how they can effectively support students, including in a distance learning environment. (D) Tracking student attendance and improving student engagement in distance education.

- School facility repairs and improvements to enable operation of schools to reduce risk of virus transmission and exposure to environmental health hazards, and to support student health needs.

- Inspection, testing, maintenance, repair, replacement, and upgrade projects to improve the indoor air quality in school facilities, including mechanical and non-mechanical heating, ventilation, and air conditioning systems, filtering, purification and other air cleaning, fans, control systems, and window and door repair and replacement.

- Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities.

- Other activities that are necessary to maintain the operation of and continuity of services in local educational agencies and continuing to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.
Please note: “Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities,” identified as an allowable use under ESSER III in the American Rescue Plan, is also permissible under ESSER II.

Plan for ESSER II Direct District Allocation and KSDE Per-Student Additional Allocation (If Applicable)

Please summarize how the district proposes using its ESSER II direct district allocation (and its KSDE per-student additional allocation, if applicable) to address incremental COVID-19 needs.

We are proposing to have a Summer Academy that will address the needs of our low income students, children with disabilities and ESL learners. We are using spring AIMSweb data to invite students into the academy and create a hands-on experience for them that will focus on academic and social/emotional needs.

We would like to hire a 7-12 interventionist to provide high quality instruction that will target specific skills for individual students and small groups. This will help with those students that may be behind on skills and get them on grade level. iPADS and Promethean Boards will also be purchased. We would like to have one-to-one devices for our K-2 students to be successful inside and outside of the classroom. Interactive Promethean boards give our students great learning opportunities but they will also help teachers with remote learning. If a student misses school or needs to connect remotely this will allow them to do that.

We would like to make our ½ time counselor into a full time counselor. Currently this position serves half time at two buildings and due to the rise in mental health services making this position full time will help with providing adequate services and support for our students.

We would like to implement an After School Program at the beginning of the 2021-2022 school year. We will use Fastbridge data to determine the students that need extra support and provide specific instruction for them after school. We are in need of a new sanitizing washer and dryer at the Grade School and High School. This will help with cleaning towels, uniforms, and school clothes. We would like to purchase a SaniDry Sedona Dehumidifier for the basement at the Grade School. This eliminates damp, musty odors by drying and filtering the air.

How will the district determine the impact of its ESSER II direct district allocation expenditures (and additional per-student allocation, if applicable) on students?

We will determine the impact of our Summer Academy, Interventionist, Counselor, and After School program by using data from our Fastbridge testing. We will be able to address learning loss among students by looking at academic and social/emotional needs for each individual student and help them improve their skills and target what specific skills they are missing. We will be able to meet the needs of our students and teachers by providing technology to all students including our low income families so classroom instruction and home instruction can be provided. We will continue to sanitize and clean the facilities with our sanitizing materials and keep up with maintenance so that everyone feels safe coming into the buildings.

Notes on ESSER II application Excel template:

- Plans and budgets should be submitted for at least a 12 month period but do not need to account for the full duration of the program or the full allocation amount. Funds will remain accessible to the LEA until September 30, 2023 and there will be additional opportunities to submit further requests/plans in the future.
- Following ESSER II application approval and initiation of funds draw down, districts will be required to report to the Commissioner’s Task Force on ESSER II expenditures and impact on a monthly basis throughout the program. This ESSER II reporting will be required as a part of regular ESSER program reporting, which will capture past expenditures across funding streams (ESSER I, ESSER I SPED, ESSER II, ESSER II SPED, ESSER II KSDE Per Student Allocation). Districts may be asked to provide expenditures by fund, function, object, account, and ESSER II allowable use as part of ongoing ESSER reporting.
- This reporting will not replace any reporting required by the federal government. KSDE will work to maximize compatibility between its reporting requirements and those of the federal government as much as possible to minimize burden on districts.
Please download and complete the ESSER II application template [here](#) to provide details on ESSER II budgeted expenditures across allowable uses and KSDE accounting codes.

**Local Education Agency (LEA) Assurances**

**Section I. General Grant Assurances for Federal Funds**

Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA will comply with all requirements of:

The LEA will make a good faith effort, on a continuing basis, to maintain a drug-free workplace, in accordance with the measures in 34 CFR Part 84, Subpart B and the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988;

The Education Department General Administrative Regulations (EDGAR) 34 CFR 76 requirements, including:

34 CFR §76.500(a) Federal statutes and regulations on nondiscrimination.

(a) A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the following statutes and regulations:

- Discrimination on the basis of age | The Age Discrimination Act (42 U.S.C. 6101 et seq.) | 34 CFR part 110.

(b) A State or subgrantee that is a covered entity as defined in §108.3 of this title shall comply with the nondiscrimination requirements of the Boy Scouts of America Equal Access Act, 20 U.S.C. 7905, 34 CFR part 108.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))


34 CFR §76.650 Private schools; purpose of §§76.651-76.662.

(a) Under some programs, the authorizing statute requires that a State and its subgrantees provide for participation by students enrolled in private schools. Sections 76.651-76.662 apply to those programs and provide rules for that participation. These sections do not affect the authority of the State or a subgrantee to enter into a contract with a private party.

(b) If any other rules for participation of students enrolled in private schools apply under a particular program, they are in the authorizing statute or implementing regulations for that program.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3 and 3474)

34 CFR §76.700 Compliance with statutes, regulations, State plan, and applications.

A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the State plan and applicable statutes, regulations, and approved applications, and shall use Federal funds in accordance with those statutes, regulations, plan, and applications.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.701 The State or subgrantee administers or supervises each project.

A State or a subgrantee shall directly administer or supervise the administration of each project.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.702 Fiscal control and fund accounting procedures.

A State and a subgrantee shall use fiscal control and fund accounting procedures that insure proper disbursement of and accounting for Federal funds.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.709 Funds may be obligated during a “carryover period.”

(a) If a State or a subgrantee does not obligate all of its grant or subgrant funds by the end of the fiscal year for which Congress appropriated the funds, it may obligate the remaining funds during a carryover period of one additional fiscal year.

(b) The State shall return to the Federal Government any carryover funds not obligated by the end of the carryover period by the State and its subgrantees.

(Authority: U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1225(b), and 3474)
Subgrantee reporting requirements.

A State may require a subgrantee to submit reports in a manner and format that assists the State in complying with the requirements under 34 CFR 76.720 and in carrying out other responsibilities under the program.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1231a, and 3474)

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(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1231a, and 3474)

Records related to grant funds.

A State and a subgrantee shall keep records that fully show:

(a) The amount of funds under the grant or subgrant;
(b) How the State or subgrantee uses the funds;
(c) The total cost of the project;
(d) The share of that cost provided from other sources; and
(e) Other records to facilitate an effective audit.

(Approved by the Office of Management and Budget under control number 1880-0513)

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1232f)

Records related to compliance.

A State and a subgrantee shall keep records to show its compliance with program requirements.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

The Uniform Grant Guidance, 2 CFR §200 all applicable subrecipient requirements, including but not limited to:

2 CFR Subpart D – Post Federal Award Requirements
§200.302 Financial management.
§200.303 Internal controls.
§200.305 Payment.
§200.313 Equipment.
§200.314 Supplies.
§200.318 General procurement standards.
§200.320 Methods of procurement to be followed;
2 CFR 200 Subpart E: Cost Principles:
§200.403 Factors affecting allowability of costs.
§200.404 Reasonable costs.
§200.405 Allocable costs.
§200.413 Direct costs.
§200.415 Required certifications.
§200.430 Compensation—personal services.

The Debarment and Suspension, 34 CFR Part 85, Section 85.510, Participants' Responsibilities and makes the following certification by signing this application:

The prospective lower-tier participant certifies, by submission of this proposal, that neither it nor its principals is presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction by any federal department or agency.

Where the prospective lower-tier participant is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, such prospective participant shall attach an explanation to this proposal.

This certification is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was made or entered into. Submission of this certification is a prerequisite for making or entering into this transaction imposed by Section 1352, Title 31, U.S. Code. Any person who fails to file the required certification shall be subject to a civil penalty of not less than $10,000 for such failure.

Section II. Specific Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) Grant Assurances

The LEA assures that funds shall only be used for any of the following:


34 CFR §76.722 Subgrantee reporting requirements.

34 CFR §76.730 Records related to grant funds.

34 CFR §76.731 Records related to compliance.

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Providing principals and others school leaders with the resources necessary to address the needs of their individual schools.

Activities to address the unique needs of low-income children or students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and foster care youth, including how outreach and service delivery will meet the needs of each population.

Developing and implementing procedures and systems to improve the preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies.

Training and professional development for staff of the local educational agency on sanitation and minimizing the spread of infectious diseases.

Purchasing supplies to sanitize and clean the facilities of a local educational agency, including buildings operated by such agency.

Planning for and coordinating during long-term closures, including for how to provide meals to eligible students, how to provide technology for online learning to all students, how to provide guidance for carrying out requirements under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. 1401 et seq.) and how to ensure other educational services can continue to be provided consistent with all Federal, State, and local requirements.

Purchasing educational technology (including hardware, software, and connectivity) for students who are served by the local educational agency that aids in regular and substantive educational interaction between students and their classroom instructors, including low-income students and students with disabilities, which may include assistive technology or adaptive equipment.

Providing mental health services and supports.

Planning and implementing activities related to summer learning and supplemental afterschool programs, including providing classroom instruction or online learning during the summer months and addressing the needs of low income students, students with disabilities, English learners, migrant students, students experiencing homelessness, and children in foster care.

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Other activities that are necessary to maintain the operation of and continuity of services in local educational agencies and continuing to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.

Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA shall comply with all applicable requirements of the Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) authorized by the Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act, 2021 (CRRSA), including:

CONTINUED PAYMENT TO EMPLOYEES
SEC. 18006. A local educational agency, State, institution of higher education, or other entity that receives funds under
“Education Stabilization Fund”, shall to the greatest extent practicable, continue to pay its employees and contractors during the period of any disruptions or closures related to coronavirus.

**Certification**

To the best of my knowledge and belief, all the information and data in this agreement are true and correct. I acknowledge and agree that the failure to comply with all Assurances and Certifications in this Agreement, all relevant provisions and requirements of the CARES Act, Pub. L. No. 116-136 (March 27, 2020), or any other applicable law or regulation may result in liability under the False Claims Act, 31 U.S.C. § 3729, et seq.; OMB Guidelines to Agencies on Governmentwide Debarment and Suspension (Nonprocurement) in 2 CFR part 180, as adopted and amended as regulations of the Department in 2 CFR part 3485; and 18 USC § 1001, as appropriate.

Electronic Signature │ Kara A Schwindt
Date │ 05/20/2021

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<td>Per applicant. Staff. We will hire and prepare teachers for a positive and engaging Summer Academy. We currently have 16 teachers K-12 that are signed up and ready to help with summer school. We have sent out invitations to 141 students. The program runs 4 Days a Week (Monday-Thurday), 8:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m., June 7-July 1. Free lunch and breakfast will be provided each day for students. Transportation will be provided. Location Information: K-6 Location: Haven Grade School, and 7-12 Location: Haven High School. Planning Time-Teachers will be meeting several times before the beginning of summer school to look at data and plan for instruction. Teachers will be allotted 1 hour of plan time a day when summer school starts to prepare for the day. Teachers are paid $25/hour and will work four hours Monday through Thursday. Instruction/ Curriculum: Students in grades K-8 will experience a hands-on Explorations summer program curriculum. We will be addressing the needs of low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, migrant students, students experiencing homelessness, and children in foster care. Focus areas include: Reading and Math, STEM, Problem-Solving and Team-Building, Social Studies, Civic Engagement, Environmental Education, and Career Exploration. In grades 9-12 we will implement Credit Recovery programs for students in person. Teachers will also be providing individual skill based lessons based off of data and STEM activities. Field Trips- Each week we will also include push-in field trips where students can get real world experiences. $500. Supplies: We are asking for an additional $1100 in supplies. This includes but is not limited to paper, pencils, crayons, markers, paint, instructional copies, etc. Transportation: The cost for drivers and fuel for the summer is $1,153.</td>
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Full District Name  |  Phillipsburg
District Number  |  325
Mailing Address | Street Address  |  240 S 7TH STREET
Emotional impact has been a concern as well as learning loss but I must admit we are lucky enough to have been face to face all year. We hired extra staff to help with remote learners who so chose and extra staff for cleaning and preparing meals. We also served all meals in alternate locations such as gyms and classrooms.

Does the district have remaining ESSER I funding that it has not yet spent as of the date of ESSER II application submission? No

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Plan for ESSER II Direct District Allocation and KSDE Per-Student Additional Allocation (If Applicable)

Please summarize how the district proposes using its ESSER II direct district allocation (and its KSDE per-student additional allocation, if applicable) to address incremental COVID-19 needs.

We will provide summer school both this summer and next summer. We will hire extra aides to help with learning loss in the elementary and also purchase some extra programs to track learning loss/gains as we try to combat the impact of COVID. We would like to add windows at the high school that open so we can get fresh air into the building. We would like to add auto faucets to reduce the spread of germs.

How will the district determine the impact of its ESSER II direct district allocation expenditures (and additional per-student allocation, if applicable) on students?

We hope to improve reading and math scores on our screeners and with the window installation and fresh air moving through the building we want to reduce illnesses and absences.

Notes on ESSER II application Excel template:
• Plans and budgets should be submitted for at least a 12 month period but do not need to account for the full duration of the program or the full allocation amount. Funds will remain accessible to the LEA until September 30, 2023 and there will be additional opportunities to submit further requests/plans in the future.

• Following ESSER II application approval and initiation of funds draw down, districts will be required to report to the Commissioner’s Task Force on ESSER II expenditures and impact on a monthly basis throughout the program. This ESSER II reporting will be required as a part of regular ESSER program reporting, which will capture past expenditures across funding streams (ESSER I, ESSER I SPED, ESSER II, ESSER II SPED, ESSER II KSDE Per Student Allocation). Districts may be asked to provide expenditures by fund, function, object, account, and ESSER II allowable use as part of ongoing ESSER reporting.

• This reporting will not replace any reporting required by the federal government. KSDE will work to maximize compatibility between its reporting requirements and those of the federal government as much as possible to minimize burden on districts.

Please download and complete the ESSER II application template [here](#) to provide details on ESSER II budgeted expenditures across allowable uses and KSDE accounting codes.

**Local Education Agency (LEA) Assurances**

**Section I. General Grant Assurances for Federal Funds**

Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA will comply with all requirements of:

The LEA will make a good faith effort, on a continuing basis, to maintain a drug-free workplace, in accordance with the measures in 34 CFR Part 84, Subpart B and the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988;

The Education Department General Administrative Regulations (EDGAR) 34 CFR 76 requirements, including:

34 CFR §76.500(a) Federal statutes and regulations on nondiscrimination.

(a) A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the following statutes and regulations:

- Discrimination on the basis of age | The Age Discrimination Act (42 U.S.C. 6101 et seq.) | 34 CFR part 110.

(b) A State or subgrantee that is a covered entity as defined in §108.3 of this title shall comply with the nondiscrimination requirements of the Boy Scouts of America Equal Access Act, 20 U.S.C. 7905, 34 CFR part 108.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.650 Private schools; purpose of §§76.651-76.662.

(a) Under some programs, the authorizing statute requires that a State and its subgrantees provide for participation by students enrolled in private schools. Sections 76.651-76.662 apply to those programs and provide rules for that participation. These sections do not affect the authority of the State or a subgrantee to enter into a contract with a private party.

(b) If any other rules for participation of students enrolled in private schools apply under a particular program, they are in the authorizing statute or implementing regulations for that program.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3 and 3474)

34 CFR §76.700 Compliance with statutes, regulations, State plan, and applications.

A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the State plan and applicable statutes, regulations, and approved applications, and
shall use Federal funds in accordance with those statutes, regulations, plan, and applications.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.701 The State or subgrantee administers or supervises each project.
A State or a subgrantee shall directly administer or supervise the administration of each project.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.702 Fiscal control and fund accounting procedures.
A State and a subgrantee shall use fiscal control and fund accounting procedures that insure proper disbursement of and accounting for Federal funds.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.709 Funds may be obligated during a “carryover period.”
(a) If a State or a subgrantee does not obligate all of its grant or subgrant funds by the end of the fiscal year for which Congress appropriated the funds, it may obligate the remaining funds during a carryover period of one additional fiscal year.
(b) The State shall return to the Federal Government any carryover funds not obligated by the end of the carryover period by the State and its subgrantees.

(Authority: U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1225(b), and 3474)

34 CFR §76.720 Subgrantee reporting requirements.
A State may require a subgrantee to submit reports in a manner and format that assists the State in complying with the requirements under 34 CFR 76.720 and in carrying out other responsibilities under the program.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1231a, and 3474)

[72 FR 3703, Jan. 25, 2007]

34 CFR §76.730 Records related to grant funds.
A State and a subgrantee shall keep records that fully show:
(a) The amount of funds under the grant or subgrant;
(b) How the State or subgrantee uses the funds;
(c) The total cost of the project;
(d) The share of that cost provided from other sources; and
(e) Other records to facilitate an effective audit.

(Approved by the Office of Management and Budget under control number 1880-0513)

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1232f)


34 CFR §76.722 Subgrantee reporting requirements.
A State and a subgrantee shall keep records to show its compliance with program requirements.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

The Uniform Grant Guidance, 2 CFR §200 all applicable subrecipient requirements, including but not limited to:

2 CFR Subpart D – Post Federal Award Requirements
$200.302 Financial management.
$200.303 Internal controls.
$200.305 Payment.
$200.313 Equipment.
$200.314 Supplies.
$200.318 General procurement standards.
$200.320 Methods of procurement to be followed;

2 CFR 200 Subpart E: Cost Principles:
$200.403 Factors affecting allowability of costs.
$200.404 Reasonable costs.
$200.405 Allocable costs.
$200.413 Direct costs.
$200.415 Required certifications.
$200.430 Compensation—personal services.

The Debarment and Suspension, 34 CFR Part 85, Section 85.510, Participants’ Responsibilities and makes the following certification by signing this application:
The prospective lower-tier participant certifies, by submission of this proposal, that neither it nor its principals is presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction by any federal department or agency. Where the prospective lower-tier participant is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, such prospective participant shall attach an explanation to this proposal. This certification is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was made or entered into. Submission of this certification is a prerequisite for making or entering into this transaction imposed by Section 1352, Title 31, U.S. Code. Any person who fails to file the required certification shall be subject to a civil penalty of not less than $10,000 for such failure.

Section II. Specific Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) Grant Assurances

The LEA assures that funds shall only be used for any of the following:

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Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA shall comply with all applicable requirements of the Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) authorized by the Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act, 2021 (CRRSAA), including:

CONTINUED PAYMENT TO EMPLOYEES
SEC. 18006. A local educational agency, State, institution of higher education, or other entity that receives funds under "Education Stabilization Fund", shall to the greatest extent practicable, continue to pay its employees and contractors during the period of any disruptions or closures related to coronavirus.

Certification

To the best of my knowledge and belief, all the information and data in this agreement are true and correct. I acknowledge and agree that the failure to comply with all Assurances and Certifications in this Agreement, all relevant provisions and requirements of the CARES Act, Pub. L. No. 116-136 (March 27, 2020), or any other applicable law or regulation may result in liability under the False Claims Act, 31 U.S.C. § 3729, et seq.; OMB Guidelines to Agencies on Governmentwide Debarment and Suspension (Nonprocurement) in 2 CFR part 180, as adopted and amended as regulations of the Department in 2 CFR part 3485; and 18 USC § 1001, as appropriate.

Electronic Signature    Michael E Gower
Date                   05/17/2021

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Full District Name

Concordia Public Schools
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Please summarize how the district proposes using its ESSER II direct district allocation (and its KSDE per-student additional allocation, if applicable) to address incremental COVID-19 needs.
We propose using the ESSER II direct district allocation in the following manner: 1. Cleaning supplies, plexiglass screens, & other PPE to reduce the spread of COVID. 2. Thermal scanners and thermometers to prevent the spread of COVID-19. 3. Purchase K-12 curriculum with online materials & components. 4. Content filtering for at home online learning. 5. Technology software & hardware to address online learning as well as in person learning—Teacher cameras, teacher laptops, Clear Touch boards, & networking equipment. 6. Teacher & para wages & payroll taxes, transportation expenses, curriculum and instructional supplies for summer school classes. 7. Wages paid to employees while quarantined due to COVID or COVID exposure. 8. Professional development to address learning loss & adaptive learning. All of these expenses directly impact our students’ safety and ability to learn both in the classroom as well as remotely.

How will the district determine the impact of its ESSER II direct district allocation expenditures (and additional per-student allocation, if applicable) on students?

We are engaged in ongoing reviews of student data. State assessment scores, Aimsweb data, ACT Suite of Assessments and other measures are used to determine effectiveness of current programs and to determine direction for future enhancements. We will continue to utilize formative and summative assessments to map growth in reading and math. We use the Multi-Tier Systems of Support Model to help meet learners’ needs. Aimsweb is used as a universal screener for students K-8. Monitoring reports show student progress towards goals and determine effectiveness of interventions. We are working with Kansas MTSS and have purchased Fastbridge to provide a more systematic approach for district formative and summative assessment, dyslexia screening and social emotional monitoring. Transitioning from Aim’s Web to “Fastbridge” K-12 will monitor progress K-8 through Aims to provide longitudinal data. 9-12 will be primarily handled through ACT and State Assessment data, and credit recovery.

Notes on ESSER II application Excel template:

- Plans and budgets should be submitted for at least a 12 month period but do not need to account for the full duration of the program or the full allocation amount. Funds will remain accessible to the LEA until September 30, 2023 and there will be additional opportunities to submit further requests/plans in the future.
- Following ESSER II application approval and initiation of funds draw down, districts will be required to report to the Commissioner’s Task Force on ESSER II expenditures and impact on a monthly basis throughout the program. This ESSER II reporting will be required as a part of regular ESSER program reporting, which will capture past expenditures across funding streams (ESSER I, ESSER I SPED, ESSER II, ESSER II SPED, ESSER II KSDE Per Student Allocation). Districts may be asked to provide expenditures by fund, function, object, account, and ESSER II allowable use as part of ongoing ESSER reporting.
- This reporting will not replace any reporting required by the federal government. KSDE will work to maximize compatibility between its reporting requirements and those of the federal government as much as possible to minimize burden on districts.

Please download and complete the ESSER II application template [here](file) to provide details on ESSER II budgeted expenditures across allowable uses and KSDE accounting codes.

Local Education Agency (LEA) Assurances

Section I. General Grant Assurances for Federal Funds

Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA will comply with all requirements of:
The LEA will make a good faith effort, on a continuing basis, to maintain a drug-free workplace, in accordance with the measures in 34 CFR Part 84, Subpart B and the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988;
The Education Department General Administrative Regulations (EDGAR) 34 CFR 76 requirements, including:

34 CFR §76.500(a) Federal statutes and regulations on nondiscrimination.
(a) A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the following statutes and regulations:

- Discrimination on the basis of age | The Age Discrimination Act (42 U.S.C. 6101 et seq.) | 34 CFR part 110.

(b) A State or subgrantee that is a covered entity as defined in §108.3 of this title shall comply with the nondiscrimination requirements of the Boy Scouts of America Equal Access Act, 20 U.S.C. 7905, 34 CFR part 108.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))


34 CFR §76.650 Private schools; purpose of §§76.651-76.662.

(a) Under some programs, the authorizing statute requires that a State and its subgrantees provide for participation by students enrolled in private schools. Sections 76.651-76.662 apply to those programs and provide rules for that participation. These sections do not affect the authority of the State or a subgrantee to enter into a contract with a private party.

(b) If any other rules for participation of students enrolled in private schools apply under a particular program, they are in the authorizing statute or implementing regulations for that program.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3 and 3474)

34 CFR §76.700 Compliance with statutes, regulations, State plan, and applications.
A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the State plan and applicable statutes, regulations, and approved applications, and shall use Federal funds in accordance with those statutes, regulations, plan, and applications.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.701 The State or subgrantee administers or supervises each project.
A State or a subgrantee shall directly administer or supervise the administration of each project.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.702 Fiscal control and fund accounting procedures.
A State and a subgrantee shall use fiscal control and fund accounting procedures that insure proper disbursement of and accounting for Federal funds.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.709 Funds may be obligated during a “carryover period.”
(a) If a State or a subgrantee does not obligate all of its grant or subgrant funds by the end of the fiscal year for which Congress appropriated the funds, it may obligate the remaining funds during a carryover period of one additional fiscal year.

(b) The State shall return to the Federal Government any carryover funds not obligated by the end of the carryover period by the State and its subgrantees.

(Authority: U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1225(b), and 3474)


34 CFR §76.722 Subgrantee reporting requirements.
A State may require a subgrantee to submit reports in a manner and format that assists the State in complying with the requirements under 34 CFR 76.720 and in carrying out other responsibilities under the program.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1231a, and 3474)

[72 FR 3703, Jan. 25, 2007]

34 CFR §76.730 Records related to grant funds.
A State and a subgrantee shall keep records that fully show:
(a) The amount of funds under the grant or subgrant;
(b) How the State or subgrantee uses the funds;
(c) The total cost of the project;
(d) The share of that cost provided from other sources; and
(e) Other records to facilitate an effective audit.

(Approved by the Office of Management and Budget under control number 1880-0513)
A State and a subgrantee shall keep records to show its compliance with program requirements.

The Uniform Grant Guidance, 2 CFR §200 all applicable subrecipient requirements, including but not limited to:

§200.302 Financial management.
§200.303 Internal controls.
§200.305 Payment.
§200.313 Equipment.
§200.314 Supplies.
§200.318 General procurement standards.
§200.320 Methods of procurement to be followed;
2 CFR 200 Subpart E: Cost Principles:
§200.403 Factors affecting allowability of costs.
§200.404 Reasonable costs.
§200.405 Allocable costs.
§200.413 Direct costs.
§200.415 Required certifications.
§200.430 Compensation—personal services.

The Debarment and Suspension, 34 CFR Part 85, Section 85.510, Participants’ Responsibilities and makes the following certification by signing this application:

The prospective lower-tier participant certifies, by submission of this proposal, that neither it nor its principals is presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction by any federal department or agency.

Where the prospective lower-tier participant is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, such prospective participant shall attach an explanation to this proposal.

This certification is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was made or entered into. Submission of this certification is a prerequisite for making or entering into this transaction imposed by Section 1352, Title 31, U.S. Code. Any person who fails to file the required certification shall be subject to a civil penalty of not less than $10,000 for such failure.

Section II. Specific Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) Grant Assurances

The LEA assures that funds shall only be used for any of the following:

- Coordination of preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies with State, local, Tribal, and territorial public health departments, and other relevant agencies, to improve coordinated responses among such entities to prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus.
- Providing principals and others school leaders with the resources necessary to address the needs of their individual schools.
- Activities to address the unique needs of low-income children or students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and foster care youth, including how outreach and service delivery will meet the needs of each population.
- Developing and implementing procedures and systems to improve the preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies.
• Training and professional development for staff of the local educational agency on sanitation and minimizing the spread of infectious diseases.
• Purchasing supplies to sanitize and clean the facilities of a local educational agency, including buildings operated by such agency.
• Planning for and coordinating during long-term closures, including for how to provide meals to eligible students, how to provide technology for online learning to all students, how to provide guidance for carrying out requirements under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. 1401 et seq.) and how to ensure other educational services can continue to be provided consistent with all Federal, State, and local requirements.
• Purchasing educational technology (including hardware, software, and connectivity) for students who are served by the local educational agency that aids in regular and substantive educational interaction between students and their classroom instructors, including low-income students and students with disabilities, which may include assistive technology or adaptive equipment.
• Providing mental health services and supports.
• Planning and implementing activities related to summer learning and supplemental afterschool programs, including providing classroom instruction or online learning during the summer months and addressing the needs of low income students, students with disabilities, English learners, migrant students, students experiencing homelessness, and children in foster care.
• Addressing learning loss among students, including low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and children and youth in foster care, of the local educational agency, including by—(A) Administering and using high-quality assessments that are valid and reliable, to accurately assess students’ academic progress and assist educators in meeting students’ academic needs, including through differentiating instruction. (B) Implementing evidence-based activities to meet the comprehensive needs of students. (C) Providing information and assistance to parents and families on how they can effectively support students, including in a distance learning environment. (D) Tracking student attendance and improving student engagement in distance education.
• School facility repairs and improvements to enable operation of schools to reduce risk of virus transmission and exposure to environmental health hazards, and to support student health needs.
• Inspection, testing, maintenance, repair, replacement, and upgrade projects to improve the indoor air quality in school facilities, including mechanical and non-mechanical heating, ventilation, and air conditioning systems, filtering, purification and other air cleaning, fans, control systems, and window and door repair and replacement.
• Other activities that are necessary to maintain the operation of and continuity of services in local educational agencies and continuing to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.

Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA shall comply with all applicable requirements of the Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) authorized by the Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act, 2021 (CRRSAA), including:
CONTINUED PAYMENT TO EMPLOYEES
SEC. 18006. A local educational agency, State, institution of higher education, or other entity that receives funds under “Education Stabilization Fund”, shall to the greatest extent practicable, continue to pay its employees and contractors during the period of any disruptions or closures related to coronavirus.

Certification

To the best of my knowledge and belief, all the information and data in this agreement are true and correct. I acknowledge and agree that the failure to comply with all Assurances and Certifications in this Agreement, all relevant provisions and requirements of the CARES Act, Pub. L. No. 116-136 (March 27, 2020), or any other applicable law or regulation may result in liability under the False Claims Act, 31 U.S.C. § 3729, et seq.; OMB Guidelines to Agencies on Governmentwide Debarment and Suspension (Nonprocurement) in 2 CFR part 180, as adopted and amended as regulations of the Department in 2 CFR part 3485; and 18 USC § 1001, as appropriate.

Electronic Signature │ Ronda L. Gumm
Date │ 04/27/2021
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USD 333 is requesting ESSER II funding to acquire new Dell 5520 laptops for teachers. These laptops will support in-class learning as well as remote learning. With remote learning, teachers’ laptops are extremely vital in delivering the best environment at home and in the classroom. COVID has required our curriculum resources to be mostly digital/online. Due to this digital demand, laptops are struggling to maintain all of the necessary teacher resources. Instruction time can be hampered due to outdated devices causing disengagement with students. To alleviate this issue we are requesting 60 teacher laptops and docking stations, for a total of $181,10. Clear Touch display boards with the snowflake software are innovative and give teachers power to facilitate collaboration, create engaging lessons, and promote student achievement. Clear Touch is suited for in-class or remote instruction for all grade levels. The integrated snowflake software provides opportunities for the teacher to maximize learning and engagement and provide a safe community for online and small group collaboration. It allows simultaneous personalization instruction making the curriculum relevant to students’ lives. With the recent school shutdowns and the loss of valuable time in the classroom, clear touch display boards with the snowflake software allow teachers to spend less time preparing and more time working with students. We can capitalize on this and get back educational time lost from this pandemic. Clear Touch combined with snowflake is the only technology that allows teachers to divide a touchscreen into independent, personalized zones. This personalization enables the educator to choose the teaching resources that work best for their students and display different content and activities in different zones. Total for CES $130,415.00 & total for Jr/Sr High $157,805.00. Network equipment $5,120.00.

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Clear Touch allows for content to be shared through devices for those students who are quarantined or remote. Currently experiencing Lag time in sharing content to those students who may be remote and it needs to be addressed (phone call 5/18/21). Allowable to a) reimburse the district for prior remote learning expenses b) incur new expenses related to actual current/perpetual remote learning circumstances, and/or c) to budget for potential future remote learning expenses. Please note that expenses should not be incurred to purchase property to hold in the unlikely event of potential future remote learning needs.
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WENDY GOODRUM

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All questions in the section below are optional, and offer an opportunity to upload or enter information that is typically asked for on grant opportunities.

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Applicant / Federal EIN (if applicable)

480722943

Applicant / Website Address (if applicable)

www.usd353.com

Application details
Covid-19 has impacted USD 353 in a variety of ways from lower test scores to quarantine periods affecting student/teacher interaction to financial impacts in meeting online learning needs as well as additional facility and health and sanitation practices. Many homes in our community do not have internet nor the financial means to purchase technology to bridge gaps in online learning. The district has provided additional support in this area. Cleaning and sanitation practices have increased. Many more resources have been purchased to support individualized equipment per student to assist with limiting sharing and distribution on germs.

Does the district have remaining ESSER I funding that it has not yet spent as of the date of ESSER II application submission?

Yes

Please summarize how the district will use its remaining ESSER I and ESSER I SPED funding and what it hopes to accomplish with these funds.

We anticipate the remaining ESSER I funds to go directly toward summer school resources, salaries and additional school technology need
Please review the following allowable uses of ESSER II funds before completing the narrative and Excel template portion of the application.


- Coordination of preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies with State, local, Tribal, and territorial public health departments, and other relevant agencies, to improve coordinated responses among such entities to prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus.

- Providing principals and others school leaders with the resources necessary to address the needs of their individual schools.

- Activities to address the unique needs of low-income children or students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and foster care youth, including how outreach and service delivery will meet the needs of each population.

- Developing and implementing procedures and systems to improve the preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies.

- Training and professional development for staff of the local educational agency on sanitation and minimizing the spread of infectious diseases.

- Purchasing supplies to sanitize and clean the facilities of a local educational agency, including buildings operated by such agency.

- Planning for, coordinating, and implementing activities during long-term closures, including providing meals to eligible students, providing technology for online learning to all students, providing guidance for carrying out requirements under the IDEA and ensuring other educational services can continue to be provided consistent with all Federal, State, and local requirements.

- Purchasing educational technology (including hardware, software, and connectivity) for students who are served by the local educational agency that aids in regular and substantive educational interaction between students and their classroom instructors, including low-income students and children with disabilities, which may include assistive technology or adaptive equipment.

- Providing mental health services and supports.

- Planning and implementing activities related to summer learning and supplemental afterschool programs, including providing classroom instruction or online learning during the summer months and addressing the needs of low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, migrant students, students experiencing homelessness, and children in foster care.

- Addressing learning loss among students, including low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and children and youth in foster care, of the local educational agency, including by— (A) Administering and using high-quality assessments that are valid and reliable, to accurately assess students’ academic progress and assist educators in meeting students’ academic needs, including through differentiating instruction. (B) Implementing evidence-based activities to meet the comprehensive needs of students. (C) Providing information and assistance to parents and families on how they can effectively support students, including in a distance learning environment. (D) Tracking student attendance and improving student engagement in distance education.

- School facility repairs and improvements to enable operation of schools to reduce risk of virus transmission and exposure to environmental health hazards, and to support student health needs.

- Inspection, testing, maintenance, repair, replacement, and upgrade projects to improve the indoor air quality in school facilities, including mechanical and non-mechanical heating, ventilation, and air conditioning systems, filtering, purification and other air cleaning, fans, control systems, and window and door repair and replacement.

- Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities.

- Other activities that are necessary to maintain the operation of and continuity of services in local educational agencies and continuing to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.

Please note: "Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities," identified as an allowable use under ESSER III in the American Rescue Plan, is also permissible under ESSER II.
Plan for ESSER II Direct District Allocation and KSDE Per-Student Additional Allocation (If Applicable)

Please summarize how the district proposes using its ESSER II direct district allocation (and its KSDE per-student additional allocation, if applicable) to address incremental COVID-19 needs.

ESSER II funding will be used to purchase supplemental curriculum as well as summer school and after school staff and programs to help students to make up any losses they have encountered. We are also purchasing furniture that allows our students to maintain social distancing as much as possible. Masks, cleansers and supplies needed to slow the spread of germs will also be purchased. Facility upgrades such as HVAC systems and air circulation will be implemented to ensure safety of students and staff. Additional MTSS support and curriculum is also needed and will be purchased. Technology such as Chromebooks, remote teaching supplies and internet access for students who do not have it will be purchased to support students while working from home as well as in the school building. Our teachers stream the remote students into their classrooms while they teach dually to both. This requires upgrades in sound quality, cameras to capture the interactive whiteboards, and the interactive whiteboards themselves. Paying teachers for professional development on new curriculum and social emotional strategies as well as technology integration strategies will support the needs of our teachers and para staff throughout the pandemic. Our special education staff will require the PD, technology tools and online curriculum tools to provide special education support in both remote and face to face situations. Upgrades in transportation are also needed to provide transportation during this time for those in need. STEM and PBL resources are also being implemented to support the needs of students and to help all students learn to think critically.

How will the district determine the impact of its ESSER II direct district allocation expenditures (and additional per-student allocation, if applicable) on students?

Currently, our Fastbridge scores are used to determine the academic needs of our students. We have seen a decline in scores from the Fall of 2019 to the present of approximately 12% districtwide. We will look at the scores to determine the impact of curriculum, professional development, and remote learning. We will use this to determine the success of our summer school program, after school program and MTSS. We will also use attendance data (absences due to illness) to determine the effectiveness of our safety precautions. It is hoped that our students will attend at a normal rate as opposed to the high number of absences during the pandemic.

Notes on ESSER II application Excel template:

- Plans and budgets should be submitted for at least a 12 month period but do not need to account for the full duration of the program or the full allocation amount. Funds will remain accessible to the LEA until September 30, 2023 and there will be additional opportunities to submit further requests/plans in the future.
- Following ESSER II application approval and initiation of funds draw down, districts will be required to report to the Commissioner's Task Force on ESSER II expenditures and impact on a monthly basis throughout the program. This ESSER II reporting will be required as a part of regular ESSER program reporting, which will capture past expenditures across funding streams (ESSER I, ESSER I SPED, ESSER II, ESSER II SPED, ESSER II KSDE Per Student Allocation). Districts may be asked to provide expenditures by fund, function, object, account, and ESSER II allowable use as part of ongoing ESSER reporting.
- This reporting will not replace any reporting required by the federal government. KSDE will work to maximize compatibility between its reporting requirements and those of the federal government as much as possible to minimize burden on districts.

Please download and complete the ESSER II application template here to provide details on ESSER II budgeted expenditures across allowable uses and KSDE accounting codes.
Local Education Agency (LEA) Assurances

Section I. General Grant Assurances for Federal Funds

Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA will comply with all requirements of:

The LEA will make a good faith effort, on a continuing basis, to maintain a drug-free workplace, in accordance with the measures in 34 CFR Part 84, Subpart B and the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988;

The Education Department General Administrative Regulations (EDGAR) 34 CFR 76 requirements, including:

34 CFR §76.500(a) Federal statutes and regulations on nondiscrimination.

(a) A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the following statutes and regulations:

- Discrimination on the basis of age | The Age Discrimination Act (42 U.S.C. 6101 et seq.) | 34 CFR part 110.

(b) A State or subgrantee that is a covered entity as defined in §108.3 of this title shall comply with the nondiscrimination requirements of the Boy Scouts of America Equal Access Act, 20 U.S.C. 7905, 34 CFR part 108.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.650 Private schools; purpose of §§76.651-76.662.

(a) Under some programs, the authorizing statute requires that a State and its subgrantees provide for participation by students enrolled in private schools. Sections 76.651-76.662 apply to those programs and provide rules for that participation. These sections do not affect the authority of the State or a subgrantee to enter into a contract with a private party.

(b) If any other rules for participation of students enrolled in private schools apply under a particular program, they are in the authorizing statute or implementing regulations for that program.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3 and 3474)

34 CFR §76.700 Compliance with statutes, regulations, State plan, and applications.

A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the State plan and applicable statutes, regulations, and approved applications, and shall use Federal funds in accordance with those statutes, regulations, plan, and applications.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.701 The State or subgrantee administers or supervises each project.

A State or a subgrantee shall directly administer or supervise the administration of each project.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.702 Fiscal control and fund accounting procedures.

A State and a subgrantee shall use fiscal control and fund accounting procedures that insure proper disbursement of and accounting for Federal funds.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.709 Funds may be obligated during a “carryover period.”

(a) If a State or a subgrantee does not obligate all of its grant or subgrant funds by the end of the fiscal year for which Congress appropriated the funds, it may obligate the remaining funds during a carryover period of one additional fiscal year.

(b) The State shall return to the Federal Government any carryover funds not obligated by the end of the carryover period by the State and its subgrantees.

(Authority: U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1225(b), and 3474)

34 CFR §76.722 Subgrantee reporting requirements.

A State may require a subgrantee to submit reports in a manner and format that assists the State in complying with the requirements under 34 CFR 76.720 and in carrying out other responsibilities under the program.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1231a, and 3474)

[72 FR 3703, Jan. 25, 2007]
34 CFR §76.730 Records related to grant funds. A State and a subgrantee shall keep records that fully show:
(a) The amount of funds under the grant or subgrant;
(b) How the State or subgrantee uses the funds;
(c) The total cost of the project;
(d) The share of that cost provided from other sources; and
(e) Other records to facilitate an effective audit.
(Approved by the Office of Management and Budget under control number 1880-0513)
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1232f)
34 CFR §76.731 Records related to compliance. A State and a subgrantee shall keep records to show its compliance with program requirements.
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))
The Uniform Grant Guidance, 2 CFR §200 all applicable subrecipient requirements, including but not limited to:
2 CFR Subpart D – Post Federal Award Requirements
§200.302 Financial management.
§200.303 Internal controls.
§200.305 Payment.
§200.313 Equipment.
§200.314 Supplies.
§200.318 General procurement standards.
§200.320 Methods of procurement to be followed;
2 CFR 200 Subpart E: Cost Principles:
§200.403 Factors affecting allowability of costs.
§200.404 Reasonable costs.
§200.405 Allocable costs.
§200.413 Direct costs.
§200.415 Required certifications.
§200.430 Compensation—personal services.
The Debarment and Suspension, 34 CFR Part 85, Section 85.510, Participants’ Responsibilities and makes the following certification by signing this application:
The prospective lower-tier participant certifies, by submission of this proposal, that neither it nor its principals is presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction by any federal department or agency. Where the prospective lower-tier participant is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, such prospective participant shall attach an explanation to this proposal.
This certification is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was made or entered into. Submission of this certification is a prerequisite for making or entering into this transaction imposed by Section 1352, Title 31, U.S. Code. Any person who fails to file the required certification shall be subject to a civil penalty of not less than $10,000 for such failure.

Section II. Specific Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) Grant Assurances

The LEA assures that funds shall only be used for any of the following:
- Coordination of preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies with State, local, Tribal, and territorial public health departments, and other relevant agencies, to improve coordinated responses among such entities to
prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus.

- Providing principals and others school leaders with the resources necessary to address the needs of their individual schools.
- Activities to address the unique needs of low-income children or students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and foster care youth, including how outreach and service delivery will meet the needs of each population.
- Developing and implementing procedures and systems to improve the preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies.
- Training and professional development for staff of the local educational agency on sanitation and minimizing the spread of infectious diseases.
- Purchasing supplies to sanitize and clean the facilities of a local educational agency, including buildings operated by such agency.
- Planning for and coordinating during long-term closures, including for how to provide meals to eligible students, how to provide technology for online learning to all students, how to provide guidance for carrying out requirements under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. 1401 et seq.) and how to ensure other educational services can continue to be provided consistent with all Federal, State, and local requirements.
- Purchasing educational technology (including hardware, software, and connectivity) for students who are served by the local educational agency that aids in regular and substantive educational interaction between students and their classroom instructors, including low-income students and students with disabilities, which may include assistive technology or adaptive equipment.
- Providing mental health services and supports.
- Planning and implementing activities related to summer learning and supplemental afterschool programs, including providing classroom instruction or online learning during the summer months and addressing the needs of low income students, students with disabilities, English learners, migrant students, students experiencing homelessness, and children in foster care.
- Addressing learning loss among students, including low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and children and youth in foster care, of the local educational agency, including by— (A) Administering and using high-quality assessments that are valid and reliable, to accurately assess students’ academic progress and assist educators in meeting students’ academic needs, including through differentiating instruction. (B) Implementing evidence-based activities to meet the comprehensive needs of students. (C) Providing information and assistance to parents and families on how they can effectively support students, including in a distance learning environment. (D) Tracking student attendance and improving student engagement in distance education.
- School facility repairs and improvements to enable operation of schools to reduce risk of virus transmission and exposure to environmental health hazards, and to support student health needs.
- Inspection, testing, maintenance, repair, replacement, and upgrade projects to improve the indoor air quality in school facilities, including mechanical and non-mechanical heating, ventilation, and air conditioning systems, filtering, purification and other air cleaning, fans, control systems, and window and door repair and replacement.
- Other activities that are necessary to maintain the operation of and continuity of services in local educational agencies and continuing to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.

Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA shall comply with all applicable requirements of the Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) authorized by the Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act, 2021 (CRRSSAA), including:

CONTINUED PAYMENT TO EMPLOYEES
SEC. 18006. A local educational agency, State, institution of higher education, or other entity that receives funds under “Education Stabilization Fund”, shall to the greatest extent practicable, continue to pay its employees and contractors during the period of any disruptions or closures related to coronavirus.

Certification

To the best of my knowledge and belief, all the information and data in this agreement are true and correct. I acknowledge and agree that the failure to comply with all Assurances and Certifications in this Agreement, all relevant provisions and requirements of the CARES Act, Pub. L. No. 116-136 (March 27, 2020), or any other applicable law or regulation may result in
liability under the False Claims Act, 31 U.S.C. § 3729, et seq.; OMB Guidelines to Agencies on Governmentwide Debarment and Suspension (Nonprocurement) in 2 CFR part 180, as adopted and amended as regulations of the Department in 2 CFR part 3485; and 18 USC § 1001, as appropriate.

Electronic Signature  |  Wendy Goodrum
Date                  |  05/04/2021

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<td>3 Administrators to supervise, organize and plan summer school curriculum and activities focused on filling learning gaps caused by COVID over the last year. Our summer school program is open to all students in the USD 353 district.</td>
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353-1-004-20210608 | Eligible | Direct Allocation | Support Services (Instructional Staff) | Technical Services | 3. Providing principals and other school leaders with resources to address individual school needs | System upgrades to facilitate continuation of remote/virtual learning opportunities going into the the years post-covid, projectors, ipads, osmos, upgraded whiteboards. | $100,000 | $- | $100,000 | $- | $- | $62780 | Per email with district: STEM activities using ipads (for coding and Osmo software) and Osmostos (giving students hands-on activities to do with technology to solve problems) provide students with opportunities to bridge the gap of learning loss through alternative avenues of learning that engage students. Projectors and whiteboards are used to stream for remote learning and face to face learning to present learning material for student understanding. Teachers have created flipcharts to use with their curriculum to present the material in a sequential and organized manner that help students connect learning. Hotspots have also been purchased for students that do not have internet at home. Whether remote or face to face, our students take chromebooks home for homework and learning. In our district, where over 60% of students are free and reduced, this is helpful to create an equal opportunity for learning. We are requesting additional funds to fill in areas that are not foreseen in the event of an emergency for the support of students. iPads: 10K; Osmos: 1600; Projectors: 50K (31); Whiteboards: $19,500; Hot spots:10K; Other: 9K...addition support to meet the building needs as they arrive. Allowable to a) reimburse the district for prior remote learning expenses b) incur new expenses related to actual current/perpetual remote learning circumstances, and/or c) to budget for potential future remote learning expenses. Please note that expenses should not be incurred to purchase property to hold in the unlikely event of potential future remote learning needs.

353-1-005-20210608 | Eligible | Direct Allocation | Computer-Assisted Instruction Services | PURCHASED PROFESSIONAL AND TECHNICAL SERVICES | 9. Purchasing educational technology (including hardware, software, and connectivity) for the LEA's students | Secondary screens, camera systems for buildings and athletic facility streaming, Stem software, online learning, coding | $75,000 | $- | $75,000 | $- | $- | $62880 | Per email with district: Athletic streaming will be used in the future at events when needed to limit in-person attendance is an ineligible item. The district would like to delete that from the applications. The amount will remain the same. Secondary ed screens will be used for streaming, google meets, zooms, etc. Facilitating learning and conferences that need to happen remotely. Through our exploration of distance learning, we've found an area that is difficult to accomplish is ensuring that students are using critical thinking skills in problem solving situations. STEM software and assignments give students opportunities to learn through hands on problem solving situations. Research has also shown that PBL and STEM help us to reach students that live in poverty. Wellington USD 353 has an approximate 60% free and reduced population. Update from district 05/27/21:Online learning curriculum, STEM software and virtual classroom set up will take on the bulk of this budget ($50K)...we are looking at filling gaps in our remote teaching needs, specifically science and technology at our high school. Large screens for conferencing/class usage will be at the secondary level...two screens for approximately $25K. Allowable to a) reimburse the district for prior remote learning expenses b) incur new expenses related to actual current/perpetual remote learning circumstances, and/or c) to budget for potential future remote learning expenses. Please note that expenses should not be incurred to purchase property to hold in the unlikely event of potential future remote learning needs.
### 13. School Facility Repairs and Improvement

- **Property**: School facility repairs and improvements to enable operation of schools to reduce risk of virus transmission and exposure to environmental health hazards, and to support student health needs.
- All of our schools are in need of facility repairs, our focus will be on window replacement, nurse facility changes, students desks to increase social distancing.
- **Cost**: $150,000

### 14. Inspection, Testing, Maintenance, Repair, Replacement and Upgrade Projects

- **Property**: We are planning a review of all HVAC systems, filter changes, and upgrades related to air flow and circulation.
- **Cost**: $25,000

### 7. Purchasing Supplies to Sanitize and Clean LEA and School Facilities

- **Property**: Continued purchases related to cleaning, sanitizing, and custodial services.
- **Cost**: $10,000
8. Planning for and coordinating during long-term closures, including on how to provide meals, technology for online learning, guidance for carrying out IDEA requirements, and providing educational services consistent with applicable requirements.

| Administrative personnel to coordinate additional communication, ESSER reporting, assistance with planning general school needs and requirements for continued learning and integration of online learning and student/staff health going forward. |
| $25,000 | $- | $25,000 | $- | $- | 62458 |
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Application details

Full District Name | Paola School District
District Number | 368
Mailing Address | 1115 East 303rd Street
Mailing Address | Paola
Mailing Address | 66071
Authorized Representative of the District | Matt Meek
Authorized Representative of the District | Superintendent
Authorized Representative of the District | matt_meek@usd368.org
Authorized Representative of the District | +19132948000
Would you like to additional district representatives to the application? | Yes
Other District Representative 1 | jimmy_hay@usd368.org

Please briefly describe the impacts of COVID-19 on the district and its Pre-K through 12 students, including any relevant data where possible (e.g., cost impact, learning loss, emotional impact on students). If there has been a disproportionate impact on a special population in the district (e.g., students with disabilities, English Learners, students in foster care, students in poverty, etc.), please describe the impact and provide the number of Pre-K through 12 students in that population.

In a normal year, approximately three students enroll in our virtual program. This year enrollment climbed to 75. Another 125 students enrolled in remote learning. District enrollment was down 151 students from last year. Some of the enrollment decline was expected, but not to this extreme. Many families chose to homeschool or seek outside virtual programs not offered by the district. Students enrolled in virtual/remote have struggled to stay engaged even with needed safety nets and structure to help them be successful. Many home-schooled students have returned academically behind their peers. Academic data shows that as a cohort, grades 1st-8th scored lower on the Measures of Academic Progress assessment in math during fall 2020 testing after being out of school during the spring of 2020. Students in grades 1st-5th decreased in the area of reading. Roughly a third of high school students were below grade level in the fall of 2020 in reading and math. For this academic year, 91 students and 51 staff have contracted the COVID-19 virus and hundreds of students had to quarantine for being close contacts resulting in large loss of academic time and instruction. Spring assessment data is being analyzed to determine what gains/losses have been made as a cohort and on an individual basis for proper placement in necessary
programs for the summer and fall of 2021. Social emotional data shows many students struggle with fear concerning contracting COVID, family members losing jobs, and having less socialization opportunities due to cohorting of students.

Does the district have remaining ESSER I funding that it has not yet spent as of the date of ESSER II application submission?  

No

Please review the following allowable uses of ESSER II funds before completing the narrative and Excel template portion of the application.

- Coordination of preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies with State, local, Tribal, and territorial public health departments, and other relevant agencies, to improve coordinated responses among such entities to prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus.
- Providing principals and others school leaders with the resources necessary to address the needs of their individual schools.
- Activities to address the unique needs of low-income children or students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and foster care youth, including how outreach and service delivery will meet the needs of each population.
- Developing and implementing procedures and systems to improve the preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies.
- Training and professional development for staff of the local educational agency on sanitation and minimizing the spread of infectious diseases.
- Purchasing supplies to sanitize and clean the facilities of a local educational agency, including buildings operated by such agency.
- Planning for, coordinating, and implementing activities during long-term closures, including providing meals to eligible students, providing technology for online learning to all students, providing guidance for carrying out requirements under the IDEA and ensuring other educational services can continue to be provided consistent with all Federal, State, and local requirements.
- Purchasing educational technology (including hardware, software, and connectivity) for students who are served by the local educational agency that aids in regular and substantive educational interaction between students and their classroom instructors, including low-income students and children with disabilities, which may include assistive technology or adaptive equipment.
- Providing mental health services and supports.
- Planning and implementing activities related to summer learning and supplemental afterschool programs, including providing classroom instruction or online learning during the summer months and addressing the needs of low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, migrant students, students experiencing homelessness, and children in foster care.
- Addressing learning loss among students, including low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and children and youth in foster care, of the local educational agency, including by— (A) Administering and using high-quality assessments that are valid and reliable, to accurately assess students’ academic progress and assist educators in meeting students’ academic needs, including through differentiating instruction. (B) Implementing evidence-based activities to meet the comprehensive needs of students. (C) Providing information and assistance to parents and families on how they can effectively support students, including in a distance learning environment. (D) Tracking student attendance and improving student engagement in distance education.
- School facility repairs and improvements to enable operation of schools to reduce risk of virus transmission and exposure to environmental health hazards, and to support student health needs.
- Inspection, testing, maintenance, repair, replacement, and upgrade projects to improve the indoor air quality in school facilities, including mechanical and non-mechanical heating, ventilation, and air conditioning systems, filtering, purification and other air cleaning, fans, control systems, and window and door repair and replacement.
- Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities.
- Other activities that are necessary to maintain the operation of and continuity of services in local educational agencies and continuing to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.

Please note: "Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities," identified as an allowable use under ESSER III in the American Rescue Plan, is also permissible under ESSER II.

Plan for ESSER II Direct District Allocation and KSDE Per-Student Additional Allocation (If Applicable)

Please summarize how the district proposes using its ESSER II direct district allocation (and its KSDE per-student additional allocation, if applicable) to address incremental COVID-19 needs.

- To address learning loss due to the COVID-19 pandemic, the district proposes spending ESSER II funds for the following summer programs:
  - Approximately 125 elementary students will participate in a Jump Start program lasting two weeks in preparation of the 2021-2022 school year. These identified students continue to perform below their peers academically and/or socially.
  - Identified, elementary and middle school students will have the opportunity to participate in individual tutoring sessions to work on academic skills they continue to struggle with. Specific areas of need, as identified by the various assessments, will be addressed.
  - Expanded credit recovery program to address the increased number of students who have failed classes due to the pandemic.
- To address extra responsibilities required of licensed staff during the 2020-2021 school year.
  - Pay for working additional hours planning for optional remote learners and remote learners under quarantine and for enhanced disinfecting protocols in learning spaces required outside contract duty day.
- To address learning loss due to the COVID-19 pandemic, the district proposes spending ESSER II funds during the 2021-2022 school year:
  - Professional development to train staff in reading, student mental health, how to lead and teach during a pandemic.
  - Contract with the local mental health agency to provide mental health support for students during the school day.
  - Additional staff
    - English, elementary, instructional coach, intervention coordinator, organizational studies, at-risk math teachers to lower class sizes and provide interventions needed.
    - Additional health staff to care for and treat students who have contracted the COVID-19 virus and to oversee expanded health protocols in schools due to the pandemic.
- To address HVAC upgrades needed by replacing variable air volume boxes to better control outside clean air flow inside the buildings to control the COVID-19 virus.

How will the district determine the impact of its ESSER II direct district allocation expenditures (and additional per-student allocation, if applicable) on students?

The following measurements will be utilized to determine the impact of ESSER II funds on students:
- Formative and Summative Assessments
  - Measures of Academic Progress (MAP) Assessments
  - State Assessments
  - Panorama
  - Math & Reading Diagnostics
- Attendance Rates
- Graduation Rates
- Air quality within the buildings
Notes on ESSER II application Excel template:

- Plans and budgets should be submitted for at least a 12 month period but do not need to account for the full duration of the program or the full allocation amount. Funds will remain accessible to the LEA until September 30, 2023 and there will be additional opportunities to submit further requests/plans in the future.
- Following ESSER II application approval and initiation of funds draw down, districts will be required to report to the Commissioner's Task Force on ESSER II expenditures and impact on a monthly basis throughout the program. This ESSER II reporting will be required as a part of regular ESSER program reporting, which will capture past expenditures across funding streams (ESSER I, ESSER I SPED, ESSER II, ESSER II SPED, ESSER II KSDE Per Student Allocation). Districts may be asked to provide expenditures by fund, function, object, account, and ESSER II allowable use as part of ongoing ESSER reporting.
- This reporting will not replace any reporting required by the federal government. KSDE will work to maximize compatibility between its reporting requirements and those of the federal government as much as possible to minimize burden on districts.

Please download and complete the ESSER II application template here to provide details on ESSER II budgeted expenditures across allowable uses and KSDE accounting codes.

Local Education Agency (LEA) Assurances

Section I. General Grant Assurances for Federal Funds

Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA will comply with all requirements of:
The LEA will make a good faith effort, on a continuing basis, to maintain a drug-free workplace, in accordance with the measures in 34 CFR Part 84, Subpart B and the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988;
The Education Department General Administrative Regulations (EDGAR) 34 CFR 76 requirements, including:
34 CFR §76.500(a) Federal statutes and regulations on nondiscrimination.
(a) A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the following statutes and regulations:
   - Discrimination on the basis of age | The Age Discrimination Act (42 U.S.C. 6101 et seq.) | 34 CFR part 110.
(b) A State or subgrantee that is a covered entity as defined in §108.3 of this title shall comply with the nondiscrimination requirements of the Boy Scouts of America Equal Access Act, 20 U.S.C. 7905, 34 CFR part 108.
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))
34 CFR §76.650 Private schools; purpose of §§76.651-76.662.
(a) Under some programs, the authorizing statute requires that a State and its subgrantees provide for participation by students enrolled in private schools. Sections 76.651-76.662 apply to those programs and provide rules for that participation. These sections do not affect the authority of the State or a subgrantee to enter into a contract with a private party.
(b) If any other rules for participation of students enrolled in private schools apply under a particular program, they are in the authorizing statute or implementing regulations for that program.
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3 and 3474)
34 CFR §76.700 Compliance with statutes, regulations, State plan, and applications.
A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the State plan and applicable statutes, regulations, and approved applications, and
shall use Federal funds in accordance with those statutes, regulations, plan, and applications.
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.701 The State or subgrantee administers or supervises each project.
A State or a subgrantee shall directly administer or supervise the administration of each project.
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.702 Fiscal control and fund accounting procedures.
A State and a subgrantee shall use fiscal control and fund accounting procedures that insure proper disbursement of and accounting for Federal funds.
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.709 Funds may be obligated during a “carryover period.”
(a) If a State or a subgrantee does not obligate all of its grant or subgrant funds by the end of the fiscal year for which Congress appropriated the funds, it may obligate the remaining funds during a carryover period of one additional fiscal year.
(b) The State shall return to the Federal Government any carryover funds not obligated by the end of the carryover period by the State and its subgrantees.
(Authority: U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1225(b), and 3474)

34 CFR §76.722 Subgrantee reporting requirements.
A State may require a subgrantee to submit reports in a manner and format that assists the State in complying with the requirements under 34 CFR 76.720 and in carrying out other responsibilities under the program.
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1231a, and 3474)

34 CFR §76.730 Records related to grant funds.
A State and a subgrantee shall keep records that fully show:
(a) The amount of funds under the grant or subgrant;
(b) How the State or subgrantee uses the funds;
(c) The total cost of the project;
(d) The share of that cost provided from other sources; and
(e) Other records to facilitate an effective audit.
(Approved by the Office of Management and Budget under control number 1880-0513)
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1232f)

34 CFR §76.731 Records related to compliance.
A State and a subgrantee shall keep records to show its compliance with program requirements.
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))
The Uniform Grant Guidance, 2 CFR §200 all applicable subrecipient requirements, including but not limited to:
2 CFR Subpart D – Post Federal Award Requirements
§200.302 Financial management.
§200.303 Internal controls.
§200.305 Payment.
§200.313 Equipment.
§200.314 Supplies.
§200.318 General procurement standards.
§200.320 Methods of procurement to be followed;
2 CFR 200 Subpart E: Cost Principles:
§200.403 Factors affecting allowability of costs.
§200.404 Reasonable costs.
§200.405 Allocable costs.
§200.413 Direct costs.
§200.415 Required certifications.
§200.430 Compensation—personal services.
The Debarment and Suspension, 34 CFR Part 85, Section 85.510, Participants’ Responsibilities and makes the following certification by signing this application:
The prospective lower-tier participant certifies, by submission of this proposal, that neither it nor its principals is presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction by any federal department or agency.

Where the prospective lower-tier participant is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, such prospective participant shall attach an explanation to this proposal.

This certification is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was made or entered into. Submission of this certification is a prerequisite for making or entering into this transaction imposed by Section 1352, Title 31, U.S. Code. Any person who fails to file the required certification shall be subject to a civil penalty of not less than $10,000 for such failure.

Section II. Specific Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) Grant Assurances

The LEA assures that funds shall only be used for any of the following:

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- Purchasing supplies to sanitize and clean the facilities of a local educational agency, including buildings operated by such agency.
- Planning for and coordinating during long-term closures, including for how to provide meals to eligible students, how to provide technology for online learning to all students, how to provide guidance for carrying out requirements under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. 1401 et seq.) and how to ensure other educational services can continue to be provided consistent with all Federal, State, and local requirements.
- Purchasing educational technology (including hardware, software, and connectivity) for students who are served by the local educational agency that aids in regular and substantive educational interaction between students and their classroom instructors, including low-income students and students with disabilities, which may include assistive technology or adaptive equipment.
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- Other activities that are necessary to maintain the operation of and continuity of services in local educational agencies and continuing to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.

Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA shall comply with all applicable requirements of the Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) authorized by the Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act, 2021 (CRRSAA), including:

CONTINUED PAYMENT TO EMPLOYEES
SEC. 18006. A local educational agency, State, institution of higher education, or other entity that receives funds under "Education Stabilization Fund", shall to the greatest extent practicable, continue to pay its employees and contractors during the period of any disruptions or closures related to coronavirus.

Certification

To the best of my knowledge and belief, all the information and data in this agreement are true and correct. I acknowledge and agree that the failure to comply with all Assurances and Certifications in this Agreement, all relevant provisions and requirements of the CARES Act, Pub. L. No. 116-136 (March 27, 2020), or any other applicable law or regulation may result in liability under the False Claims Act, 31 U.S.C. § 3729, et seq.; OMB Guidelines to Agencies on Governmentwide Debarment and Suspension (Nonprocurement) in 2 CFR part 180, as adopted and amended as regulations of the Department in 2 CFR part 3485; and 18 USC § 1001, as appropriate.

Electronic Signature | Matt Meek / Jimmy Hay
Date | 05/25/2021

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<td>Conduct summer school jump start program for elementary students who have suffered learning loss due to the COVID-19 pandemic. (15 teachers/120 students)</td>
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<td>Remote learning materials for students unable to attend in-person tutoring to bridge academic skills from spring 2021 to fall 2021.</td>
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<td>Provide transportation to students enrolled in Jump Start and tutoring programs.</td>
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<td>Provide three years of staff development for training all staff in the teaching of reading to address learning loss and to help students who are behind due to school shutdowns and remote learning.</td>
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Applicant details

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Select an Applicant Type | Unified School District
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**Applicant / Entity Name** | Pratt Schools
**Applicant / Mailing Address** | 401 S. Hamilton
**Applicant / First and Last Name of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director** | Tony Helfrich
**Applicant / Email Address of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director** | tony.helfrich@usd382.com
**Applicant / Phone Number** | 620-672-4500

All questions in the section below are optional, and offer an opportunity to upload or enter information that is typically asked for on grant opportunities.

(for EANS and ESSER grant applications - please skip the questions below, and scroll to the bottom to complete your User Profile information.)

Application details

**Full District Name** | Pratt Schools
---|---
**District Number** | 382
**Mailing Address | Street Address** | 401 S. Hamilton
Please briefly describe the impacts of COVID-19 on the district and its Pre-K through 12 students, including any relevant data where possible (e.g., cost impact, learning loss, emotional impact on students). If there has been a disproportionate impact on a special population in the district (e.g., students with disabilities, English Learners, students in foster care, students in poverty, etc.), please describe the impact and provide the number of Pre-K through 12 students in that population.

We lost in-person instruction for all students for the entirety of the 4th quarter of the 2019-2020 school year and we saw steep academic performance declines on our AIMSWEB testing and other diagnostic tests for PreK - 12 students. Our more vulnerable, at-risk population overall showed a greater learning loss over what would’ve been normally expected. We have seen tremendous growth during the 2020-21 school year but still show more students in academic need on reading and math per our assessments than on a normal school year. We did stay in-person learning throughout the 2020-21 school year but experienced more student absenteeism with forced quarantines per health protocols. We did a virtual summer school in the summer of 2020 and it had some positive impact, but we had most students out of school from March 2019 until almost September 2019 and this longer-than-normal separation from the direct school building appeared to impact student study habits and motivation--we saw triple the numbers of students in academic warning for grades and requiring summer school for promotion. For this reason, we do feel we have increased needs in the area of social-emotional health.

Does the district have remaining ESSER I funding that it has not yet spent as of the date of ESSER II application submission?

No

Please review the following allowable uses of ESSER II funds before completing the narrative and Excel template portion of the application.

- Coordination of preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies with State, local, Tribal, and territorial public health departments, and other relevant agencies, to improve coordinated responses among such entities to
prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus.

- Providing principals and others school leaders with the resources necessary to address the needs of their individual schools.
- Activities to address the unique needs of low-income children or students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and foster care youth, including how outreach and service delivery will meet the needs of each population.
- Developing and implementing procedures and systems to improve the preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies.
- Training and professional development for staff of the local educational agency on sanitation and minimizing the spread of infectious diseases.
- Purchasing supplies to sanitize and clean the facilities of a local educational agency, including buildings operated by such agency.
- Planning for, coordinating, and implementing activities during long-term closures, including providing meals to eligible students, providing technology for online learning to all students, providing guidance for carrying out requirements under the IDEA and ensuring other educational services can continue to be provided consistent with all Federal, State, and local requirements.
- Purchasing educational technology (including hardware, software, and connectivity) for students who are served by the local educational agency that aids in regular and substantive educational interaction between students and their classroom instructors, including low-income students and children with disabilities, which may include assistive technology or adaptive equipment.
- Providing mental health services and supports.
- Planning and implementing activities related to summer learning and supplemental afterschool programs, including providing classroom instruction or online learning during the summer months and addressing the needs of low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, migrant students, students experiencing homelessness, and children in foster care.
- Addressing learning loss among students, including low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and children and youth in foster care, including by—(A) Administering and using high-quality assessments that are valid and reliable, to accurately assess students’ academic progress and assist educators in meeting students’ academic needs, including through differentiating instruction. (B) Implementing evidence-based activities to meet the comprehensive needs of students. (C) Providing information and assistance to parents and families on how they can effectively support students, including in a distance learning environment. (D) Tracking student attendance and improving student engagement in distance education.
- School facility repairs and improvements to enable operation of schools to reduce risk of virus transmission and exposure to environmental health hazards, and to support student health needs.
- Inspection, testing, maintenance, repair, replacement, and upgrade projects to improve the indoor air quality in school facilities, including mechanical and non-mechanical heating, ventilation, and air conditioning systems, filtering, purification and other air cleaning, fans, control systems, and window and door repair and replacement.
- Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities.
- Other activities that are necessary to maintain the operation of and continuity of services in local educational agencies and continuing to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.

Please note: “Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities,” identified as an allowable use under ESSER III in the American Rescue Plan, is also permissible under ESSER II.

Plan for ESSER II Direct District Allocation and KSDE Per-Student Additional Allocation (If Applicable)

Please summarize how the district proposes using its ESSER II direct district allocation (and its KSDE per-student additional allocation, if applicable) to address incremental COVID-19 needs.

Pratt Schools proposes that it will offer a substantial, in-person summer school (this will be a new program) for all students showing academic need in reading and writing on AIMSWEB assessments. This will be offered for the 2021, 2022, and 2023 summers. At the elementary level, it will include 2 certified teachers for each grade level, an administrator, and a secretarial
position to staff the learning efforts. At the middle school level, we will also offer a substantial summer school program based on academic need determined by diagnostic assessments, but it will be staffed with 4 certified teachers. At the high school level, the efforts will center on credit recovery and will also be staffed with 4 certified teachers. Pratt will add an MTSS Coordinator position for the middle school to develop and implement a comprehensive remediation program for middle school students. This position will be funded for the 2021-22 and 2022-23 school years. This position will also provide social and emotional support as part of the objective of the position. Pratt will increase Preschool learning opportunities to address the gaps from a loss in preschool education during the pandemic. We are increasing our offering from 4 days to 5 days/week and including a full-day option. We are hiring an additional position and offering the opportunity for a hot lunch for all preschool students. We will use ESSER II money to purchase equipment to achieve that objective. We are purchasing cleaning equipment, which will allow for frequent cleaning of common areas and prevent disease spread. We are proposing to direct most of our additional dollars towards HVAC improvements for our preschool. This building currently utilizes window units and radiator heat, so it has little air turnover, which has been shown to provide significant mitigation for the spread of airborne diseases.

How will the district determine the impact of its ESSER II direct district allocation expenditures (and additional per-student allocation, if applicable) on students?

We will monitor our common assessments to assess growth for students participating in our learning programs. We use AIMSWEB for grades PreK - 4th. We utilize Istation and Mathia (Carnegie Math) for grades 5- 8. We use NoRedInk for assessing HS students. We are monitoring absenteeism data to determine if we achieve increased student attendance. We use the ASQ for tracking kindergarten readiness.

Notes on ESSER II application Excel template:

- Plans and budgets should be submitted for at least a 12 month period but do not need to account for the full duration of the program or the full allocation amount. Funds will remain accessible to the LEA until September 30, 2023 and there will be additional opportunities to submit further requests/plans in the future.
- Following ESSER II application approval and initiation of funds draw down, districts will be required to report to the Commissioner's Task Force on ESSER II expenditures and impact on a monthly basis throughout the program. This ESSER II reporting will be required as a part of regular ESSER program reporting, which will capture past expenditures across funding streams (ESSER I, ESSER I SPED, ESSER II, ESSER II SPED, ESSER II KSDE Per Student Allocation). Districts may be asked to provide expenditures by fund, function, object, account, and ESSER II allowable use as part of ongoing ESSER reporting.
- This reporting will not replace any reporting required by the federal government. KSDE will work to maximize compatibility between its reporting requirements and those of the federal government as much as possible to minimize burden on districts.

Please download and complete the ESSER II application template [here](https://example.com) to provide details on ESSER II budgeted expenditures across allowable uses and KSDE accounting codes.

Local Education Agency (LEA) Assurances

Section I. General Grant Assurances for Federal Funds

Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA will comply with all requirements of:
The LEA will make a good faith effort, on a continuing basis, to maintain a drug-free workplace, in accordance with the measures in 34 CFR Part 84, Subpart B and the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988;
The Education Department General Administrative Regulations (EDGAR) 34 CFR 76 requirements, including:
34 CFR §76.500(a) Federal statutes and regulations on nondiscrimination.
(a) A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the following statutes and regulations:
- Discrimination on the basis of age | The Age Discrimination Act (42 U.S.C. 6101 et seq.) | 34 CFR part 110.

(b) A State or subgrantee that is a covered entity as defined in §108.3 of this title shall comply with the nondiscrimination requirements of the Boy Scouts of America Equal Access Act, 20 U.S.C. 7905, 34 CFR part 108.
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))
34 CFR §76.650 Private schools; purpose of §§76.651-76.662.
(a) Under some programs, the authorizing statute requires that a State and its subgrantees provide for participation by students enrolled in private schools. Sections 76.651-76.662 apply to those programs and provide rules for that participation. These sections do not affect the authority of the State or a subgrantee to enter into a contract with a private party.
(b) If any other rules for participation of students enrolled in private schools apply under a particular program, they are in the authorizing statute or implementing regulations for that program.
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3 and 3474)
34 CFR §76.700 Compliance with statutes, regulations, State plan, and applications.
A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the State plan and applicable statutes, regulations, and approved applications, and shall use Federal funds in accordance with those statutes, regulations, plan, and applications.
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))
34 CFR §76.701 The State or subgrantee administers or supervises each project.
A State or a subgrantee shall directly administer or supervise the administration of each project.
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))
34 CFR §76.702 Fiscal control and fund accounting procedures.
A State and a subgrantee shall use fiscal control and fund accounting procedures that insure proper disbursement of and accounting for Federal funds.
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))
34 CFR §76.709 Funds may be obligated during a “carryover period.”
(a) If a State or a subgrantee does not obligate all of its grant or subgrant funds by the end of the fiscal year for which Congress appropriated the funds, it may obligate the remaining funds during a carryover period of one additional fiscal year.
(b) The State shall return to the Federal Government any carryover funds not obligated by the end of the carryover period by the State and its subgrantees.
(Authority: U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1225(b), and 3474)
34 CFR §76.722 Subgrantee reporting requirements.
A State may require a subgrantee to submit reports in a manner and format that assists the State in complying with the requirements under 34 CFR 76.720 and in carrying out other responsibilities under the program.
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1231a, and 3474)
[72 FR 3703, Jan. 25, 2007]
34 CFR §76.730 Records related to grant funds.
A State and a subgrantee shall keep records that fully show:
(a) The amount of funds under the grant or subgrant;
(b) How the State or subgrantee uses the funds;
(c) The total cost of the project;
(d) The share of that cost provided from other sources; and
(e) Other records to facilitate an effective audit.
(Approved by the Office of Management and Budget under control number 1880-0513)

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1232f)
34 CFR §76.731 Records related to compliance.

A State and a subgrantee shall keep records to show its compliance with program requirements.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3; 3474, and 6511(a))
The Uniform Grant Guidance, 2 CFR §200 all applicable subrecipient requirements, including but not limited to:

2 CFR Subpart D – Post Federal Award Requirements
§200.302 Financial management.
§200.303 Internal controls.
§200.305 Payment.
§200.313 Equipment.
§200.314 Supplies.
§200.318 General procurement standards.
§200.320 Methods of procurement to be followed;
2 CFR 200 Subpart E: Cost Principles:
§200.403 Factors affecting allowability of costs.
§200.404 Reasonable costs.
§200.405 Allocable costs.
§200.413 Direct costs.
§200.415 Required certifications.
§200.430 Compensation—personal services.

The Debarment and Suspension, 34 CFR Part 85, Section 85.510, Participants' Responsibilities and makes the following certification by signing this application:
The prospective lower-tier participant certifies, by submission of this proposal, that neither it nor its principals is presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction by any federal department or agency.

Where the prospective lower-tier participant is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, such prospective participant shall attach an explanation to this proposal.

This certification is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was made or entered into. Submission of this certification is a prerequisite for making or entering into this transaction imposed by Section 1352, Title 31, U.S. Code. Any person who fails to file the required certification shall be subject to a civil penalty of not less than $10,000 for such failure.

Section II. Specific Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) Grant Assurances

The LEA assures that funds shall only be used for any of the following:
- Coordination of preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies with State, local, Tribal, and territorial public health departments, and other relevant agencies, to improve coordinated responses among such entities to prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus.
- Providing principals and others school leaders with the resources necessary to address the needs of their individual schools.
- Activities to address the unique needs of low-income children or students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and foster care youth, including how outreach and service delivery will meet the needs of each population.
• Developing and implementing procedures and systems to improve the preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies.
• Training and professional development for staff of the local educational agency on sanitation and minimizing the spread of infectious diseases.
• Purchasing supplies to sanitize and clean the facilities of a local educational agency, including buildings operated by such agency.
• Planning for and coordinating during long-term closures, including for how to provide meals to eligible students, how to provide technology for online learning to all students, how to provide guidance for carrying out requirements under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. 1401 et seq.) and how to ensure other educational services can continue to be provided consistent with all Federal, State, and local requirements.
• Purchasing educational technology (including hardware, software, and connectivity) for students who are served by the local educational agency that aids in regular and substantive educational interaction between students and their classroom instructors, including low-income students and students with disabilities, which may include assistive technology or adaptive equipment.
• Providing mental health services and supports.
• Planning and implementing activities related to summer learning and supplemental afterschool programs, including providing classroom instruction or online learning during the summer months and addressing the needs of low-income students, students with disabilities, English learners, migrant students, students experiencing homelessness, and children in foster care.
• Addressing learning loss among students, including low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and children and youth in foster care, of the local educational agency, including by—(A) Administering and using high-quality assessments that are valid and reliable, to accurately assess students' academic progress and assist educators in meeting students' academic needs, including through differentiating instruction. (B) Implementing evidence-based activities to meet the comprehensive needs of students. (C) Providing information and assistance to parents and families on how they can effectively support students, including in a distance learning environment. (D) Tracking student attendance and improving student engagement in distance education.
• School facility repairs and improvements to enable operation of schools to reduce risk of virus transmission and exposure to environmental health hazards, and to support student health needs.
• Inspection, testing, maintenance, repair, replacement, and upgrade projects to improve the indoor air quality in school facilities, including mechanical and non-mechanical heating, ventilation, and air conditioning systems, filtering, purification and other air cleaning, fans, control systems, and window and door repair and replacement.
• Other activities that are necessary to maintain the operation of and continuity of services in local educational agencies and continuing to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.

Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA shall comply with all applicable requirements of the Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) authorized by the Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act, 2021 (CRRSAA), including:

CONTINUED PAYMENT TO EMPLOYEES
SEC. 18006. A local educational agency, State, institution of higher education, or other entity that receives funds under "Education Stabilization Fund", shall to the greatest extent practicable, continue to pay its employees and contractors during the period of any disruptions or closures related to coronavirus.

Certification
To the best of my knowledge and belief, all the information and data in this agreement are true and correct. I acknowledge and agree that the failure to comply with all Assurances and Certifications in this Agreement, all relevant provisions and requirements of the CARES Act, Pub. L. No. 116-136 (March 27, 2020), or any other applicable law or regulation may result in liability under the False Claims Act, 31 U.S.C. § 3729, et seq.; OMB Guidelines to Agencies on Governmentwide Debarment and Suspension (Nonprocurement) in 2 CFR part 180, as adopted and amended as regulations of the Department in 2 CFR part 3485; and 18 USC § 1001, as appropriate.

Electronic Signature

Tony Helfrich
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<td>Towards the completion of an HVAC renovation for our preschool, which has radiator heat and window air conditioner units for the purpose of increasing the air turnover rate and reducing the spread of infectious disease.</td>
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Applicant / Phone Number | 7857354481

All questions in the section below are optional, and offer an opportunity to upload or enter information that is typically asked for on grant opportunities.

(for EANS and ESSER grant applications - please skip the questions below, and scroll to the bottom to complete your User Profile information.)
Please briefly describe the impacts of COVID-19 on the district and its Pre-K through 12 students, including any relevant data where possible (e.g., cost impact, learning loss, emotional impact on students). If there has been a disproportionate impact on a special population in the district (e.g., students with disabilities, English Learners, students in foster care, students in poverty, etc.), please describe the impact and provide the number of Pre-K through 12 students in that population.

We have had a learning loss in our students that needed the most help initially. Meeting their needs both academically as well as social/emotionally will take new addition programs and ideas to help recover and make achievements as like age peers.

Does the district have remaining ESSER II funding that it has not yet spent as of the date of ESSER II application submission?

No

Please review the following allowable uses of ESSER II funds before completing the narrative and Excel template portion of the application.

- Coordination of preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies with State, local, Tribal, and territorial public health departments, and other relevant agencies, to improve coordinated responses among such entities to prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus.
- Providing principals and others school leaders with the resources necessary to address the needs of their individual schools.
- Activities to address the unique needs of low-income children or students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and foster care youth, including how outreach and service delivery will meet the needs of each population.
- Developing and implementing procedures and systems to improve the preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies.
Training and professional development for staff of the local educational agency on sanitation and minimizing the spread of infectious diseases.

Purchasing supplies to sanitize and clean the facilities of a local educational agency, including buildings operated by such agency.

Planning for, coordinating, and implementing activities during long-term closures, including providing meals to eligible students, providing technology for online learning to all students, providing guidance for carrying out requirements under the IDEA and ensuring other educational services can continue to be provided consistent with all Federal, State, and local requirements.

Purchasing educational technology (including hardware, software, and connectivity) for students who are served by the local educational agency that aids in regular and substantive educational interaction between students and their classroom instructors, including low-income students and children with disabilities, which may include assistive technology or adaptive equipment.

Providing mental health services and supports.

Planning and implementing activities related to summer learning and supplemental afterschool programs, including providing classroom instruction or online learning during the summer months and addressing the needs of low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, migrant students, students experiencing homelessness, and children in foster care.

Addressing learning loss among students, including low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and children and youth in foster care, of the local educational agency, including by—(A) Administering and using high-quality assessments that are valid and reliable, to accurately assess students' academic progress and assist educators in meeting students' academic needs, including through differentiating instruction. (B) Implementing evidence-based activities to meet the comprehensive needs of students. (C) Providing information and assistance to parents and families on how they can effectively support students, including in a distance learning environment. (D) Tracking student attendance and improving student engagement in distance education.

School facility repairs and improvements to enable operation of schools to reduce risk of virus transmission and exposure to environmental health hazards, and to support student health needs.

Inspection, testing, maintenance, repair, replacement, and upgrade projects to improve the indoor air quality in school facilities, including mechanical and non-mechanical heating, ventilation, and air conditioning systems, filtering, purification and other air cleaning, fans, control systems, and window and door repair and replacement.

Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities.

Other activities that are necessary to maintain the operation of and continuity of services in local educational agencies and continuing to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.

Please note: "Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities," identified as an allowable use under ESSER III in the American Rescue Plan, is also permissible under ESSER II.

Plan for ESSER II Direct District Allocation and KSDE Per-Student Additional Allocation (If Applicable)

Please summarize how the district proposes using its ESSER II direct district allocation (and its KSDE per-student additional allocation, if applicable) to address incremental COVID-19 needs.

We are hosting an engaging and exciting learning opportunity for students PreK-8 grade to address both the loss of learning due to the pandemic as well as helping students get head start on grade level and learning level needs for the upcoming school year.

How will the district determine the impact of its ESSER II direct district allocation expenditures (and additional per-student allocation, if applicable) on students?

We will survey and evaluate families input after our program. We will also allow student data for growth in areas for lower performing in.

Notes on ESSER II application Excel template:
• Plans and budgets should be submitted for at least a 12 month period but do not need to account for the full duration of the program or the full allocation amount. Funds will remain accessible to the LEA until September 30, 2023 and there will be additional opportunities to submit further requests/plans in the future.

• Following ESSER II application approval and initiation of funds draw down, districts will be required to report to the Commissioner's Task Force on ESSER II expenditures and impact on a monthly basis throughout the program. This ESSER II reporting will be required as a part of regular ESSER program reporting, which will capture past expenditures across funding streams (ESSER I, ESSER I SPED, ESSER II, ESSER II SPED, ESSER II KSDE Per Student Allocation). Districts may be asked to provide expenditures by fund, function, object, account, and ESSER II allowable use as part of ongoing ESSER reporting.

• This reporting will not replace any reporting required by the federal government. KSDE will work to maximize compatibility between its reporting requirements and those of the federal government as much as possible to minimize burden on districts.

Please download and complete the ESSER II application template here to provide details on ESSER II budgeted expenditures across allowable uses and KSDE accounting codes.

Local Education Agency (LEA) Assurances

Section I. General Grant Assurances for Federal Funds

Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA will comply with all requirements of:

The LEA will make a good faith effort, on a continuing basis, to maintain a drug-free workplace, in accordance with the measures in 34 CFR Part 84, Subpart B and the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988;

The Education Department General Administrative Regulations (EDGAR) 34 CFR 76 requirements, including:

34 CFR §76.500(a) Federal statutes and regulations on nondiscrimination.

(a) A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the following statutes and regulations:

• Discrimination on the basis of race, color, or national origin | Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (45 U.S.C. 2000d through 2000d-4) | 34 CFR part 100.


• Discrimination on the basis of age | The Age Discrimination Act (42 U.S.C. 6101 et seq.) | 34 CFR part 110.

(b) A State or subgrantee that is a covered entity as defined in §108.3 of this title shall comply with the nondiscrimination requirements of the Boy Scouts of America Equal Access Act, 20 U.S.C. 7905, 34 CFR part 108.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))


34 CFR §76.650 Private schools; purpose of §§76.651-76.662.

(a) Under some programs, the authorizing statute requires that a State and its subgrantees provide for participation by students enrolled in private schools. Sections 76.651-76.662 apply to those programs and provide rules for that participation. These sections do not affect the authority of the State or a subgrantee to enter into a contract with a private party.

(b) If any other rules for participation of students enrolled in private schools apply under a particular program, they are in the authorizing statute or implementing regulations for that program.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3 and 3474)

34 CFR §76.700 Compliance with statutes, regulations, State plan, and applications.

A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the State plan and applicable statutes, regulations, and approved applications, and
shall use Federal funds in accordance with those statutes, regulations, plan, and applications.  
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.701 The State or subgrantee administers or supervises each project.  
A State or a subgrantee shall directly administer or supervise the administration of each project.  
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.702 Fiscal control and fund accounting procedures.  
A State and a subgrantee shall use fiscal control and fund accounting procedures that insure proper disbursement of and accounting for Federal funds.  
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.709 Funds may be obligated during a “carryover period.”  
(a) If a State or a subgrantee does not obligate all of its grant or subgrant funds by the end of the fiscal year for which Congress appropriated the funds, it may obligate the remaining funds during a carryover period of one additional fiscal year.  
(b) The State shall return to the Federal Government any carryover funds not obligated by the end of the carryover period by the State and its subgrantees.  
(Authority: U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1225(b), and 3474)


34 CFR §76.722 Subgrantee reporting requirements.  
A State may require a subgrantee to submit reports in a manner and format that assists the State in complying with the requirements under 34 CFR 76.720 and in carrying out other responsibilities under the program.  
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1231a, and 3474)

[72 FR 3703, Jan. 25, 2007]

34 CFR §76.730 Records related to grant funds.  
A State and a subgrantee shall keep records that fully show:  
(a) The amount of funds under the grant or subgrant;  
(b) How the State or subgrantee uses the funds;  
(c) The total cost of the project;  
(d) The share of that cost provided from other sources; and  
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Applicant / Entity Name  |  USD 393 Solomon
Applicant / Mailing Address
313 E. 7th
Solomon, KS 67480

Applicant / First and Last Name of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director  |  Justin Coup, Supt
Applicant / Email Address of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director  |  jcoup@usd393.net
Applicant / Phone Number  |  785-655-2541

All questions in the section below are optional, and offer an opportunity to upload or enter information that is typically asked for on grant opportunities.

(for EANS and ESSER grant applications - please skip the questions below, and scroll to the bottom to complete your User Profile information.)

Application details

Full District Name  |  Solomon
District Number  |  393
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Does the district have remaining ESSER I funding that it has not yet spent as of the date of ESSER II application submission? | No

Please review the following allowable uses of ESSER II funds before completing the narrative and Excel template portion of the application.

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Plan for ESSER II Direct District Allocation and KSDE Per-Student Additional Allocation (If Applicable)

Please summarize how the district proposes using its ESSER II direct district allocation (and its KSDE per-student additional allocation, if applicable) to address incremental COVID-19 needs.
We are utilizing the plan to hire 6 FTE certified teachers and 6 paras. We have our Camp Gorilla enrollment open and have over 100 students attending 3 days a week all day long for 6 weeks during the summer. We will meet on Tues, Wed, Thur for the first three weeks of June followed by the first three full weeks in July. This will allow students to have a break yet hopefully not have the summer slide along with the loss from the pandemic. We will group them by grade bands with 25-30 in a classroom/learning area with three staff members (2 cert 1 classified).

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We will continue to progress monitor and utilize FASTBRIDGE data to compare not only the impact as a whole, but individually with students. We are also using FRECKLE math to help target skills flagged in our FAST data. SEL is a top priority as well as implementing professional development to help our teachers become confident in dealing with behavior issues within the classroom. SABRES data will be utilized to compare the impact from a students perspective as well from the teachers.

Notes on ESSER II application Excel template:

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(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))


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[72 FR 3703, Jan. 25, 2007]

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|  PO Box 100

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Application details

Full District Name  |  Paradise
District Number  |  399
Mailing Address | Street Address  |  PO Box 100 710 5th Street
USD 399 felt the impact of COVID-19 before our school year started when one of our teachers was diagnosed with COVID and had attended a district in-service. Consequently, 17 of the 25 participants in the in-service were quarantined because of contact tracing. We had to push our start date back two weeks to accommodate the quarantine process. While our teachers have done a remarkable job moving our students forward this year, we have noticed a vast difference in our MTSS groupings. The difference between students in Tier III groups has widened and has made it harder to give the students the individualized attention they deserve. We have also found ourselves in a situation that may cause us to combine classes at the elementary. We had a teacher resign late in the summer last year when we announced we would begin the year with face-to-face instruction. We had to move our 6th-grade teacher to cover the opening and teachers at the 6-12 building took over the core 6th-grade classes. With our declining enrollment numbers the last two years, hiring an additional part-time teacher is not feasible, given the budget outlook for next year. Without ESSER II funds, our only option would be to combine classes for the 5th & 6th-grades. This would create a combined classroom of 20 students. Currently, 63% of our students are economically disadvantaged. Coupled with 25% of our students being served by Special Education, putting us nearly 10% above the state average.

Please briefly describe the impacts of COVID-19 on the district and its Pre-K through 12 students, including any relevant data where possible (e.g., cost impact, learning loss, emotional impact on students). If there has been a disproportionate impact on a special population in the district (e.g., students with disabilities, English Learners, students in foster care, students in poverty, etc.), please describe the impact and provide the number of Pre-K through 12 students in that population.

We will use the remaining funds in our ESSER I fund to purchase cleaning and sanitizing supplies for the upcoming year. We will also use a portion of the remaining funds to purchase technology that will enable our teachers to do a better job teaching remotely, should the situation change from our present face-to-face model.

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Please summarize how the district proposes using its ESSER II direct district allocation (and its KSDE per-student additional allocation, if applicable) to address incremental COVID-19 needs.

Our plan calls for the hiring of a part-time teacher to teach 6th-grade core subjects. The other subjects not covered by this teacher will be electives that will be covered by teachers already in place. When we had to move the 6th-grade teacher at the beginning of last year, teachers at the 6-12 building stepped up and took over core classes. While they have done a great job in these classes, having them teach the core classes reduced the number of electives available for our students in other classes. Our plan also calls for adding an additional at-risk para in our elementary school to help decrease the number of students in our Tier III groups and enable students to gain more individualized instruction.

How will the district determine the impact of its ESSER II direct district allocation expenditures (and additional per-student allocation, if applicable) on students?

We will determine the impact of ESSER II funds by increases in test scores at the elementary level due to more individualized instruction for students in Tier III groups.

Notes on ESSER II application Excel template:

- Plans and budgets should be submitted for at least a 12 month period but do not need to account for the full duration of the program or the full allocation amount. Funds will remain accessible to the LEA until September 30, 2023 and there will be additional opportunities to submit further requests/plans in the future.
- Following ESSER II application approval and initiation of funds draw down, districts will be required to report to the Commissioner's Task Force on ESSER II expenditures and impact on a monthly basis throughout the program. This ESSER II reporting will be required as a part of regular ESSER program reporting, which will capture past expenditures across funding streams (ESSER I, ESSER I SPED, ESSER II, ESSER II SPED, ESSER II KSDE Per Student Allocation). Districts may be asked to provide expenditures by fund, function, object, account, and ESSER II allowable use as part of ongoing ESSER reporting.
- This reporting will not replace any reporting required by the federal government. KSDE will work to maximize compatibility between its reporting requirements and those of the federal government as much as possible to minimize burden on districts.

Please download and complete the ESSER II application template [here](310_Paradise_ESSERII Plan... (12 KiB download)) to provide details on ESSER II budgeted expenditures across allowable uses and KSDE accounting codes.

Local Education Agency (LEA) Assurances

**Section I. General Grant Assurances for Federal Funds**

Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA will comply with all requirements of:

The LEA will make a good faith effort, on a continuing basis, to maintain a drug-free workplace, in accordance with the measures in 34 CFR Part 84, Subpart B and the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988;

The Education Department General Administrative Regulations (EDGAR) 34 CFR 76 requirements, including:

34 CFR §76.500(a) Federal statutes and regulations on nondiscrimination.

(a) A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the following statutes and regulations:

Discrimination on the basis of age

The Age Discrimination Act (42 U.S.C. 6101 et seq.) | 34 CFR part 110.

(b) A State or subgrantee that is a covered entity as defined in §108.3 of this title shall comply with the nondiscrimination requirements of the Boy Scouts of America Equal Access Act, 20 U.S.C. 7905, 34 CFR part 108.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.650 Private schools; purpose of §§76.651-76.662.

(a) Under some programs, the authorizing statute requires that a State and its subgrantees provide for participation by students enrolled in private schools. Sections 76.651-76.662 apply to those programs and provide rules for that participation. These sections do not affect the authority of the State or a subgrantee to enter into a contract with a private party.

(b) If any other rules for participation of students enrolled in private schools apply under a particular program, they are in the authorizing statute or implementing regulations for that program.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3 and 3474)

34 CFR §76.700 Compliance with statutes, regulations, State plan, and applications.

A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the State plan and applicable statutes, regulations, and approved applications, and shall use Federal funds in accordance with those statutes, regulations, plan, and applications.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.701 The State or subgrantee administers or supervises each project.

A State or a subgrantee shall directly administer or supervise the administration of each project.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.702 Fiscal control and fund accounting procedures.

A State and a subgrantee shall use fiscal control and fund accounting procedures that insure proper disbursement of and accounting for Federal funds.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.709 Funds may be obligated during a “carryover period.”

(a) If a State or a subgrantee does not obligate all of its grant or subgrant funds by the end of the fiscal year for which Congress appropriated the funds, it may obligate the remaining funds during a carryover period of one additional fiscal year.

(b) The State shall return to the Federal Government any carryover funds not obligated by the end of the carryover period by the State and its subgrantees.

(Authority: U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1225(b), and 3474)

34 CFR §76.722 Subgrantee reporting requirements.

A State may require a subgrantee to submit reports in a manner and format that assists the State in complying with the requirements under 34 CFR 76.720 and in carrying out other responsibilities under the program.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1231a, and 3474)
[72 FR 3703, Jan. 25, 2007]

34 CFR §76.730 Records related to grant funds.

A State and a subgrantee shall keep records that fully show:

(a) The amount of funds under the grant or subgrant;

(b) How the State or subgrantee uses the funds;

(c) The total cost of the project;

(d) The share of that cost provided from other sources; and

(e) Other records to facilitate an effective audit.

(Approved by the Office of Management and Budget under control number 1880-0513)

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1232)

34 CFR §76.731 Records related to compliance.

A State and a subgrantee shall keep records to show its compliance with program requirements.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))
The Uniform Grant Guidance, 2 CFR §202 all applicable subrecipient requirements, including but not limited to:

2 CFR Subpart D – Post Federal Award Requirements
§200.302 Financial management.
§200.303 Internal controls.
§200.305 Payment.
§200.313 Equipment.
§200.314 Supplies.
§200.318 General procurement standards.
§200.320 Methods of procurement to be followed;
2 CFR 200 Subpart E: Cost Principles:
§200.403 Factors affecting allowability of costs.
§200.404 Reasonable costs.
§200.405 Allocable costs.
§200.413 Direct costs.
§200.415 Required certifications.
§200.430 Compensation—personal services.
The Debarment and Suspension, 34 CFR Part 85, Section 85.510, Participants’ Responsibilities and makes the following certification by signing this application:
The prospective lower-tier participant certifies, by submission of this proposal, that neither it nor its principals is presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction by any federal department or agency.
Where the prospective lower-tier participant is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, such prospective participant shall attach an explanation to this proposal.
This certification is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was made or entered into. Submission of this certification is a prerequisite for making or entering into this transaction imposed by Section 1352, Title 31, U.S. Code. Any person who fails to file the required certification shall be subject to a civil penalty of not less than $10,000 for such failure.

Section II. Specific Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) Grant Assurances
The LEA assures that funds shall only be used for any of the following:
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- Other activities that are necessary to maintain the operation of and continuity of services in local educational agencies and continuing to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.

Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA shall comply with all applicable requirements of the Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) authorized by the Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act, 2021 (CRRSAA), including:

CONTINUED PAYMENT TO EMPLOYEES
SEC. 18006. A local educational agency, State, institution of higher education, or other entity that receives funds under “Education Stabilization Fund”, shall to the greatest extent practicable, continue to pay its employees and contractors during the period of any disruptions or closures related to coronavirus.

Certification

To the best of my knowledge and belief, all the information and data in this agreement are true and correct. I acknowledge and agree that the failure to comply with all Assurances and Certifications in this Agreement, all relevant provisions and requirements of the CARES Act, Pub. L. No. 116-136 (March 27, 2020), or any other applicable law or regulation may result in liability under the False Claims Act, 31 U.S.C. § 3729, et seq.; OMB Guidelines to Agencies on Governmentwide Debarment and Suspension (Nonprocurement) in 2 CFR part 180, as adopted and amended as regulations of the Department in 2 CFR part 3485; and 18 USC § 1001, as appropriate.

Electronic Signature | Larry D. Geist
Date | 05/05/2021

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| 399-1-006-20210608 | Eligible | Direct Allocation | Instruction | Property | 9. Purchasing educational technology (including hardware, software, and connectivity) for the LEA's students | Add new technology that will make it easier for our teachers to do remote learning, | $15,793 | - | $15,793 | - | - | 16-1000-700 | 5 Promethean boards (3 elementary and 2 at Jr/Sr High) to allow for students who are quarantined due to exposure to interact in real time with their peers and teachers- phone call 5/26/21; Allowable to a) reimburse the district for prior remote learning expenses b) incur new expenses related to actual current/perpetual remote learning circumstances, and/or c) to budget for potential future remote learning expenses. Please note that expenses should not be incurred to purchase property to hold in the unlikely event of potential future remote learning needs. |
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Applicant / Federal EIN (if applicable)

480722703

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As a district, Augusta schools were 36% free and reduced in 2019-20. When free lunches were approved by the USDA our parents largely stopped filling out free/reduced from, this caused our free/reduced numbers to drop to 31% for 2020-21. The 2019-20 numbers are likely more representative of our current state. Hardships such as, unreliable internet, lack of parent availability during quarantines paired with the traditional educational hurdles this subgroup experiences have compounded challenges as this population has worked through the pandemic.

Student/staff quarantines made it difficult to provide continuity of learning. High school students alone have over 400 failing grades- largely due to being in and out of the classroom or having teachers/paras in and out due to quarantine. Middle school has over 234 failing grades in 2020-21. In addition, teachers were not able to teach in the most effective ways do to social distancing. Students lost out on experiences & staff lost out on PD opportunities.

Our staff have been asked to do more this year than ever before, they have been on the frontlines of the pandemic, placing them at significantly greater risk of contracting the virus and transmitting to loved ones. In USD 402's school district alone, we have had over 110 known positive cases and 623 individuals determined to be close contacts. As essential workers, it has put our students and staff at greater risk. USD 402 has been in an in-person learning model all but one week of this school year.

Does the district have remaining ESSER funding that it has not yet spent as of

Yes
Please summarize how the district will use its remaining ESSER I and ESSER I SPED funding and what it hopes to accomplish with these funds.

USD 402 has approximately $20,000, which will be used for summer programs at all grade levels in June of 2021. Summer programs are being designed to target learning loss at all grade levels. Elementary will focus primarily on reading and math, middle school will primarily focus on math, and high school will focus on the ballooning number of recovery needs, largely created by the virus and the large number of quarantines throughout the course of the school year.

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Please summarize how the district proposes using its ESSER II direct district allocation (and its KSDE per-student additional allocation, if applicable) to address incremental COVID-19 needs.

USD 402 plans to take a balanced approach in our continued response to the pandemic. The district’s ESSER II request is focused on the following areas: Student interventions, Tech/software/connectivity, professional learning, hazard pay/continuity of staff/services, mental health services, nurse services, and PPE.

Our district needs to recalibrate and focus on how to continue to respond to the pandemic this August in order to close the learning gaps created by the pandemic. We also need to recognize the extraordinary efforts of our staff over the course of the last school year.

All of the requests on this application are focused on students and staff, whether related to safety (PPE), student learning, professional development, hazard pay, or services in the area of mental health and physical health, all are deeply connected to COVID and the 15 authorized uses of these federal funds.

The district plans to offer summer programs at all levels. Elementary will focus on reading and math, middle school will focus on math, and the high school will focus on credit recovery. Teacher and student quarantines clearly impacted instruction. This is evidenced by the data provided; In grades K-2, 44.5% of students are not proficient in reading, 38% in grades 3-5, and 42%. In math, 36% of K-3 students are not proficient, 36% in grades 3-5, and 43% in grades 6-8. In the 19-20 school year, Augusta Middle School had 197 failing grades total as compared to 234 thus far in the 2020-2022 school year. Augusta High School had 249 total F’s in 2019-20.

Based on the 15 authorized use categories and the intent from the federal government, USD 402 strongly believes that the items in this request directly align with the intent from the federal government.

How will the district determine the impact of its ESSER II direct district allocation expenditures (and additional per-student allocation, if applicable) on students?

The district will continue to monitor student grades, graduation rates, students and staff absences, assessment data trends, social emotional data, college readiness, MTSS progressions from tier 3, 2, and 1, quarantine numbers, class sizes, instructional software data, staff retention in the district.

Notes on ESSER II application Excel template:

- Plans and budgets should be submitted for at least a 12 month period but do not need to account for the full duration of the program or the full allocation amount. Funds will remain accessible to the LEA until September 30, 2023 and there will be additional opportunities to submit further requests/plans in the future.

- Following ESSER II application approval and initiation of funds draw down, districts will be required to report to the Commissioner’s Task Force on ESSER II expenditures and impact on a monthly basis throughout the program. This ESSER II reporting will be required as a part of regular ESSER program reporting, which will capture past expenditures across
funding streams (ESSER I, ESSER I SPED, ESSER II, ESSER II SPED, ESSER II KSDE Per Student Allocation). Districts may be asked to provide expenditures by fund, function, object, account, and ESSER II allowable use as part of ongoing ESSER reporting.

- This reporting will not replace any reporting required by the federal government. KSDE will work to maximize compatibility between its reporting requirements and those of the federal government as much as possible to minimize burden on districts.

Please download and complete the ESSER II application template [here](#) to provide details on ESSER II budgeted expenditures across allowable uses and KSDE accounting codes.

ESSERII-ApplicationTemplate.xlsx (823 KiB download)

### Local Education Agency (LEA) Assurances

#### Section I. General Grant Assurances for Federal Funds

_Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA will comply with all requirements of:_

The LEA will make a good faith effort, on a continuing basis, to maintain a drug-free workplace, in accordance with the measures in 34 CFR Part 84, Subpart B and the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988;

The Education Department General Administrative Regulations (EDGAR) 34 CFR 76 requirements, including:

- 34 CFR §76.500(a) Federal statutes and regulations on nondiscrimination.
  
  (a) A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the following statutes and regulations:
  
  
  
  
  - Discrimination on the basis of age | The Age Discrimination Act (42 U.S.C. 6101 et seq.) | 34 CFR part 110.

  (b) A State or subgrantee that is a covered entity as defined in §108.3 of this title shall comply with the nondiscrimination requirements of the Boy Scouts of America Equal Access Act, 20 U.S.C. 7905, 34 CFR part 108.

  (Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))


  34 CFR §76.650 Private schools; purpose of §§76.651-76.662.

  (a) Under some programs, the authorizing statute requires that a State and its subgrantees provide for participation by students enrolled in private schools. Sections 76.651-76.662 apply to those programs and provide rules for that participation. These sections do not affect the authority of the State or a subgrantee to enter into a contract with a private party.

  (b) If any other rules for participation of students enrolled in private schools apply under a particular program, they are in the authorizing statute or implementing regulations for that program.

  (Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3 and 3474)

  34 CFR §76.700 Compliance with statutes, regulations, State plan, and applications.

  A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the State plan and applicable statutes, regulations, and approved applications, and shall use Federal funds in accordance with those statutes, regulations, plan, and applications.

  (Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

  34 CFR §76.701 The State or subgrantee administers or supervises each project.

  A State or a subgrantee shall directly administer or supervise the administration of each project.

  (Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

  34 CFR §76.702 Fiscal control and fund accounting procedures.

  A State and a subgrantee shall use fiscal control and fund accounting procedures that insure proper disbursement of and
accounting for Federal funds.
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.709 Funds may be obligated during a “carryover period.”

(a) If a State or a subgrantee does not obligate all of its grant or subgrant funds by the end of the fiscal year for which Congress appropriated the funds, it may obligate the remaining funds during a carryover period of one additional fiscal year.

(b) The State shall return to the Federal Government any carryover funds not obligated by the end of the carryover period by the State and its subgrantees.

(Authority: U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1225(b), and 3474)


34 CFR §76.722 Subgrantee reporting requirements.

A State may require a subgrantee to submit reports in a manner and format that assists the State in complying with the requirements under 34 CFR 76.720 and in carrying out other responsibilities under the program.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1231a, and 3474)

[72 FR 3703, Jan. 25, 2007]

34 CFR §76.730 Records related to grant funds.

A State and a subgrantee shall keep records that fully show:

(a) The amount of funds under the grant or subgrant;

(b) How the State or subgrantee uses the funds;

(c) The total cost of the project;

(d) The share of that cost provided from other sources; and

(e) Other records to facilitate an effective audit.

(Approved by the Office of Management and Budget under control number 1880-0513)

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1232f)


34 CFR §76.731 Records related to compliance.

A State and a subgrantee shall keep records to show its compliance with program requirements.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

The Uniform Grant Guidance, 2 CFR §200 all applicable subrecipient requirements, including but not limited to:

2 CFR Subpart D – Post Federal Award Requirements

$200.302 Financial management.

$200.303 Internal controls.

$200.305 Payment.

$200.313 Equipment.

$200.314 Supplies.

$200.318 General procurement standards.

$200.320 Methods of procurement to be followed;

2 CFR 200 Subpart E: Cost Principles:

$200.403 Factors affecting allowability of costs.

$200.404 Reasonable costs.

$200.405 Allocable costs.

$200.413 Direct costs.

$200.415 Required certifications.

$200.430 Compensation—personal services.

The Debarment and Suspension, 34 CFR Part 85, Section 85.510, Participants' Responsibilities and makes the following certification by signing this application:

The prospective lower-tier participant certifies, by submission of this proposal, that neither it nor its principals is presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction by any federal department or agency.

Where the prospective lower-tier participant is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, such prospective participant shall attach an explanation to this proposal.

This certification is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was made or entered into. Submission of this certification is a prerequisite for making or entering into this transaction imposed by Section
1352, Title 31, U.S. Code. Any person who fails to file the required certification shall be subject to a civil penalty of not less than $10,000 for such failure.

Section II. Specific Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) Grant Assurances

The LEA assures that funds shall only be used for any of the following:

- Coordination of preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies with State, local, Tribal, and territorial public health departments, and other relevant agencies, to improve coordinated responses among such entities to prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus.
- Providing principals and others school leaders with the resources necessary to address the needs of their individual schools.
- Activities to address the unique needs of low-income children or students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and foster care youth, including how outreach and service delivery will meet the needs of each population.
- Developing and implementing procedures and systems to improve the preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies.
- Training and professional development for staff of the local educational agency on sanitation and minimizing the spread of infectious diseases.
- Purchasing supplies to sanitize and clean the facilities of a local educational agency, including buildings operated by such agency.
- Planning for and coordinating during long-term closures, including for how to provide meals to eligible students, how to provide technology for online learning to all students, how to provide guidance for carrying out requirements under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. 1401 et seq.) and how to ensure other educational services can continue to be provided consistent with all Federal, State, and local requirements.
- Purchasing educational technology (including hardware, software, and connectivity) for students who are served by the local educational agency that aids in regular and substantive educational interaction between students and their classroom instructors, including low-income students and students with disabilities, which may include assistive technology or adaptive equipment.
- Providing mental health services and supports.
- Planning and implementing activities related to summer learning and supplemental afterschool programs, including providing classroom instruction or online learning during the summer months and addressing the needs of low income students, students with disabilities, English learners, migrant students, students experiencing homelessness, and children in foster care.
- Addressing learning loss among students, including low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and children and youth in foster care, of the local educational agency, including by—(A) Administering and using high-quality assessments that are valid and reliable, to accurately assess students’ academic progress and assist educators in meeting students’ academic needs, including through differentiating instruction. (B) Implementing evidence-based activities to meet the comprehensive needs of students. (C) Providing information and assistance to parents and families on how they can effectively support students, including in a distance learning environment. (D) Tracking student attendance and improving student engagement in distance education.
- School facility repairs and improvements to enable operation of schools to reduce risk of virus transmission and exposure to environmental health hazards, and to support student health needs.
- Inspection, testing, maintenance, repair, replacement, and upgrade projects to improve the indoor air quality in school facilities, including mechanical and non-mechanical heating, ventilation, and air conditioning systems, filtering, purification and other air cleaning, fans, control systems, and window and door repair and replacement.
Other activities that are necessary to maintain the operation of and continuity of services in local educational agencies and continuing to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.

Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA shall comply with all applicable requirements of the Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) authorized by the Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act, 2021 (CRRSAA), including:

CONTINUED PAYMENT TO EMPLOYEES
SEC. 18006. A local educational agency, State, institution of higher education, or other entity that receives funds under "Education Stabilization Fund", shall to the greatest extent practicable, continue to pay its employees and contractors during the period of any disruptions or closures related to coronavirus.

Certification

To the best of my knowledge and belief, all the information and data in this agreement are true and correct. I acknowledge and agree that the failure to comply with all Assurances and Certifications in this Agreement, all relevant provisions and requirements of the CARES Act, Pub. L. No. 116-136 (March 27, 2020), or any other applicable law or regulation may result in liability under the False Claims Act, 31 U.S.C. § 3729, et seq.; OMB Guidelines to Agencies on Governmentwide Debarment and Suspension (Nonprocurement) in 2 CFR part 180, as adopted and amended as regulations of the Department in 2 CFR part 3485; and 18 USC § 1001, as appropriate.

Electronic Signature

| Matt Ward

Date

| 04/28/2021

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### 11A. Planning and implementing summer learning or enrichment programs

#### Work Comp - Summer Programs

**402-1-004-20210608**

Eligible Direct Allocation: Instruction Worker's Compensation.

Planimng and implementing summer learning or enrichment programs.

- **$101**

**402-1-005-20210608**

Eligible Direct Allocation: Instruction Worker's Compensation.

Planimng and implementing summer learning or enrichment programs.

- **$59,000**

**402-1-006-20210608**

Eligible Direct Allocation: Instruction Worker's Compensation.

Planimng and implementing summer learning or enrichment programs.

- **$54,407**

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**12. Addressing learning loss among students, including vulnerable populations**

AMS MTSS Specialist (ESSER23 Position) - Augusta middle school plans to add an MTSS specialist to establish, monitor, and support students in the areas of reading and math intervention in response to COVID. This interventionist will be a huge support for students and will be able to identify learning gaps based on data and progress monitoring. Having this position added will provide a consistent and targeted MTSS model which will support teachers and learners as they respond to the considerable learning loss caused by the pandemic. **Support Data/Evidence:** Support Data/Evidence: In grades 6-8, 42% are not proficient in reading. In math 43% of 6-8 graders are not proficient. **Support Data/Evidence:** Support Data/Evidence: In grades 6-8, 42% are not proficient in reading. In math 43% of 6-8 graders are not proficient.

**402-1-004-20210608**

Eligible Direct Allocation: Instruction Worker's Compensation.

- **$101**

**402-1-005-20210608**

Eligible Direct Allocation: Instruction Worker's Compensation.

- **$59,000**

**402-1-006-20210608**

Eligible Direct Allocation: Instruction Worker's Compensation.

- **$54,407**

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**MTSS Coordinator to address learning loss caused by COVID, especially in Middle School**

Intervention Para (x4) - Early literacy (k-3) has been hit hard by the pandemic and schools need to provide extra 1-1 supports to build reading skills for students. Doing so now, and intervening early, will reduce the amount of remedial instruction that will need to take place for years to come. Adding a paraprofessional per elementary will provide teachers with the flexibility to provide more targeted 1-1 instruction in order to reduce learning loss caused by the pandemic. **Support Data/Evidence:** Support Data/Evidence: In grades K-2, 44.5% of students are not proficient in reading, and 38% in grades 3-5 are not meeting grade level benchmark. **Support Data/Evidence:** Support Data/Evidence: In grades K-2, 44.5% of students are not proficient in reading, and 38% in grades 3-5 are not meeting grade level benchmark.

**402-1-004-20210608**

Eligible Direct Allocation: Instruction Worker's Compensation.

- **$101**

**402-1-005-20210608**

Eligible Direct Allocation: Instruction Worker's Compensation.

- **$59,000**

**402-1-006-20210608**

Eligible Direct Allocation: Instruction Worker's Compensation.

- **$54,407**

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- **Eligible Direct Allocation**
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- **16. Other activities necessary to maintain LEA operations and services and employ existing LEA staff**
- **Retain teacher - Robinson elementary has a low enrollment group that is being moved to one section for budget reasons. This will result in increased numbers in our other early elementary classes as we respond to the need that the pandemic has created. Inflated student numbers, especially in early elementary, is the opposite of what those students need as we respond to the pandemic. Using ESSER funds to keep a two section grade level will reduce numbers in the grade district wide, allowing for more 1-1 instruction from the teachers. Not allowing class sizes to inflate post pandemic and providing a better student to teacher ratio is a great way to reduce learning loss post pandemic.**
- **$40,300**

### 402-1-012-20210608
- **Eligible Direct Allocation**
- **Instruction Group Insurance**
- **16. Other activities necessary to maintain LEA operations and services and employ existing LEA staff**
- **Health - Retaining Teacher**
- **Hiring K-5 teacher Health Insurance**
- **$5,488**

### 402-1-013-20210608
- **Eligible Direct Allocation**
- **Instruction Social Security Contributions**
- **16. Other activities necessary to maintain LEA operations and services and employ existing LEA staff**
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- **Hiring K-5 teacher Social Security**
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Edgenuity - Like many schools, USD 402 has had a very large number of students with failing grades due to the pandemic. Quarantines, remote/hybrid learning, and changes to the instructional model had a negative impact on learning. In order to ensure that high school students graduate on time (very important), USD 402 has invested in Edgenuity software. Edgenuity will allow students to make up credits while also allowing remote learning and access to curriculum. This program will allow a large number of students the opportunity to bounce back from the pandemic, decrease learning loss, and improve graduation percentages. With 400 failing grades at the high school, summer school will not be enough to address the large number of courses that need to be made up. Students need this option to graduate on time and not have the pandemic impact their lives going forward.

Credit Recovery program for H.S. students to make up lost credits due to Covid. Allowable to a) reimburse the district for prior remote learning expenses b) incur new expenses related to actual current/perpetual remote learning circumstances, and/or c) to budget for potential future remote learning expenses. Please note that expenses should not be incurred to purchase property to hold in the unlikely event of potential future remote learning needs.
<p>| 402-1-017-20210608 | Eligible | Direct Allocation | Instruction General Supplies and Materials | 12. Addressing learning loss among students, including vulnerable populations | Istation - USD 402 would like to place a greater focus on intervention in both reading and math at the middle school and the four elementary schools in response to the pandemic. Istation provides valuable curriculum, interventions, and supports for students to reduce learning loss caused by COVID in 2021-22. These materials can also be delivered remotely if needed. - Supporting Data/Evidence: In grades K-2, 44.5% of students are not proficient in reading, 38% in grades 3-5, and 42% in 6-8th grade. In math, 36% of K-3 students are not proficient, 36% in grades 3-5, and 43% in grades 6-8. | $15,020 | $- | $15,020 | $- | $- | 52 E 1006100052326 | To address learning loss caused by COVID. Allowable to a) reimburse the district for prior remote learning expenses b) incur new expenses related to actual current/perpetual remote learning circumstances, and/or c) to budget for potential future remote learning expenses. Please note that expenses should not be incurred to purchase property to hold in the unlikely event of potential future remote learning circumstances. |
| 402-1-018-20210608 | Eligible | Direct Allocation | Instruction General Supplies and Materials | 12. Addressing learning loss among students, including vulnerable populations | Newslea - The MTSS process is important in any academic year, however, it is clear that MTSS has never been more important when responding to COVID and the learning loss it has created. As a part of the MTSS process in Augusta the district would like to utilize Newslea, a digital reading software which provides lexile reading level scores and the program also auto assigns appropriate reading levels to student users. | $28,127 | $- | $28,127 | $- | $- | 52 E 10006100052326 | To address learning loss caused by COVID. Allowable to a) reimburse the district for prior remote learning expenses b) incur new expenses related to actual current/perpetual remote learning circumstances, and/or c) to budget for potential future remote learning expenses. Please note that expenses should not be incurred to purchase property to hold in the unlikely event of potential future remote learning circumstances. |</p>
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<td>SeeSaw - Elementary learning management system which allows for teachers to communicate with parents to a greater extent and provide uninterrupted instruction and support to students. As we start to gain a better idea of where students are educationally post pandemic, effective parent communication and student access to instructional materials will be more important than ever. SeeSaw also bridges the gap instructionally for students when on quarantine.</td>
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<td>12. Addressing learning loss among students, including vulnerable populations</td>
<td>Fastbridge Assessments - Adding an MTSS assessment screener &amp; supports resources to Augusta High School which will be used to identify and support student's educational needs caused by the pandemic while also reducing learning loss.</td>
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<td>Instruction Technology - Related Hardware</td>
<td>9. Purchasing educational technology (including hardware, software, and connectivity) for the LEA's students</td>
<td>Hot Spots - As a newly 1-1 school district (due to pandemic), certainly families are facing connectivity issues. While we hope to have less need in 2021-22 than was the case in 2020-21, access to hotspots may be the only way to keep certain students engaged in learning.</td>
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| 402-1-022-20210608       | 500 Chromebooks - When the pandemic hit, districts scrambled to provide devices to students, USD 402 certainly did. Last year our district was able to scrounge up every device that powered on in our entire district. Overnight, we went from a district that had 1-1 devices at the high school level only to having 1-1 devices K-12th grade. The district attempted to buy more devices with CARES funds, but the devices have been back-ordered for months and we could not obtain all the devices that the district needed. With so many failing devices, it is important to have equity of access to quality devices across the district. Our plan is to put a fully capable and functional device into all of our student's hands for the 2021-22 school year. These devices will be used to access a growing number of digital curriculums and will be available for students to take home in the case of continued quarantines. By putting a single assigned device into each student's hands we are reducing “touchpoints” and therefore continuing to reduce the spread of the virus. Not having to disinfect shared devices after each use will allow us to maximize instructional time- reducing learning loss. By replacing our failing devices, our district will be able to reduce learning loss and provide equity of access to digital devices and curriculum across the district. Authorized uses category 9. $250 per device x 500 students $125,000 | 402-1-023-20210608       | Dyknow Screen Monitor - Prior to Covid, 1-1 was at the high school only. As a direct result of COVID, 1-1 devices are needed district-wide. Engagement in online instruction has created new challenges from the engagement standpoint. By adding Dyknow, a screen monitoring software, teacher will have considerably more control of what sites the students are accessing during class while also being able to monitor screens to redirect the students- keeping them engaged and increasing learning. Dyknow will allow for better quality classroom management, which leads to better instruction, less interruptions, and more learning- especially important post pandemic. $6,800 |
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| Eligible Direct Allocation Support Services (Students) | Regular Non-Certified Salaries | 16. Other activities necessary to maintain LEA operations and services and employ existing LEA staff | .5 AHS Nurse - Continuation from 2020-21 CARES funding. USD 402 added a .5 nurse at the high school. There was already a .5 nurse at the high school, so this allowed for a full time nurse at AHS during the pandemic. The nurse position will be equally important in future years as nurses continue to play an integral role in supporting the health needs of students and staff related to the pandemic. Nurses help to communicate and facilitate the many health needs related to COVID, having these health professionals working on the behalf of students will keep more students safe and engaged in learning. | $25,007 | $25,007 | $25,007 | $25,007 | 52 E 2100 120 0062 326 |

### 402-1-025-20210608

| Eligible Direct Allocation Support Services (Students) | Social Security Contributions | 16. Other activities necessary to maintain LEA operations and services and employ existing LEA staff | Social Security Nurse AHS Continuation of 20-21 | $1,913 | $1,913 | $1,913 | $1,913 | 52 E 2100 220 0062 326 |

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<p>| Eligible Direct Allocation Support Services (Students) | Unemployment Compensation | 16. Other activities necessary to maintain LEA operations and services and employ existing LEA staff | Unemployment Nurse AHS Continuation of 20-21 | $25 | $25 | $25 | $25 | 52 E 2100 250 0062 326 |</p>
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<td>10. Providing mental health services and supports: MH Liaison - The pandemic has had a significant impact of our students' mental health. In order to achieve optimal learning, our students mental health must be addressed. CARES money paid for this amount during the 2020-21 school year and having mental health experts proved to be invaluable during the pandemic. Because the mental stress and fatigue is ongoing related to the pandemic, having access to mental health experts is a necessary part of the pandemic response. - Support Data/Evidence: Of the 1,164 K-8 students who completed the Panorama SEL Perception survey, 110, (9.45%) did not score favorably on ANY of the SEL scales assessed. Only 69.5% of K-8 students completing the survey are on track in SEL. In grades K-12, only 64% are on track for SEL.</td>
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**Mental Health Liaison Work Comp**

10. Providing mental health services and supports

**Capturing Kids Hearts**

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**SEL Training to address social emotional needs caused by COVID (Phone Call, 5/6/2021)**
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<td>3. Providing principals and other school leaders with resources to address individual school needs</td>
<td>Capturing Kids Hearts 2 - Professional development for Robinson/Garfield Elementary schools aimed at supporting staff as we target instructional and relational needs created by the pandemic. Initial CKH training. This training focuses on establishing and building stronger relationships in the classroom. It is well known that a professional relationship between student and teacher results in greater learning. Capturing Kids Hearts will allow staff to build stronger relationships with students in order to dive deeper into instruction. Impact: Over 100 staff and 1,000 students.</td>
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<td>3. Providing principals and other school leaders with resources to address individual school needs</td>
<td>Kagan Structures - After a year in which our students and staff have been behind masks and socially distanced, it is imperative that we re-engage students in learning. Kagan structures are the ultimate way to increase engagement in the classroom. Kagan structures are aimed at 100% classroom engagement. We need students engaging with the content, each other, and with teachers to the highest level possible in the upcoming school year. Kagan professional development is a foolproof way to obtain higher levels of engagement and connection to learning. This will certainly help to reduce the learning loss in our district. Impact: Over 110 staff and 1,000 students.</td>
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<td>Services Purchased from Another LEA or Educational Service Agency Within the State</td>
<td>3. Providing principals and other school leaders with resources to address individual school needs</td>
<td>Greenbush School Improvement &amp; Admin Services - In an effort to consistently address learning loss over the course of the next school year, USD 402 requires the additional support that Greenbush school improvement &amp; administrative services can provide. Greenbush’s supports for teachers and administrators are extensive and will support our district staff when identifying learning loss needs, pandemic supports, and ongoing training for our staff. Doing so will greatly improve the district’s ability to support our students and staff.</td>
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<td>Safety General Supplies and Materials</td>
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<td>Instructional Temporary Certified Substitutes' Salaries for Certified Staff</td>
<td>16. Other activities necessary to maintain LEA operations and services and employ existing LEA staff</td>
<td>COVID 19 Substitute Teachers - Reimbursement for substitute teachers that worked to fill needs related to COVID (Ex: Quarantine, Positive Cases, Close contacts). Detailed staff reports and details available upon request.</td>
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<td>COIVD 19 Teachers sub for Teachers - Reimbursement for teachers subbing for teachers that worked to fill needs related to COVID (Ex: Quarantine, Positive Cases, Close contacts). Detailed staff reports and details available upon request.</td>
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<td>Teacher Sick Leave Reimbursement - The district had one staff member that requested sick leave time from the district's sick leave pool due to COVID related circumstances. The employee request took place after they had exhausted their available sick/personal time. The district requests that the time the district paid in additional sick time, which was related to COVID, be reimbursed by ESSER funds. Detailed staff reports and details available upon request.</td>
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<td>Addition of an Elementary Remote Learning Teacher - The district added a teacher who provided instruction to elementary remote learners only. This position was not planned but was created and paid for as a direct result of the impact that COVID had on the district. All of the remote learners that were served were remote due to COVID. Teacher wages - 3/1/21-5/27/21. Detailed staff reports and details available upon request.</td>
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<td>11A. Planning and implementing summer learning or enrichment programs</td>
<td>Summer ELA Training - Because USD 402 shifted PD days to the front of the August 2020 school year the district did not have contracted days available to provide training on the new ELA training for all four elementary schools. This has required the district to spend additional dollars that we would not have had to spend if COVID did not exist to provide training. We are having to bring all elementary staff (4 schools) in over the summer (paid) for required training. Detailed staff reports and details available upon request.</td>
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<td>11A. Planning and implementing summer learning or enrichment programs</td>
<td>Summer Programs - USD 402 will be offering summer program options for all grade levels described in a row above. The district plans to provide and pay those staff an additional 10 hours of planning time for those programs. Detailed staff reports and details available upon request.</td>
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<td>Custodial Hazard Pay Reimbursement - The district is requesting hazard pay for the time that the Custodial staff had to spend on COVID-related cleaning and sanitation. The request is for an extra $4 an hour for these hours on a per employee basis. This would bring their pay for those hours to slightly less than time and a half. Additional COVID cleaning (hazard time) equates to one hour per day per custodian. Detailed staff reports and details available upon request.</td>
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<td>Custodial Overtime Pay Reimbursement - The district is requesting reimbursement of overtime pay for the custodial staff related to not being able to complete regular job duties during the regular work day due to the increased duties of COVID sanitation responsibilities. Detailed staff reports and details available upon request.</td>
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### Summer Programs - USD 402

USD 402 will be offering summer program options for all grade levels, a huge undertaking, but a great way to close the educational gaps caused by the pandemic. K-5 will have educational supports targeted at both reading and math. We have not had summer school in recent years. Staffing will consist of: Two teachers and 2 paras in each grade K-2nd, 1 teacher and 1 para in each grade 3rd-5th. The middle school will focus primarily on math- 1 teacher per grade 6th-8th. Augusta high will have a variety of credit recovery options which are designed to reduce the learning gap and keep students on track to graduate on time. Combined summer program needs will require 20+ teachers, Two coordinator positions, and 9 paraprofessionals. Anticipated student numbers: 90 elementary, 30-50 Middle school, 100 High School. No more than 10 students per class k-5. Support Data/Evidence: In grades K-2, 44.5% of students are not proficient in reading, 38% in grades 3-5, and 42% in 6th-8th grade. In math, 36% of K-3 students are not proficient, 36% in grades 3-5, and 43% in grades 6-8.

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Applicant details

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Select an Applicant Type                  | Unified School District
Applicant / Entity Name                  | USD 409 Atchison Public Schools
Applicant / Mailing Address
  626 Commercial St
  Atchison, KS 66002
Applicant / First and Last Name of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director    | Renee Scott
Applicant / Email Address of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director        | renee.scott@usd409.net
Applicant / Phone Number                | 913-360-6500

All questions in the section below are optional, and offer an opportunity to upload or enter information that is typically asked for on grant opportunities.

(for EANS and ESSER grant applications - please skip the questions below, and scroll to the bottom to complete your User Profile information.)

Applicant / Federal EIN (if applicable) | 48-0697623
Applicant / Website Address (if applicable) | www.usd409.net
Applicant / Mission Statement (if applicable)
The mission of the Atchison Public School District shall be to identify and remove all barriers to promote equal opportunities for success by all students.

Building Successful Futures: Every Student, Every Day

Belief Statements

We believe all students will learn and succeed.

We believe high levels of learning require strong partnerships among school, parents, and communities.

We believe our students will learn academic as well as social skills and soft skills to be successful.

We believe our schools must provide a safe and caring environment that promotes collaboration and problem-solving.

We believe a successful school must provide a relevant and rigorous curriculum and promote lifelong learning for all.

 Applicant / W9 or Year-end Financial Statement (if applicable)
Download Form W-9

| PDF | w9.pdf (75 KiB download) |

Applicant / Board Member List (if applicable)

| PDF | Board Members.pdf (78 KiB download) |

Fiscal Agent / Name (if applicable) | LORI LANTER

Fiscal Agent / Email (if applicable) | llanter@usd409.net

Fiscal Agent / Mailing Address (if applicable)

626 Commercial St
Atchison, KS 66002

Application details

| Full District Name | Atchison Public Schools |
| District Number | 409 |
| Mailing Address | 626 COMMERCIAL ST |
| Mailing Address | ATCHISON |
| Mailing Address | 66002 |
| Authorized Representative of the District | Renee Scott |
Please briefly describe the impacts of COVID-19 on the district and its Pre-K through 12 students, including any relevant data where possible (e.g., cost impact, learning loss, emotional impact on students). If there has been a disproportionate impact on a special population in the district (e.g., students with disabilities, English Learners, students in foster care, students in poverty, etc.), please describe the impact and provide the number of Pre-K through 12 students in that population.

The cost impact on USD 409 was enormous. We lost 72.2FTE resulting in a major negative economic impact to our general fund and anticipated future Title funds. In addition to negative economic impact, our students showed decline academically as well.

Our iReady reading scores showed an increase of 8% of students K-8 reading one or more grade levels below on our winter diagnostics. iReady math scores showed an increase of 6% of students scoring one or more levels below grade level. In addition when comparing math scores to students nationally, our students are 8% lower for students one or more grade levels below. In reading the difference is 17%, a difference of 13% from the previous year. Data attached to specific skills showed students at the beginning of the year at or above the nation on many skills, but a much lower growth rate than compared to the nation by winter. At the high school level, our ACT scores showed a significant drop in all subject areas scoring lower than the state and nation in all areas.

Does the district have remaining ESSER I funding that it has not yet spent as of the date of ESSER II application submission?

Please review the following allowable uses of ESSER II funds before completing the narrative and Excel template portion of the application.

- Coordination of preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies with State, local, Tribal, and territorial public health departments, and other relevant agencies, to improve coordinated responses among such entities to prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus.
- Providing principals and others school leaders with the resources necessary to address the needs of their individual schools.
• Activities to address the unique needs of low-income children or students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and foster care youth, including how outreach and service delivery will meet the needs of each population.
• Developing and implementing procedures and systems to improve the preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies.
• Training and professional development for staff of the local educational agency on sanitation and minimizing the spread of infectious diseases.
• Purchasing supplies to sanitize and clean the facilities of a local educational agency, including buildings operated by such agency.
• Planning for, coordinating, and implementing activities during long-term closures, including providing meals to eligible students, providing technology for online learning to all students, providing guidance for carrying out requirements under the IDEA and ensuring other educational services can continue to be provided consistent with all Federal, State, and local requirements.
• Purchasing educational technology (including hardware, software, and connectivity) for students who are served by the local educational agency that aids in regular and substantive educational interaction between students and their classroom instructors, including low-income students and children with disabilities, which may include assistive technology or adaptive equipment.
• Providing mental health services and supports.
• Planning and implementing activities related to summer learning and supplemental afterschool programs, including providing classroom instruction or online learning during the summer months and addressing the needs of low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, migrant students, students experiencing homelessness, and children in foster care.
• Addressing learning loss among students, including low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and children and youth in foster care, of the local educational agency, including by— (A) Administering and using high-quality assessments that are valid and reliable, to accurately assess students’ academic progress and assist educators in meeting students’ academic needs, including through differentiating instruction. (B) Implementing evidence-based activities to meet the comprehensive needs of students. (C) Providing information and assistance to parents and families on how they can effectively support students, including in a distance learning environment. (D) Tracking student attendance and improving student engagement in distance education.
• School facility repairs and improvements to enable operation of schools to reduce risk of virus transmission and exposure to environmental health hazards, and to support student health needs.
• Inspection, testing, maintenance, repair, replacement, and upgrade projects to improve the indoor air quality in school facilities, including mechanical and non-mechanical heating, ventilation, and air conditioning systems, filtering, purification and other air cleaning, fans, control systems, and window and door repair and replacement.
• Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities.
• Other activities that are necessary to maintain the operation of and continuity of services in local educational agencies and continuing to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.

Please note: “Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities," identified as an allowable use under ESSER III in the American Rescue Plan, is also permissible under ESSER II.

Plan for ESSER II Direct District Allocation and KSDE Per-Student Additional Allocation (If Applicable)

Please summarize how the district proposes using its ESSER II direct district allocation (and its KSDE per-student additional allocation, if applicable) to address incremental COVID-19 needs.

The effects of COVID-19 have exacerbated the discrepancies of teaching and learning at USD 409. iReady data, ACT scores, and our final analysis from Cognia Accreditation reveals some significant needs of both staff and students. All of our ESSER-II funding requests align with the Navigating Next document from KSDE. We will partner with Visible Learning for the next three years to evaluate teacher effectiveness in closing our achievement gap. This support will provide intensive assessment, professional development, and on-site coaching for all staff to solidify tier 1 instruction. A data analyst will provide support to PLCs with multiple data sources aligned to provide the best interventions for students and monitor program effectiveness.
Summer school intercessions will be offered to all students grades pre-K through 12. Summer school teachers will receive intense professional development to provide them with the necessary tools to address grade band competency deficiencies. Incentives are offered for students who regularly attend and show growth. These on-site opportunities will focus on rigorous STEAM inspired lessons, interactive opportunities, provide meals and transportation, and allow for intervention and enrichment. Beginning in the fall of 2021, after school tutoring with transportation as well as a tutoring hotline that will support English, Math, and elementary learners. Through a partnership with Apple, all staff will be given additional professional development opportunities to effectively utilize technology for lesson integration and transformational learning. Social-Emotional needs will be addressed by partnering with our local mental health clinic to provide hours after work for staff to access a clinical psychologist and by also adding a second clinical psychologist to provide direct support to two additional schools. High school students will have access to an IPS facilitator who will meet with every junior and senior to address future goals and provide access for student and business/community partnerships.

How will the district determine the impact of its ESSER II direct district allocation expenditures (and additional per-student allocation, if applicable) on students?

Our plan for continuous improvement and assessment is built into our ESSER II direct allocation. Utilizing a data analyst and a data warehouse, we will continuously monitor the progress and adjust accordingly as well as measure program effectiveness. This assessment will not only be geared towards students who need Tier 2 and intensive Tier 3 supports, but the assessment will also gauge tier 1 instruction. Specifically, our focus at the tier one level will be on essential standards and competencies as well as effective feedback so that instructional strategies are directly aligned with student needs and differentiated accordingly. USD 409 is committed to transparency with our funding, and will vow to use the funds for student improvement, teacher effectiveness, and parent engagement.

Notes on ESSER II application Excel template:

- Plans and budgets should be submitted for at least a 12 month period but do not need to account for the full duration of the program or the full allocation amount. Funds will remain accessible to the LEA until September 30, 2023 and there will be additional opportunities to submit further requests/plans in the future.
- Following ESSER II application approval and initiation of funds draw down, districts will be required to report to the Commissioner's Task Force on ESSER II expenditures and impact on a monthly basis throughout the program. This ESSER II reporting will be required as a part of regular ESSER program reporting, which will capture past expenditures across funding streams (ESSER I, ESSER I SPED, ESSER II, ESSER II SPED, ESSER II KSDE Per Student Allocation). Districts may be asked to provide expenditures by fund, function, object, account, and ESSER II allowable use as part of ongoing ESSER reporting.
- This reporting will not replace any reporting required by the federal government. KSDE will work to maximize compatibility between its reporting requirements and those of the federal government as much as possible to minimize burden on districts.

Please download and complete the ESSER II application template here to provide details on ESSER II budgeted expenditures across allowable uses and KSDE accounting codes.

Local Education Agency (LEA) Assurances

Section I. General Grant Assurances for Federal Funds

Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA will comply with all requirements of:
The LEA will make a good faith effort, on a continuing basis, to maintain a drug-free workplace, in accordance with the measures in 34 CFR Part 84, Subpart B and the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988; The Education Department General Administrative Regulations (EDGAR) 34 CFR 76 requirements, including:

34 CFR §76.500(a) Federal statutes and regulations on nondiscrimination.

(a) A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the following statutes and regulations:

- Discrimination on the basis of age | The Age Discrimination Act (42 U.S.C. 6101 et seq.) | 34 CFR part 110.

(b) A State or subgrantee that is a covered entity as defined in §108.3 of this title shall comply with the nondiscrimination requirements of the Boy Scouts of America Equal Access Act, 20 U.S.C. 7905, 34 CFR part 108.

Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a)

34 CFR §76.650 Private schools; purpose of §§76.651-76.662.

(a) Under some programs, the authorizing statute requires that a State and its subgrantees provide for participation by students enrolled in private schools. Sections 76.651-76.662 apply to those programs and provide rules for that participation. These sections do not affect the authority of the State or a subgrantee to enter into a contract with a private party.

(b) If any other rules for participation of students enrolled in private schools apply under a particular program, they are in the authorizing statute or implementing regulations for that program.

Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3 and 3474

34 CFR §76.700 Compliance with statutes, regulations, State plan, and applications.

A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the State plan and applicable statutes, regulations, and approved applications, and shall use Federal funds in accordance with those statutes, regulations, plan, and applications.

Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a)

34 CFR §76.701 The State or subgrantee administers or supervises each project.

A State or a subgrantee shall directly administer or supervise the administration of each project.

Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a)

34 CFR §76.702 Fiscal control and fund accounting procedures.

A State and a subgrantee shall use fiscal control and fund accounting procedures that insure proper disbursement of and accounting for Federal funds.

Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a)

34 CFR §76.709 Funds may be obligated during a “carryover period.”

(a) If a State or a subgrantee does not obligate all of its grant or subgrant funds by the end of the fiscal year for which Congress appropriated the funds, it may obligate the remaining funds during a carryover period of one additional fiscal year.

(b) The State shall return to the Federal Government any carryover funds not obligated by the end of the carryover period by the State and its subgrantees.

Authority: U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1225(b), and 3474

34 CFR §76.722 Subgrantee reporting requirements.

A State may require a subgrantee to submit reports in a manner and format that assists the State in complying with the requirements under 34 CFR 76.720 and in carrying out other responsibilities under the program.

Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1231a, and 3474

34 CFR §76.730 Records related to grant funds.

A State and a subgrantee shall keep records that fully show:

(a) The amount of funds under the grant or subgrant;
(b) How the State or subgrantee uses the funds;
(c) The total cost of the project;
(d) The share of that cost provided from other sources; and
(e) Other records to facilitate an effective audit.  
(Approved by the Office of Management and Budget under control number 1880-0513)  
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1232f)  
34 CFR §76.731 Records related to compliance.  
A State and a subgrantee shall keep records to show its compliance with program requirements.  
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))  
The Uniform Grant Guidance, 2 CFR §200 all applicable subrecipient requirements, including but not limited to:  
2 CFR Subpart D – Post Federal Award Requirements  
§200.302 Financial management.  
§200.303 Internal controls.  
§200.305 Payment.  
§200.313 Equipment.  
§200.314 Supplies.  
§200.318 General procurement standards.  
§200.320 Methods of procurement to be followed;  
2 CFR 200 Subpart E: Cost Principles:  
§200.403 Factors affecting allowability of costs.  
§200.404 Reasonable costs.  
§200.405 Allocable costs.  
§200.413 Direct costs.  
§200.415 Required certifications.  
§200.430 Compensation—personal services.  
The Debarment and Suspension, 34 CFR Part 85, Section 85.510, Participants’ Responsibilities and makes the following  
certification by signing this application:  
The prospective lower-tier participant certifies, by submission of this proposal, that neither it nor its principals is presently  
debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this  
transaction by any federal department or agency.  
Where the prospective lower-tier participant is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, such prospective  
participant shall attach an explanation to this proposal.  
This certification is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was made or  
entered into. Submission of this certification is a prerequisite for making or entering into this transaction imposed by Section  
1352, Title 31, U.S. Code. Any person who fails to file the required certification shall be subject to a civil penalty of not less than  
$10,000 for such failure.  

Section II. Specific Elementary and Secondary School  
Emergency Relief (ESSER) Grant Assurances  
The LEA assures that funds shall only be used for any of the following:  
- Any activity authorized by the ESEA of 1965, including the Native Hawaiian Education Act and the Alaska Native Educational  
  Equity, Support, and Assistance Act (20 U.S.C. 6301 et seq.), the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. 1400 et  
  seq.) (“IDEA”), the Adult Education and Family Literacy Act (20 U.S.C. 1400 et seq.), the Carl D. Perkins Career and Technical  
  Assistance Act (42 U.S.C. 11431 et seq.).  
- Coordination of preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies with State, local, Tribal, and territorial  
  public health departments, and other relevant agencies, to improve coordinated responses among such entities to  
  prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus.  
- Providing principals and others school leaders with the resources necessary to address the needs of their individual  
  schools.  
- Activities to address the unique needs of low-income children or students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial  
  and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and foster care youth, including how outreach and service  
  delivery will meet the needs of each population.
- Developing and implementing procedures and systems to improve the preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies.
- Training and professional development for staff of the local educational agency on sanitation and minimizing the spread of infectious diseases.
- Purchasing supplies to sanitize and clean the facilities of a local educational agency, including buildings operated by such agency.
- Planning for and coordinating during long-term closures, including for how to provide meals to eligible students, how to provide technology for online learning to all students, how to provide guidance for carrying out requirements under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. 1401 et seq.) and how to ensure other educational services can continue to be provided consistent with all Federal, State, and local requirements.
- Purchasing educational technology (including hardware, software, and connectivity) for students who are served by the local educational agency that aids in regular and substantive educational interaction between students and their classroom instructors, including low-income students and students with disabilities, which may include assistive technology or adaptive equipment.
- Providing mental health services and supports.
- Planning and implementing activities related to summer learning and supplemental afterschool programs, including providing classroom instruction or online learning during the summer months and addressing the needs of low income students, students with disabilities, English learners, migrant students, students experiencing homelessness, and children in foster care.
- Addressing learning loss among students, including low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and children and youth in foster care, of the local educational agency, including by—(A) Administering and using high-quality assessments that are valid and reliable, to accurately assess students' academic progress and assist educators in meeting students' academic needs, including through differentiating instruction. (B) Implementing evidence-based activities to meet the comprehensive needs of students. (C) Providing information and assistance to parents and families on how they can effectively support students, including in a distance learning environment. (D) Tracking student attendance and improving student engagement in distance education.
- School facility repairs and improvements to enable operation of schools to reduce risk of virus transmission and exposure to environmental health hazards, and to support student health needs.
- Inspection, testing, maintenance, repair, replacement, and upgrade projects to improve the indoor air quality in school facilities, including mechanical and non-mechanical heating, ventilation, and air conditioning systems, filtering, purification and other air cleaning, fans, control systems, and window and door repair and replacement.
- Other activities that are necessary to maintain the operation of and continuity of services in local educational agencies and continuing to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.

Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA shall comply with all applicable requirements of the Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) authorized by the Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act, 2021 (CRRSAA), including:

CONTINUED PAYMENT TO EMPLOYEES

SEC. 18006. A local educational agency, State, institution of higher education, or other entity that receives funds under "Education Stabilization Fund", shall to the greatest extent practicable, continue to pay its employees and contractors during the period of any disruptions or closures related to coronavirus.

Certification

To the best of my knowledge and belief, all the information and data in this agreement are true and correct. I acknowledge and agree that the failure to comply with all Assurances and Certifications in this Agreement, all relevant provisions and requirements of the CARES Act, Pub. L. No. 116-136 (March 27, 2020), or any other applicable law or regulation may result in liability under the False Claims Act, 31 U.S.C. § 3729, et seq.; OMB Guidelines to Agencies on Governmentwide Debarment and Suspension (Nonprocurement) in 2 CFR part 180, as adopted and amended as regulations of the Department in 2 CFR part 3485; and 18 USC § 1001, as appropriate.

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<td>Greenbush SIS Services- Provide mentoring, basic support for administrators, certified staff, and support staff as well as three different focus areas of our choosing. As overwhelmed teachers are trying to balance work load and responsibilities, Greenbush services will provide support that we have never utilized before.</td>
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<td>Lost Chargers &amp; Cubes- Replace students lost iPad cubes and charging cords while the students were on Quarantine or Remote Learning during April 2020- June 2021.</td>
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<td>Zoom-Renewed subscription for Zoom Application that is used by students, teachers and administrators to conduct meetings/school. Zoom increased opportunities for parent engagement and will be continued to be utilized as we begin transitioning out of restrictions.</td>
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<td>Educlimber-Advance Support Setup-Educlimber will help us effectively monitor student interventions and program effectiveness. All of our data will now be housed in one location which will increase access efficiency of multiple data sources for all staff. This will be a primary tool for the data analyst.</td>
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<td>Promethan Boards-Promethan provide hands-on technology access for students during centers, direct instruction, and small group instruction. This increases classroom collaboration efforts.</td>
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<td>Strategic Learning and Coaching Through MATH &amp; ELA-COVID has made clear that math and ELA teachers at the secondary level need intensive support in developing project based learning activities for students at the tier 1 level. Intensive coaching support specific to math and ELA will be provided on-site during class time by outside entities.</td>
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<td>Per applicant, We will utilize specific professional development support from Study Sync and Visible Learning specific to ELA and Math. Because of COVID, our teachers need additional support in project based instruction and our test scores in these areas have declined dramatically as a result of covid learning loss.</td>
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<td>Summer School Support Materials-In order to increase student engagement, we will ensure necessary materials are provided to all staff and students.</td>
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<td>Per applicant, STEAM materials to address hands-on learning, all curriculum and supplies materials for summer school.</td>
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<td>Community Partnership Summer-Because of limited staff availability, we will be partnering with community entities to provide engaging activities during our summer programming.</td>
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<td>Per applicant, field trip activities that the students attending our summer school programs may attend.</td>
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<td>Technology-Related Repairs and Maintenance</td>
<td>13. School facility repairs and improvements to enable operation of schools to reduce risk of virus transmission and exposure to environmental health hazards, and to support student health needs</td>
<td>AMS Auditorium Sound System/Projector/Screen-Upgrade the Middle School auditorium sound system and add a projector for presentations which allows students and staff to maintain social distance.</td>
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<td>16. Other activities necessary to maintain LEA operations and services and employ existing LEA staff</td>
<td>Apple Teacher Incentives-Incentives will be provided for teachers to become deeper with the use of their device as well as integration accountability within classroom lessons.</td>
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<td>Per applicant, the district covers additional pay for teachers to receive training to better utilize technology for education purposes, addressing learning loss. Apple provides the card.</td>
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### 15. Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities

- **Vehicle Transportation Services by Outside Agency or Company**
- **Applebus-Temp Takers:** Our transportation company (AppleBus) employs 6 people to take students temperatures on each route before they are allowed to get on the bus to go to school.

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### 12. Addressing learning loss among students, including vulnerable populations

- **Professional Learning and Coaching Through OTHER-**
  - As we begin to evaluate programs, we will provide direct support to any necessary subject area or grade level.

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Per applicant, we plan to provide additional co-teaching support for any staff who has not been trained in the co-teaching model as well as provide any support for subject area teachers who are struggling to meet learners needs as a direct relation to learning loss from COVID.

### 12. Addressing learning loss among students, including vulnerable populations

- **Professional Learning and Coaching Through Professional Learning and Application-**
  - We often use assessment to measure student growth, but our focus will also be to utilize assessment for teacher and instruction effectiveness. We will be utilizing Visible Learning to provide intensive strategic learning and coaching for all staff and administration.

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Per applicant, Learning loss that is covid-related. Specifically, tier 1 instruction to address covid-related learning loss.
12. Addressing learning loss among students, including vulnerable populations

**Strategic Learning and Coaching Through Tech2Go**
- We will offer intensive, teacher-driven technology professional development in which we grow our own technology leadership capacity.
- Per applicant, we will build leadership capacity to address technology needs for students. Because of COVID, we put a device in every student’s hands at the K-5 level without professional development to teachers on how to utilize technology to enhance instruction instead of as a replacement tool. COVID has created a need for professional development directly related to effective technology use.

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15. Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities

**Substitutes**
- Cost of substitute teachers at $110 a day to cover teachers classrooms when teacher is on quarantine/tested positive for Covid.

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11A. Planning and implementing summer learning or enrichment programs

**Summer School Training for Teachers**
- We do not wish summer school to be traditional in nature. Therefore, we will provide design thinking professional development to be used in conjunction with STEAM learning for our summer school programs.

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Per narrative, summer school teachers will receive intense professional development to provide them with the necessary tools to address grade band competency deficiencies.
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<td>IPS/Transition Coordinator (AHS)-Work with juniors and senior to re-establish workbased learning opportunities lost due to Covid interruptions. Continue to build community/industry/post-secondary training paused during Covid</td>
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Per applicant, Because of COVID, we put a device in every student's hands at the K-5 level without professional development to teachers on how to utilize technology to enhance instruction instead of as a replacement tool. COVID has created a need for professional development directly related to effective technology use.

Allowable to a) reimburse the district for prior remote learning expenses b) incur new expenses related to actual current/perpetual remote learning circumstances, and/or c) to budget for potential future remote learning expenses. Please note that expenses should not be incurred to purchase property to hold in the unlikely event of potential future remote learning needs.
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Applicant details

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Select an Applicant Type | Unified School District

Applicant / Entity Name | USD 416 Louisburg

Applicant / Mailing Address

PO BOX 550
Louisburg, KS 66053

Applicant / First and Last Name of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director | Dr. Brian Biermann

Applicant / Email Address of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director | delmezk@usd416.org

Applicant / Phone Number | 913-837-1700

All questions in the section below are optional, and offer an opportunity to upload or enter information that is typically asked for on grant opportunities.

(for EANS and ESSER grant applications - please skip the questions below, and scroll to the bottom to complete your User Profile information.)

Application details

Full District Name | Louisburg

District Number | 416
Please briefly describe the impacts of COVID-19 on the district and its Pre-K through 12 students, including any relevant data where possible (e.g., cost impact, learning loss, emotional impact on students). If there has been a disproportionate impact on a special population in the district (e.g., students with disabilities, English Learners, students in foster care, students in poverty, etc.), please describe the impact and provide the number of Pre-K through 12 students in that population.

USD #416, just like every school district in Kansas, has tried to support all learners during this pandemic. We have had remote learning, blended learning and onsite learning. We have also experienced students moving in and out of the different learning options. Furthermore, we have had students and staff quarantined throughout the school year. All of these items have impacted the teaching and learning environment in our school district and community. We have tried to provide the needed academic, social/emotional, behavior, special education, ELL, nutritional and technology supports throughout the year. Each family and student bring a unique need to the equation. We believe we are able to reach a very wide and supportive support system with these additional federal funds. We continue to review local (Fastbridge, MyIGDIs, Kansas Communities that Care, SAEBRS, etc.) data to identify students that have struggled during the pandemic. We have worked on providing additional staffing, programs and supports to support our students and families in the upcoming school years. We will continue to monitor the effectiveness of our plan. We also will use the 2021 State Assessment data as another source of improvement data for our school district. We are currently communicating our plan for next school year so our families, students and staff know what our direction for teaching and learning look like at this time. We understand that the pandemic is a dynamic and ever-changing situation, but we feel like we have provided the needed supports to meet the challenges ahead.

Does the district have remaining ESSER I funding that it has not yet spent as of the date of ESSER II application submission?  No

Please review the following allowable uses of ESSER II funds before completing the narrative and Excel template portion of the application.

• Coordination of preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies with State, local, Tribal, and territorial public health departments, and other relevant agencies, to improve coordinated responses among such entities to prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus.

• Providing principals and others school leaders with the resources necessary to address the needs of their individual schools.

• Activities to address the unique needs of low-income children or students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and foster care youth, including how outreach and service delivery will meet the needs of each population.

• Developing and implementing procedures and systems to improve the preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies.

• Training and professional development for staff of the local educational agency on sanitation and minimizing the spread of infectious diseases.

• Purchasing supplies to sanitize and clean the facilities of a local educational agency, including buildings operated by such agency.

• Planning for, coordinating, and implementing activities during long-term closures, including providing meals to eligible students, providing technology for online learning to all students, providing guidance for carrying out requirements under the IDEA and ensuring other educational services can continue to be provided consistent with all Federal, State, and local requirements.

• Purchasing educational technology (including hardware, software, and connectivity) for students who are served by the local educational agency that aids in regular and substantive educational interaction between students and their classroom instructors, including low-income students and children with disabilities, which may include assistive technology or adaptive equipment.

• Providing mental health services and supports.

• Planning and implementing activities related to summer learning and supplemental afterschool programs, including providing classroom instruction or online learning during the summer months and addressing the needs of low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, migrant students, students experiencing homelessness, and children in foster care.

• Addressing learning loss among students, including low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and children and youth in foster care, of the local educational agency, including by— (A) Administering and using high-quality assessments that are valid and reliable, to accurately assess students’ academic progress and assist educators in meeting students’ academic needs, including through differentiating instruction. (B) Implementing evidence-based activities to meet the comprehensive needs of students. (C) Providing information and assistance to parents and families on how they can effectively support students, including in a distance learning environment. (D) Tracking student attendance and improving student engagement in distance education.

• School facility repairs and improvements to enable operation of schools to reduce risk of virus transmission and exposure to environmental health hazards, and to support student health needs.

• Inspection, testing, maintenance, repair, replacement, and upgrade projects to improve the indoor air quality in school facilities, including mechanical and non-mechanical heating, ventilation, and air conditioning systems, filtering, purification and other air cleaning, fans, control systems, and window and door repair and replacement.

• Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities.

• Other activities that are necessary to maintain the operation of and continuity of services in local educational agencies and continuing to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.

Please note: “Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities,” identified as an allowable use under ESSER III in the American Rescue Plan, is also permissible under ESSER II.

Plan for ESSER II Direct District Allocation and KSDE Per-Student Additional Allocation (If Applicable)

Please summarize how the district proposes using its ESSER II direct district allocation (and its KSDE per-student additional allocation, if applicable) to address incremental COVID-19 needs.
USD #416 plans to use its ESSER II funds to target many of the fifteen areas that have been identified as reasonable and needed expenses for the pandemic. We have allocated ESSER II dollars to expand our Title I Program by adding a Title Aide. We are lowering our elementary class sizes by adding an additional Kindergarten Teacher. We are purchasing supplies to sanitize and clean our facilities, as well as make sure we have appropriate numbers for custodial staff support. We have budgeted the needed resources for staff and technology to help support our remote learning platform for families that choose this option next school year. This includes online learning platforms and hotspots. We have contracted with our local mental health department to provide additional mental health services. We have also engaged in providing a new social/emotional curriculum for our entire school district. Our district has purchased educational technology, as well as supplemental at-risk programming to help low performing students increase their academic skills. We have contracted with our local service center to provide the needed administrative support our school district will need. We have provided additional resources for professional development for our teaching staff. We will be providing some needed HVAC upgrades to our two oldest buildings. We will continue to work with our local health officials to coordinate an appropriate response and preparedness plan for our community, staff and students. We will continue to monitor our plan and make the needed changes as we progress next year.

How will the district determine the impact of its ESSER II direct district allocation expenditures (and additional per-student allocation, if applicable) on students?

We are committed to making data-informed decisions as we monitor the impacts of our additional resources for our staff and students. We have many data systems in place that will help with this monitoring. The additional professional development, programming and resources we will be providing our staff will allow us to effectively learn and monitor learning loss for each student. We have elicited the support of Greenbush and TASN to support our efforts. We have established building leadership and district leadership teams that will work through the MTSS process to review data and make adjustments to teaching, learning and effective at-risk programming. We are committed to reviewing all aspects (academic, behavior, social/emotional) of each child to make sure they each have the needed supports. We are also committed to making the needed adjustments throughout the year and make needed changes as we review the data for each student we serve.

Notes on ESSER II application Excel template:

- Plans and budgets should be submitted for at least a 12 month period but do not need to account for the full duration of the program or the full allocation amount. Funds will remain accessible to the LEA until September 30, 2023 and there will be additional opportunities to submit further requests/plans in the future.
- Following ESSER II application approval and initiation of funds draw down, districts will be required to report to the Commissioner's Task Force on ESSER II expenditures and impact on a monthly basis throughout the program. This ESSER II reporting will be required as a part of regular ESSER program reporting, which will capture past expenditures across funding streams (ESSER I, ESSER I SPED, ESSER II, ESSER II SPED, ESSER II KSDE Per Student Allocation). Districts may be asked to provide expenditures by fund, function, object, account, and ESSER II allowable use as part of ongoing ESSER reporting.
- This reporting will not replace any reporting required by the federal government. KSDE will work to maximize compatibility between its reporting requirements and those of the federal government as much as possible to minimize burden on districts.

Please download and complete the ESSER II application template here to provide details on ESSER II budgeted expenditures across allowable uses and KSDE accounting codes.

Local Education Agency (LEA) Assurances
Section I. General Grant Assurances for Federal Funds

Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA will comply with all requirements of:

The LEA will make a good faith effort, on a continuing basis, to maintain a drug-free workplace, in accordance with the measures in 34 CFR Part 84, Subpart B and the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988;

The Education Department General Administrative Regulations (EDGAR) 34 CFR 76 requirements, including:

34 CFR §76.500(a) Federal statutes and regulations on nondiscrimination.

(a) A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the following statutes and regulations:

- Discrimination on the basis of age | The Age Discrimination Act (42 U.S.C. 6101 et seq.) | 34 CFR part 110.

(b) A State or subgrantee that is a covered entity as defined in §108.3 of this title shall comply with the nondiscrimination requirements of the Boy Scouts of America Equal Access Act, 20 U.S.C. 7905, 34 CFR part 108.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))


34 CFR §76.650 Private schools; purpose of §§76.651-76.662.

(a) Under some programs, the authorizing statute requires that a State and its subgrantees provide for participation by students enrolled in private schools. Sections 76.651-76.662 apply to those programs and provide rules for that participation. These sections do not affect the authority of the State or a subgrantee to enter into a contract with a private party.

(b) If any other rules for participation of students enrolled in private schools apply under a particular program, they are in the authorizing statute or implementing regulations for that program.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3 and 3474)

34 CFR §76.700 Compliance with statutes, regulations, State plan, and applications.

A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the State plan and applicable statutes, regulations, and approved applications, and shall use Federal funds in accordance with those statutes, regulations, plan, and applications.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.701 The State or subgrantee administers or supervises each project.

A State or a subgrantee shall directly administer or supervise the administration of each project.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.702 Fiscal control and fund accounting procedures.

A State and a subgrantee shall use fiscal control and fund accounting procedures that insure proper disbursement of and accounting for Federal funds.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.709 Funds may be obligated during a “carryover period.”

(a) If a State or a subgrantee does not obligate all of its grant or subgrant funds by the end of the fiscal year for which Congress appropriated the funds, it may obligate the remaining funds during a carryover period of one additional fiscal year.

(b) The State shall return to the Federal Government any carryover funds not obligated by the end of the carryover period by the State and its subgrantees.

(Authority: U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1225(b), and 3474)


34 CFR §76.722 Subgrantee reporting requirements.

A State may require a subgrantee to submit reports in a manner and format that assists the State in complying with the requirements under 34 CFR 76.720 and in carrying out other responsibilities under the program.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1231a, and 3474)

[72 FR 3703, Jan. 25, 2007]

34 CFR §76.730 Records related to grant funds.

A State and a subgrantee shall keep records that fully show:

(a) The amount of funds under the grant or subgrant;
(b) How the State or subgrantee uses the funds;
(c) The total cost of the project;
(d) The share of that cost provided from other sources; and
(e) Other records to facilitate an effective audit.

(Approved by the Office of Management and Budget under control number 1880-0513)

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1232f)


34 CFR §76.731
Records related to compliance.

A State and a subgrantee shall keep records to show its compliance with program requirements.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

The Uniform Grant Guidance, 2 CFR §200 all applicable subrecipient requirements, including but not limited to:

2 CFR Subpart D – Post Federal Award Requirements
§200.302 Financial management.
§200.303 Internal controls.
§200.305 Payment.
§200.313 Equipment.
§200.314 Supplies.
§200.318 General procurement standards.
§200.320 Methods of procurement to be followed;
2 CFR 200 Subpart E: Cost Principles:
§200.403 Factors affecting allowability of costs.
§200.404 Reasonable costs.
§200.405 Allocable costs.
§200.413 Direct costs.
§200.415 Required certifications.
§200.430 Compensation—personal services.

The Debarment and Suspension, 34 CFR Part 85, Section 85.510, Participants’ Responsibilities and makes the following certification by signing this application:

The prospective lower-tier participant certifies, by submission of this proposal, that neither it nor its principals is presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction by any federal department or agency.

Where the prospective lower-tier participant is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, such prospective participant shall attach an explanation to this proposal.

This certification is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was made or entered into. Submission of this certification is a prerequisite for making or entering into this transaction imposed by Section 1352, Title 31, U.S. Code. Any person who fails to file the required certification shall be subject to a civil penalty of not less than $10,000 for such failure.

Section II. Specific Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) Grant Assurances

The LEA assures that funds shall only be used for any of the following:

- Coordination of preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies with State, local, Tribal, and territorial public health departments, and other relevant agencies, to improve coordinated responses among such entities to prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus.
- Providing principals and others school leaders with the resources necessary to address the needs of their individual schools.
• Activities to address the unique needs of low-income children or students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and foster care youth, including how outreach and service delivery will meet the needs of each population.
• Developing and implementing procedures and systems to improve the preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies.
• Training and professional development for staff of the local educational agency on sanitation and minimizing the spread of infectious diseases.
• Purchasing supplies to sanitize and clean the facilities of a local educational agency, including buildings operated by such agency.
• Planning for and coordinating during long-term closures, including for how to provide meals to eligible students, how to provide technology for online learning to all students, how to provide guidance for carrying out requirements under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. 1401 et seq.) and how to ensure other educational services can continue to be provided consistent with all Federal, State, and local requirements.
• Purchasing educational technology (including hardware, software, and connectivity) for students who are served by the local educational agency that aids in regular and substantive educational interaction between students and their classroom instructors, including low-income students and students with disabilities, which may include assistive technology or adaptive equipment.
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• Other activities that are necessary to maintain the operation of and continuity of services in local educational agencies and continuing to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.

Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA shall comply with all applicable requirements of the Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) authorized by the Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act, 2021 (CRRSAA), including:
CONTINUED PAYMENT TO EMPLOYEES
SEC. 18006. A local educational agency, State, institution of higher education, or other entity that receives funds under “Education Stabilization Fund”, shall to the greatest extent practicable, continue to pay its employees and contractors during the period of any disruptions or closures related to coronavirus.

Certification

To the best of my knowledge and belief, all the information and data in this agreement are true and correct. I acknowledge and agree that the failure to comply with all Assurances and Certifications in this Agreement, all relevant provisions and requirements of the CARES Act, Pub. L. No. 116-136 (March 27, 2020), or any other applicable law or regulation may result in liability under the False Claims Act, 31 U.S.C. § 3729, et seq.; OMB Guidelines to Agencies on Governmentwide Debarment and Suspension (Nonprocurement) in 2 CFR part 180, as adopted and amended as regulations of the Department in 2 CFR part 3485; and 18 USC § 1001, as appropriate.
Electronic Signature | Katy Delmez
Date | 05/12/2021

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Supplies for student academic support and education support for staff and students. This includes software programs such as OdysseyWare/Edgenuity, 7 minds social mindset, Aleks, Freckle Math, Turnitin.

Allowable to a) reimburse the district for prior remote learning expenses b) incur new expenses related to actual current/perpetual remote learning circumstances, and/or c) to budget for potential future remote learning expenses. Please note that expenses should not be incurred to purchase property to hold in the unlikely event of potential future remote learning needs.
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### 1A. Any activity authorized by the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965.
- Substitute teacher costs for teachers that are gone due to COVID exposure and support for teachers virtually and help in the classroom.

### 2. Coordination of COVID-19 preparedness and response efforts
- Supplies for vaccination site and supplies for social distancing.

### 6. Training and professional development for LEA staff on sanitation and minimizing the spread of infectious disease
- Professional Development

### 14. Inspection, testing, maintenance, repair, replacement and upgrade projects.
- HVAC Upgrades

### Supplies for vaccination site and supplies for social distancing.
- The district held 3 vaccination clinics for the community. The expense includes custodial support as well as utility costs.

### The district was not able to do as much PD this past year. We paused many of our PLC and MTSS efforts. The district will ramp back up the PLC and MTSS during the 2021-2022 school year to support all students and staff in all areas (academics, behavior and social/emotional).

### Summer School - The district plans to offer a "Jump Start" Summer school for grades 3-8. The expense will be to help pay the extra duty expense of teachers teaching summer school to identified students.

### HVAC Upgrades - The district is putting in upgraded HVAC in the two oldest buildings (1957 and 1977). The district will use the funds to help get the best upgraded systems to help with air quality. Allowable if CDC guidelines are met.
| Eligible Allocation | True Up Support Services (Students) | Supplies & Materials | 12. Addressing learning loss among students, including vulnerable populations | Supplies for student academic support and education support for staff and students. | $82,588 | $ - | $82,588 | $ - | $ - | 7 | Per district with email 05/31/2021: supplies include cleaning supplies, towels, additional sanitizer relating to Covid. |
Applicant details

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Select an Applicant Type

| Unified School District |

Applicant / Entity Name

| Auburn-Washburn USD 437 |

Applicant / Mailing Address

| 5928 SW 53rd St |
| Topeka, KS 66610 |

Applicant / First and Last Name of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director

| Bruce Stiles |

Applicant / Email Address of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director

| stiledan@usd437.net |

Applicant / Phone Number

| 7853394040 |

All questions in the section below are optional, and offer an opportunity to upload or enter information that is typically asked for on grant opportunities.

(For EANS and ESSER grant applications - please skip the questions below, and scroll to the bottom to complete your User Profile information.)

Applicant / Federal EIN (if applicable)

| 48-0722041 |

Applicant / Website Address (if applicable)

| usd437.net |
Application details

Full District Name | Auburn-Washburn
District Number | 437
Mailing Address | Street Address | 5928 SW 53rd St.
Mailing Address | City | Topeka
Mailing Address | Zip Code | 66610
Authorized Representative of the District | Name | Dr. Scott McWilliams
Authorized Representative of the District | Position or Title | Superintendent
Authorized Representative of the District | Email Address | mcwilsco@usd437.net
Authorized Representative of the District | Phone Number | +1(785)3394030
Would you like to additional district representatives to the application? | Yes
Other District Representative 1 | Email Address | turnekim@usd437.net
Other District Representative 2 | Email Address | stiledan@usd437.net

Please briefly describe the impacts of COVID-19 on the district and its Pre-K through 12 students, including any relevant data where possible (e.g., cost impact, learning loss, emotional impact on students). If there has been a disproportionate impact on a special population in the district (e.g., students with disabilities, English Learners, students in foster care, students in poverty, etc.), please describe the impact and provide the number of Pre-K through 12 students in that population.

Throughout the 2020-21 school year our District has implemented three different models that followed changing community guidelines: in-person, hybrid and fully remote. Families had the option of choosing the format that met their needs. Each change required modifications to staffing, schedules, classrooms, furniture and curriculum. Students experienced up to four significant changes. Technology, planning, professional development, curriculum revision, assessment procedures, and personnel have been impacted above and beyond ESSER 1.

Preliminary screening of student achievement does not show widespread learning loss. Assessment scores are not yet finalized but initial review indicates that there are some grade levels in some schools that may have been impacted to a greater degree. Student achievement will be available as the assessment windows close.

Anecdotal observations regarding specific populations suggest some impacts. Many families of EL students chose remote learning this year. That choice has impacted the students’ exposure to conversational English. Students with moderate and significant disabilities did not respond well to remote learning during the spring of 2020 so provisions were made to have those students attend in person. The achievement data for students living in the foster care system and who experience poverty will be analyzed when it is available.

Finally, the spring 2020 school closure and the 2020-21 disruptions have created increased social-emotional needs for many
The reliance on technology required in both school and home settings has also created challenges for staff, students, and families. Additional technology staff and support were needed to meet these needs.

Does the district have remaining ESSER I funding that it has not yet spent as of the date of ESSER II application submission?  
No

Please review the following allowable uses of ESSER II funds before completing the narrative and Excel template portion of the application.

- Coordination of preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies with State, local, Tribal, and territorial public health departments, and other relevant agencies, to improve coordinated responses among such entities to prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus.
- Providing principals and others school leaders with the resources necessary to address the needs of their individual schools.
- Activities to address the unique needs of low-income children or students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and foster care youth, including how outreach and service delivery will meet the needs of each population.
- Developing and implementing procedures and systems to improve the preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies.
- Training and professional development for staff of the local educational agency on sanitation and minimizing the spread of infectious diseases.
- Purchasing supplies to sanitize and clean the facilities of a local educational agency, including buildings operated by such agency.
- Planning for, coordinating, and implementing activities during long-term closures, including providing meals to eligible students, providing technology for online learning to all students, providing guidance for carrying out requirements under the IDEA and ensuring other educational services can continue to be provided consistent with all Federal, State, and local requirements.
- Purchasing educational technology (including hardware, software, and connectivity) for students who are served by the local educational agency that aids in regular and substantive educational interaction between students and their classroom instructors, including low-income students and children with disabilities, which may include assistive technology or adaptive equipment.
- Providing mental health services and supports.
- Planning and implementing activities related to summer learning and supplemental afterschool programs, including providing classroom instruction or online learning during the summer months and addressing the needs of low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, migrant students, students experiencing homelessness, and children in foster care.
- Addressing learning loss among students, including low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and children and youth in foster care, of the local educational agency, including by— (A) Administering and using high-quality assessments that are valid and reliable, to accurately assess students’ academic progress and assist educators in meeting students’ academic needs, including through differentiating instruction. (B) Implementing evidence-based activities to meet the comprehensive needs of students. (C) Providing information and assistance to parents and families on how they can effectively support students, including in a distance learning environment. (D) Tracking student attendance and improving student engagement in distance education.
- School facility repairs and improvements to enable operation of schools to reduce risk of virus transmission and exposure to environmental health hazards, and to support student health needs.
• Inspection, testing, maintenance, repair, replacement, and upgrade projects to improve the indoor air quality in school facilities, including mechanical and non-mechanical heating, ventilation, and air conditioning systems, filtering, purification and other air cleaning, fans, control systems, and window and door repair and replacement.
• Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities.
• Other activities that are necessary to maintain the operation of and continuity of services in local educational agencies and continuing to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.

Please note: "Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities," identified as an allowable use under ESSER III in the American Rescue Plan, is also permissible under ESSER II.

Plan for ESSER II Direct District Allocation and KSDE Per-Student Additional Allocation (If Applicable)

Please summarize how the district proposes using its ESSER II direct district allocation (and its KSDE per-student additional allocation, if applicable) to address incremental COVID-19 needs.

ESSER II funds will primarily be used to hire additional staff to provide direct services to students and to optimize the master schedule and free up time for classroom teachers to be able to reteach or remediate skill deficits in small flexible groups. Instructional coaching specifically in the area of reading will be added to existing resources at the middle school. Support for elementary students’ social/emotional needs will be added at four elementary schools. Case management supports will be expanded at the high school for students considered to be at-risk.

How will the district determine the impact of its ESSER II direct district allocation expenditures (and additional per-student allocation, if applicable) on students?

Progress monitoring systems are already in place to determine the effectiveness of interventions. Current systems will be used to track the progress of students receiving services.

Notes on ESSER II application Excel template:

• Plans and budgets should be submitted for at least a 12 month period but do not need to account for the full duration of the program or the full allocation amount. Funds will remain accessible to the LEA until September 30, 2023 and there will be additional opportunities to submit further requests/plans in the future.
• Following ESSER II application approval and initiation of funds draw down, districts will be required to report to the Commissioner’s Task Force on ESSER II expenditures and impact on a monthly basis throughout the program. This ESSER II reporting will be required as a part of regular ESSER program reporting, which will capture past expenditures across funding streams (ESSER I, ESSER I SPE, ESSER II, ESSER II SPE, ESSER II KSDE Per Student Allocation). Districts may be asked to provide expenditures by fund, function, object, account, and ESSER II allowable use as part of ongoing ESSER reporting.
• This reporting will not replace any reporting required by the federal government. KSDE will work to maximize compatibility between its reporting requirements and those of the federal government as much as possible to minimize burden on districts.

Please download and complete the ESSER II application template here to provide details on ESSER II budgeted expenditures across allowable uses and KSDE accounting codes.

Local Education Agency (LEA) Assurances
Section I. General Grant Assurances for Federal Funds

Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA will comply with all requirements of:

The LEA will make a good faith effort, on a continuing basis, to maintain a drug-free workplace, in accordance with the measures in 34 CFR Part 84, Subpart B and the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988;

The Education Department General Administrative Regulations (EDGAR) 34 CFR 76 requirements, including:

34 CFR §76.500(a) Federal statutes and regulations on nondiscrimination.

(a) A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the following statutes and regulations:

- Discrimination on the basis of age | The Age Discrimination Act (42 U.S.C. 6101 et seq.) | 34 CFR part 110.

(b) A State or subgrantee that is a covered entity as defined in §108.3 of this title shall comply with the nondiscrimination requirements of the Boy Scouts of America Equal Access Act, 20 U.S.C. 7905, 34 CFR part 108.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))


34 CFR §76.650 Private schools; purpose of §§76.651-76.662.

(a) Under some programs, the authorizing statute requires that a State and its subgrantees provide for participation by students enrolled in private schools. Sections 76.651-76.662 apply to those programs and provide rules for that participation. These sections do not affect the authority of the State or a subgrantee to enter into a contract with a private party.

(b) If any other rules for participation of students enrolled in private schools apply under a particular program, they are in the authorizing statute or implementing regulations for that program.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3 and 3474)

34 CFR §76.700 Compliance with statutes, regulations, State plan, and applications.

A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the State plan and applicable statutes, regulations, and approved applications, and shall use Federal funds in accordance with those statutes, regulations, plan, and applications.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.701 The State or subgrantee administers or supervises each project.

A State or a subgrantee shall directly administer or supervise the administration of each project.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.702 Fiscal control and fund accounting procedures.

A State and a subgrantee shall use fiscal control and fund accounting procedures that insure proper disbursement of and accounting for Federal funds.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.709 Funds may be obligated during a “carryover period.”

(a) If a State or a subgrantee does not obligate all of its grant or subgrant funds by the end of the fiscal year for which Congress appropriated the funds, it may obligate the remaining funds during a carryover period of one additional fiscal year.

(b) The State shall return to the Federal Government any carryover funds not obligated by the end of the carryover period by the State and its subgrantees.

(Authority: U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1225(b), and 3474)


34 CFR §76.722 Subgrantee reporting requirements.

A State may require a subgrantee to submit reports in a manner and format that assists the State in complying with the requirements under 34 CFR 76.720 and in carrying out other responsibilities under the program.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1231a, and 3474)

[72 FR 3703, Jan. 25, 2007]

34 CFR §76.730 Records related to grant funds.

A State and a subgrantee shall keep records that fully show:

(a) The amount of funds under the grant or subgrant;
(b) How the State or subgrantee uses the funds;
(c) The total cost of the project;
(d) The share of that cost provided from other sources; and
(e) Other records to facilitate an effective audit.

(Approved by the Office of Management and Budget under control number 1880-0513)

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1232f)


34 CFR §76.731

Records related to compliance.

A State and a subgrantee shall keep records to show its compliance with program requirements.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

The Uniform Grant Guidance, 2 CFR §200 all applicable subrecipient requirements, including but not limited to:

2 CFR Subpart D – Post Federal Award Requirements
§200.302 Financial management.
§200.303 Internal controls.
§200.305 Payment.
§200.313 Equipment.
§200.314 Supplies.
§200.318 General procurement standards.
§200.320 Methods of procurement to be followed;

2 CFR 200 Subpart E: Cost Principles:
§200.403 Factors affecting allowability of costs.
§200.404 Reasonable costs.
§200.405 Allocable costs.
§200.413 Direct costs.
§200.415 Required certifications.
§200.430 Compensation—personal services.

The Debarment and Suspension, 34 CFR Part 85, Section 85.510, Participants' Responsibilities and makes the following certification by signing this application:

The prospective lower-tier participant certifies, by submission of this proposal, that neither it nor its principals is presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction by any federal department or agency.

Where the prospective lower-tier participant is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, such prospective participant shall attach an explanation to this proposal.

This certification is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was made or entered into. Submission of this certification is a prerequisite for making or entering into this transaction imposed by Section 1352, Title 31, U.S. Code. Any person who fails to file the required certification shall be subject to a civil penalty of not less than $10,000 for such failure.

Section II. Specific Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) Grant Assurances

The LEA assures that funds shall only be used for any of the following:

- Coordination of preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies with State, local, Tribal, and territorial public health departments, and other relevant agencies, to improve coordinated responses among such entities to prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus.
- Providing principals and others school leaders with the resources necessary to address the needs of their individual schools.
Activities to address the unique needs of low-income children or students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and foster care youth, including how outreach and service delivery will meet the needs of each population.

Developing and implementing procedures and systems to improve the preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies.

Training and professional development for staff of the local educational agency on sanitation and minimizing the spread of infectious diseases.

Purchasing supplies to sanitize and clean the facilities of a local educational agency, including buildings operated by such agency.

Planning for and coordinating during long-term closures, including for how to provide meals to eligible students, how to provide technology for online learning to all students, how to provide guidance for carrying out requirements under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. 1401 et seq.) and how to ensure other educational services can continue to be provided consistent with all Federal, State, and local requirements.

Purchasing educational technology (including hardware, software, and connectivity) for students who are served by the local educational agency that aids in regular and substantive educational interaction between students and their classroom instructors, including low-income students and students with disabilities, which may include assistive technology or adaptive equipment.

Providing mental health services and supports.

Planning and implementing activities related to summer learning and supplemental afterschool programs, including providing classroom instruction or online learning during the summer months and addressing the needs of low income students, students with disabilities, English learners, migrant students, students experiencing homelessness, and children in foster care.

Addressing learning loss among students, including low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and children and youth in foster care, of the local educational agency, including by—(A) Administering and using high-quality assessments that are valid and reliable, to accurately assess students’ academic progress and assist educators in meeting students’ academic needs, including through differentiating instruction. (B) Implementing evidence-based activities to meet the comprehensive needs of students. (C) Providing information and assistance to parents and families on how they can effectively support students, including in a distance learning environment. (D) Tracking student attendance and improving student engagement in distance education.

School facility repairs and improvements to enable operation of schools to reduce risk of virus transmission and exposure to environmental health hazards, and to support student health needs.

Inspection, testing, maintenance, repair, replacement, and upgrade projects to improve the indoor air quality in school facilities, including mechanical and non-mechanical heating, ventilation, and air conditioning systems, filtering, purification and other air cleaning, fans, control systems, and window and door repair and replacement.

Other activities that are necessary to maintain the operation of and continuity of services in local educational agencies and continuing to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.

Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA shall comply with all applicable requirements of the Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) authorized by the Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act, 2021 (CRRSAA), including:

CONTINUED PAYMENT TO EMPLOYEES

SEC. 18006. A local educational agency, State, institution of higher education, or other entity that receives funds under “Education Stabilization Fund”, shall to the greatest extent practicable, continue to pay its employees and contractors during the period of any disruptions or closures related to coronavirus.

Certification

To the best of my knowledge and belief, all the information and data in this agreement are true and correct. I acknowledge and agree that the failure to comply with all Assurances and Certifications in this Agreement, all relevant provisions and requirements of the CARES Act, Pub. L. No. 116-136 (March 27, 2020), or any other applicable law or regulation may result in liability under the False Claims Act, 31 U.S.C. § 3729, et seq.; OMB Guidelines to Agencies on Governmentwide Debarment and Suspension (Nonprocurement) in 2 CFR part 180, as adopted and amended as regulations of the Department in 2 CFR part 3485; and 18 USC § 1001, as appropriate.
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<td>Positions are being added in three large elementary schools to support the social/emotional and behavioral needs of students as they return to school in response to increased internalizing and externalizing behaviors. These positions will also work with teachers to implement school-wide and classroom supports for students.</td>
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<td>Positions to be added at the middle school will provide direct instruction in Math and Reading to students who are experiencing learning gaps as a result of disruptions due to the pandemic.</td>
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<td>Positions are to be added at the elementary level to increase staffing for Art to 1.0 FTE in each elementary school. The additional staff will facilitate another rotation of elective courses for all students K-6. The result of these master schedule changes will be that there will be a time in the school day for all students to receive teacher direct instruction that either re-teaches or extends learning objectives. Flexible small groups will be available to provide strategic supports based on achievement data.</td>
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Number of positions to be added: Applicant responded via email: 2 certified FTE to provide instructional and behavioral coaching.

Number of positions: Applicant responded via email: 3.5 additional certified art teachers (new staff). Students will receive additional instruction from their classroom teacher when additional art time is added to the schedule. Additional clarification: Finding time in the school day for classroom content experts to provide direct remediation and enrichment to all students in targeted, small, flexible groups will be accomplished by hiring 3.5 FTE of additional staff to deliver additional humanities rotations. While some of the students in a grade level are in an art class, their classmates can be with their classroom teacher. On a rotation, this will provide equitable access to meaningful remediation/enrichment, additional engagement in appreciation of the humanities that is especially important to students in our community who might not otherwise have exposure to the arts while allowing certified teachers to provide more focused Tier 1 instruction.

Number of positions: Applicant responded via email: 85 certified FTE and 1,890 students. Program offered June 2 to July 1, 2021.
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Applicant details

Thank you for creating a User Profile for the Kansas CommonApp!

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Select an Applicant Type  |  Unified School District

Applicant / Entity Name  |  Shawnee Heights

Applicant / Mailing Address

|  4401 SE Shawnee Heights Rd, Tecumseh, KS 66542 |

Applicant / First and Last Name of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director  |  Stacey Bell

Applicant / Email Address of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director  |  bells@usd450.net

Applicant / Phone Number  |  7853795800

All questions in the section below are optional, and offer an opportunity to upload or enter information that is typically asked for on grant opportunities.

(for EANS and ESSER grant applications - please skip the questions below, and scroll to the bottom to complete your User Profile information.)

Application details

Full District Name  |  Shawnee Heights

District Number  |  450
Please briefly describe the impacts of COVID-19 on the district and its Pre-K through 12 students, including any relevant data where possible (e.g., cost impact, learning loss, emotional impact on students). If there has been a disproportionate impact on a special population in the district (e.g., students with disabilities, English Learners, students in foster care, students in poverty, etc.), please describe the impact and provide the number of Pre-K through 12 students in that population.

Our current second graders were most impacted by COVID-19 due to missing key reading instruction at the end of their first grade year as evidenced by our DIBELS and MAP data. Other students who didn't have strong supports at home struggled to stay on task while learning at home as noticed by poor homework completion and grade data. When we brought all of our students back into the buildings 5 days a week, they struggled to get along with each other and were not conditioned to follow the school structure and expectations. Many students are struggling emotionally due to family members sick or struggling emotionally and financially. For our remote students, some of them did well and others really learn better in person but weren't allowed to come on campus due to health conditions or concerns.

For our high school students, there is a higher percentage of students that will need some credit recovery over the next couple of years to get back on track to graduate. Close monitoring of their progress will be required.

Students with disabilities also really struggled over all. Our staff did the best they could to continue services and we will need to offer after school tutoring during 2021-2022 to help them gain momentum on making progress towards their goals.

Does the district have remaining ESSER I funding that it has not yet spent as of the date of ESSER II application submission? Yes

Please summarize how the district will use its remaining ESSER I and ESSER I SPED funding and what it hopes to accomplish with these funds.

We will finish using up our ESSER I funds with the April and May payroll. We will end up with about $1000 left in ESSER I SPED that will be used to pay SPED teachers to work with students for the last month of school.

Please review the following allowable uses of ESSER II funds before completing the narrative and Excel template portion of the application.

Coordination of preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies with State, local, Tribal, and territorial public health departments, and other relevant agencies, to improve coordinated responses among such entities to prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus.

Providing principals and others school leaders with the resources necessary to address the needs of their individual schools.

Activities to address the unique needs of low-income children or students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and foster care youth, including how outreach and service delivery will meet the needs of each population.

Developing and implementing procedures and systems to improve the preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies.

Training and professional development for staff of the local educational agency on sanitation and minimizing the spread of infectious diseases.

Purchasing supplies to sanitize and clean the facilities of a local educational agency, including buildings operated by such agency.

Planning for, coordinating, and implementing activities during long-term closures, including providing meals to eligible students, providing technology for online learning to all students, providing guidance for carrying out requirements under the IDEA and ensuring other educational services can continue to be provided consistent with all Federal, State, and local requirements.

Purchasing educational technology (including hardware, software, and connectivity) for students who are served by the local educational agency that aids in regular and substantive educational interaction between students and their classroom instructors, including low-income students and children with disabilities, which may include assistive technology or adaptive equipment.

Providing mental health services and supports.

Planning and implementing activities related to summer learning and supplemental afterschool programs, including

- providing classroom instruction or online learning during the summer months and addressing the needs of low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, migrant students, students experiencing homelessness, and children in foster care.
- Addressing learning loss among students, including low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and children and youth in foster care, of the local educational agency, including by— (A) Administering and using high-quality assessments that are valid and reliable, to accurately assess students’ academic progress and assist educators in meeting students’ academic needs, including through differentiating instruction. (B) Implementing evidence-based activities to meet the comprehensive needs of students. (C) Providing information and assistance to parents and families on how they can effectively support students, including in a distance learning environment. (D) Tracking student attendance and improving student engagement in distance education.

- School facility repairs and improvements to enable operation of schools to reduce risk of virus transmission and exposure to environmental health hazards, and to support student health needs.
- Inspection, testing, maintenance, repair, replacement, and upgrade projects to improve the indoor air quality in school facilities, including mechanical and non-mechanical heating, ventilation, and air conditioning systems, filtering, purification and other air cleaning, fans, control systems, and window and door repair and replacement.
- Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities.
- Other activities that are necessary to maintain the operation of and continuity of services in local educational agencies and continuing to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.

Please note: “Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities," identified as an allowable use under ESSER III in the American Rescue Plan, is also permissible under ESSER II.

Plan for ESSER II Direct District Allocation and KSDE Per-Student Additional Allocation (If Applicable)
Please summarize how the district proposes using its ESSER II direct district allocation (and its KSDE per-student additional allocation, if applicable) to address incremental COVID-19 needs.

Currently, we will use some of our ESSER II funding to reimburse the district for some payroll expenses we incurred during the FY 21. We will also need some of that funding to finish off paying positions we hired during the 20-21 school year. Then we will fund our K-12 Summer Learning Opportunities for the 2021 summer. This is will be an expanded opportunity compared to offerings our district has offered in the past.

For next year, we will be adding 4 Interventionists to our elementary buildings to help work with students that are struggling. We will be adding 2 classroom teachers (3rd grade) to follow the current 2nd graders that are struggling with reading. This will allow us to reduce class sizes in those grades to provide more targeted instruction for those students. We will add 1 classroom teacher at the high school to help with credit recovery. Then to help with working with the increased needs of students with social-emotional concerns, we are going to hire 2 dean of students for our elementary schools. For these new classrooms, we will need to adapt current spaces to make them classrooms this summer as well as purchase new curriculum materials for these classrooms. These new staff positions will also need technology that our other staff have access to.

Lastly, we will monitor our data closely to see what other curriculum resources will need to put in place to help bridge the gap.

How will the district determine the impact of its ESSER II direct district allocation expenditures (and additional per-student allocation, if applicable) on students?

We have purchased FastBridge and will test students 3 times a year in reading and math to monitor growth. We will also be using that assessment for our summer learning to look at the impact each program has on student learning.

In addition, we will give the SAEBERS assessment (through FastBridge) to help monitor Social-Emotional growth of students.

For high school, we will also do frequent transcript analysis to make sure that students and families are aware of status and are making plans to catch back up in order to ensure success in having enough credits to graduate.

Notes on ESSER II application Excel template:

- Plans and budgets should be submitted for at least a 12 month period but do not need to account for the full duration of the program or the full allocation amount. Funds will remain accessible to the LEA until September 30, 2023 and there will be additional opportunities to submit further requests/plans in the future.
- Following ESSER II application approval and initiation of funds draw down, districts will be required to report to the Commissioner's Task Force on ESSER II expenditures and impact on a monthly basis throughout the program. This ESSER II reporting will be required as a part of regular ESSER program reporting, which will capture past expenditures across funding streams (ESSER I, ESSER I SPED, ESSER II, ESSER II SPED, ESSER II KSDE Per Student Allocation). Districts may be asked to provide expenditures by fund, function, object, account, and ESSER II allowable use as part of ongoing ESSER reporting.
- This reporting will not replace any reporting required by the federal government. KSDE will work to maximize compatibility between its reporting requirements and those of the federal government as much as possible to minimize burden on districts.

Please download and complete the ESSER II application template here to provide details on ESSER II budgeted expenditures across allowable uses and KSDE accounting codes.

Local Education Agency (LEA) Assurances
Section I. General Grant Assurances for Federal Funds

Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA will comply with all requirements of:

The LEA will make a good faith effort, on a continuing basis, to maintain a drug-free workplace, in accordance with the measures in 34 CFR Part 84, Subpart B and the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988;

The Education Department General Administrative Regulations (EDGAR) 34 CFR 76 requirements, including:

34 CFR §76.500(a) Federal statutes and regulations on nondiscrimination.

(a) A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the following statutes and regulations:

- Discrimination on the basis of age | The Age Discrimination Act (42 U.S.C. 6101 et seq.) | 34 CFR part 110.

(b) A State or subgrantee that is a covered entity as defined in §108.3 of this title shall comply with the nondiscrimination requirements of the Boy Scouts of America Equal Access Act, 20 U.S.C. 7905, 34 CFR part 108.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))


34 CFR §76.650 Private schools; purpose of §§76.651-76.662.

(a) Under some programs, the authorizing statute requires that a State and its subgrantees provide for participation by students enrolled in private schools. Sections 76.651-76.662 apply to those programs and provide rules for that participation. These sections do not affect the authority of the State or a subgrantee to enter into a contract with a private party.

(b) If any other rules for participation of students enrolled in private schools apply under a particular program, they are in the authorizing statute or implementing regulations for that program.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3 and 3474)

34 CFR §76.700 Compliance with statutes, regulations, State plan, and applications.

A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the State plan and applicable statutes, regulations, and approved applications, and shall use Federal funds in accordance with those statutes, regulations, plan, and applications.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.701 The State or subgrantee administers or supervises each project.

A State or a subgrantee shall directly administer or supervise the administration of each project.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.702 Fiscal control and fund accounting procedures.

A State and a subgrantee shall use fiscal control and fund accounting procedures that insure proper disbursement of and accounting for Federal funds.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.709 Funds may be obligated during a “carryover period.”

(a) If a State or a subgrantee does not obligate all of its grant or subgrant funds by the end of the fiscal year for which Congress appropriated the funds, it may obligate the remaining funds during a carryover period of one additional fiscal year.

(b) The State shall return to the Federal Government any carryover funds not obligated by the end of the carryover period by the State and its subgrantees.

(Authority: U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1225(b), and 3474)


34 CFR §76.722 Subgrantee reporting requirements.

A State may require a subgrantee to submit reports in a manner and format that assists the State in complying with the requirements under 34 CFR 76.720 and in carrying out other responsibilities under the program.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1231a, and 3474)

[72 FR 3703, Jan. 25, 2007]

34 CFR §76.730 Records related to grant funds.

A State and a subgrantee shall keep records that fully show:

(a) The amount of funds under the grant or subgrant;
(b) How the State or subgrantee uses the funds;
(c) The total cost of the project;
(d) The share of that cost provided from other sources; and
(e) Other records to facilitate an effective audit.

(Approved by the Office of Management and Budget under control number 1880-0513)

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1232f)


34 CFR §76.731

Records related to compliance.

A State and a subgrantee shall keep records to show its compliance with program requirements.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

The Uniform Grant Guidance, 2 CFR §200 all applicable subrecipient requirements, including but not limited to:

2 CFR Subpart D – Post Federal Award Requirements

§200.302 Financial management.

§200.303 Internal controls.

§200.305 Payment.

§200.313 Equipment.

§200.314 Supplies.

§200.318 General procurement standards.

§200.320 Methods of procurement to be followed;

2 CFR 200 Subpart E: Cost Principles:

§200.403 Factors affecting allowability of costs.

§200.404 Reasonable costs.

§200.405 Allocable costs.

§200.413 Direct costs.

§200.415 Required certifications.

§200.430 Compensation—personal services.

The Debarment and Suspension, 34 CFR Part 85, Section 85.510, Participants' Responsibilities and makes the following certification by signing this application:

The prospective lower-tier participant certifies, by submission of this proposal, that neither it nor its principals is presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction by any federal department or agency.

Where the prospective lower-tier participant is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, such prospective participant shall attach an explanation to this proposal.

This certification is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was made or entered into. Submission of this certification is a prerequisite for making or entering into this transaction imposed by Section 1352, Title 31, U.S. Code. Any person who fails to file the required certification shall be subject to a civil penalty of not less than $10,000 for such failure.

Section II. Specific Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) Grant Assurances

The LEA assures that funds shall only be used for any of the following:

- Coordination of preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies with State, local, Tribal, and territorial public health departments, and other relevant agencies, to improve coordinated responses among such entities to prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus.
- Providing principals and others school leaders with the resources necessary to address the needs of their individual schools.
• Activities to address the unique needs of low-income children or students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and foster care youth, including how outreach and service delivery will meet the needs of each population.
• Developing and implementing procedures and systems to improve the preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies.
• Training and professional development for staff of the local educational agency on sanitation and minimizing the spread of infectious diseases.
• Purchasing supplies to sanitize and clean the facilities of a local educational agency, including buildings operated by such agency.
• Planning for and coordinating during long-term closures, including for how to provide meals to eligible students, how to provide technology for online learning to all students, how to provide guidance for carrying out requirements under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. 1401 et seq.) and how to ensure other educational services can continue to be provided consistent with all Federal, State, and local requirements.
• Purchasing educational technology (including hardware, software, and connectivity) for students who are served by the local educational agency that aids in regular and substantive educational interaction between students and their classroom instructors, including low-income students and students with disabilities, which may include assistive technology or adaptive equipment.
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• Other activities that are necessary to maintain the operation of and continuity of services in local educational agencies and continuing to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.

Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA shall comply with all applicable requirements of the Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) authorized by the Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act, 2021 (CRRSAA), including:
CONTINUED PAYMENT TO EMPLOYEES
SEC. 18006. A local educational agency, State, institution of higher education, or other entity that receives funds under “Education Stabilization Fund”, shall to the greatest extent practicable, continue to pay its employees and contractors during the period of any disruptions or closures related to coronavirus.

Certification
To the best of my knowledge and belief, all the information and data in this agreement are true and correct. I acknowledge and agree that the failure to comply with all Assurances and Certifications in this Agreement, all relevant provisions and requirements of the CARES Act, Pub. L. No. 116-136 (March 27, 2020), or any other applicable law or regulation may result in liability under the False Claims Act, 31 U.S.C. § 3729, et seq.; OMB Guidelines to Agencies on Governmentwide Debarment and Suspension (Nonprocurement) in 2 CFR part 180, as adopted and amended as regulations of the Department in 2 CFR part 3485; and 18 USC § 1001, as appropriate.
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| Eligible Direct Allocation | Instruction Certified Salaries | 11A. Planning and implementing summer learning or enrichment programs | 2021 Summer Learning Opportunities K-12 to address learning loss, help foster relationships with students/staff and reclimate students with school | $ 150,777 | $ 81,420 | $ 69,357 | $ - | $ - | 40552 |

Per applicant, We are calling our Summer School, “Summer Learning Opportunities”. We have invited 504 students K-8 to participate in learning in 4 different models based on data showing that the pandemic impacting their normal growth patterns. (In-person, remote, individual/small group tutoring, and Invention Project.) Elementary will have 3 hours in-person or remote for 18 school days or 30 hours of tutoring throughout the summer. Middle school will have 3 hours in-person or remote for 18 school days or 30 hours of tutoring throughout the summer. They will also offer 3 hours in the after of Invention Project (STEM activities) for 18 school days. For in-person classes, students will rotate around to do math, ELA, and SEL activities. A total of 42 certified staff members are signed up to serve in some capacity this summer.
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Per narrative, Our current second graders were most impacted by COVID-19 due to missing key reading instruction at the end of their first grade year as evidenced by our DIBELS and MAP data. Other students who didn’t have strong supports at home struggled to stay on task while learning at home as noticed by poor homework completion and grade data. When we brought all of our students back into the buildings 5 days a week, they struggled to get along with each other and were not conditioned to follow the school structure and expectations. Many students are struggling emotionally due to family members sick or struggling emotionally and financially. For our high school students, there is a higher percentage of students that will need some credit recovery over the next couple of years to get back on track to graduate.
### Eligible Direct Allocation Instruction

| Social Security Contribution | 16. Other activities necessary to maintain LEA operations and services and employ existing LEA staff | Social Security - FY 21 would be to finish off paying for COVID related staffing hired to meet the needs to implement mitigation and cleaning protocols. FY 22 would be to pay for 4 interventionists, 3 classroom teachers, and 2 dean of students to address the unique needs of our students due to their fractured learning and lack of routines and structure. | $35,405 | $367 | $35,038 | $- | $- | 40552 |
16. Other activities necessary to maintain LEA operations and services and employ existing LEA staff

Unemployment - FY 21 would be to finish off paying for COVID related staffing hired to meet the needs to implement mitigation and cleaning protocols. FY 22 would be to pay for 4 interventionists, 3 classroom teachers, and 2 dean of students to address the unique needs of our students due to their fractured learning and lack of routines and structure.

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16. Other activities necessary to maintain LEA operations and services and employ existing LEA staff

FY 21 would be to finish off paying for COVID related staffing hired to meet the needs to implement mitigation and cleaning protocols. FY 22 would be to pay for 4 Teacher Aides to address the unique needs of our students due to their fractured learning and lack of routines and structure.

$ 111,296  $ 27,897  $ 83,399  $ -  $ -  40553

Per applicant, We are hiring 18 teacher aides (classified staff) to help with each of the in-person classes. Our in-person class sizes are capped at 20 students so the teacher aide in each room will help facilitate small group activities as well as help assist students with disabilities as needed in order to provide targeted instruction based on spring data.

$ 21,520  $ 844  $ 20,676  $ -  $ -  40553

See previous row for description.
<p>| Eligible Direct Allocation | Instruction Social Security Contributions | 11A. Planning and implementing summer learning or enrichment programs | Social Security - 2021 Summer Learning Opportunities K-12 to address learning loss, help foster relationships with students/staff and reacclimate students with school. | $2,419 | $468 | $1,951 | $- | $- | 40553 |
|---------------------------|------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------|<strong><strong><strong><strong>|</strong></strong></strong></strong>|<strong><strong><strong><strong>|</strong></strong></strong></strong>|<strong><strong><strong><strong>|</strong></strong></strong></strong>|
| Eligible Direct Allocation | Instruction Social Security Contributions | 16. Other activities necessary to maintain LEA operations and services and employ existing LEA staff | Social Security - FY 21 would be to finish off paying for COVID related staffing hired to meet the needs to implement mitigation and cleaning protocols. FY 22 would be to pay for 4 Teacher Aides to address the unique needs of our students due to their fractured learning and lack of routines and structure. | $6,954 | $1,770 | $5,184 | $- | $- | 40553 |
| Eligible Direct Allocation | Instruction Medicare - Employer's Contribution | 11A. Planning and implementing summer learning or enrichment programs | Medicare - 2021 Summer Learning Opportunities K-12 to address learning loss, help foster relationships with students/staff and reacclimate students with school. | $566 | $109 | $456 | $- | $- | 40553 |
| Eligible Direct Allocation | Instruction Medicare - Employer's Contribution | 16. Other activities necessary to maintain LEA operations and services and employ existing LEA staff | Medicare - FY 21 would be to finish off paying for COVID related staffing hired to meet the needs to implement mitigation and cleaning protocols. FY 22 would be to pay for 4 Teacher Aides to address the unique needs of our students due to their fractured learning and lack of routines and structure. | $1,626 | $414 | $1,212 | $- | $- | 40553 |
| Eligible Direct Allocation | Instruction Unemployment Compensation | 11A. Planning and implementing summer learning or enrichment programs | Unemployment - 2021 Summer Learning Opportunities K-12 to address learning loss, help foster relationships with students/staff and reacclimate students with school. | $39 | $8 | $31 | $- | $- | 40553 |</p>
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Please briefly describe the impacts of COVID-19 on the district and its Pre-K through 12 students, including any relevant data where possible (e.g., cost impact, learning loss, emotional impact on students). If there has been a disproportionate impact on a special population in the district (e.g., students with disabilities, English Learners, students in foster care, students in poverty, etc.), please describe the impact and provide the number of Pre-K through 12 students in that population.

Leavenworth USD 453 has analyzed a number of areas related to the impact of COVID-19. With regard to learning loss, the district has compared data sets from district benchmark assessments based on race/ethnicity, free/reduced lunch status, attendance, and other factors to examine areas of particular emphasis. As such, using i-Ready Benchmarks, the district found a 5% reduction in those students performing on grade level from Winter 2020 to Winter 2021 in the area of Reading and a 4% reduction in Mathematics during the same timeframe. Those students in the lowest score category also rose in both Reading and Math from Winter 2020 to Winter 2021. One specific area of concern found was that students who had frequent absences during the 2020-21 school year performed significantly lower on both reading and math benchmark assessments compared to those peers with good attendance (529 students fell into the category of having attendance concerns based on missing 10% or more of school days in 2020-21 at the time the data was pulled).

As well, the emotional impact was measured with the implementation of SAEBRS Social-Emotional screening during the 2020-21 school year. According to the SAEBRS teacher rating scale, 22.7% of students scored in the ‘some risk’ category. Of these students, the greatest concern was in the emotional area with the lowest level of concern being in the academic area of the assessment. According to the MySAEBRS student rating scale, 39.8% of students scored in the ‘some risk’ category.
Does the district have remaining ESSER I funding that it has not yet spent as of the date of ESSER II application submission? | Yes

Please summarize how the district will use its remaining ESSER I and ESSER I SPED funding and what it hopes to accomplish with these funds.

Purchasing survey tool to use with staff, students, families, that aids in developing, implementing, and adjusting procedures and systems to improve our preparedness and response efforts per the recommended COVID related safety guidelines.
Purchasing communication equipment to implement necessary procedures and systems to improve our preparedness and response efforts.
Purchasing educational technology software that aids in regular and substantive educational interaction between students and their classroom teachers.
Installing contactless water bottle filler stations to reduce the risk of virus transmission.
Payment of salaries to substitute teachers necessary due to staff members being quarantined.
Payment of salaries to staff working the additional hours above normal duty day required to plan, prepare, and deliver educational services through a mix of in-person and remote and hybrid student attendance situations during the 2020-2021 school year.
ESSER I SPED we plan to provide professional development to para educators addressing student learning loss, student behaviors, and social and emotional needs in response to COVID.

Please review the following allowable uses of ESSER II funds before completing the narrative and Excel template portion of the application.

- Coordination of preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies with State, local, Tribal, and territorial public health departments, and other relevant agencies, to improve coordinated responses among such entities to prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus.
- Providing principals and other school leaders with the resources necessary to address the needs of their individual schools.
- Activities to address the unique needs of low-income children or students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and foster care youth, including how outreach and service delivery will meet the needs of each population.
- Developing and implementing procedures and systems to improve the preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies.
- Training and professional development for staff of the local educational agency on sanitation and minimizing the spread of infectious diseases.
- Purchasing supplies to sanitize and clean the facilities of a local educational agency, including buildings operated by such agency.
- Planning for, coordinating, and implementing activities during long-term closures, including providing meals to eligible students, providing technology for online learning to all students, providing guidance for carrying out requirements under the IDEA and ensuring other educational services can continue to be provided consistent with all Federal, State, and local requirements.
- Purchasing educational technology (including hardware, software, and connectivity) for students who are served by the local educational agency that aids in regular and substantive educational interaction between students and their classroom instructors, including low-income students and children with disabilities, which may include assistive technology or adaptive equipment.
- Providing mental health services and supports.
- Planning and implementing activities related to summer learning and supplemental after-school programs, including providing classroom instruction or online learning during the summer months and addressing the needs of low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, migrant students, students experiencing homelessness, and children in foster care.

- Addressing learning loss among students, including low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and children and youth in foster care, of the local educational agency, including by—(A) Administering and using high-quality assessments that are valid and reliable, to accurately assess students’ academic progress and assist educators in meeting students’ academic needs, including through differentiating instruction. (B) Implementing evidence-based activities to meet the comprehensive needs of students. (C) Providing information and assistance to parents and families on how they can effectively support students, including in a distance learning environment. (D) Tracking student attendance and improving student engagement in distance education.

- School facility repairs and improvements to enable operation of schools to reduce risk of virus transmission and exposure to environmental health hazards, and to support student health needs.

- Inspection, testing, maintenance, repair, replacement, and upgrade projects to improve the indoor air quality in school facilities, including mechanical and non-mechanical heating, ventilation, and air conditioning systems, filtering, purification and other air cleaning, fans, control systems, and window and door repair and replacement.

- Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities.

- Other activities that are necessary to maintain the operation of and continuity of services in local educational agencies and continuing to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.

**Please note:** "Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities," identified as an allowable use under ESSER III in the American Rescue Plan, is also permissible under ESSER II.

### Plan for ESSER II Direct District Allocation and KSDE Per-Student Additional Allocation (If Applicable)

Please summarize how the district proposes using its ESSER II direct district allocation (and its KSDE per-student additional allocation, if applicable) to address incremental COVID-19 needs.

We are taking a STEM summer camp approach for our grades K-8 and a college schedule for earning credits for our 9-12 students. The goals for this program is to stop or greatly decrease the impact of summer slide, help our remote students adjust to in person instruction again, and allow opportunities for hands-on and social interactions that were limited this year. The day is structured to provide students with whole group inquiry based learning and then small group instruction that is targeted to address an individual's missing skills. We will provide student transportation services.

Hire 6 elementary teachers, 1 early education interventionist, and 1 MTSS Specialist to accurately assess students' academic progress and provide differentiated classroom instruction to meet students' academic needs.

Hire 1 Extended Learning Program Director to manage all activities related to planning, implementing and monitoring summer learning and supplemental after school programs.

Hire 5 social workers or counselors to provide information and connect families to community resources and manage chronic student absenteeism.

Payment of salaries to 260 teachers working the additional hours above normal duty day required to plan, prepare, and deliver educational services through a mix of in-person and remote and hybrid student attendance situations during the 2020-2021 school year.

Replace boiler for better control of humidity inside school facility.

Upgrade HVAC control system for better outside air circulation.

How will the district determine the impact of its ESSER II direct district allocation expenditures (and additional per-student allocation, if applicable) on students?

The district will determine the impact of its ESSER dollars by comparing the 2021 Fall BAS scores for our K-6 students as compared to the 2020 data to determine if the learning loss was as great. Our high school will track credits completed to monitor if we are increasing the number of students on track to graduate with their peers.

Our district is transitioning our diagnostic screener from iReady to Fast Bridge this August. We anticipate a decrease in
chronic student absenteeism rate.
We will create and implement intervention resources and lessons based on SAEBRS identified areas of need and anticipate a decrease in percentage of students in some risk category of SAEBRS.

Notes on ESSER II application Excel template:

- Plans and budgets should be submitted for at least a 12 month period but do not need to account for the full duration of the program or the full allocation amount. Funds will remain accessible to the LEA until September 30, 2023 and there will be additional opportunities to submit further requests/plans in the future.
- Following ESSER II application approval and initiation of funds draw down, districts will be required to report to the Commissioner's Task Force on ESSER II expenditures and impact on a monthly basis throughout the program. This ESSER II reporting will be required as a part of regular ESSER program reporting, which will capture past expenditures across funding streams (ESSER I, ESSER I SPED, ESSER II, ESSER II SPED, ESSER II KSDE Per Student Allocation). Districts may be asked to provide expenditures by fund, function, object, account, and ESSER II allowable use as part of ongoing ESSER reporting.
- This reporting will not replace any reporting required by the federal government. KSDE will work to maximize compatibility between its reporting requirements and those of the federal government as much as possible to minimize burden on districts.

Please download and complete the ESSER II application template here to provide details on ESSER II budgeted expenditures across allowable uses and KSDE accounting codes.

Local Education Agency (LEA) Assurances

Section I. General Grant Assurances for Federal Funds

Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA will comply with all requirements of:
The LEA will make a good faith effort, on a continuing basis, to maintain a drug-free workplace, in accordance with the measures in 34 CFR Part 84, Subpart B and the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988;
The Education Department General Administrative Regulations (EDGAR) 34 CFR 76 requirements, including:
34 CFR §76.500(a) Federal statutes and regulations on nondiscrimination.
(a) A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the following statutes and regulations:
- Discrimination on the basis of age | The Age Discrimination Act (42 U.S.C. 6101 et seq.) | 34 CFR part 110.
(b) A State or subgrantee that is a covered entity as defined in §108.3 of this title shall comply with the nondiscrimination requirements of the Boy Scouts of America Equal Access Act, 20 U.S.C. 7905, 34 CFR part 108.
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))
34 CFR §76.650 Private schools; purpose of §§76.651-76.662.
(a) Under some programs, the authorizing statute requires that a State and its subgrantees provide for participation by students enrolled in private schools. Sections 76.651-76.662 apply to those programs and provide rules for that participation. These sections do not affect the authority of the State or a subgrantee to enter into a contract with a private party.
(b) If any other rules for participation of students enrolled in private schools apply under a particular program, they are in the
authorizing statute or implementing regulations for that program.
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3 and 3474)

34 CFR §76.700 Compliance with statutes, regulations, State plan, and applications.
A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the State plan and applicable statutes, regulations, and approved applications, and shall use Federal funds in accordance with those statutes, regulations, plan, and applications.
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.701 The State or subgrantee administers or supervises each project.
A State or a subgrantee shall directly administer or supervise the administration of each project.
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.702 Fiscal control and fund accounting procedures.
A State and a subgrantee shall use fiscal control and fund accounting procedures that insure proper disbursement of and accounting for Federal funds.
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.709 Funds may be obligated during a “carryover period.”
(a) If a State or a subgrantee does not obligate all of its grant or subgrant funds by the end of the fiscal year for which Congress appropriated the funds, it may obligate the remaining funds during a carryover period of one additional fiscal year.
(b) The State shall return to the Federal Government any carryover funds not obligated by the end of the carryover period by the State and its subgrantees.
(Authority: U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1225(b), and 3474)


34 CFR §76.722 Subgrantee reporting requirements.
A State may require a subgrantee to submit reports in a manner and format that assists the State in complying with the requirements under 34 CFR 76.720 and in carrying out other responsibilities under the program.
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1231a, and 3474)

[72 FR 3703, Jan. 25, 2007]

34 CFR §76.730 Records related to grant funds.
A State and a subgrantee shall keep records that fully show:
(a) The amount of funds under the grant or subgrant;
(b) How the State or subgrantee uses the funds;
(c) The total cost of the project;
(d) The share of that cost provided from other sources; and
(e) Other records to facilitate an effective audit.
(Approved by the Office of Management and Budget under control number 1880-0513)
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1232f)


34 CFR §76.731 Records related to compliance.
A State and a subgrantee shall keep records to show its compliance with program requirements.
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))
The Uniform Grant Guidance, 2 CFR §200 all applicable subrecipient requirements, including but not limited to:
2 CFR Subpart D – Post Federal Award Requirements
§200.302 Financial management.
§200.303 Internal controls.
§200.305 Payment.
§200.313 Equipment.
§200.314 Supplies.
§200.318 General procurement standards.
§200.320 Methods of procurement to be followed;
2 CFR 200 Subpart E: Cost Principles:
§200.403 Factors affecting allowability of costs.
§200.404 Reasonable costs.
§200.405 Allocable costs.
§200.413 Direct costs.

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§200.415 Required certifications.
§200.430 Compensation—personal services.
The Debarment and Suspension, 34 CFR Part 85, Section 85.510, Participants’ Responsibilities and makes the following certification by signing this application:
The prospective lower-tier participant certifies, by submission of this proposal, that neither it nor its principals is presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction by any federal department or agency.
Where the prospective lower-tier participant is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, such prospective participant shall attach an explanation to this proposal.
This certification is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was made or entered into. Submission of this certification is a prerequisite for making or entering into this transaction imposed by Section 1352, Title 31, U.S. Code. Any person who fails to file the required certification shall be subject to a civil penalty of not less than $10,000 for such failure.

Section II. Specific Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) Grant Assurances

The LEA assures that funds shall only be used for any of the following:
- Coordination of preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies with State, local, Tribal, and territorial public health departments, and other relevant agencies, to improve coordinated responses among such entities to prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus.
- Providing principals and other school leaders with the resources necessary to address the needs of their individual schools.
- Activities to address the unique needs of low-income children or students; children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and foster care youth, including how outreach and service delivery will meet the needs of each population.
- Developing and implementing procedures and systems to improve the preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies.
- Training and professional development for staff of the local educational agency on sanitation and minimizing the spread of infectious diseases.
- Purchasing supplies to sanitize and clean the facilities of a local educational agency, including buildings operated by such agency.
- Planning for and coordinating during long-term closures, including for how to provide meals to eligible students, how to provide technology for online learning to all students, how to provide guidance for carrying out requirements under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. 1401 et seq.) and how to ensure other educational services can continue to be provided consistent with all Federal, State, and local requirements.
- Purchasing educational technology (including hardware, software, and connectivity) for students who are served by the local educational agency that aids in regular and substantive educational interaction between students and their classroom instructors, including low-income students and students with disabilities, which may include assistive technology or adaptive equipment.
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- School facility repairs and improvements to enable operation of schools to reduce risk of virus transmission and exposure to environmental health hazards, and to support student health needs.
- Inspection, testing, maintenance, repair, replacement, and upgrade projects to improve the indoor air quality in school facilities, including mechanical and non-mechanical heating, ventilation, and air conditioning systems, filtering, purification and other air cleaning, fans, control systems, and window and door repair and replacement.
- Other activities that are necessary to maintain the operation of and continuity of services in local educational agencies and continuing to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.

Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA shall comply with all applicable requirements of the Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) authorized by the Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act, 2021 (CRRSAA), including:

CONTINUED PAYMENT TO EMPLOYEES

SEC. 18006. A local educational agency, State, institution of higher education, or other entity that receives funds under “Education Stabilization Fund”, shall to the greatest extent practicable, continue to pay its employees and contractors during the period of any disruptions or closures related to coronavirus.

Certification

To the best of my knowledge and belief, all the information and data in this agreement are true and correct. I acknowledge and agree that the failure to comply with all Assurances and Certifications in this Agreement, all relevant provisions and requirements of the CARES Act, Pub. L. No. 116-136 (March 27, 2020), or any other applicable law or regulation may result in liability under the False Claims Act, 31 U.S.C. § 3729, et seq.; OMB Guidelines to Agencies on Governmentwide Debarment and Suspension (Nonprocurement) in 2 CFR part 180, as adopted and amended as regulations of the Department in 2 CFR part 3485; and 18 USC § 1001, as appropriate.

Electronic Signature  |  Beth Mattox
Date                   |  05/14/2021

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Per applicant: the request is for reimbursement of funds expended. Please consider our staff efforts addressing learning loss among students. As a whole, certified staff and administrators, in addition to support staff, worked diligently as a district resource to develop, implement, and sustain learning when traditional in-person classroom delivery was not possible. This particular expense did not occur through a purchase to a third party or curriculum and assessment vendor, but utilizing the above-and-beyond efforts available at each of our school sites. The nature of this work to minimize and address learning loss included: 1) Efforts to learn, utilize, and connect students and families to educational delivery models that had not been previously leveraged or relied upon to the magnitude that was required via distance education, or remote learning situations, including Zoom, SeeSaw, Google Classroom, etc. Significant time outside of the hours of the normal duty day was spent by staff to adapt physical curriculum and textbook resources to adapt to a variety of online modalities. This required one-on-one communications with student households on a regular basis, specifically for those of low-income students and/or technology and educational barriers that could result in additional learning loss without an advocate in the home to lead and sustain student learning and engagement. 2) Additional communication and outreach was required on a weekly basis to track student attendance and follow-up with students on missed class periods or to provide assistance and technical support with upload and digital sharing of completed course work. Home contact occurred frequently outside of the hours of the normal duty day. 3) Research, planning and facilitation of new and dynamic ways to connect with families outside of daily class work, to provide uninterrupted support from school to home and ensure that students were receiving social-emotional support. 4) The whole of these efforts were greater than pre-pandemic assigned roles and responsibilities and traditional teaching and learning structures, and required staff working additional hours above normal duty day and coordination when in-person collaboration amongst individuals, departments, schools, and district administration, was limited and/or not possible. Learning loss would have been greater from March 2020 thru May 2021.
<p>| Eligible Direct Allocation Instruction | Social Security Contributions | 16. Other activities necessary to maintain LEA operations and services | Payment of social security tax for staff working additional hours above normal duty day required to plan, prepare, and deliver educational services | $64,900 | $64,900 | $- | $- | $- | $- | 24-1000-0220-00-0000 | See previous row for description. |
| Eligible Direct Allocation Instruction | Regular Certified Salaries | 12. Addressing learning loss among students, including vulnerable populations | 1 MTSS Reading &amp; Math Specialist K-12 to provide Tier 2 &amp; Tier 3 interventions based on assessments of learning loss | $68,000 | $- | $68,000 | $- | $- | $- | 24-1000-0115-00-0000 |
| Eligible Direct Allocation Instruction | Social Security Contributions | 12. Addressing learning loss among students, including vulnerable populations | Payment of employee benefits, social security tax for 1 employee | $12,000 | $- | $12,000 | $- | $- | $- | 24-1000-0220-00-0000 |
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Per narrative, "With regard to learning loss, the district has compared data sets from district benchmark assessments based on race/ethnicity, free/reduced lunch status, attendance, and other factors to examine areas of particular emphasis. As such, using i-Ready Benchmarks, the district found a 5% reduction in those students performing on grade level from Winter 2020 to Winter 2021 in the area of Reading and a 4% reduction in Mathematics during the same timeframe. Those students in the lowest score category also rose in both Reading and Math from Winter 2020 to Winter 2021. One specific area of concern found was that students who had frequent absences during the 2020-21 school year performed significantly lower on both reading and math benchmark assessments...."
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Select an Applicant Type | Unified School District
Applicant / Entity Name | Tonganoxie USD 464
Applicant / Mailing Address
330 E. HWY 24-40
Tonganoxie, KS 66086
Applicant / First and Last Name of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director | Tonya Phillips
Applicant / Email Address of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director | tphillips@tong464.org
Applicant / Phone Number | 9134161400

All questions in the section below are optional, and offer an opportunity to upload or enter information that is typically asked for on grant opportunities.

(for EANS and ESSER grant applications - please skip the questions below, and scroll to the bottom to complete your User Profile information.)

Applicant / Federal EIN (if applicable) | 48-0698760
Applicant / Website Address (if applicable) | www.tong464.org
Applicant / Mission Statement (if applicable)
The Mission of Tonganoxie Public Schools is to provide each student with a positive and personalized educational experience which empowers them to achieve high levels of success in all endeavors, make responsible choices, and become positive contributors to society.

Application details

Full District Name | Tonganoxie Unified School District
District Number | 464
Mailing Address | 330 E. HWY 24-40
Mailing Address | Tonganoxie
Mailing Address | Zip Code | 66086
Authorized Representative of the District | Name | Tonya Phillips
Authorized Representative of the District | Position or Title | Assistant Superintendent
Authorized Representative of the District | Email Address | tphillips@tong464.org
Authorized Representative of the District | Phone Number | +19134161400

Would you like to additional district representatives to the application? | Yes

Other District Representative 1 | Email Address | lwilson@tong464.org

Please briefly describe the impacts of COVID-19 on the district and its Pre-K through 12 students, including any relevant data where possible (e.g., cost impact, learning loss, emotional impact on students). If there has been a disproportionate impact on a special population in the district (e.g., students with disabilities, English Learners, students in foster care, students in poverty, etc.), please describe the impact and provide the number of Pre-K through 12 students in that population.

Spring 2020 took the world by surprise, and Tonganoxie USD 464 was no different. We “survived” the spring semester and immediately began planning for the 20-21 school year. The community, as a whole, supported offering in person and remote learning. In person learning focused on unfinished learning from the spring, as well as prioritizing instructional content for each grade level. Remote learning also focused on these aspects, but also had an intentional focus on engagement and connections. Social emotional needs were also a major focus, as we know many of our students, even those who has never shown signs of struggle, were coming back to us with social emotional needs we had never encountered.

Using MAP data, we analyzed our students’ academic needs and bolstered our tiered interventions. Our data showed what we expected, that while some students improved marginally in reading and math, many were showing no growth or a decline. Improving core instruction also became a focus.

We identified Panorama as our social emotional screener, and gave the student survey in late Fall 2020. During this time, our county COVID numbers dictated that we go all remote between Thanksgiving and Christmas, so it was tough to get the
Panorama survey completed remotely. Finally, we completed the survey, and the data showed that while our students had strong relationships with the adults at school, they were lacking in grit and self-efficacy.

Does the district have remaining ESSER I funding that it has not yet spent as of the date of ESSER II application submission?

No

Please review the following allowable uses of ESSER II funds before completing the narrative and Excel template portion of the application.

- Coordination of preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies with State, local, Tribal, and territorial public health departments, and other relevant agencies, to improve coordinated responses among such entities to prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus.
- Providing principals and others school leaders with the resources necessary to address the needs of their individual schools.
- Activities to address the unique needs of low-income children or students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and foster care youth, including how outreach and service delivery will meet the needs of each population.
- Developing and implementing procedures and systems to improve the preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies.
- Training and professional development for staff of the local educational agency on sanitation and minimizing the spread of infectious diseases.
- Purchasing supplies to sanitize and clean the facilities of a local educational agency, including buildings operated by such agency.
- Planning for, coordinating, and implementing activities during long-term closures, including providing meals to eligible students, providing technology for online learning to all students, providing guidance for carrying out requirements under the IDEA and ensuring other educational services can continue to be provided consistent with all Federal, State, and local requirements.
- Purchasing educational technology (including hardware, software, and connectivity) for students who are served by the local educational agency that aids in regular and substantive educational interaction between students and their classroom instructors, including low-income students and children with disabilities, which may include assistive technology or adaptive equipment.
- Providing mental health services and supports.
- Planning and implementing activities related to summer learning and supplemental afterschool programs, including providing classroom instruction or online learning during the summer months and addressing the needs of low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, migrant students, students experiencing homelessness, and children in foster care.
- Addressing learning loss among students, including low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and children and youth in foster care, of the local educational agency, including by— (A) Administering and using high-quality assessments that are valid and reliable, to accurately assess students’ academic progress and assist educators in meeting students’ academic needs, including through differentiating instruction. (B) Implementing evidence-based activities to meet the comprehensive needs of students. (C) Providing information and assistance to parents and families on how they can effectively support students, including in a distance learning environment. (D) Tracking student attendance and improving student engagement in distance education.
- School facility repairs and improvements to enable operation of schools to reduce risk of virus transmission and exposure to environmental health hazards, and to support student health needs.
• Inspection, testing, maintenance, repair, replacement, and upgrade projects to improve the indoor air quality in school facilities, including mechanical and non-mechanical heating, ventilation, and air conditioning systems, filtering, purification and other air cleaning, fans, control systems, and window and door repair and replacement.

• Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities.

• Other activities that are necessary to maintain the operation of and continuity of services in local educational agencies and continuing to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.

Please note: “Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities,” identified as an allowable use under ESSER III in the American Rescue Plan, is also permissible under ESSER II.

**Plan for ESSER II Direct District Allocation and KSDE Per-Student Additional Allocation (If Applicable)**

Please summarize how the district proposes using its ESSER II direct district allocation (and its KSDE per-student additional allocation, if applicable) to address incremental COVID-19 needs.

Tonganoxie USD 464 plans to use its ESSER II funds in several ways. Personnel will be added to address specific issues. A counselor will be added to help address increased mental health/social emotional needs. Two ESOL aides will be added to address equity and inclusion for ESOL students. We also plan to hire one full time permanent substitute teacher for each building to address unfilled absences. If there is a day that a sub is not needed to fill an absence, the permanent substitute will be used to provide interventions for students.

ESSER II funds will also be used for providing summer school for students in grades K-12 for both intervention and credit recovery. Funds will pay for teachers, paras, intervention materials, and transportation.

To help close the academic gaps created by COVID, we will use funding for reading and math intervention materials, social emotional curriculum, and online curricular resources. We will also use funds to provide professional development for dyslexia, structured literacy, social emotional interventions, and reading and math interventions.

How will the district determine the impact of its ESSER II direct district allocation expenditures (and additional per-student allocation, if applicable) on students?

Impact will be measured using MAP data, dyslexia screeners and progress monitors, Panorama social emotional screener, ASQ, graduation rates, state assessment data, and ACT scores.

**Notes on ESSER II application Excel template:**

• Plans and budgets should be submitted for at least a 12 month period but do not need to account for the full duration of the program or the full allocation amount. Funds will remain accessible to the LEA until September 30, 2023 and there will be additional opportunities to submit further requests/plans in the future.

• Following ESSER II application approval and initiation of funds draw down, districts will be required to report to the Commissioner's Task Force on ESSER II expenditures and impact on a monthly basis throughout the program. This ESSER II reporting will be required as a part of regular ESSER program reporting, which will capture past expenditures across funding streams (ESSER I, ESSER I SPED, ESSER II, ESSER II SPED, ESSER II KSDE Per Student Allocation). Districts may be asked to provide expenditures by fund, function, object, account, and ESSER II allowable use as part of ongoing ESSER reporting.

• This reporting will not replace any reporting required by the federal government. KSDE will work to maximize compatibility between its reporting requirements and those of the federal government as much as possible to minimize burden on districts.

Please download and complete the ESSER II application template [here](#) to provide details on ESSER II budgeted expenditures across allowable uses and KSDE accounting codes.
Local Education Agency (LEA) Assurances

Section I. General Grant Assurances for Federal Funds

Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA will comply with all requirements of:

The LEA will make a good faith effort, on a continuing basis, to maintain a drug-free workplace, in accordance with the measures in 34 CFR Part 84, Subpart B and the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988;

The LEA will comply with the following statutes and regulations:

(a) A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the following statutes and regulations:

- Discrimination on the basis of age | The Age Discrimination Act (42 U.S.C. 6101 et seq.) | 34 CFR part 110.

(b) A State or subgrantee that is a covered entity as defined in §108.3 of this title shall comply with the nondiscrimination requirements of the Boy Scouts of America Equal Access Act, 20 U.S.C. 7905, 34 CFR part 108.

[Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a)]

34 CFR §76.650 Private schools; purpose of §§76.651-76.662.

(a) Under some programs, the authorizing statute requires that a State and its subgrantees provide for participation by students enrolled in private schools. Sections 76.651-76.662 apply to those programs and provide rules for that participation. These sections do not affect the authority of the State or a subgrantee to enter into a contract with a private party.

(b) If any other rules for participation of students enrolled in private schools apply under a particular program, they are in the authorizing statute or implementing regulations for that program.

[Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3 and 3474]

34 CFR §76.700 Compliance with statutes, regulations, State plan, and applications.

A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the State plan and applicable statutes, regulations, and approved applications, and shall use Federal funds in accordance with those statutes, regulations, plan, and applications.

[Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a)]

34 CFR §76.701 The State or subgrantee administers or supervises each project.

A State or a subgrantee shall directly administer or supervise the administration of each project.

[Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a)]

34 CFR §76.702 Fiscal control and fund accounting procedures.

A State and a subgrantee shall use fiscal control and fund accounting procedures that insure proper disbursement of and accounting for Federal funds.

[Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a)]

34 CFR §76.709 Funds may be obligated during a “carryover period.”

(a) If a State or a subgrantee does not obligate all of its grant or subgrant funds by the end of the fiscal year for which Congress appropriated the funds, it may obligate the remaining funds during a carryover period of one additional fiscal year.

(b) The State shall return to the Federal Government any carryover funds not obligated by the end of the carryover period by the State and its subgrantees.

[Authority: U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1225(b), and 3474]
34 CFR §76.722 Subgrantee reporting requirements.
A State may require a subgrantee to submit reports in a manner and format that assists the State in complying with the requirements under 34 CFR 76.720 and in carrying out other responsibilities under the program. (Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1231a, and 3474)
[72 FR 3703, Jan. 25, 2007]

34 CFR §76.730 Records related to grant funds.
A State and a subgrantee shall keep records that fully show:
(a) The amount of funds under the grant or subgrant;
(b) How the State or subgrantee uses the funds;
(c) The total cost of the project;
(d) The share of that cost provided from other sources; and
(e) Other records to facilitate an effective audit.
(Approved by the Office of Management and Budget under control number 1880-0513)
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1232f)

34 CFR §76.731 Records related to compliance.
A State and a subgrantee shall keep records to show its compliance with program requirements. (Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))
The Uniform Grant Guidance, 2 CFR §200 all applicable subrecipient requirements, including but not limited to:
2 CFR Subpart D – Post Federal Award Requirements
§200.302 Financial management.
§200.303 Internal controls.
§200.305 Payment.
§200.313 Equipment.
§200.314 Supplies.
§200.318 General procurement standards.
§200.320 Methods of procurement to be followed;
2 CFR 200 Subpart E: Cost Principles:
§200.403 Factors affecting allowability of costs.
§200.404 Reasonable costs.
§200.405 Allocable costs.
§200.413 Direct costs.
§200.415 Required certifications.
§200.430 Compensation—personal services.
The Debarment and Suspension, 34 CFR Part 85, Section 85.510, Participants’ Responsibilities and makes the following certification by signing this application:
The prospective lower-tier participant certifies, by submission of this proposal, that neither it nor its principals is presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction by any federal department or agency.
Where the prospective lower-tier participant is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, such prospective participant shall attach an explanation to this proposal.
This certification is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was made or entered into. Submission of this certification is a prerequisite for making or entering into this transaction imposed by Section 1352, Title 31, U.S. Code. Any person who fails to file the required certification shall be subject to a civil penalty of not less than $10,000 for such failure.

Section II. Specific Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) Grant Assurances
The LEA assures that funds shall only be used for any of the following:
- Any activity authorized by the ESEA of 1965, including the Native Hawaiian Education Act and the Alaska Native Educational Equity, Support, and Assistance Act (20 U.S.C. 6301 et seq.), the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. 1400 et

- Coordination of preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies with State, local, Tribal, and territorial public health departments, and other relevant agencies, to improve coordinated responses among such entities to prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus.

- Providing principals and others school leaders with the resources necessary to address the needs of their individual schools.

- Activities to address the unique needs of low-income children or students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and foster care youth, including how outreach and service delivery will meet the needs of each population.

- Developing and implementing procedures and systems to improve the preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies.

- Training and professional development for staff of the local educational agency on sanitation and minimizing the spread of infectious diseases.

- Purchasing supplies to sanitize and clean the facilities of a local educational agency, including buildings operated by such agency.

- Planning for and coordinating during long-term closures, including for how to provide meals to eligible students, how to provide technology for online learning to all students, how to provide guidance for carrying out requirements under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. 1401 et seq.) and how to ensure other educational services can continue to be provided consistent with all Federal, State, and local requirements.

- Purchasing educational technology (including hardware, software, and connectivity) for students who are served by the local educational agency that aids in regular and substantive educational interaction between students and their classroom instructors, including low-income students and students with disabilities, which may include assistive technology or adaptive equipment.

- Providing mental health services and supports.

- Planning and implementing activities related to summer learning and supplemental afterschool programs, including providing classroom instruction or online learning during the summer months and addressing the needs of low income students, students with disabilities, English learners, migrant students, students experiencing homelessness, and children in foster care.

- Addressing learning loss among students, including low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and children and youth in foster care, of the local educational agency, including by— (A) Administering and using high-quality assessments that are valid and reliable, to accurately assess students’ academic progress and assist educators in meeting students’ academic needs, including through differentiating instruction. (B) Implementing evidence-based activities to meet the comprehensive needs of students. (C) Providing information and assistance to parents and families on how they can effectively support students, including in a distance learning environment. (D) Tracking student attendance and improving student engagement in distance education.

- School facility repairs and improvements to enable operation of schools to reduce risk of virus transmission and exposure to environmental health hazards, and to support student health needs.

- Inspection, testing, maintenance, repair, replacement, and upgrade projects to improve the indoor air quality in school facilities, including mechanical and non-mechanical heating, ventilation, and air conditioning systems, filtering, purification and other air cleaning, fans, control systems, and window and door repair and replacement.

- Other activities that are necessary to maintain the operation of and continuity of services in local educational agencies and continuing to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.

Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA shall comply with all applicable requirements of the Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) authorized by the Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act, 2021 (CRRSA), including:

CONTINUED PAYMENT TO EMPLOYEES

SEC. 18006. A local educational agency, State, institution of higher education, or other entity that receives funds under “Education Stabilization Fund”, shall to the greatest extent practicable, continue to pay its employees and contractors during the period of any disruptions or closures related to coronavirus.
Certification

To the best of my knowledge and belief, all the information and data in this agreement are true and correct. I acknowledge and agree that the failure to comply with all Assurances and Certifications in this Agreement, all relevant provisions and requirements of the CARES Act, Pub. L. No. 116-136 (March 27, 2020), or any other applicable law or regulation may result in liability under the False Claims Act, 31 U.S.C. § 3729, et seq.; OMB Guidelines to Agencies on Governmentwide Debarment and Suspension (Nonprocurement) in 2 CFR part 180, as adopted and amended as regulations of the Department in 2 CFR part 3485; and 18 USC § 1001, as appropriate.

Electronic Signature | Lori Wilson

Date | 05/21/2021

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Per narrative, To help close the academic gaps created by COVID, we will use funding for reading and math intervention materials, social emotional curriculum, and online curricular resources. (emphasis added) Allowable to a) reimburse the district for prior remote learning expenses b) incur new expenses related to actual current/perpetual remote learning circumstances, and/or c) to budget for potential future remote learning expenses. Please note that expenses should not be incurred to purchase property to hold in the unlikely event of potential future remote learning needs.
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Applicant details

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| Unified School District |

Applicant / Entity Name

| USD 480 |

Applicant / Mailing Address

| PO Box 949 |
| Liberal, KS 67905 |

Applicant / First and Last Name of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director

| Todd Carter |

Applicant / Email Address of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director

| essr480@usd480.net |

Applicant / Phone Number

| 620-604-1010 |

All questions in the section below are optional, and offer an opportunity to upload or enter information that is typically asked for on grant opportunities.

(for EANS and ESSER grant applications - please skip the questions below, and scroll to the bottom to complete your User Profile information.)

Application details

Full District Name

| Liberal USD 480 |

District Number

| 480 |

Mailing Address | Street Address

| PO Box 949 |
Mailing Address | City | Liberal
Mailing Address | Zip Code | 67905
Authorized Representative of the District | Name | Dr. Todd Carter
Authorized Representative of the District | Position or Title | Superintendent
Authorized Representative of the District | Email Address | todd.carter@usd480.net
Authorized Representative of the District | Phone Number | +16206041010
Would you like to additional district representatives to the application? | Yes
Other District Representative 1 | Email Address | jerry.clay@usd480.net
Other District Representative 2 | Email Address | lana.evans@usd480.net

Please briefly describe the impacts of COVID-19 on the district and its Pre-K through 12 students, including any relevant data where possible (e.g., cost impact, learning loss, emotional impact on students). If there has been a disproportionate impact on a special population in the district (e.g., students with disabilities, English Learners, students in foster care, students in poverty, etc.), please describe the impact and provide the number of Pre-K through 12 students in that population.

The 20-21 school year data for elementary shows the percentage of Tier 3 students ranges from 30-40% of the total student population. Intervention data for middle schools shows some improvement, however, we are not experiencing projected gains in our MAP scores. High school truancy doubled and the number of F grades at the middle school and high school tripled this year. Our social worker and counselor student contacts increased from 11,850 to 26,404. Student populations disproportionately impacted were low income (3,780), English Learners (2,520), and students with disabilities (540). There are students who are duplicated in all three groups.

Does the district have remaining ESSER I funding that it has not yet spent as of the date of ESSER II application submission?

No

Please review the following allowable uses of ESSER II funds before completing the narrative and Excel template portion of the application.

- Coordination of preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies with State, local, Tribal, and territorial public health departments, and other relevant agencies, to improve coordinated responses among such entities to

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prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus.

- Providing principals and others school leaders with the resources necessary to address the needs of their individual schools.
- Activities to address the unique needs of low-income children or students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and foster care youth, including how outreach and service delivery will meet the needs of each population.
- Developing and implementing procedures and systems to improve the preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies.
- Training and professional development for staff of the local educational agency on sanitation and minimizing the spread of infectious diseases.
- Purchasing supplies to sanitize and clean the facilities of a local educational agency, including buildings operated by such agency.
- Planning for, coordinating, and implementing activities during long-term closures, including providing meals to eligible students, providing technology for online learning to all students, providing guidance for carrying out requirements under the IDEA and ensuring other educational services can continue to be provided consistent with all Federal, State, and local requirements.
- Purchasing educational technology (including hardware, software, and connectivity) for students who are served by the local educational agency that aids in regular and substantive educational interaction between students and their classroom instructors, including low-income students and children with disabilities, which may include assistive technology or adaptive equipment.
- Providing mental health services and supports.
- Planning and implementing activities related to summer learning and supplemental afterschool programs, including providing classroom instruction or online learning during the summer months and addressing the needs of low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, migrant students, students experiencing homelessness, and children in foster care.
- Addressing learning loss among students, including low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and children and youth in foster care, including by—(A) Administering and using high-quality assessments that are valid and reliable, to accurately assess students’ academic progress and assist educators in meeting students’ academic needs, including through differentiating instruction. (B) Implementing evidence-based activities to meet the comprehensive needs of students. (C) Providing information and assistance to parents and families on how they can effectively support students, including in a distance learning environment. (D) Tracking student attendance and improving student engagement in distance education.
- School facility repairs and improvements to enable operation of schools to reduce risk of virus transmission and exposure to environmental health hazards, and to support student health needs.
- Inspection, testing, maintenance, repair, replacement, and upgrade projects to improve the indoor air quality in school facilities, including mechanical and non-mechanical heating, ventilation, and air conditioning systems, filtering, purification and other air cleaning, fans, control systems, and window and door repair and replacement.
- Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities.
- Other activities that are necessary to maintain the operation of and continuity of services in local educational agencies and continuing to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.

Please note: “Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities,” identified as an allowable use under ESSER III in the American Rescue Plan, is also permissible under ESSER II.

Plan for ESSER II Direct District Allocation and KSDE Per-Student Additional Allocation (If Applicable)

Please summarize how the district proposes using its ESSER II direct district allocation (and its KSDE per-student additional allocation, if applicable) to address incremental COVID-19 needs.

ESSER II will be used in three areas to address learning loss and the needs of vulnerable student populations. First is summer and after school supplemental learning and engagement activities to address the academic and social-emotional needs of low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, migrant students, students experiencing homelessness, and
children in foster care. Second is implementing evidence-based activities and assessments to accurately meet students’ academic and social-emotional needs through progress monitoring and personalized instruction. The third area is activities and support that address the unique needs of vulnerable student populations including providing information and assistance to parents and families and addressing mental health needs.

How will the district determine the impact of its ESSER II direct district allocation expenditures (and additional per-student allocation, if applicable) on students?

MAP Growth is used for academic universal screening and progress monitoring. Other assessment tools and interventions such as Istation, Iready, Lexia, and Reflex Math are used for additional diagnostics and monitoring. The high school will use the TABE Locator as a screener and the full TABE for Tier 3 intervention planning. Personalized learning plans for each student are adjusted on a weekly or biweekly basis. Social-emotional learning data is tracked through student surveys and curriculum assessments. We also track our social worker and counselor contacts with students. Attendance, grades, behavior, parent contacts, and parent engagement are additional measures.

Notes on ESSER II application Excel template:

- Plans and budgets should be submitted for at least a 12 month period but do not need to account for the full duration of the program or the full allocation amount. Funds will remain accessible to the LEA until September 30, 2023 and there will be additional opportunities to submit further requests/plans in the future.
- Following ESSER II application approval and initiation of funds draw down, districts will be required to report to the Commissioner’s Task Force on ESSER II expenditures and impact on a monthly basis throughout the program. This ESSER II reporting will be required as a part of regular ESSER program reporting, which will capture past expenditures across funding streams (ESSER I, ESSER I SPED, ESSER II, ESSER II SPED, ESSER II KSDE Per Student Allocation). Districts may be asked to provide expenditures by fund, function, object, account, and ESSER II allowable use as part of ongoing ESSER reporting.
- This reporting will not replace any reporting required by the federal government. KSDE will work to maximize compatibility between its reporting requirements and those of the federal government as much as possible to minimize burden on districts.

Please download and complete the ESSER II application template here to provide details on ESSER II budgeted expenditures across allowable uses and KSDE accounting codes.

![ESSERII-Application-480#1...](165 KiB download)

Local Education Agency (LEA) Assurances

Section I. General Grant Assurances for Federal Funds

Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA will comply with all requirements of:

The LEA will make a good faith effort, on a continuing basis, to maintain a drug-free workplace, in accordance with the measures in 34 CFR Part 84, Subpart B and the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988;

The Education Department General Administrative Regulations (EDGAR) 34 CFR 76 requirements, including:

34 CFR §76.500(a) Federal statutes and regulations on nondiscrimination.

(a) A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the following statutes and regulations:

Discrimination on the basis of age| The Age Discrimination Act (42 U.S.C. 6101 et seq.) | 34 CFR part 110.

(b) A State or subgrantee that is a covered entity as defined in §108.3 of this title shall comply with the nondiscrimination requirements of the Boy Scouts of America Equal Access Act, 20 U.S.C. 7905, 34 CFR part 108.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))


34 CFR §76.650 Private schools; purpose of §§76.651-76.662.

(a) Under some programs, the authorizing statute requires that a State and its subgrantees provide for participation by students enrolled in private schools. Sections 76.651-76.662 apply to those programs and provide rules for that participation. These sections do not affect the authority of the State or a subgrantee to enter into a contract with a private party.

(b) If any other rules for participation of students enrolled in private schools apply under a particular program, they are in the authorizing statute or implementing regulations for that program.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3 and 3474)

34 CFR §76.700 Compliance with statutes, regulations, State plan, and applications.

A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the State plan and applicable statutes, regulations, and approved applications, and shall use Federal funds in accordance with those statutes, regulations, plans, and applications.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.701 The State or subgrantee administers or supervises each project.

A State or a subgrantee shall directly administer or supervise the administration of each project.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.702 Fiscal control and fund accounting procedures.

A State and a subgrantee shall use fiscal control and fund accounting procedures that insure proper disbursement of and accounting for Federal funds.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.709 Funds may be obligated during a “carryover period.”

(a) If a State or a subgrantee does not obligate all of its grant or subgrant funds by the end of the fiscal year for which Congress appropriated the funds, it may obligate the remaining funds during a carryover period of one additional fiscal year.

(b) The State shall return to the Federal Government any carryover funds not obligated by the end of the carryover period by the State and its subgrantees.

(Authority: U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1225(b), and 3474)


34 CFR §76.722 Subgrantee reporting requirements.

A State may require a subgrantee to submit reports in a manner and format that assists the State in complying with the requirements under 34 CFR 76.720 and in carrying out other responsibilities under the program.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1231a, and 3474)

[72 FR 3703, Jan. 25, 2007]

34 CFR §76.730 Records related to grant funds.

A State and a subgrantee shall keep records that fully show:

(a) The amount of funds under the grant or subgrant;

(b) How the State or subgrantee uses the funds;

(c) The total cost of the project;

(d) The share of that cost provided from other sources; and

(e) Other records to facilitate an effective audit.

(Approved by the Office of Management and Budget under control number 1880-0513)

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1232f)


34 CFR §76.731 Records related to compliance.

A State and a subgrantee shall keep records to show its compliance with program requirements.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

The Uniform Grant Guidance, 2 CFR §$200 all applicable subrecipient requirements, including but not limited to:

2 CFR Subpart D – Post Federal Award Requirements
$200.302 Financial management.
$200.303 Internal controls.
$200.305 Payment.
$200.313 Equipment.
$200.314 Supplies.
$200.318 General procurement standards.
$200.320 Methods of procurement to be followed;
2 CFR 200 Subpart E: Cost Principles:
$200.403 Factors affecting allowability of costs.
$200.404 Reasonable costs.
$200.405 Allocable costs.
$200.413 Direct costs.
$200.415 Required certifications.
$200.430 Compensation—personal services.
The Debarment and Suspension, 34 CFR Part 85, Section 85.510, Participants’ Responsibilities and makes the following
certification by signing this application:
The prospective lower-tier participant certifies, by submission of this proposal, that neither it nor its principals is presently
debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this
transaction by any federal department or agency.
Where the prospective lower-tier participant is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, such prospective
participant shall attach an explanation to this proposal.
This certification is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was made or
entered into. Submission of this certification is a prerequisite for making or entering into this transaction imposed by Section
1352, Title 31, U.S. Code. Any person who fails to file the required certification shall be subject to a civil penalty of not less than
$10,000 for such failure.

Section II. Specific Elementary and Secondary School
Emergency Relief (ESSER) Grant Assurances

The LEA assures that funds shall only be used for any of the following:

- Any activity authorized by the ESEA of 1965, including the Native Hawaiian Education Act and the Alaska Native Educational
  Equity, Support, and Assistance Act (20 U.S.C. 6301 et seq.), the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. 1400 et
  seq.) (“IDEA”), the Adult Education and Family Literacy Act (20 U.S.C. 1400 et seq.), the Carl D. Perkins Career and Technical
  Assistance Act (42 U.S.C. 11431 et seq.).
- Coordination of preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies with State, local, Tribal, and territorial
  public health departments, and other relevant agencies, to improve coordinated responses among such entities to
  prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus.
- Providing principals and others school leaders with the resources necessary to address the needs of their individual
  schools.
- Activities to address the unique needs of low-income children or students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial
  and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and foster care youth, including how outreach and service
  delivery will meet the needs of each population.
- Developing and implementing procedures and systems to improve the preparedness and response efforts of local
  educational agencies.
- Training and professional development for staff of the local educational agency on sanitation and minimizing the spread of
  infectious diseases.
- Purchasing supplies to sanitize and clean the facilities of a local educational agency, including buildings operated by such
  agency.
- Planning for and coordinating during long-term closures, including for how to provide meals to eligible students, how to
  provide technology for online learning to all students, how to provide guidance for carrying out requirements under the
Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. 1401 et seq.) and how to ensure other educational services can continue to be provided consistent with all Federal, State, and local requirements.

- Purchasing educational technology (including hardware, software, and connectivity) for students who are served by the local educational agency that aids in regular and substantive educational interaction between students and their classroom instructors, including low-income students and students with disabilities, which may include assistive technology or adaptive equipment.
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- Other activities that are necessary to maintain the operation of and continuity of services in local educational agencies and continuing to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.

Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA shall comply with all applicable requirements of the Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) authorized by the Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act, 2021 (CRRSAA), including:

**CONTINUED PAYMENT TO EMPLOYEES**

SEC. 18006. A local educational agency, State, institution of higher education, or other entity that receives funds under “Education Stabilization Fund”, shall to the greatest extent practicable, continue to pay its employees and contractors during the period of any disruptions or closures related to coronavirus.

**Certification**

To the best of my knowledge and belief, all the information and data in this agreement are true and correct. I acknowledge and agree that the failure to comply with all Assurances and Certifications in this Agreement, all relevant provisions and requirements of the CARES Act, Pub. L. No. 116-136 (March 27, 2020), or any other applicable law or regulation may result in liability under the False Claims Act, 31 U.S.C. § 3729, et seq.; OMB Guidelines to Agencies on Governmentwide Debarment and Suspension (Nonprocurement) in 2 CFR part 180, as adopted and amended as regulations of the Department in 2 CFR part 3485; and 18 USC § 1001, as appropriate.

Electronic Signature | Dr. Todd Carter

Date | 05/20/2021

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$ 2,142
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$ 42
$ 38 | $ -
$ -
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| 480-1-053-20210608 | Eligible | Direct Allocation | Instruction | General Supplies and Materials (includes computer software) | Instructional materials for summer learning and enrichment. | $ 4,000
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$ - | 46-07-1000-6190-49 |

| 480-1-054-20210608 | Eligible | Direct Allocation | Support Services - School Administration | Part-Time Certified Salaries | 1.25 admin, June 14 days, July 14 days Summer learning and enrichment to address academic and social-emotional needs of low income, ELL, migrant, students experiencing homelessness and foster care | $ 8,500
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<p>| Item Code     | Description                                                                 | Planning and implementing summer learning or enrichment programs | 1 staff, June 12 days, July 12 days | Summer learning and enrichment to address academic and social-emotional needs of low income, ELL, migrant, students experiencing homelessness and foster care | 11A.                                                                 | 11A.                                                                 | 11A.                                                                 | 11A.                                                                 | 11A.                                                                 | 11A.                                                                 | 11A.                                                                 | 11A.                                                                 | 11A.                                                                 | 11A.                                                                 | 11A.                                                                 | Amount       | Amount       | Amount       | Amount       | Amount       | Amount       |
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| 480-1-056-20210608 | Direct Allocation | Support Services - School Administration | Social Security Contributions | Summer learning and enrichment to address academic and social-emotional needs of low income, ELL, migrant, students experiencing homelessness and foster care | Planning and implementing summer learning or enrichment programs | $803 | $402 | $402 | $ - | $ - | 46-07-2400-2200-00 | 46-07-2400-2200-00 | |
| 480-1-057-20210608 | Direct Allocation | Support Services - School Administration | Unemployment Compensation | Summer learning and enrichment to address academic and social-emotional needs of low income, ELL, migrant, students experiencing homelessness and foster care | Planning and implementing summer learning or enrichment programs | $16 | $8 | $8 | $ - | $ - | 46-07-2400-2500-00 | 46-07-2400-2500-00 | |
| 480-1-058-20210608 | Direct Allocation | Operation &amp; Maintenanc e of Plant | Part-Time Non-Certified Salaries | 2 Staff, June 12 days, July 12 days | Summer learning and enrichment to address academic and social-emotional needs of low income, ELL, migrant, students experiencing homelessness and foster care | Other activities necessary to maintain LEA operations and services and employ existing LEA staff | 16. Planning and implementing summer learning or enrichment programs | $4,800 | $2,400 | $2,400 | $ - | $ - | 46-07-2600-1213-00 | 46-07-2600-1213-00 | See line-item 480-1-001 for description. |</p>
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| 480-1-062-20210608 | Eligible | Direct Allocation | Operation & Maintenance of Plant | Cleaning Supplies and Chemicals | 7. Purchasing supplies to sanitize and clean LEA and school facilities | Cleaning supplies for summer learning and enrichment | $1,000 | $500 | $500 | $- | $- | 46-07-2600-6180-00 |  
| 480-1-063-20210608 | Eligible | Direct Allocation | Operation & Maintenance of Plant | Natural Gas (gas utility services e.g. heating) | 16. Other activities necessary to maintain LEA operations and services and employ existing LEA staff | gas utility bill for summer learning | $1,000 | $500 | $500 | $- | $- | 46-07-2600-6210-00 | Per applicant, yes, the application has estimates for utilities above and beyond the normal time of year costs.  

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Per applicant, these are books for grades 3-5 that provide stories in a real world context in Spanish. English Language learners experiencing learning loss benefit from strengthening their first language literacy skills which then transfers into self-confidence in tackling learning in English. Spanish Language Learners in a Dual Language program such as ours, also benefit by engaging with authentic Spanish text because it references real life experiences, which support linguistic connections between languages.
## Applicant details

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Please briefly describe the impacts of COVID-19 on the district and its Pre-K through 12 students, including any relevant data where possible (e.g., cost impact, learning loss, emotional impact on students). If there has been a disproportionate impact on a special population in the district (e.g., students with disabilities, English Learners, students in foster care, students in poverty, etc.), please describe the impact and provide the number of Pre-K through 12 students in that population.

USD 483 has seen a significant increase in social emotional issues for both students and staff. A staff survey, in which half of teachers responded, indicates that 65% of teachers feel that students are academically "behind". They also responded that the academic issues (51%) are slightly seen more than social/emotional issues (49%). Comments reveal that most emotional issues are described as immature behavior, such as self-management, responsible decision making, social awareness and motivation. Others indicated that students are more self-centered/focused, more anxious, stressed and lack coping skills and struggle to work appropriately in group settings. The majority of teachers (44%) felt the academic loss was significant. 34% felt the loss was normal, while 10% felt it was higher than expected. 7% felt the academic loss was low. Our district spent about $150,000 in the opening of school. Our district enrollment is 615.

Does the district have remaining ESSER I funding that it has not yet spent as of the date of ESSER II application submission?

Yes

Please summarize how the district will use its remaining ESSER I and ESSER I SPED funding and what it hopes to accomplish with these funds.
USD 483 will plan to use the remaining ESSER I funds to pay overtime for staff, cost of full time substitute teachers, pay for COVID screening staff

Please review the following allowable uses of ESSER II funds before completing the narrative and Excel template portion of the application.

- Coordination of preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies with State, local, Tribal, and territorial public health departments, and other relevant agencies, to improve coordinated responses among such entities to prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus.
- Providing principals and others school leaders with the resources necessary to address the needs of their individual schools.
- Activities to address the unique needs of low-income children or students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and foster care youth, including how outreach and service delivery will meet the needs of each population.
- Developing and implementing procedures and systems to improve the preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies.
- Training and professional development for staff of the local educational agency on sanitation and minimizing the spread of infectious diseases.
- Purchasing supplies to sanitize and clean the facilities of a local educational agency, including buildings operated by such agency.
- Planning for, coordinating, and implementing activities during long-term closures, including providing meals to eligible students, providing technology for online learning to all students, providing guidance for carrying out requirements under the IDEA and ensuring other educational services can continue to be provided consistent with all Federal, State, and local requirements.
- Purchasing educational technology (including hardware, software, and connectivity) for students who are served by the local educational agency that aids in regular and substantive educational interaction between students and their classroom instructors, including low-income students and children with disabilities, which may include assistive technology or adaptive equipment.
- Providing mental health services and supports.
- Planning and implementing activities related to summer learning and supplemental afterschool programs, including providing classroom instruction or online learning during the summer months and addressing the needs of low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, migrant students, students experiencing homelessness, and children in foster care.
- Addressing learning loss among students, including low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and children and youth in foster care, of the local educational agency, including by— (A) Administering and using high-quality assessments that are valid and reliable, to accurately assess students’ academic progress and assist educators in meeting students’ academic needs, including through differentiating instruction. (B) Implementing evidence-based activities to meet the comprehensive needs of students. (C) Providing information and assistance to parents and families on how they can effectively support students, including in a distance learning environment. (D) Tracking student attendance and improving student engagement in distance education.
- School facility repairs and improvements to enable operation of schools to reduce risk of virus transmission and exposure to environmental health hazards, and to support student health needs.
- Inspection, testing, maintenance, repair, replacement, and upgrade projects to improve the indoor air quality in school facilities, including mechanical and non-mechanical heating, ventilation, and air conditioning systems, filtering, purification and other air cleaning, fans, control systems, and window and door repair and replacement.
- Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities.
- Other activities that are necessary to maintain the operation of and continuity of services in local educational agencies and continuing to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.
Please note: "Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities," identified as an allowable use under ESSER III in the American Rescue Plan, is also permissible under ESSER II.

Plan for ESSER II Direct District Allocation and KSDE Per-Student Additional Allocation (If Applicable)

Please summarize how the district proposes using its ESSER II direct district allocation (and its KSDE per-student additional allocation, if applicable) to address incremental COVID-19 needs.

The district plans to use 10% of funds to purchase Chromebooks for students. Previously we have housed our Chromebooks in classrooms, which were shared by students. The pandemic has required that we cannot allow students to share items. We will continue to check out technology to individual students, while also creating a rotation and allowing outgoing seniors to be able to keep this technology. 22% is planned for purchasing digital interactive panels to increase student engagement in JH/HS classrooms. 5% will be used to purchase computer programs (Fastbridge) to assess student SEL concerns/needs, dyslexia, math and reading. Acellus will be for JH/HS students to be used as enrichment & credit recovery. 26% will be used to pay for a district social worker. This individual will work directly with our students, teachers, parents and communities to provide appropriate resources/needs. 17% for a teacher recruitment/retention plan in the form of a matching 403b retirement plan. It is widely known that the pandemic has created many to leave education and that teachers are difficult to find, as well as retain. This plan will help provide the district the ability to recruit and retain teachers for longevity. 3% will be used to add additional water bottle filling stations in schools. The pandemic required students to bring or schools to provide water bottles. 15% to pay for three full time district substitute teachers. As a result of the pandemic, the number of substitutes decreased dramatically. Our numbers went from twelve to two. We had to hire full time substitute teachers to be able to cover classes. 3% will be used to pay tutors at after school (Wednesday School) tutoring program. This program was created in an effort to catch students up academically following the closure of schools last year. 483 has continued plans for remaining funds.

How will the district determine the impact of its ESSER II direct district allocation expenditures (and additional per-student allocation, if applicable) on students?

The district will closely monitor student academic and social-emotional progress through the Fastbridge and Acellus programs. Needs of students will be addressed as part of the tiered system of supports, as well as at after school tutoring. The district social worker will also be involved to work with teachers, students and parents find useful/appropriate resources and strategies. Attendance and office referrals are other vehicles that will be used to track student engagement, as well as social-emotional needs/progress. The district will also monitor changes in the student's at-risk status. Academic progress/improvement will be further monitored through Wednesday School. Teacher recruitment/retention will be monitored by tracking the yearly number of openings and applicant numbers. The district will also survey teachers to access student engagement.

Notes on ESSER II application Excel template:

- Plans and budgets should be submitted for at least a 12 month period but do not need to account for the full duration of the program or the full allocation amount. Funds will remain accessible to the LEA until September 30, 2023 and there will be additional opportunities to submit further requests/plans in the future.
- Following ESSER II application approval and initiation of funds draw down, districts will be required to report to the Commissioner's Task Force on ESSER II expenditures and impact on a monthly basis throughout the program. This ESSER II reporting will be required as a part of regular ESSER program reporting, which will capture past expenditures across funding streams (ESSER I, ESSER I SPED, ESSER II, ESSER II SPED, ESSER II KSDE Per Student Allocation). Districts may be asked to provide expenditures by fund, function, object, account, and ESSER II allowable use as part of ongoing ESSER reporting.
- This reporting will not replace any reporting required by the federal government. KSDE will work to maximize compatibility between its reporting requirements and those of the federal government as much as possible to minimize burden on districts.
Please download and complete the ESSER II application template here to provide details on ESSER II budgeted expenditures across allowable uses and KSDE accounting codes.

ESSERII-ApplicationTempla...
(156 KiB download)

Local Education Agency (LEA) Assurances

Section I. General Grant Assurances for Federal Funds

Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA will comply with all requirements of:

The LEA will make a good faith effort, on a continuing basis, to maintain a drug-free workplace, in accordance with the measures in 34 CFR Part 84, Subpart B and the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988;

The Education Department General Administrative Regulations (EDGAR) 34 CFR 76 requirements, including:

34 CFR §76.500(a) Federal statutes and regulations on nondiscrimination.

(a) A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the following statutes and regulations:

- Discrimination on the basis of age | The Age Discrimination Act (42 U.S.C. 6101 et seq.) | 34 CFR part 110.

(b) A State or subgrantee that is a covered entity as defined in §108.3 of this title shall comply with the nondiscrimination requirements of the Boy Scouts of America Equal Access Act, 20 U.S.C. 7905, 34 CFR part 108.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))


34 CFR §76.650 Private schools; purpose of §§76.651-76.662.

(a) Under some programs, the authorizing statute requires that a State and its subgrantees provide for participation by students enrolled in private schools. Sections 76.651-76.662 apply to those programs and provide rules for that participation. These sections do not affect the authority of the State or a subgrantee to enter into a contract with a private party.

(b) If any other rules for participation of students enrolled in private schools apply under a particular program, they are in the authorizing statute or implementing regulations for that program.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3 and 3474)

34 CFR §76.700 Compliance with statutes, regulations, State plan, and applications.

A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the State plan and applicable statutes, regulations, and approved applications, and shall use Federal funds in accordance with those statutes, regulations, plan, and applications.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.701 The State or subgrantee administers or supervises each project.

A State or a subgrantee shall directly administer or supervise the administration of each project.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.702 Fiscal control and fund accounting procedures.

A State and a subgrantee shall use fiscal control and fund accounting procedures that insure proper disbursement of and accounting for Federal funds.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.709 Funds may be obligated during a “carryover period.”

(a) If a State or a subgrantee does not obligate all of its grant or subgrant funds by the end of the fiscal year for which Congress appropriated the funds, it may obligate the remaining funds during a carryover period of one additional fiscal year.

(b) The State shall return to the Federal Government any carryover funds not obligated by the end of the carryover period by the State and its subgrantees.

(Authority: U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1225(b), and 3474)
Subgrantee reporting requirements.

A State may require a subgrantee to submit reports in a manner and format that assists the State in complying with the requirements under 34 CFR 76.720 and in carrying out other responsibilities under the program.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1231a, and 3474)

Subgrantee reporting requirements.

A State may require a subgrantee to submit reports in a manner and format that assists the State in complying with the requirements under 34 CFR 76.720 and in carrying out other responsibilities under the program.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1231a, and 3474)

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1232f)

Records related to grant funds.

A State and a subgrantee shall keep records that fully show:
(a) The amount of funds under the grant or subgrant;
(b) How the State or subgrantee uses the funds;
(c) The total cost of the project;
(d) The share of that cost provided from other sources; and
(e) Other records to facilitate an effective audit.

(Approved by the Office of Management and Budget under control number 1880-0513)

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1232f)

Records related to compliance.

A State and a subgrantee shall keep records to show its compliance with program requirements.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

The Uniform Grant Guidance, 2 CFR §200 all applicable subrecipient requirements, including but not limited to:

2 CFR Subpart D – Post Federal Award Requirements
§200.302 Financial management.
§200.303 Internal controls.
§200.305 Payment.
§200.313 Equipment.
§200.314 Supplies.
§200.318 General procurement standards.
§200.320 Methods of procurement to be followed;
2 CFR 200 Subpart E: Cost Principles:
§200.403 Factors affecting allowability of costs.
§200.404 Reasonable costs.
§200.405 Allocable costs.
§200.413 Direct costs.
§200.415 Required certifications.
§200.430 Compensation—personal services.

The Debarment and Suspension, 34 CFR Part 85, Section 85.510, Participants’ Responsibilities and makes the following certification by signing this application:
The prospective lower-tier participant certifies, by submission of this proposal, that neither it nor its principals is presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction by any federal department or agency.

Where the prospective lower-tier participant is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, such prospective participant shall attach an explanation to this proposal.

This certification is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was made or entered into. Submission of this certification is a prerequisite for making or entering into this transaction imposed by Section 1352, Title 31, U.S. Code. Any person who fails to file the required certification shall be subject to a civil penalty of not less than $10,000 for such failure.

Section II. Specific Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) Grant Assurances

The LEA assures that funds shall only be used for any of the following:

Coordination of preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies with State, local, Tribal, and territorial public health departments, and other relevant agencies, to improve coordinated responses among such entities to prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus.

Providing principals and others school leaders with the resources necessary to address the needs of their individual schools.

Activities to address the unique needs of low-income children or students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and foster care youth, including how outreach and service delivery will meet the needs of each population.

Developing and implementing procedures and systems to improve the preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies.

Training and professional development for staff of the local educational agency on sanitation and minimizing the spread of infectious diseases.

Purchasing supplies to sanitize and clean the facilities of a local educational agency, including buildings operated by such agency.

Planning for and coordinating during long-term closures, including for how to provide meals to eligible students, how to provide technology for online learning to all students, how to provide guidance for carrying out requirements under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. 1401 et seq.) and how to ensure other educational services can continue to be provided consistent with all Federal, State, and local requirements.

Purchasing educational technology (including hardware, software, and connectivity) for students who are served by the local educational agency that aids in regular and substantive educational interaction between students and their classroom instructors, including low-income students and students with disabilities, which may include assistive technology or adaptive equipment.

Providing mental health services and supports.

Planning and implementing activities related to summer learning and supplemental afterschool programs, including providing classroom instruction or online learning during the summer months and addressing the needs of low income students, students with disabilities, English learners, migrant students, students experiencing homelessness, and children in foster care.

Addressing learning loss among students, including low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and children and youth in foster care, of the local educational agency, including by— (A) Administering and using high-quality assessments that are valid and reliable, to accurately assess students’ academic progress and assist educators in meeting students’ academic needs, including through differentiating instruction. (B) Implementing evidence-based activities to meet the comprehensive needs of students. (C) Providing information and assistance to parents and families on how they can effectively support students, including in a distance learning environment. (D) Tracking student attendance and improving student engagement in distance education.

School facility repairs and improvements to enable operation of schools to reduce risk of virus transmission and exposure to environmental health hazards, and to support student health needs.

Inspection, testing, maintenance, repair, replacement, and upgrade projects to improve the indoor air quality in school facilities, including mechanical and non-mechanical heating, ventilation, and air conditioning systems, filtering, purification and other air cleaning, fans, control systems, and window and door repair and replacement.

Other activities that are necessary to maintain the operation of and continuity of services in local educational agencies and continuing to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.

Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA shall comply with all applicable requirements of the Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) authorized by the Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act, 2021 (CRRSA), including:

CONTINUED PAYMENT TO EMPLOYEES
SEC. 18006. A local educational agency, State, institution of higher education, or other entity that receives funds under
“Education Stabilization Fund”, shall to the greatest extent practicable, continue to pay its employees and contractors during the period of any disruptions or closures related to coronavirus.

Certification

To the best of my knowledge and belief, all the information and data in this agreement are true and correct. I acknowledge and agree that the failure to comply with all Assurances and Certifications in this Agreement, all relevant provisions and requirements of the CARES Act, Pub. L. No. 116-136 (March 27, 2020), or any other applicable law or regulation may result in liability under the False Claims Act, 31 U.S.C. § 3729, et seq.; OMB Guidelines to Agencies on Governmentwide Debarment and Suspension (Nonprocurement) in 2 CFR part 180, as adopted and amended as regulations of the Department in 2 CFR part 3485; and 18 USC § 1001, as appropriate.

Electronic Signature │ Dan Frisby
Date │ 04/29/2021

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**Applicant / Entity Name** | USD 489 Hays

**Applicant / Mailing Address**

323 West 12th, Hays KS 67601

**Applicant / First and Last Name of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director** | Chris Hipp

**Applicant / Email Address of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director** | chipp@usd489.com

**Applicant / Phone Number** | 785.623.2400

All questions in the section below are optional, and offer an opportunity to upload or enter information that is typically asked for on grant opportunities.

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Application details

**Full District Name** | USD 489 Hays

**District Number** | 489

**Mailing Address | Street Address** | 323 West 12th
Students experienced great loss since the beginning of the pandemic. We have seen the most learning loss in core academic areas but are equally concerned with the social emotional wellbeing of all PK-12 students. Students enrolled in PCR this school year have been impacted more than students that have attended on site throughout this school year (220 students). We anticipate a corresponding drop in state assessment participation and performance. Student have also been greatly impacted by the number of COVID related staff absences.

Does the district have remaining ESSER I funding that it has not yet spent as of the date of ESSER II application submission?

Please summarize how the district will use its remaining ESSER I and ESSER I SPED funding and what it hopes to accomplish with these funds.

Remaining ESSER I funds are being spent on additional staff to accommodate PCR students, staff leave related to COVID and substitutes for staff utilizing COVID FFCRA leave.

Please review the following allowable uses of ESSER II funds before completing the narrative and Excel template portion of the application.


- Coordination of preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies with State, local, Tribal, and territorial public health departments, and other relevant agencies, to improve coordinated responses among such entities to prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus.
- Providing principals and others school leaders with the resources necessary to address the needs of their individual schools.
- Activities to address the unique needs of low-income children or students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and foster care youth, including how outreach and service delivery will meet the needs of each population.
- Developing and implementing procedures and systems to improve the preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies.
- Training and professional development for staff of the local educational agency on sanitation and minimizing the spread of infectious diseases.
- Purchasing supplies to sanitize and clean the facilities of a local educational agency, including buildings operated by such agency.
- Planning for, coordinating, and implementing activities during long-term closures, including providing meals to eligible students, providing technology for online learning to all students, providing guidance for carrying out requirements under the IDEA and ensuring other educational services can continue to be provided consistent with all Federal, State, and local requirements.
- Purchasing educational technology (including hardware, software, and connectivity) for students who are served by the local educational agency that aids in regular and substantive educational interaction between students and their classroom instructors, including low-income students and children with disabilities, which may include assistive technology or adaptive equipment.
- Providing mental health services and supports.
- Planning and implementing activities related to summer learning and supplemental afterschool programs, including providing classroom instruction or online learning during the summer months and addressing the needs of low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, migrant students, students experiencing homelessness, and children in foster care.
- Addressing learning loss among students, including low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and children and youth in foster care, of the local educational agency, including by— (A) Administering and using high-quality assessments that are valid and reliable, to accurately assess students' academic progress and assist educators in meeting students' academic needs, including through differentiating instruction. (B) Implementing evidence-based activities to meet the comprehensive needs of students. (C) Providing information and assistance to parents and families on how they can effectively support students, including in a distance learning environment. (D) Tracking student attendance and improving student engagement in distance education.
- School facility repairs and improvements to enable operation of schools to reduce risk of virus transmission and exposure to environmental health hazards, and to support student health needs.
- Inspection, testing, maintenance, repair, replacement, and upgrade projects to improve the indoor air quality in school facilities, including mechanical and non-mechanical heating, ventilation, and air conditioning systems, filtering, purification and other air cleaning, fans, control systems, and window and door repair and replacement.
- Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities.
- Other activities that are necessary to maintain the operation of and continuity of services in local educational agencies and continuing to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.

**Please note:** "Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities," identified as an allowable use under ESSER III in the American Rescue Plan, is also permissible under ESSER II.

**Plan for ESSER II Direct District Allocation and KSDE Per-Student Additional Allocation (If Applicable)**

Please summarize how the district proposes using its ESSER II direct district allocation (and its KSDE per-student additional allocation, if applicable) to address incremental COVID-19 needs.
Funds will be used for the following purposes: improve instruction and reduce the impact of the pandemic, address learning loss through summer school and after school opportunities and by providing resources to principals to address the individual needs of each school, coordinate response efforts, provide mental health supports, purchase educational technology, and improve school facility to reduce risk of virus transmission and exposure.

How will the district determine the impact of its ESSER II direct district allocation expenditures (and additional per-student allocation, if applicable) on students?

We will continue to assess and monitor student academic and social emotional growth using established measures.

Notes on ESSER II application Excel template:

- Plans and budgets should be submitted for at least a 12 month period but do not need to account for the full duration of the program or the full allocation amount. Funds will remain accessible to the LEA until September 30, 2023 and there will be additional opportunities to submit further requests/plans in the future.
- Following ESSER II application approval and initiation of funds draw down, districts will be required to report to the Commissioner’s Task Force on ESSER II expenditures and impact on a monthly basis throughout the program. This ESSER II reporting will be required as a part of regular ESSER program reporting, which will capture past expenditures across funding streams (ESSER I, ESSER I SPED, ESSER II, ESSER II SPED, ESSER II KSDE Per Student Allocation). Districts may be asked to provide expenditures by fund, function, object, account, and ESSER II allowable use as part of ongoing ESSER reporting.
- This reporting will not replace any reporting required by the federal government. KSDE will work to maximize compatibility between its reporting requirements and those of the federal government as much as possible to minimize burden on districts.

Please download and complete the ESSER II application template [here](https://example.com) to provide details on ESSER II budgeted expenditures across allowable uses and KSDE accounting codes.

Local Education Agency (LEA) Assurances

Section I. General Grant Assurances for Federal Funds

Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA will comply with all requirements of:
The LEA will make a good faith effort, on a continuing basis, to maintain a drug-free workplace, in accordance with the measures in 34 CFR Part 84, Subpart B and the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988;
The Education Department General Administrative Regulations (EDGAR) 34 CFR 76 requirements, including:
34 CFR §76.500(a) Federal statutes and regulations on nondiscrimination.
(a) A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the following statutes and regulations:
   - Discrimination on the basis of age | The Age Discrimination Act (42 U.S.C. 6101 et seq.) | 34 CFR part 110.
(b) A State or subgrantee that is a covered entity as defined in §108.3 of this title shall comply with the nondiscrimination requirements of the Boy Scouts of America Equal Access Act, 20 U.S.C. 7905, 34 CFR part 108.
(3) Federal statutes and regulations on nondiscrimination in education programs or activities receiving Federal financial assistance.
   - Discrimination on the basis of age | The Age Discrimination Act (42 U.S.C. 6101 et seq.) | 34 CFR part 110.
   - National origin, color, race, or sex | The Age Discrimination Act (42 U.S.C. 6101 et seq.) | 34 CFR part 110.
34 CFR §76.650 Private schools; purpose of §§76.651-76.662.
(a) Under some programs, the authorizing statute requires that a State and its subgrantees provide for participation by students enrolled in private schools. Sections 76.651-76.662 apply to those programs and provide rules for that participation. These sections do not affect the authority of the State or a subgrantee to enter into a contract with a private party.
(b) If any other rules for participation of students enrolled in private schools apply under a particular program, they are in the authorizing statute or implementing regulations for that program.
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3 and 3474)

34 CFR §76.700 Compliance with statutes, regulations, State plan, and applications.
A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the State plan and applicable statutes, regulations, and approved applications, and shall use Federal funds in accordance with those statutes, regulations, plan, and applications.
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.701 The State or subgrantee administers or supervises each project.
A State or a subgrantee shall directly administer or supervise the administration of each project.
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.702 Fiscal control and fund accounting procedures.
A State and a subgrantee shall use fiscal control and fund accounting procedures that insure proper disbursement of and accounting for Federal funds.
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.709 Funds may be obligated during a “carryover period.”
(a) If a State or a subgrantee does not obligate all of its grant or subgrant funds by the end of the fiscal year for which Congress appropriated the funds, it may obligate the remaining funds during a carryover period of one additional fiscal year.
(b) The State shall return to the Federal Government any carryover funds not obligated by the end of the carryover period by the State and its subgrantees.
(Authority: U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1225(b), and 3474)

34 CFR §76.722 Subgrantee reporting requirements.
A State may require a subgrantee to submit reports in a manner and format that assists the State in complying with the requirements under 34 CFR 76.720 and in carrying out other responsibilities under the program.
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1231a, and 3474)

34 CFR §76.730 Records related to grant funds.
A State and a subgrantee shall keep records that fully show:
(a) The amount of funds under the grant or subgrant;
(b) How the State or subgrantee uses the funds;
(c) The total cost of the project;
(d) The share of that cost provided from other sources; and
(e) Other records to facilitate an effective audit.
(Approved by the Office of Management and Budget under control number 1880-0513)
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1232f)

34 CFR §76.731 Records related to compliance.
A State and a subgrantee shall keep records to show its compliance with program requirements.
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

The Uniform Grant Guidance, 2 CFR §200 all applicable subrecipient requirements, including but not limited to:
2 CFR Subpart D – Post Federal Award Requirements
§200.302 Financial management.
§200.303 Internal controls.
§200.305 Payment.
§200.313 Equipment.
§200.314 Supplies.
§200.318 General procurement standards.
§200.320 Methods of procurement to be followed;
2 CFR 200 Subpart E: Cost Principles:
§200.403 Factors affecting allowability of costs.
§200.404 Reasonable costs.
§200.405 Allocable costs.
§200.413 Direct costs.
§200.415 Required certifications.
§200.430 Compensation—personal services.
The Debarment and Suspension, 34 CFR Part 85, Section 85.510, Participants' Responsibilities and makes the following certification by signing this application:
The prospective lower-tier participant certifies, by submission of this proposal, that neither it nor its principals is presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction by any federal department or agency.
Where the prospective lower-tier participant is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, such prospective participant shall attach an explanation to this proposal.
This certification is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was made or entered into. Submission of this certification is a prerequisite for making or entering into this transaction imposed by Section 1352, Title 31, U.S. Code. Any person who fails to file the required certification shall be subject to a civil penalty of not less than $10,000 for such failure.

Section II. Specific Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) Grant Assurances
The LEA assures that funds shall only be used for any of the following:
- Coordination of preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies with State, local, Tribal, and territorial public health departments, and other relevant agencies, to improve coordinated responses among such entities to prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus.
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- Planning for and coordinating during long-term closures, including for how to provide meals to eligible students, how to provide technology for online learning to all students, how to provide guidance for carrying out requirements under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. 1401 et seq.) and how to ensure other educational services can continue to be provided consistent with all Federal, State, and local requirements.
- Purchasing educational technology (including hardware, software, and connectivity) for students who are served by the local educational agency that aids in regular and substantive educational interaction between students and their classroom instructors, including low-income students and students with disabilities, which may include assistive technology or adaptive equipment.
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Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA shall comply with all applicable requirements of the Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) authorized by the Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act, 2021 (CRRSAA), including:

CONTINUED PAYMENT TO EMPLOYEES
SEC. 18006. A local educational agency, State, institution of higher education, or other entity that receives funds under “Education Stabilization Fund”, shall to the greatest extent practicable, continue to pay its employees and contractors during the period of any disruptions or closures related to coronavirus.

Certification
To the best of my knowledge and belief, all the information and data in this agreement are true and correct. I acknowledge and agree that the failure to comply with all Assurances and Certifications in this Agreement, all relevant provisions and requirements of the CARES Act, Pub. L. No. 116-136 (March 27, 2020), or any other applicable law or regulation may result in liability under the False Claims Act, 31 U.S.C. § 3729, et seq.; OMB Guidelines to Agencies on Governmentwide Debarment and Suspension (Nonprocurement) in 2 CFR part 180, as adopted and amended as regulations of the Department in 2 CFR part 3485; and 18 USC § 1001, as appropriate.

Electronic Signature │ Chris Hipp
Date │ 04/29/2021

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<td>Guided reading book sets (elementary) subscription to Flocabulary (middle school), credit recovery classes- Edgenuity for High School, Paying after the new fiscal year (July 2021)</td>
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<td>12. Addressing Learning Loss among Students, Including Vulnerable Populations</td>
<td>2 KG Teachers and 1 HS Student Support Teacher to address learning loss for incoming KG students and HS at risk high school students</td>
<td>1 MTSS Coach to support tiered academic and SEL interventions pk-12 to address learning loss and lost instructional time due to COVID.</td>
<td>1 Nurse and 1 Community Outreach Specialist to support ongoing covid related intervention communication</td>
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<td>$132,600</td>
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<td>Nurse was COVID commander and did contact tracing for district and will continue to do so moving forward. Community outreach specialist will work with nurses and county health officers to work on policy updates (masks, mass gatherings, graduations, etc.) as well as communicate with parents about potential exposure to COVID</td>
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<td>Elementary classroom books to increase classroom libraries to address literacy needs for all students including sped and ell.</td>
<td>$34,750</td>
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<td>Support Services (Instructional Staff)</td>
<td>Computers and Related Equipment (Including Software if bought as a package)</td>
<td>9. Purchasing educational technology (including hardware, software, and connectivity) for the LEA's students</td>
<td>Staff devices for additional positions added above</td>
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<td>Eligible</td>
<td>Direct Allocation</td>
<td>Instruction Software</td>
<td>Educlimber, Zello, Lexia and FastBridge to support learning loss due to COVID through MTSS targeted intervention</td>
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To keep the students in cohorts to mitigate the spread of Covid, materials are needed in each classroom since communal places cannot be used. I.E. Library was held in each classroom instead of library and books were not checked out by students. Materials need to be available in each classroom to allow for continued learning.

Software to support instructional activities used to close achievement gap created by COVID.
<p>| 489-1-012-20210608 | Eligible | Direct Allocation | Instruction Support Services (Students) | Software | 9. Purchasing educational technology (including hardware, software, and connectivity) for the LEA’s students | Canvas and SeeSaw LMS softwares to connect home and school when students have to quarantine. | $ 47,502 | $ - | $ 23,400 | $ 24,102 | $ - | 7-e-1000-653-0100-701 | Software to support instructional activities used to close achievement gap created by COVID. Allowable to a) reimburse the district for prior remote learning expenses b) incur new expenses related to actual current/perpetual remote learning circumstances, and/or c) to budget for potential future remote learning expenses. Please note that expenses should not be incurred to purchase property to hold in the unlikely event of potential future remote learning needs. |
| 489-1-013-20210608 | Eligible | Direct Allocation | Support Services (Students) | Regular Certified Salaries | 10. Providing mental health services and supports | BSEL support and interventionist for elementary schools. Students have a lack of social development due to being out of the classroom for so long. All schools are seeing an increase in social emotional behaviors due to remote/hybrid learning. | $ 131,300 | $ - | $ 65,000 | $ 66,300 | $ - | 7-e-2100-110-0702-701 | Behavior support- district has seen an increase in social emotional concerns due to remote/hybrid learning and COVID. |
| 489-1-014-20210608 | Eligible | Direct Allocation | Instruction Support Services (Students) | Regular Non-Certified Salaries | 3. Providing principals and other school leaders with resources to address individual school needs | seven 1st grade classroom aides to support academic and sel learning loss in early childhood students resulting from pandemic | $ 157,000 | $ - | $ 77,000 | $ 80,000 | $ - | 7-e-1001-120-0700-701 | Kindergarten students need support moving forward, as they are missed classroom time during their kindergarten year. Additional support for those transitioning to 1st grade. |</p>
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<td>Building Improvements Construction Services (Outside Contractors)</td>
<td>13. School facility repairs and improvements to enable operation of schools to reduce risk of virus transmission and exposure to environmental health hazards, and to support student health needs</td>
<td>Replace fixed and sealed windows with opening windows to allow for classroom ventilation in two elementary buildings</td>
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Applicant details

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Applicant / Mailing Address | 110 McDonald Drive
Applicant / First and Last Name of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director | Kathy Johnson
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Applicant / Phone Number | 7853302376

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Full District Name | Unified School District 497 Lawrence
District Number | 497
Mailing Address | Street Address | 110 McDonald Drive
Mailing Address | City  | Lawrence
Mailing Address | Zip Code  | 66044
Authorized Representative of the District | Name  | Katharine S Johnson
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Would you like to additional district representatives to the application?  | Yes
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Please briefly describe the impacts of COVID-19 on the district and its Pre-K through 12 students, including any relevant data where possible (e.g., cost impact, learning loss, emotional impact on students). If there has been a disproportionate impact on a special population in the district (e.g., students with disabilities, English Learners, students in foster care, students in poverty, etc.), please describe the impact and provide the number of Pre-K through 12 students in that population.

USD 497 compiled data from three domains: academic, social and emotional, and demographics, to determine the impacts of COVID-19. Academic data from district common assessments, grades, and academic screenings indicated that 48.21% of students are academically at-risk due to the impact of the pandemic. More than 36% of students were identified as at-risk socially and emotionally based on data in our Student Risk Screening Scale - Internalizing and Externalizing (SRSS-IE), discipline incidents, and attendance. When we examine certain populations (socioeconomic status, race/ethnicity, special education, and English language learners), we have determined that 12.8% of our student population have multiple factors that increase risk to negative outcomes due to the pandemic. When looking at individual schools, we see impacts to at-risk populations as high as 76.1%. COVID-19 had a financial impact on the school district due to a significant decrease in enrollment of 647.9 FTE. The district was in a remote and/or hybrid learning environment through most of the school year. In response to the impacts of COVID-19 USD 497 worked with consultants to elevate HVAC systems and operational efficiencies of HVAC systems to maximize the quantity of fresh air provided. To provide a safe environment USD 497 placed HEPA air filters in spaces used by staff and students. Evaluation of our HVAC systems identified system alterations/upgrades to improve efficiencies and increase the levels of fresh air supplied. Funding will support the placement of stand-alone HEPA air filters and improvements to district HVAC systems.

Does the district have remaining ESSER I funding that it has not yet spent as of the date of ESSER II application submission?  | Yes

Please summarize how the district will use its remaining ESSER I and ESSER I SPED funding and what it hopes to accomplish with these funds.

Remote Teachers - to support distance learning through the balance of the school year; Air Purifiers and PPE for staff and students, summer learning and instructional resources for multi-tier interventions needed as a result of the pandemic, for all students including the disadvantaged and special education.
Please review the following allowable uses of ESSER II funds before completing the narrative and Excel template portion of the application.

- Coordination of preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies with State, local, Tribal, and territorial public health departments, and other relevant agencies, to improve coordinated responses among such entities to prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus.
- Providing principals and others school leaders with the resources necessary to address the needs of their individual schools.
- Activities to address the unique needs of low-income children or students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and foster care youth, including how outreach and service delivery will meet the needs of each population.
- Developing and implementing procedures and systems to improve the preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies.
- Training and professional development for staff of the local educational agency on sanitation and minimizing the spread of infectious diseases.
- Purchasing supplies to sanitize and clean the facilities of a local educational agency, including buildings operated by such agency.
- Planning for, coordinating, and implementing activities during long-term closures, including providing meals to eligible students, providing technology for online learning to all students, providing guidance for carrying out requirements under the IDEA and ensuring other educational services can continue to be provided consistent with all Federal, State, and local requirements.
- Purchasing educational technology (including hardware, software, and connectivity) for students who are served by the local educational agency that aids in regular and substantive educational interaction between students and their classroom instructors, including low-income students and children with disabilities, which may include assistive technology or adaptive equipment.
- Providing mental health services and supports.
- Planning and implementing activities related to summer learning and supplemental afterschool programs, including providing classroom instruction or online learning during the summer months and addressing the needs of low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, migrant students, students experiencing homelessness, and children in foster care.
- Addressing learning loss among students, including low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and children and youth in foster care, of the local educational agency, including by— (A) Administering and using high-quality assessments that are valid and reliable, to accurately assess students’ academic progress and assist educators in meeting students’ academic needs, including through differentiating instruction. (B) Implementing evidence-based activities to meet the comprehensive needs of students. (C) Providing information and assistance to parents and families on how they can effectively support students, including in a distance learning environment. (D) Tracking student attendance and improving student engagement in distance education.
- School facility repairs and improvements to enable operation of schools to reduce risk of virus transmission and exposure to environmental health hazards, and to support student health needs.
- Inspection, testing, maintenance, repair, replacement, and upgrade projects to improve the indoor air quality in school facilities, including mechanical and non-mechanical heating, ventilation, and air conditioning systems, filtering, purification and other air cleaning, fans, control systems, and window and door repair and replacement.
- Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities.
- Other activities that are necessary to maintain the operation of and continuity of services in local educational agencies and continuing to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.

Please note: "Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities," identified as an allowable use under ESSER III in the American Rescue Plan, is also permissible under ESSER II.
Plan for ESSER II Direct District Allocation and KSDE Per-Student Additional Allocation (If Applicable)

Please summarize how the district proposes using its ESSER II direct district allocation (and its KSDE per-student additional allocation, if applicable) to address incremental COVID-19 needs.

USD 497 proposes to use the ESSER II district allocation for Elementary, MS and HS Summer Learning with a curriculum focus on identified priority standards in reading, ELA and math, targeting students that have been assessed and data supports the need. Social and emotional learning will be incorporated into all summer learning experiences. HS will also support credit recovery at all grade levels. Academic Interventionist positions are planned for fiscal year 2021-2022. Positions will be filled by certified teachers assigned to buildings for math and reading instruction based on specific student data and student remedial needs. These positions would push into classrooms using high impact instructional strategies (HITS) alongside the classroom teacher. This position will also be accountable for monitoring and showing student progress on state standards. Research tells us that job-embedded, ongoing professional learning is most effective in supporting teachers and promoting student achievement and success. Funds will be used to support the social and emotional growth of students by providing job-embedded professional development for teachers. District data has identified a high percentage of students at-risk due to social and emotional learning deficits during the COVID-19 pandemic. These activities will support teachers’ awareness of their own social and emotional health, as well as the social and emotional health of their students through the use of specific strategies within the classroom to deliver explicit social skills instruction and social and emotional learning presented in tandem with academic content. COVID has created lots of health service needs, a dedicated nursing position for the purpose training and support to sta. Certified Teachers will be compensated based on documented time, for duties required of them by COVID during remote and hybrid learning as a result the pandemic. And finally air quality will be addressed, making improvements were identified areas of concern are determined.

How will the district determine the impact of its ESSER II direct district allocation expenditures (and additional per-student allocation, if applicable) on students?

With summer learning, planned pre/post assessments are planned to determine student needs and growth. Academic Interventionists will use district common assessment, AimsWebPlus and grades, for Social and Emotional learning, discipline data, Student Risk Screening Scale - Internalizing and Externalizing (SRSS-IE) and attendance. Looking at the data across all demographics including lunch status, race/ethnicity, SPED and ELL status. Facilities will be addressed based on inspection report, and when project is complete, inspection should share results of increased air quality in the spaces upgraded. COVID Nursing and health services support will reflect systems and training is in place and followed for COVID and other health protocols. Compliance of reporting for COVID outbreaks, other restrictions and orders, will be being followed.

Notes on ESSER II application Excel template:

- Plans and budgets should be submitted for at least a 12 month period but do not need to account for the full duration of the program or the full allocation amount. Funds will remain accessible to the LEA until September 30, 2023 and there will be additional opportunities to submit further requests/plans in the future.
- Following ESSER II application approval and initiation of funds draw down, districts will be required to report to the Commissioner's Task Force on ESSER II expenditures and impact on a monthly basis throughout the program. This ESSER II reporting will be required as a part of regular ESSER program reporting, which will capture past expenditures across funding streams (ESSER I, ESSER I SPED, ESSER II, ESSER II SPED, ESSER II KSDE Per Student Allocation). Districts may be asked to provide expenditures by fund, function, object, account, and ESSER II allowable use as part of ongoing ESSER reporting.
- This reporting will not replace any reporting required by the federal government. KSDE will work to maximize compatibility between its reporting requirements and those of the federal government as much as possible to minimize burden on districts.

Please download and complete the ESSER II application template [here](#) to provide details on ESSER II budgeted expenditures across allowable uses and KSDE accounting codes.
Local Education Agency (LEA) Assurances

Section I. General Grant Assurances for Federal Funds

Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA will comply with all requirements of:

The LEA will make a good faith effort, on a continuing basis, to maintain a drug-free workplace, in accordance with the measures in 34 CFR Part 84, Subpart B and the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988;

The Education Department General Administrative Regulations (EDGAR) 34 CFR 76 requirements, including:

34 CFR §76.500(a) Federal statutes and regulations on nondiscrimination.

(a) A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the following statutes and regulations:

- Discrimination on the basis of age | The Age Discrimination Act (42 U.S.C. 6101 et seq.) | 34 CFR part 110.

(b) A State or subgrantee that is a covered entity as defined in §108.3 of this title shall comply with the nondiscrimination requirements of the Boy Scouts of America Equal Access Act, 20 U.S.C. 7905, 34 CFR part 108.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.650 Private schools; purpose of §§76.651-76.662.

(a) Under some programs, the authorizing statute requires that a State and its subgrantees provide for participation by students enrolled in private schools. Sections 76.651-76.662 apply to those programs and provide rules for that participation. These sections do not affect the authority of the State or a subgrantee to enter into a contract with a private party.

(b) If any other rules for participation of students enrolled in private schools apply under a particular program, they are in the authorizing statute or implementing regulations for that program.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3 and 3474)

34 CFR §76.700 Compliance with statutes, regulations, State plan, and applications.

A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the State plan and applicable statutes, regulations, and approved applications, and shall use Federal funds in accordance with those statutes, regulations, plan, and applications.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.701 The State or subgrantee administers or supervises each project.

A State or a subgrantee shall directly administer or supervise the administration of each project.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.702 Fiscal control and fund accounting procedures.

A State and a subgrantee shall use fiscal control and fund accounting procedures that insure proper disbursement of and accounting for Federal funds.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.709 Funds may be obligated during a “carryover period.”

(a) If a State or a subgrantee does not obligate all of its grant or subgrant funds by the end of the fiscal year for which Congress appropriated the funds, it may obligate the remaining funds during a carryover period of one additional fiscal year.

(b) The State shall return to the Federal Government any carryover funds not obligated by the end of the carryover period by the State and its subgrantees.

(Authority: U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1225(b), and 3474)

A State may require a subgrantee to submit reports in a manner and format that assists the State in complying with the requirements under 34 CFR 76.720 and in carrying out other responsibilities under the program.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1231a, and 3474)

[72 FR 3703, Jan. 25, 2007]

A State and a subgrantee shall keep records that fully show:

(a) The amount of funds under the grant or subgrant;
(b) How the State or subgrantee uses the funds;
(c) The total cost of the project;
(d) The share of that cost provided from other sources; and
(e) Other records to facilitate an effective audit.

(Approved by the Office of Management and Budget under control number 1880-0513)

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1232f)


A State and a subgrantee shall keep records to show its compliance with program requirements.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

The Uniform Grant Guidance, 2 CFR §200 all applicable subrecipient requirements, including but not limited to:

2 CFR Subpart D – Post Federal Award Requirements
§200.302 Financial management.
§200.303 Internal controls.
§200.305 Payment.
§200.313 Equipment.
§200.314 Supplies.
§200.318 General procurement standards.
§200.320 Methods of procurement to be followed;
2 CFR 200 Subpart E: Cost Principles:
§200.403 Factors affecting allowability of costs.
§200.404 Reasonable costs.
§200.405 Allocable costs.
§200.413 Direct costs.
§200.415 Required certifications.
§200.430 Compensation—personal services.

The Debarment and Suspension, 34 CFR Part 85, Section 85.510, Participants’ Responsibilities and makes the following certification by signing this application:

The prospective lower-tier participant certifies, by submission of this proposal, that neither it nor its principals is presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction by any federal department or agency.

Where the prospective lower-tier participant is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, such prospective participant shall attach an explanation to this proposal.

This certification is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was made or entered into. Submission of this certification is a prerequisite for making or entering into this transaction imposed by Section 1352, Title 31, U.S. Code. Any person who fails to file the required certification shall be subject to a civil penalty of not less than $10,000 for such failure.

Section II. Specific Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) Grant Assurances

The LEA assures that funds shall only be used for any of the following:

- Any activity authorized by the ESEA of 1965, including the Native Hawaiian Education Act and the Alaska Native Educational Equity, Support, and Assistance Act (20 U.S.C. 6301 et seq.), the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. 1400 et
Coordination of preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies with State, local, Tribal, and territorial public health departments, and other relevant agencies, to improve coordinated responses among such entities to prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus.

Providing principals and others school leaders with the resources necessary to address the needs of their individual schools.

Activities to address the unique needs of low-income children or students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and foster care youth, including how outreach and service delivery will meet the needs of each population.

Developing and implementing procedures and systems to improve the preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies.

Training and professional development for staff of the local educational agency on sanitation and minimizing the spread of infectious diseases.

Purchasing supplies to sanitize and clean the facilities of a local educational agency, including buildings operated by such agency.

Planning for and coordinating during long-term closures, including for how to provide meals to eligible students, how to provide technology for online learning to all students, how to provide guidance for carrying out requirements under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. 1401 et seq.) and how to ensure other educational services can continue to be provided consistent with all Federal, State, and local requirements.

Purchasing educational technology (including hardware, software, and connectivity) for students who are served by the local educational agency that aids in regular and substantive educational interaction between students and their classroom instructors, including low-income students and students with disabilities, which may include assistive technology or adaptive equipment.

Providing mental health services and supports.

Planning and implementing activities related to summer learning and supplemental afterschool programs, including providing classroom instruction or online learning during the summer months and addressing the needs of low income students, students with disabilities, English learners, migrant students, students experiencing homelessness, and children in foster care.

Addressing learning loss among students, including low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and children and youth in foster care, of the local educational agency, including by—

(A) Administering and using high-quality assessments that are valid and reliable, to accurately assess students’ academic progress and assist educators in meeting students’ academic needs, including through differentiating instruction.

(B) Implementing evidence-based activities to meet the comprehensive needs of students.

(C) Providing information and assistance to parents and families on how they can effectively support students, including in a distance learning environment.

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School facility repairs and improvements to enable operation of schools to reduce risk of virus transmission and exposure to environmental health hazards, and to support student health needs.

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Other activities that are necessary to maintain the operation of and continuity of services in local educational agencies and continuing to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.

Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA shall comply with all applicable requirements of the Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) authorized by the Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act, 2021 (CRRSAA), including:

CONTINUED PAYMENT TO EMPLOYEES

SEC. 18006. A local educational agency, State, institution of higher education, or other entity that receives funds under “Education Stabilization Fund”, shall to the greatest extent practicable, continue to pay its employees and contractors during the period of any disruptions or closures related to coronavirus.
Certification

To the best of my knowledge and belief, all the information and data in this agreement are true and correct. I acknowledge and agree that the failure to comply with all Assurances and Certifications in this Agreement, all relevant provisions and requirements of the CARES Act, Pub. L. No. 116-136 (March 27, 2020), or any other applicable law or regulation may result in liability under the False Claims Act, 31 U.S.C. § 3729, et seq.; OMB Guidelines to Agencies on Governmentwide Debarment and Suspension (Nonprocurement) in 2 CFR part 180, as adopted and amended as regulations of the Department in 2 CFR part 3485; and 18 USC § 1001, as appropriate.

Electronic Signature | Katharine S. Johnson
Date | 05/10/2021

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| Eligible Direct Allocation Support Services (Students) Group Insurance | 3. Providing principals and other school leaders with resources to address individual school needs | Provide support for social and emotional growth of students. Activities include mental health support for students in partnership with special education and student services department, providing comprehensive support through evidenced-based practices to address the needs of all students, including students with disabilities. | $13,131 | $- | $13,131 | $- | $- | 6121551300 |
| Eligible Direct Allocation Support Services (Students) Social Security Contributions | 3. Providing principals and other school leaders with resources to address individual school needs | Provide support for social and emotional growth of students. Activities include mental health support for students in partnership with special education and student services department, providing comprehensive support through evidenced-based practices to address the needs of all students, including students with disabilities. | $7,783 | $- | $7,783 | $- | $- | 6121551300 |
| Eligible Direct Allocation Support Services (Students) Other Employee Benefits | 3. Providing principals and other school leaders with resources to address individual school needs | Provide support for social and emotional growth of students. Activities include mental health support for students in partnership with special education and student services department, providing comprehensive support through evidenced-based practices to address the needs of all students, including students with disabilities. | $2,351 | $- | $2,351 | $- | $- | 6121551300 |
| Eligible | Direct Allocation | Support Services (Instructional Staff) | Regular Certified Salaries | 3. Providing principals and other school leaders with resources to address individual school needs | Provide certified staff to support teachers' awareness of their own social and emotional health, and support social and emotional growth of students by providing job-embedded professional development for teachers. | $101,735 | $101,735 | $101,735 | $101,735 | 6121S1300 |

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Applicant details

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Select an Applicant Type | Unified School District

Applicant / Entity Name | USD 498 Valley Heights

Applicant / Mailing Address
P.O. Box 89
Waterville, KS 66548

Applicant / First and Last Name of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director | Melissa Kennedy

Applicant / Email Address of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director | mkennedy@valleyheights.org

Applicant / Phone Number | 785-363-2398

All questions in the section below are optional, and offer an opportunity to upload or enter information that is typically asked for on grant opportunities.

(for EANS and ESSER grant applications - please skip the questions below, and scroll to the bottom to complete your User Profile information.)

Applicant / Federal EIN (if applicable) | 480724652

Applicant / Website Address (if applicable) | www.valleyheights.org

Application details
USD 498 students have been impacted by COVID-19 emotionally and socially. Students have lost learning opportunities because they were remote learning last year and part of this year. The emotional impact on our students has been devastating to the point that one of our students committed suicide.

Does the district have remaining ESSER I funding that it has not yet spent as of the date of ESSER II application submission?

Yes

Please summarize how the district will use its remaining ESSER I and ESSER I SPED funding and what it hopes to accomplish with these funds.

ESSER I Sped funds will be used for social/emotional curriculum and/or supports.

Please review the following allowable uses of ESSER II funds before completing the narrative and Excel template portion of the application.


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- Coordination of preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies with State, local, Tribal, and territorial public health departments, and other relevant agencies, to improve coordinated responses among such entities to prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus.
- Providing principals and others school leaders with the resources necessary to address the needs of their individual schools.
- Activities to address the unique needs of low-income children or students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and foster care youth, including how outreach and service delivery will meet the needs of each population.
- Developing and implementing procedures and systems to improve the preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies.
- Training and professional development for staff of the local educational agency on sanitation and minimizing the spread of infectious diseases.
- Purchasing supplies to sanitize and clean the facilities of a local educational agency, including buildings operated by such agency.
- Planning for, coordinating, and implementing activities during long-term closures, including providing meals to eligible students, providing technology for online learning to all students, providing guidance for carrying out requirements under the IDEA and ensuring other educational services can continue to be provided consistent with all Federal, State, and local requirements.
- Purchasing educational technology (including hardware, software, and connectivity) for students who are served by the local educational agency that aids in regular and substantive educational interaction between students and their classroom instructors, including low-income students and children with disabilities, which may include assistive technology or adaptive equipment.
- Providing mental health services and supports.
- Planning and implementing activities related to summer learning and supplemental afterschool programs, including providing classroom instruction or online learning during the summer months and addressing the needs of low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, migrant students, students experiencing homelessness, and children in foster care.
- Addressing learning loss among students, including low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and children and youth in foster care, of the local educational agency, including by— (A) Administering and using high-quality assessments that are valid and reliable, to accurately assess students' academic progress and assist educators in meeting students' academic needs, including through differentiating instruction. (B) Implementing evidence-based activities to meet the comprehensive needs of students. (C) Providing information and assistance to parents and families on how they can effectively support students, including in a distance learning environment. (D) Tracking student attendance and improving student engagement in distance education.
- School facility repairs and improvements to enable operation of schools to reduce risk of virus transmission and exposure to environmental health hazards, and to support student health needs.
- Inspection, testing, maintenance, repair, replacement, and upgrade projects to improve the indoor air quality in school facilities, including mechanical and non-mechanical heating, ventilation, and air conditioning systems, filtering, purification and other air cleaning, fans, control systems, and window and door repair and replacement.
- Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities.
- Other activities that are necessary to maintain the operation of and continuity of services in local educational agencies and continuing to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.

Please note: "Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities," identified as an allowable use under ESSER III in the American Rescue Plan, is also permissible under ESSER II.

Plan for ESSER II Direct District Allocation and KSDE Per-Student Additional Allocation (If Applicable)

Please summarize how the district proposes using its ESSER II direct district allocation (and its KSDE per-student additional allocation, if applicable) to address incremental COVID-19 needs.
We want to extend our services with PowerSchool to include the on-line enrollment piece. This will allow us to conduct enrollment virtually and afford parents the opportunity to do it conveniently and from the safety of their homes while minimizing contact and exposure to coronavirus.

Hiring a Community Outreach and Family Advocate and with a Mobile Family Resource Center (MFRC) that travels within our school communities and assists families in their time of need, regardless of income. The MFRC helps address and alleviate the mental health needs of students and their families by providing concrete resources that build protective factors and optimize success.

Cleaning, sterilizing and disinfecting supplies and having to hire another full time custodian to provide extra cleaning and disinfecting protocols last year.

New teacher laptops that include updated webcams, have an extended battery life, provide increased storage for planning and teaching resources, and enhanced adaptive capabilities will greatly increase their ability to teach remotely.

Elementary Counselor that will meet the counseling and mental health needs in our elementary buildings.

We will hire two additional staff members at the junior/senior high to work with our students who have suffered significant learning loss throughout COVID 19.

USD 498 will be hosting summer extended learning opportunities for all students from kindergarten through 11th grade. This will help us not only address learning loss in our students, but also ensure that our low income students have access to a structured and academically rich environment throughout the summer months.

How will the district determine the impact of its ESSER II direct district allocation expenditures (and additional per-student allocation, if applicable) on students?

To determine the impact of our ESSER II district allocation, several data sources will be used. Most notably, our Fastbridge test scores in the fall. This would show us the impact of additional resources to address the learning loss of our students, including human resources, enhanced technological abilities for our staff, and additional programming for our most at-risk students. Another huge determinant will be the decrease of referrals for social/emotional needs that has prompted us to increase our mental health supports. Increased home visits and referrals for resources will determine the impact of our family advocate along with the Mobile Resource Center in meeting the varied physical and emotional needs of our students and their families. My Saebers, which is the Fastbridge screener of social and emotional behavior/needs will also provide us with beneficial data to determine the impact of ESSER II funding and expenditures.

Notes on ESSER II application Excel template:

- Plans and budgets should be submitted for at least a 12 month period but do not need to account for the full duration of the program or the full allocation amount. Funds will remain accessible to the LEA until September 30, 2023 and there will be additional opportunities to submit further requests/plans in the future.
- Following ESSER II application approval and initiation of funds draw down, districts will be required to report to the Commissioner's Task Force on ESSER II expenditures and impact on a monthly basis throughout the program. This ESSER II reporting will be required as a part of regular ESSER program reporting, which will capture past expenditures across funding streams (ESSER I, ESSER I SPED, ESSER II, ESSER II SPED, ESSER II KSDE Per Student Allocation). Districts may be asked to provide expenditures by fund, function, object, account, and ESSER II allowable use as part of ongoing ESSER reporting.
- This reporting will not replace any reporting required by the federal government. KSDE will work to maximize compatibility between its reporting requirements and those of the federal government as much as possible to minimize burden on districts.

Please download and complete the ESSER II application template here to provide details on ESSER II budgeted expenditures across allowable uses and KSDE accounting codes.
Local Education Agency (LEA) Assurances

Section I. General Grant Assurances for Federal Funds

Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA will comply with all requirements of:
The LEA will make a good faith effort, on a continuing basis, to maintain a drug-free workplace, in accordance with the measures in 34 CFR Part 84, Subpart B and the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988;
The Education Department General Administrative Regulations (EDGAR) 34 CFR 76 requirements, including:
- 34 CFR §76.500(a) Federal statutes and regulations on nondiscrimination.
  (a) A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the following statutes and regulations:
  - Discrimination on the basis of age | The Age Discrimination Act (42 U.S.C. 6101 et seq.) | 34 CFR part 110.

(b) A State or subgrantee that is a covered entity as defined in §108.3 of this title shall comply with the nondiscrimination requirements of the Boy Scouts of America Equal Access Act, 20 U.S.C. 7905, 34 CFR part 108.
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.650 Private schools; purpose of §§76.651-76.662.

(a) Under some programs, the authorizing statute requires that a State and its subgrantees provide for participation by students enrolled in private schools. Sections 76.651-76.662 apply to those programs and provide rules for that participation. These sections do not affect the authority of the State or a subgrantee to enter into a contract with a private party.
(b) If any other rules for participation of students enrolled in private schools apply under a particular program, they are in the authorizing statute or implementing regulations for that program.
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3 and 3474)
34 CFR §76.700 Compliance with statutes, regulations, State plan, and applications.
A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the State plan and applicable statutes, regulations, and approved applications, and shall use Federal funds in accordance with those statutes, regulations, plan, and applications.
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))
34 CFR §76.701 The State or subgrantee administers or supervises each project.
A State or a subgrantee shall directly administer or supervise the administration of each project.
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))
34 CFR §76.702 Fiscal control and fund accounting procedures.
A State and a subgrantee shall use fiscal control and fund accounting procedures that insure proper disbursement of and accounting for Federal funds.
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))
34 CFR §76.709 Funds may be obligated during a “carryover period.”
(a) If a State or a subgrantee does not obligate all of its grant or subgrant funds by the end of the fiscal year for which Congress appropriated the funds, it may obligate the remaining funds during a carryover period of one additional fiscal year.
(b) The State shall return to the Federal Government any carryover funds not obligated by the end of the carryover period by the State and its subgrantees.
(Authority: U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1225(b), and 3474)
34 CFR §76.722 Subgrantee reporting requirements.
A State may require a subgrantee to submit reports in a manner and format that assists the State in complying with the
requirements under 34 CFR 76.720 and in carrying out other responsibilities under the program.
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1231a, and 3474)
[72 FR 3703, Jan. 25, 2007]
34 CFR §76.730 Records related to grant funds.
A State and a subgrantee shall keep records that fully show:
(a) The amount of funds under the grant or subgrant;
(b) How the State or subgrantee uses the funds;
(c) The total cost of the project;
(d) The share of that cost provided from other sources; and
(e) Other records to facilitate an effective audit.
(Approved by the Office of Management and Budget under control number 1880-0513)
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1232f)
34 CFR §76.731 Records related to compliance.
A State and a subgrantee shall keep records to show its compliance with program requirements.
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

Section II. Specific Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) Grant Assurances

The LEA assures that funds shall only be used for any of the following:
Coordination of preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies with State, local, Tribal, and territorial public health departments, and other relevant agencies, to improve coordinated responses among such entities to prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus.

Providing principals and others school leaders with the resources necessary to address the needs of their individual schools.

Activities to address the unique needs of low-income children or students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and foster care youth, including how outreach and service delivery will meet the needs of each population.

Developing and implementing procedures and systems to improve the preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies.

Training and professional development for staff of the local educational agency on sanitation and minimizing the spread of infectious diseases.

Purchasing supplies to sanitize and clean the facilities of a local educational agency, including buildings operated by such agency.

Planning for and coordinating during long-term closures, including for how to provide meals to eligible students, how to provide technology for online learning to all students, how to provide guidance for carrying out requirements under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. 1401 et seq.) and how to ensure other educational services can continue to be provided consistent with all Federal, State, and local requirements.

Purchasing educational technology (including hardware, software, and connectivity) for students who are served by the local educational agency that aids in regular and substantive educational interaction between students and their classroom instructors, including low-income students and students with disabilities, which may include assistive technology or adaptive equipment.

Providing mental health services and supports.

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Other activities that are necessary to maintain the operation of and continuity of services in local educational agencies and continuing to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.

Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA shall comply with all applicable requirements of the Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) authorized by the Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act, 2021 (CRRSAA), including:

CONTINUED PAYMENT TO EMPLOYEES

SEC. 18006. A local educational agency, State, institution of higher education, or other entity that receives funds under “Education Stabilization Fund”, shall to the greatest extent practicable, continue to pay its employees and contractors during the period of any disruptions or closures related to coronavirus.
Certification

To the best of my knowledge and belief, all the information and data in this agreement are true and correct. I acknowledge and agree that the failure to comply with all Assurances and Certifications in this Agreement, all relevant provisions and requirements of the CARES Act, Pub. L. No. 116-136 (March 27, 2020), or any other applicable law or regulation may result in liability under the False Claims Act, 31 U.S.C. § 3729, et seq.; OMB Guidelines to Agencies on Governmentwide Debarment and Suspension (Nonprocurement) in 2 CFR part 180, as adopted and amended as regulations of the Department in 2 CFR part 3485; and 18 USC § 1001, as appropriate.

Electronic Signature  | Melissa Kennedy

Date  | 04/29/2021

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<td>Family Advocate and the Mobile Family Resource Center (MFRC) that travels within our school communities and assists families in their time of need, regardless of income. The MFRC helps address and alleviate the mental health needs of students and their families caused by COVID by providing concrete resources that build protective factors and optimize success.</td>
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Activities include addressing the unique needs of low-income children, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and foster care youth, including outreach and service delivery.

The Mobile Family Resource Center (MFRC) travels within school communities and assists families in their time of need, regardless of income. It helps address and alleviate the mental health needs of students and their families caused by COVID-19 by providing concrete resources that build protective factors and optimize success.
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<td>Instruction Computers and Related Equipment (Including Software if bought as a package)</td>
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<td>9. Purchasing educational technology (including hardware, software, and connectivity) for the LEA's students</td>
<td>Laptops for staff</td>
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### Direct Allocation

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<th>Supplies-Technology Related</th>
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<td>$8,214</td>
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<td>Google License is $5.00 per student, FileWave Software $3,762, Securly Filtering for Student iPads is $2,566.67. Google allows an increase in communication, which is essential to addressing the learning loss caused by COVID. FileWave Software manages security, programs, and apps on mobile student devices when a student has to be quarantined due to exposure to COVID. Securly filtering is used to monitor student internet and email usage and search for key words that could indicate a student experience mental health issues. Allowable to a) reimburse the district for prior remote learning expenses b) incur new expenses related to actual current/perpetual remote learning circumstances, and/or c) budget for potential future remote learning expenses. Please note that expenses should not be incurred to purchase property to hold in the unlikely event of potential future remote learning needs.</td>
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### Regular Certified Salaries

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### Regular Non-Certified Salaries

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### Social Security Contributions

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<td>Instruction Unemployment Compensation</td>
<td>11A. Planning and implementing summer learning or enrichment programs</td>
<td>Summer School Staff for K-12 to address learning loss caused by COVID</td>
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Applicant details

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Select an Applicant Type
Unified School District

Applicant / Entity Name
Galena USD 499

Applicant / Mailing Address
702 E. 7th Street
Galena KS 66739

Applicant / First and Last Name of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director
Dr. Trey Moeller

Applicant / Email Address of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director
trey.moeller@galena499.org

Applicant / Phone Number
6207834499

All questions in the section below are optional, and offer an opportunity to upload or enter information that is typically asked for on grant opportunities.

(for EANS and ESSER grant applications - please skip the questions below, and scroll to the bottom to complete your User Profile information.)

Application details

Full District Name
Galena USD 499

District Number
499
Evidence of the negative impact of COVID-19 on the district and our Pre-K through 12 students can be recognized in the progress monitoring data collected locally through Renaissance STAR assessments, Dibels, NWEA, IXL and locally developed assessments targeting specific learning standards.

Indicators of the increased challenges regarding the social emotional learning and emotional well being of students include an increase in the number of student office visits, required outside resources for families and students, referrals to Spring River Mental Health for licensed professional counselling, the need for home outreach, student attendance rates and requests from families in need of food and basic supplies. School is a safe place and provides the needed structures for student emotional support. For many of our students being separated from friends and teachers was overwhelming.

The majority of our students’ academic and SEL needs have been impacted by the pandemic. With approximately 50% of our students on Free Lunches and another 20% on Reduced Lunches (prior to the everyone is free status), the pandemic circumstances have increased the impact of poverty upon our students. Our parents do not have the resources to provide digital tools for their children so the already significant “digital divide” in our community exploded; exasperating the need to provide technological tools and resources for our students.

Does the district have remaining ESSER I funding that it has not yet spent as of the date of ESSER II application submission?  | No
Please review the following allowable uses of ESSER II funds before completing the narrative and Excel template portion of the application.

- Coordination of preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies with State, local, Tribal, and territorial public health departments, and other relevant agencies, to improve coordinated responses among such entities to prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus.
- Providing principals and others school leaders with the resources necessary to address the needs of their individual schools.
- Activities to address the unique needs of low-income children or students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and foster care youth, including how outreach and service delivery will meet the needs of each population.
- Developing and implementing procedures and systems to improve the preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies.
- Training and professional development for staff of the local educational agency on sanitation and minimizing the spread of infectious diseases.
- Purchasing supplies to sanitize and clean the facilities of a local educational agency, including buildings operated by such agency.
- Planning for, coordinating, and implementing activities during long-term closures, including providing meals to eligible students, providing technology for online learning to all students, providing guidance for carrying out requirements under the IDEA and ensuring other educational services can continue to be provided consistent with all Federal, State, and local requirements.
- Purchasing educational technology (including hardware, software, and connectivity) for students who are served by the local educational agency that aids in regular and substantive educational interaction between students and their classroom instructors, including low-income students and children with disabilities, which may include assistive technology or adaptive equipment.
- Providing mental health services and supports.
- Planning and implementing activities related to summer learning and supplemental afterschool programs, including providing classroom instruction or online learning during the summer months and addressing the needs of low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, migrant students, students experiencing homelessness, and children in foster care.
- Addressing learning loss among students, including low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and children and youth in foster care, of the local educational agency, including by— (A) Administering and using high-quality assessments that are valid and reliable, to accurately assess students’ academic progress and assist educators in meeting students’ academic needs, including through differentiating instruction. (B) Implementing evidence-based activities to meet the comprehensive needs of students. (C) Providing information and assistance to parents and families on how they can effectively support students, including in a distance learning environment. (D) Tracking student attendance and improving student engagement in distance education.
- School facility repairs and improvements to enable operation of schools to reduce risk of virus transmission and exposure to environmental health hazards, and to support student health needs.
- Inspection, testing, maintenance, repair, replacement, and upgrade projects to improve the indoor air quality in school facilities, including mechanical and non-mechanical heating, ventilation, and air conditioning systems, filtering, purification and other air cleaning, fans, control systems, and window and door repair and replacement.
- Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities.
- Other activities that are necessary to maintain the operation of and continuity of services in local educational agencies and continuing to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.

Please note: "Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities," identified as an allowable use under ESSER III in the American Rescue Plan, is also permissible under ESSER II.
Plan for ESSER II Direct District Allocation and KSDE Per-Student Additional Allocation (If Applicable)

Please summarize how the district proposes using its ESSER II direct district allocation (and its KSDE per-student additional allocation, if applicable) to address incremental COVID-19 needs.

ESSER II Education funding will provide additional staff, technology and resources to provide safe, impactful, flexible and customized learning opportunities for all students. Ongoing and future efforts to recoup learning loss due to COVID-19 and support students on their path to being successful graduates include (but not limited to) credit recovery for high school students, PreK-12 summer programs in June and July, providing a digitally organized learning environment, providing evidence-based resources in reading and mathematics, and STEM/STEAM activities for successful living in the Digital Age.

ESSER II expenditures would also include providing extra special education services to students with disabilities. Remote learning has impacted many of their IEP goals and there is a need to recoup learning losses. Funds would be appropriated to provide services during remote learning due to possible COVID 19 rates within our community.

To help meet the social emotional learning and emotional well being of students, ESSER II Education funding will provide additional certified staff, therapists and technological resources to meet SEL needs. Our plan has multiple strategies. First, we are redesigning the counseling program to dedicate one counselor per building. This allows for one counselor to be the consistent point of contact for students. Additionally, we are increasing our collaboration with the community health center to provide suicide prevention training programs for our students, and to increase the contracted services of their Licensed Professional Counselor to help us meet the trauma induced needs of our students. The last strategy relates to more consistent monitoring of SEL health and well being. We will use the Panorama program to periodically survey students, analyze data, provide interventions, monitor progress of individual students and student groups. Our plan is to identify 4-6 SEL clusters and monitor student growth and evaluate our interventions over the next several years.

How will the district determine the impact of its ESSER II direct district allocation expenditures (and additional per-student allocation, if applicable) on students?

Our district is dedicated to student growth and improvement. A process of continuous progress monitoring has been set in place. We monitor the academic progress of our students through the use of Renaissance STAR assessments, Dibels, NWEA, IXL and locally developed assessments targeting specific learning standards. Additionally, we will begin implementing an SEL intervention and progress monitoring system (Panorama) to evaluate the impact of our SEL curriculum on our students. Principals, teachers and counselors meet as teams at scheduled times during the week or month to monitor academic and SEL data. The data informs instructional needs of students and MTSS. Benchmark data is used to review/revise KESA goals. Student achievement and SEL data is presented to the Board of Education annually. Counselors will also be meeting to monitor progress in targeted SEL areas.

Goals are semi-annually analyzed and evaluated to determine if allocated expenditures are impacting student growth.

Notes on ESSER II application Excel template:

- Plans and budgets should be submitted for at least a 12 month period but do not need to account for the full duration of the program or the full allocation amount. Funds will remain accessible to the LEA until September 30, 2023 and there will be additional opportunities to submit further requests/plans in the future.
- Following ESSER II application approval and initiation of funds draw down, districts will be required to report to the Commissioner's Task Force on ESSER II expenditures and impact on a monthly basis throughout the program. This ESSER II reporting will be required as a part of regular ESSER program reporting, which will capture past expenditures across funding streams (ESSER I, ESSER I SPED, ESSER II, ESSER II SPED, ESSER II KSDE Per Student Allocation). Districts may be asked to provide expenditures by fund, function, object, account, and ESSER II allowable use as part of ongoing ESSER reporting.
- This reporting will not replace any reporting required by the federal government. KSDE will work to maximize compatibility between its reporting requirements and those of the federal government as much as possible to minimize burden on districts.
Please download and complete the ESSER II application template [here](#) to provide details on ESSER II budgeted expenditures across allowable uses and KSDE accounting codes.

Local Education Agency (LEA) Assurances

Section I. General Grant Assurances for Federal Funds

Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA will comply with all requirements of:

The LEA will make a good faith effort, on a continuing basis, to maintain a drug-free workplace, in accordance with the measures in 34 CFR Part 84, Subpart B and the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988;

The Education Department General Administrative Regulations (EDGAR) 34 CFR 76 requirements, including:

34 CFR §76.500(a) Federal statutes and regulations on nondiscrimination.

(a) A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the following statutes and regulations:

- Discrimination on the basis of race, color, or national origin | Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (42 U.S.C. 2000d through 2000d-4) | 34 CFR part 100.


- Discrimination on the basis of age | The Age Discrimination Act (42 U.S.C. 6101 et seq.) | 34 CFR part 110.

(b) A State or subgrantee that is a covered entity as defined in §108.3 of this title shall comply with the nondiscrimination requirements of the Boy Scouts of America Equal Access Act, 20 U.S.C. 7905, 34 CFR part 108.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))


34 CFR §76.650 Private schools; purpose of §§76.651-76.662.

(a) Under some programs, the authorizing statute requires that a State and its subgrantees provide for participation by students enrolled in private schools. Sections 76.651-76.662 apply to those programs and provide rules for that participation. These sections do not affect the authority of the State or a subgrantee to enter into a contract with a private party.

(b) If any other rules for participation of students enrolled in private schools apply under a particular program, they are in the authorizing statute or implementing regulations for that program.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3 and 3474)

34 CFR §76.700 Compliance with statutes, regulations, State plan, and applications.

A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the State plan and applicable statutes, regulations, and approved applications, and shall use Federal funds in accordance with those statutes, regulations, plan, and applications.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.701 The State or subgrantee administers or supervises each project.

A State or a subgrantee shall directly administer or supervise the administration of each project.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.702 Fiscal control and fund accounting procedures.

A State and a subgrantee shall use fiscal control and fund accounting procedures that insure proper disbursement of and accounting for Federal funds.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.709 Funds may be obligated during a “carryover period.”

(a) If a State or a subgrantee does not obligate all of its grant or subgrant funds by the end of the fiscal year for which Congress appropriated the funds, it may obligate the remaining funds during a carryover period of one additional fiscal year.

(b) The State shall return to the Federal Government any carryover funds not obligated by the end of the carryover period by the State and its subgrantees.

(Authority: U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1225(b), and 3474)
Section II. Specific Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) Grant Assurances

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<td>MS HS SEL Curriculum and Data Collection, Analysis (Panorama): Panorama allows the district to survey SEL of students and staff, collect and analyze data, and provide targeted interventions.</td>
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<td>Licensed Counseling Services to include but not limited to contracted services with SRMH for Licensed counseling: Increases our LPC contracted services with SRMH for our students with higher levels of trauma and in need of more intensive SEL interventions.</td>
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| Eligible Direct Allocation | Instruction and Curriculum Development Services | Other Supplies and Materials | 8. Planning for and coordinating during long-term closures, including on how to provide meals, technology for online learning, guidance for carrying out IDEA requirements, and providing educational services consistent with applicable requirements | Greenbush EdTech: Technical support necessary to provide digitally organized instruction and remote learning capabilities | $1,800 | $600 | $600 | $600 | $ - | 38 |

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| Eligible Direct Allocation | Instruction and Curriculum Development Services | Office of the Superintendent Services | 3. Providing principals and other school leaders with resources to address individual school needs | Greenbush (Administrative Services): Support for planning and implementing COVID-19 response for academic and SEL challenges we face | $4,050 | $1,350 | $1,350 | $1,350 | $ - | 38 |

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<td>Software</td>
<td>12. Addressing learning loss among students, including vulnerable populations: MTSS resources focused on literacy and mathematics: Data collected after remote instruction highlighted that our students are not achieving at high levels and evidence-based instructional resources need to be added to meet learning standards.</td>
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<td>ELE/MS/HS Instructional Support Specialists: 3 certified positions to support the identification of, instructional planning and implementation for and progress monitoring of students who are not meeting identified learning targets.</td>
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401 Sunnyside Dr.
Lewis, Ks. 67552
Applicant / First and Last Name of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director  |  Mike McDermeit
Applicant / Email Address of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director  |  mike.mcdermeit@usd502.com
Applicant / Phone Number  |  620-324-5547

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Applicant / Federal EIN (if applicable)  |  48-0724957
Applicant / Website Address (if applicable)  |  USD502.com

Application details
Authorized Representative of the District | Name
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Authorized Representative of the District | Position or Title
Superintendent

Authorized Representative of the District | Email Address
mike.mcdermeit@usd502.com

Authorized Representative of the District | Phone Number
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Would you like to additional district representatives to the application?
Yes

Other District Representative 1 | Email Address
darla.stegman@usd502.com

Other District Representative 2 | Email Address
luke.snyder@usd502.com

Please briefly describe the impacts of COVID-19 on the district and its Pre-K through 12 students, including any relevant data where possible (e.g., cost impact, learning loss, emotional impact on students). If there has been a disproportionate impact on a special population in the district (e.g., students with disabilities, English Learners, students in foster care, students in poverty, etc.), please describe the impact and provide the number of Pre-K through 12 students in that population.

Lewis serves Pre-K thru 6th grade. 7th-12 grade attend USD #351 Macksville. Longitudinal data from STAR Reading and Math assessment for 2nd-6th grade, when compared to previous years improvement, show an average percentile rank decline of 25% for Reading and 23.6% decline for Math when comparing the 2019-20 scores to 2020-21 scores. Our Pre-K students have also been negatively impacted disproportionally because of the high number of English Language Learners in our district. 50% of our students enrolled in 3 year old pre-k or 4 year old pre-k speak little to no English in the household prior to attending our school. This not only affects the student but also the parent partnerships we are trying to establish. One of our KESA goals includes parent engagement. The pandemic response with no parents allowed in the school, at activities, etc. has been a setback in fostering and building strong relationships.

Does the district have remaining ESSER I funding that it has not yet spent as of the date of ESSER II application submission?
Yes

Please summarize how the district will use its remaining ESSER I and ESSER I SPED funding and what it hopes to accomplish with these funds.
USD #502 will utilize the remainder of the ESSER I funds ($7,426) to begin our Summer Enrichment Activities that focus on Reading/Math recovery, as well as parent engagement. SPED funds are sent to the South Central Kansas Special Education Cooperative for distribution by them.

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### Plan for ESSER II Direct District Allocation and KSDE Per-Student Additional Allocation (If Applicable)

Please summarize how the district proposes using its ESSER II direct district allocation (and its KSDE per-student additional allocation, if applicable) to address incremental COVID-19 needs.

9. A. We want to add a para-professional to our staff that will focus on Reading and Math Improvement for at-risk students in K-6th grade for next year with the intention of funding the position with ESSER funds for 2 additional years.
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How will the district determine the impact of its ESSER II direct district allocation expenditures (and additional per-student allocation, if applicable) on students?

STAR Math/Reading assessment and Fastbridge Math/Reading/Social-Emotional and will be utilized to longitudinally measure and compare student progress over the next 2 school years. Adjustments will be made yearly to the para. educator's assignment to focus on students identified with the greatest learning loss with a focus on ELL and at-risk students. Increases by parent's participation through data collected from our SeeSaw parent communication app. will be utilized to determine parent engagement.

### Notes on ESSER II application Excel template:

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Please download and complete the ESSER II application template here to provide details on ESSER II budgeted expenditures across allowable uses and KSDE accounting codes.
Local Education Agency (LEA) Assurances

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Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA will comply with all requirements of:

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(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))


34 CFR §76.650 Private schools; purpose of §§76.651-76.662.

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(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

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(Authority: U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1225(b), and 3474)


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<td>12. Addressing learning loss among students, including vulnerable populations</td>
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<td>These teachers will be instructing our students who have fallen behind due to Covid-19 at our Summer Enrichment Program over the next two summers.</td>
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<td>We will need to pay a bus driver to run route for those students who will be attending our Summer Enrichment Program.</td>
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<td>This will pay for instructional supplies needed to run our Summer Enrichment Program such as: Math, Reading and parent engagement materials, student materials, and STEM materials.</td>
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Summer Enrichment will host 50 students to address learning loss due to covid. Phone Call 5/26/21

Summer Enrichment will host 50 students to address learning loss due to covid- field trips to Exploration Place, Museum of National History, Kansas Fish and Game to provide hands on learning opportunities. Phone call 5/26/21

Summer Enrichment will host 50 students to address learning loss due to covid- Project based learning science kits to dig fossils, rocket kits for preparation for Exploration Place and cover science content. Phone Call 5/26/21
Applicant details

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Select an Applicant Type | Unified School District

Applicant / Entity Name | USD 506 Labette County Schools

Applicant / Mailing Address

401 S. High School Street  
P.O. Box 189  
Altamont Ks. 67330

Applicant / First and Last Name of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director | Dr. John Wyrick

Applicant / Email Address of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director | jwyrick@usd506.org

Applicant / Phone Number | 620-784-5326

All questions in the section below are optional, and offer an opportunity to upload or enter information that is typically asked for on grant opportunities.

(for EANS and ESSER grant applications - please skip the questions below, and scroll to the bottom to complete your User Profile information.)

Applicant / Federal EIN (if applicable) | 480724846

Applicant / Website Address (if applicable) | www.usd506.org
Please briefly describe the impacts of COVID-19 on the district and its Pre-K through 12 students, including any relevant data where possible (e.g., cost impact, learning loss, emotional impact on students). If there has been a disproportionate impact on a special population in the district (e.g., students with disabilities, English Learners, students in foster care, students in poverty, etc.), please describe the impact and provide the number of Pre-K through 12 students in that population.

The negative impact of COVID-19 on our school district can be observed across many spectrums. Particularly, mandatory in-person shut down of schools with the replacement of full remote learning during the months of March through May of 2020.

This shutdown from in-person to remote learning was negatively impactful on student achievement/progress (learning loss) as was determined through various testing batteries. Among the most negatively impacted populations were our elementary grade level students and our at-risk students in grades PreK - 12. As a district, we had to invest a larger amount of money for PPE's, COVID-19 protocol resources, technology to provide remote learning opportunities for students, increase in staff payroll, additional cost in providing air quality in old buildings, and various "other" COVID-19 related expenses.

Although our district has provided in-person instruction since the beginning of the current 2020-21 school year, we also provided full-time remote learning options for approximately 9% of our Prek-8 students, 22% of hs, and have provided temporary remote learning for students who were quarantined from school due to COVID-19 exposure.

To date, our district has had 1,223 students in COVID-19 isolation (123 tested positive, 1,100 quarantined), or 76% of the student enrollment headcount. In addition, we had 88 staff members in COVID-19 isolation (35 tested positive, 53 quarantined), or 45% of our staff headcount. As a result, this has negatively impacted the academic and social/emotional success of our students and staff in the district. Moving forward, we need to address these issues and address preventative measures.

Does the district have remaining ESSER funding that it has not yet spent as of No
Please review the following allowable uses of ESSER II funds before completing the narrative and Excel template portion of the application.

- Coordination of preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies with State, local, Tribal, and territorial public health departments, and other relevant agencies, to improve coordinated responses among such entities to prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus.
- Providing principals and others school leaders with the resources necessary to address the needs of their individual schools.
- Activities to address the unique needs of low-income children or students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and foster care youth, including how outreach and service delivery will meet the needs of each population.
- Developing and implementing procedures and systems to improve the preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies.
- Training and professional development for staff of the local educational agency on sanitation and minimizing the spread of infectious diseases.
- Purchasing supplies to sanitize and clean the facilities of a local educational agency, including buildings operated by such agency.
- Planning for, coordinating, and implementing activities during long-term closures, including providing meals to eligible students, providing technology for online learning to all students, providing guidance for carrying out requirements under the IDEA and ensuring other educational services can continue to be provided consistent with all Federal, State, and local requirements.
- Purchasing educational technology (including hardware, software, and connectivity) for students who are served by the local educational agency that aids in regular and substantive educational interaction between students and their classroom instructors, including low-income students and children with disabilities, which may include assistive technology or adaptive equipment.
- Providing mental health services and supports.
- Planning and implementing activities related to summer learning and supplemental afterschool programs, including providing classroom instruction or online learning during the summer months and addressing the needs of low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, migrant students, students experiencing homelessness, and children in foster care.
- Addressing learning loss among students, including low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and children and youth in foster care, of the local educational agency, including by—(A) Administering and using high-quality assessments that are valid and reliable, to accurately assess students’ academic progress and assist educators in meeting students’ academic needs, including through differentiating instruction. (B) Implementing evidence-based activities to meet the comprehensive needs of students. (C) Providing information and assistance to parents and families on how they can effectively support students, including in a distance learning environment. (D) Tracking student attendance and improving student engagement in distance education.
- School facility repairs and improvements to enable operation of schools to reduce risk of virus transmission and exposure to environmental health hazards, and to support student health needs.
- Inspection, testing, maintenance, repair, replacement, and upgrade projects to improve the indoor air quality in school facilities, including mechanical and non-mechanical heating, ventilation, and air conditioning systems, filtering, purification and other air cleaning, fans, control systems, and window and door repair and replacement.
- Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities.
- Other activities that are necessary to maintain the operation of and continuity of services in local educational agencies and continuing to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.
Please note: "Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities," identified as an allowable use under ESSER III in the American Rescue Plan, is also permissible under ESSER II.

Plan for ESSER II Direct District Allocation and KSDE Per-Student Additional Allocation (If Applicable)

Please summarize how the district proposes using its ESSER II direct district allocation (and its KSDE per-student additional allocation, if applicable) to address incremental COVID-19 needs.

USD 506 will utilize ESSER II funds to offset the negative impact of the hardships caused by the COVID-19 pandemic and address future needs that will comply with the federally authorized uses of ESSER II funds. At this point, our district is requesting approval of 100% of our $1,298,287.00 allocation.

Below is the breakdown of our proposed ESSER II budget, the authorized use number for justification, and the requested dollar percentage of requested allocation.

9. Purchasing educational technology for the LEA's students: Student Devices- (35%)
10. Purchasing educational technology for the LEA's students: Communication Tools- (1.8%)
11. Purchasing educational technology for the LEA's students: Improve Network- (0.0092%)
12. Addressing learning loss among students, including vulnerable populations- (3.7%)
13. Planning for and coordinating during long-term closures- (0.0036)
14. Purchasing educational technology for the LEA's students- (0.0058%)
15. Improve indoor air quality in school facilities- (43%)
16. Coordination of COVID-19 preparedness and response efforts: School Nurse- (11%)
17. Purchasing educational technology for the LEA's students- (3.6%)

We are requesting the largest percentage of our ESSER II funds for technology. This will allow us to provide better remote learning opportunities for staff/students/parents, allow better social distancing of students on our campus, provide better learning opportunities for students, provide additional technology staff to implement the technology, and replace equipment damaged when students took devices home during mandated quarantines and school closings.

We are allocating the second-largest percentage for our ESSER II funds to address indoor air quality to help prevent the spread of COVID and enhance the overall air quality in our high school.

Our remaining ESSER II funds will address health services, student learning loss, the purchase of learning software

Our proposal to use ESSER II funding involved input from all staff in the district and the USD 506 Board of Education.

How will the district determine the impact of its ESSER II direct district allocation expenditures (and additional per-student allocation, if applicable) on students?

Educational Technology: The impact will be determined if our technology acquisitions allow for better connectivity for remote learners, better utilization of instruction for proper student spacing, and allows us to provide better devices for remote services and instructional resources impacted by COVID. Access to online curriculum, digital textbooks, and digital media during

Audio Visual Equipment: The impact is comprehension and retention due to Covid related learning loss. Media used in the classroom gives the teachers the ability to enhance lessons. Ability to hear and interact with remote and in-person students.

Help Desk and knowledge base software: We will use the analytics in our ticketing system to determine parent and family support needs.

Indoor Air Quality: Replacing the registers and Loop System will allow for better ventilation and air filtration. The current registers don't have proper filtration mechanics. The new units will come with variable speed fans and 2-inch filters.
Notes on ESSER II application Excel template:

- Plans and budgets should be submitted for at least a 12 month period but do not need to account for the full duration of the program or the full allocation amount. Funds will remain accessible to the LEA until September 30, 2023 and there will be additional opportunities to submit further requests/plans in the future.
- Following ESSER II application approval and initiation of funds draw down, districts will be required to report to the Commissioner’s Task Force on ESSER II expenditures and impact on a monthly basis throughout the program. This ESSER II reporting will be required as a part of regular ESSER program reporting, which will capture past expenditures across funding streams (ESSER I, ESSER I SPED, ESSER II, ESSER II SPED, ESSER II KSDE Per Student Allocation). Districts may be asked to provide expenditures by fund, function, object, account, and ESSER II allowable use as part of ongoing ESSER reporting.
- This reporting will not replace any reporting required by the federal government. KSDE will work to maximize compatibility between its reporting requirements and those of the federal government as much as possible to minimize burden on districts.

Please download and complete the ESSER II application template [here](#) to provide details on ESSER II budgeted expenditures across allowable uses and KSDE accounting codes.

[ESSERII-ApplicationTempla... (604 KiB download)]

Local Education Agency (LEA) Assurances

Section I. General Grant Assurances for Federal Funds

Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA will comply with all requirements of:
The LEA will make a good faith effort, on a continuing basis, to maintain a drug-free workplace, in accordance with the measures in 34 CFR Part 84, Subpart B and the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988;
The Education Department General Administrative Regulations (EDGAR) 34 CFR 76 requirements, including:
34 CFR §76.500(a) Federal statutes and regulations on nondiscrimination.
   (a) A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the following statutes and regulations:
   - Discrimination on the basis of age | The Age Discrimination Act (42 U.S.C. 6101 et seq.) | 34 CFR part 110.

(b) A State or subgrantee that is a covered entity as defined in §108.3 of this title shall comply with the nondiscrimination requirements of the Boy Scouts of America Equal Access Act, 20 U.S.C. 7905, 34 CFR part 108.
   (Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))
34 CFR §76.650 Private schools; purpose of §§76.651-76.662.
   (a) Under some programs, the authorizing statute requires that a State and its subgrantees provide for participation by students enrolled in private schools. Sections 76.651-76.662 apply to those programs and provide rules for that participation. These sections do not affect the authority of the State or a subgrantee to enter into a contract with a private party.
   (b) If any other rules for participation of students enrolled in private schools apply under a particular program, they are in the authorizing statute or implementing regulations for that program.
   (Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3 and 3474)
34 CFR §76.700 Compliance with statutes, regulations, State plan, and applications.
A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the State plan and applicable statutes, regulations, and approved applications, and
shall use Federal funds in accordance with those statutes, regulations, plan, and applications.  
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.701 The State or subgrantee administers or supervises each project.

A State or a subgrantee shall directly administer or supervise the administration of each project.  
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.702 Fiscal control and fund accounting procedures.

A State and a subgrantee shall use fiscal control and fund accounting procedures that insure proper disbursement of and accounting for Federal funds.  
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.709 Funds may be obligated during a “carryover period.”

(a) If a State or a subgrantee does not obligate all of its grant or subgrant funds by the end of the fiscal year for which Congress appropriated the funds, it may obligate the remaining funds during a carryover period of one additional fiscal year.

(b) The State shall return to the Federal Government any carryover funds not obligated by the end of the carryover period by the State and its subgrantees.  
(Authority: U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1225(b), and 3474)


34 CFR §76.722 Subgrantee reporting requirements.

A State may require a subgrantee to submit reports in a manner and format that assists the State in complying with the requirements under 34 CFR 76.720 and in carrying out other responsibilities under the program.  
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1231a, and 3474)

[72 FR 3703, Jan. 25, 2007]

34 CFR §76.730 Records related to grant funds.

A State and a subgrantee shall keep records that fully show:

(a) The amount of funds under the grant or subgrant;

(b) How the State or subgrantee uses the funds;

(c) The total cost of the project;

(d) The share of that cost provided from other sources; and

(e) Other records to facilitate an effective audit.  
(Approved by the Office of Management and Budget under control number 1880-0513)

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1232f)


34 CFR §76.731 Records related to compliance.

A State and a subgrantee shall keep records to show its compliance with program requirements.  
(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

The Uniform Grant Guidance, 2 CFR §200 all applicable subrecipient requirements, including but not limited to:

2 CFR Subpart D – Post Federal Award Requirements
§200.302 Financial management.
§200.303 Internal controls.
§200.305 Payment.
§200.313 Equipment.
§200.314 Supplies.
§200.318 General procurement standards.
§200.320 Methods of procurement to be followed;
2 CFR 200 Subpart E: Cost Principles:
§200.403 Factors affecting allowability of costs.
§200.404 Reasonable costs.
§200.405 Allocable costs.
§200.413 Direct costs.
§200.415 Required certifications.
§200.430 Compensation—personal services.

The Debarment and Suspension, 34 CFR Part 85, Section 85.510, Participants’ Responsibilities and makes the following certification by signing this application:
The prospective lower-tier participant certifies, by submission of this proposal, that neither it nor its principals is presently
debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction by any federal department or agency.

Where the prospective lower-tier participant is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, such prospective participant shall attach an explanation to this proposal.

This certification is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was made or entered into. Submission of this certification is a prerequisite for making or entering into this transaction imposed by Section 1352, Title 31, U.S. Code. Any person who fails to file the required certification shall be subject to a civil penalty of not less than $10,000 for such failure.

Section II. Specific Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) Grant Assurances

The LEA assures that funds shall only be used for any of the following:

- Coordination of preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies with State, local, Tribal, and territorial public health departments, and other relevant agencies, to improve coordinated responses among such entities to prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus.
- Providing principals and others school leaders with the resources necessary to address the needs of their individual schools.
- Activities to address the unique needs of low-income children or students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and foster care youth, including how outreach and service delivery will meet the needs of each population.
- Developing and implementing procedures and systems to improve the preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies.
- Training and professional development for staff of the local educational agency on sanitation and minimizing the spread of infectious diseases.
- Purchasing supplies to sanitize and clean the facilities of a local educational agency, including buildings operated by such agency.
- Planning for and coordinating during long-term closures, including for how to provide meals to eligible students, how to provide technology for online learning to all students, how to provide guidance for carrying out requirements under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. 1401 et seq.) and how to ensure other educational services can continue to be provided consistent with all Federal, State, and local requirements.
- Purchasing educational technology (including hardware, software, and connectivity) for students who are served by the local educational agency that aids in regular and substantive educational interaction between students and their classroom instructors, including low-income students and students with disabilities, which may include assistive technology or adaptive equipment.
- Providing mental health services and supports.
- Planning and implementing activities related to summer learning and supplemental afterschool programs, including providing classroom instruction or online learning during the summer months and addressing the needs of low income students, students with disabilities, English learners, migrant students, students experiencing homelessness, and children in foster care.
- Addressing learning loss among students, including low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and children and youth in foster care, of the local educational agency, including by— (A) Administering and using high-quality assessments that are valid and reliable, to accurately assess students’ academic progress and assist educators in meeting students’ academic needs, including through differentiating instruction. (B) Implementing evidence-based activities to meet the comprehensive needs of students. (C) Providing
information and assistance to parents and families on how they can effectively support students, including in a distance learning environment. (D) Tracking student attendance and improving student engagement in distance education.

- School facility repairs and improvements to enable operation of schools to reduce risk of virus transmission and exposure to environmental health hazards, and to support student health needs.
- Inspection, testing, maintenance, repair, replacement, and upgrade projects to improve the indoor air quality in school facilities, including mechanical and non-mechanical heating, ventilation, and air conditioning systems, filtering, purification and other air cleaning, fans, control systems, and window and door repair and replacement.
- Other activities that are necessary to maintain the operation of and continuity of services in local educational agencies and continuing to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.

Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA shall comply with all applicable requirements of the Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) authorized by the Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act, 2021 (CRRSAA), including:

CONTINUED PAYMENT TO EMPLOYEES

SEC. 18006. A local educational agency, State, institution of higher education, or other entity that receives funds under “Education Stabilization Fund”, shall to the greatest extent practicable, continue to pay its employees and contractors during the period of any disruptions or closures related to coronavirus.

Certification

To the best of my knowledge and belief, all the information and data in this agreement are true and correct. I acknowledge and agree that the failure to comply with all Assurances and Certifications in this Agreement, all relevant provisions and requirements of the CARES Act, Pub. L. No. 116-136 (March 27, 2020), or any other applicable law or regulation may result in liability under the False Claims Act, 31 U.S.C. § 3729, et seq.; OMB Guidelines to Agencies on Governmentwide Debarment and Suspension (Nonprocurement) in 2 CFR part 180, as adopted and amended as regulations of the Department in 2 CFR part 3485; and 18 USC § 1001, as appropriate.

Electronic Signature │ John Wyrick
Date │ 05/13/2021

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New or pre-existing system: Applicant responded via email: Our district is utilizing new features that are available on Powerschool to meet the needs our students are facing due to Covid-19. For example, we realized that there are different options for coding student data as it pertains to health-related issues that were used for the first time during this school year. Also, the student and family portal was promoted and used more this year than in previous years. Our administration and staff knew that we had to improve student accountability and help teachers communicate with the right people in less time with convenient access to grades, progress, and responsibilities. Our technology department made a more concerted effort to work with staff to promote and utilize the PowerSchool Mobile app and the online parent and student portal. Allowable to a) reimburse the district for prior remote learning expenses b) incur new expenses related to actual current/perpetual remote learning circumstances, and/or c) to budget for potential future remote learning expenses. Please note that expenses should not be incurred to purchase property to hold in the unlikely event of potential future remote learning needs.
| 506-1-006-20210608 | Eligible | Direct Allocation | Instruction Technology - Related Software | 9. Purchasing educational technology (including hardware, software, and connectivity) for the LEA's students | Illuminate: Fastbridge Testing will enable and equip our district and staff by providing them with the tools for supporting students in the implementation of COVID-19 response for academic and SEL challenges we have faced and will continue to face during these unprecedented times. | $7,500 | $7,500 | $- | $- | $- | 7 |

<p>| 506-1-007-20210608 | Eligible | Direct Allocation | Operation and Maintenance of Plant Services (All except Transportation) | Heating and Cooling System | 14. Inspection, testing, maintenance, repair, replacement and upgrade projects to improve the indoor air quality in school facilities | Update and Replace HVAC System - Purchase HVAC registers and replace the Loop System at the campus of Labette County High School. The current registers and Loop System were installed when the administration building was built in the mid-1950s. Replacing the registers and Loop System will allow for better ventilation and air filtration. The current registers don’t have proper filtration mechanics. The new units will come with variable speed fans and 2-inch filters. Several studies have shown that by doing what we have identified will improving air quality in our buildings by significantly changing heating, ventilation, and air-conditioning (HVAC) systems or by making physical changes to manage indoor airflows. Our buildings were built with old or inflexible systems, our technicians have recommended for us to upgrade our HVAC hardware to include: replacing fixed-speed fan motors with variable-speed ones to enhance the control of airflow and allow for a minimum setting that produces lower speed airflow introducing sophisticated airflow-control systems, such as those that are sensitive to pressure, to allow for smoother adjustment of airflows. | $562,500 | $337,500 | $225,000 | $- | $- | 7 | Allowable if CDC guidelines are met |</p>
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Select an Applicant Type | Unified School District

Applicant / Entity Name | USD 508

Applicant / Mailing Address
1108 Military Ave
Baxter Springs, KS 66713

Applicant / First and Last Name of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director | David Pendergraft

Applicant / Email Address of Owner, CEO, or Executive Director | penderd@usd508.org

Applicant / Phone Number | 620-856-2375

All questions in the section below are optional, and offer an opportunity to upload or enter information that is typically asked for on grant opportunities.

(for EANS and ESSER grant applications - please skip the questions below, and scroll to the bottom to complete your User Profile information.)

Application details

Full District Name | Baxter Springs
District Number | 508
We have seen a large reduction in credits earned at the high school for students who chose to switch their learning instruction model from face-to-face to our virtual program. We did note that we had a large percentage of Free Lunch students choose to enroll in our virtual program (over 90%) as opposed to opt for regular face-to-face instruction (76 out of 82). Historically, we have had a small group of students enrolled in our virtual program with a high percentage of them obtaining their diploma. The first semester saw a drastic reduction in credits earned by those virtual students. Extended school year and after-school opportunities will be necessary over the next few years to get these students caught up with their cohorts. We haven't been able to determine the full extent of the learning loss for our full time remote students at the elementary level simply because we still do not have those students in school day to day yet (around 30 in grades K-6). Those students may be completing assignments, but it is difficult to determine how much support they needed and also what other social skills have been hindered due to limited access to other students. Extended year plans for those students will be vital in making those determinations on what additional supports will be needed.

Please review the following allowable uses of ESSER II funds before completing the narrative and Excel template portion of the application.


- Coordination of preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies with State, local, Tribal, and territorial public health departments, and other relevant agencies, to improve coordinated responses among such entities to prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus.
- Providing principals and others school leaders with the resources necessary to address the needs of their individual schools.
- Activities to address the unique needs of low-income children or students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and foster care youth, including how outreach and service delivery will meet the needs of each population.
- Developing and implementing procedures and systems to improve the preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies.
- Training and professional development for staff of the local educational agency on sanitation and minimizing the spread of infectious diseases.
- Purchasing supplies to sanitize and clean the facilities of a local educational agency, including buildings operated by such agency.
- Planning for, coordinating, and implementing activities during long-term closures, including providing meals to eligible students, providing technology for online learning to all students, providing guidance for carrying out requirements under the IDEA and ensuring other educational services can continue to be provided consistent with all Federal, State, and local requirements.
- Purchasing educational technology (including hardware, software, and connectivity) for students who are served by the local educational agency that aids in regular and substantive educational interaction between students and their classroom instructors, including low-income students and children with disabilities, which may include assistive technology or adaptive equipment.
- Providing mental health services and supports.
- Planning and implementing activities related to summer learning and supplemental afterschool programs, including providing classroom instruction or online learning during the summer months and addressing the needs of low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, migrant students, students experiencing homelessness, and children in foster care.
- Addressing learning loss among students, including low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and children and youth in foster care, of the local educational agency, including by— (A) Administering and using high-quality assessments that are valid and reliable, to accurately assess students’ academic progress and assist educators in meeting students’ academic needs, including through differentiating instruction. (B) Implementing evidence-based activities to meet the comprehensive needs of students. (C) Providing information and assistance to parents and families on how they can effectively support students, including in a distance learning environment. (D) Tracking student attendance and improving student engagement in distance education.
- School facility repairs and improvements to enable operation of schools to reduce risk of virus transmission and exposure to environmental health hazards, and to support student health needs.
- Inspection, testing, maintenance, repair, replacement, and upgrade projects to improve the indoor air quality in school facilities, including mechanical and non-mechanical heating, ventilation, and air conditioning systems, filtering, purification and other air cleaning, fans, control systems, and window and door repair and replacement.
- Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities.
- Other activities that are necessary to maintain the operation of and continuity of services in local educational agencies and continuing to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.

Please note: "Developing strategies and implementing public health protocols for the reopening and operation of school facilities," identified as an allowable use under ESSER III in the American Rescue Plan, is also permissible under ESSER II.

Plan for ESSER II Direct District Allocation and KSDE Per-Student Additional Allocation (If Applicable)

Please summarize how the district proposes using its ESSER II direct district allocation (and its KSDE per-student additional allocation, if applicable) to address incremental COVID-19 needs.
USD 508 will address learning loss and other impacts of the Coronavirus to the district thru extended year and extended day programs along with a new social emotional curriculum. Students who have chosen a remote learning environment for the 2020-21 school year have not progressed as those who chose face to face. Virtual and remote students did not progress as well as those face to face. An additional Reading Specialist for grades 7-12 will be hired to work with students using Really Great Reading as a guide. Additional technology will be purchased for classroom use by staff and to send home with students to help provide extend time for students who need it most and to provide for remote instruction if outbreaks occur within the district. Summer school opportunities will be offered in each building. New heating and air units will also be installed to help maximize the benefits of the i-wave technology purchased for all air ducts in the system. Replacing old carpet that becomes difficult to sanitize properly with new small carpet tiles allow for better cleaning and also allows for removing small sections of contaminated areas without having to replace the entire room. We will also continue the employment of a Medical Assistant. The district will also use Panorama to help track data on SEL. We are hoping this can also help with additional interventions for students during distance learning as well. After school tutoring will be provided in each building.

How will the district determine the impact of its ESSER II direct district allocation expenditures (and additional per-student allocation, if applicable) on students?

We're hoping to help students at the HS level in their credit recovery and help maintain a 90% or better graduation rate. We will also progress monitor all of our students in K-12 in the subject of reading with the new district wide implementation of Really Great Reading. Using our Title teachers and newly formed Reading Intervention Specialist at the HS we will benchmark our students consistently to be able to show improvements in that area. Currently, we use the Second Step curriculum for our elementary students, which has been great foundational skills for SEL, but counselors feel it lacks in the tracking of student progress. The combined curriculum of Panorama in the K-12 setting will help us accurately gauge the SEL needs in our schools. Panorama will also allow us to input MTSS Reading and Math scores, which will help teachers and admins in the SIT process for students.

Notes on ESSER II application Excel template:

- Plans and budgets should be submitted for at least a 12 month period but do not need to account for the full duration of the program or the full allocation amount. Funds will remain accessible to the LEA until September 30, 2023 and there will be additional opportunities to submit further requests/plans in the future.
- Following ESSER II application approval and initiation of funds draw down, districts will be required to report to the Commissioner’s Task Force on ESSER II expenditures and impact on a monthly basis throughout the program. This ESSER II reporting will be required as a part of regular ESSER program reporting, which will capture past expenditures across funding streams (ESSER I, ESSER I SPED, ESSER II, ESSER II SPED, ESSER II KSDE Per Student Allocation). Districts may be asked to provide expenditures by fund, function, object, account, and ESSER II allowable use as part of ongoing ESSER reporting.
- This reporting will not replace any reporting required by the federal government. KSDE will work to maximize compatibility between its reporting requirements and those of the federal government as much as possible to minimize burden on districts.

Please download and complete the ESSER II application template here to provide details on ESSER II budgeted expenditures across allowable uses and KSDE accounting codes.

Local Education Agency (LEA) Assurances

Section I. General Grant Assurances for Federal Funds
Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA will comply with all requirements of:

The LEA will make a good faith effort, on a continuing basis, to maintain a drug-free workplace, in accordance with the measures in 34 CFR Part 84, Subpart B and the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988;

The Education Department General Administrative Regulations (EDGAR) 34 CFR 76 requirements, including:

34 CFR §76.500(a) Federal statutes and regulations on nondiscrimination.

(a) A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the following statutes and regulations:

- Discrimination on the basis of age | The Age Discrimination Act (42 U.S.C. 6101 et seq.) | 34 CFR part 110.

(b) A State or subgrantee that is a covered entity as defined in §108.3 of this title shall comply with the nondiscrimination requirements of the Boy Scouts of America Equal Access Act, 20 U.S.C. 7905, 34 CFR part 108.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))


34 CFR §76.650 Private schools; purpose of §§76.651-76.662.

(a) Under some programs, the authorizing statute requires that a State and its subgrantees provide for participation by students enrolled in private schools. Sections 76.651-76.662 apply to those programs and provide rules for that participation. These sections do not affect the authority of the State or a subgrantee to enter into a contract with a private party.

(b) If any other rules for participation of students enrolled in private schools apply under a particular program, they are in the authorizing statute or implementing regulations for that program.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3 and 3474)

34 CFR §76.700 Compliance with statutes, regulations, State plan, and applications.

A State and a subgrantee shall comply with the State plan and applicable statutes, regulations, and approved applications, and shall use Federal funds in accordance with those statutes, regulations, plan, and applications.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.701 The State or subgrantee administers or supervises each project.

A State or a subgrantee shall directly administer or supervise the administration of each project.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.702 Fiscal control and fund accounting procedures.

A State and a subgrantee shall use fiscal control and fund accounting procedures that insure proper disbursement of and accounting for Federal funds.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

34 CFR §76.709 Funds may be obligated during a “carryover period.”

(a) If a State or a subgrantee does not obligate all of its grant or subgrant funds by the end of the fiscal year for which Congress appropriated the funds, it may obligate the remaining funds during a carryover period of one additional fiscal year.

(b) The State shall return to the Federal Government any carryover funds not obligated by the end of the carryover period by the State and its subgrantees.

(Authority: U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1225(b), and 3474)


34 CFR §76.722 Subgrantee reporting requirements.

A State may require a subgrantee to submit reports in a manner and format that assists the State in complying with the requirements under 34 CFR 76.720 and in carrying out other responsibilities under the program.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 1231a, and 3474)

[72 FR 3703, Jan. 25, 2007]

34 CFR §76.730 Records related to grant funds.

A State and a subgrantee shall keep records that fully show:

(a) The amount of funds under the grant or subgrant;

(b) How the State or subgrantee uses the funds;

(c) The total cost of the project;
(d) The share of that cost provided from other sources; and
(e) Other records to facilitate an effective audit.

(Approved by the Office of Management and Budget under control number 1880-0513)

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1232)


34 CFR §76.731 Records related to compliance.

A State and a subgrantee shall keep records to show its compliance with program requirements.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1221e-3, 3474, and 6511(a))

The Uniform Grant Guidance, 2 CFR §200 all applicable subrecipient requirements, including but not limited to:

2 CFR Subpart D – Post Federal Award Requirements
 §200.302 Financial management.
 §200.303 Internal controls.
 §200.305 Payment.
 §200.313 Equipment.
 §200.314 Supplies.
 §200.318 General procurement standards.
 §200.320 Methods of procurement to be followed;
 2 CFR 200 Subpart E: Cost Principles:
 §200.403 Factors affecting allowability of costs.
 §200.404 Reasonable costs.
 §200.405 Allocable costs.
 §200.413 Direct costs.
 §200.415 Required certifications.
 §200.430 Compensation—personal services.

The Debarment and Suspension, 34 CFR Part 85, Section 85.510, Participants’ Responsibilities and makes the following certification by signing this application:

The prospective lower-tier participant certifies, by submission of this proposal, that neither it nor its principals is presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction by any federal department or agency.

Where the prospective lower-tier participant is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, such prospective participant shall attach an explanation to this proposal.

This certification is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was made or entered into. Submission of this certification is a prerequisite for making or entering into this transaction imposed by Section 1352, Title 31, U.S. Code. Any person who fails to file the required certification shall be subject to a civil penalty of not less than $10,000 for such failure.

Section II. Specific Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) Grant Assurances

The LEA assures that funds shall only be used for any of the following:

- Coordination of preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies with State, local, Tribal, and territorial public health departments, and other relevant agencies, to improve coordinated responses among such entities to prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus.
- Providing principals and others school leaders with the resources necessary to address the needs of their individual schools.
- Activities to address the unique needs of low-income children or students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and foster care youth, including how outreach and service
delivery will meet the needs of each population.

- Developing and implementing procedures and systems to improve the preparedness and response efforts of local educational agencies.
- Training and professional development for staff of the local educational agency on sanitation and minimizing the spread of infectious diseases.
- Purchasing supplies to sanitize and clean the facilities of a local educational agency, including buildings operated by such agency.
- Planning for and coordinating during long-term closures, including for how to provide meals to eligible students, how to provide technology for online learning to all students, how to provide guidance for carrying out requirements under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. 1401 et seq.) and how to ensure other educational services can continue to be provided consistent with all Federal, State, and local requirements.
- Purchasing educational technology (including hardware, software, and connectivity) for students who are served by the local educational agency that aids in regular and substantive educational interaction between students and their classroom instructors, including low-income students and students with disabilities, which may include assistive technology or adaptive equipment.
- Providing mental health services and supports.
- Planning and implementing activities related to summer learning and supplemental afterschool programs, including providing classroom instruction or online learning during the summer months and addressing the needs of low income students, students with disabilities, English learners, migrant students, students experiencing homelessness, and children in foster care.
- Addressing learning loss among students, including low-income students, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and children and youth in foster care, of the local educational agency, including by—(A) Administering and using high-quality assessments that are valid and reliable, to accurately assess students' academic progress and assist educators in meeting students' academic needs, including through differentiating instruction. (B) Implementing evidence-based activities to meet the comprehensive needs of students. (C) Providing information and assistance to parents and families on how they can effectively support students, including in a distance learning environment. (D) Tracking student attendance and improving student engagement in distance education.
- School facility repairs and improvements to enable operation of schools to reduce risk of virus transmission and exposure to environmental health hazards, and to support student health needs.
- Inspection, testing, maintenance, repair, replacement, and upgrade projects to improve the indoor air quality in school facilities, including mechanical and non-mechanical heating, ventilation, and air conditioning systems, filtering, purification and other air cleaning, fans, control systems, and window and door repair and replacement.
- Other activities that are necessary to maintain the operation of and continuity of services in local educational agencies and continuing to employ existing staff of the local educational agency.

Throughout the period of the grant award, the LEA shall comply with all applicable requirements of the Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) authorized by the Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act, 2021 (CRRSAA), including:

CONTINUED PAYMENT TO EMPLOYEES

SEC. 18006. A local educational agency, State, institution of higher education, or other entity that receives funds under “Education Stabilization Fund”, shall to the greatest extent practicable, continue to pay its employees and contractors during the period of any disruptions or closures related to coronavirus.

Certification

To the best of my knowledge and belief, all the information and data in this agreement are true and correct. I acknowledge and agree that the failure to comply with all Assurances and Certifications in this Agreement, all relevant provisions and requirements of the CARES Act, Pub. L. No. 116-136 (March 27, 2020), or any other applicable law or regulation may result in liability under the False Claims Act, 31 U.S.C. § 3729, et seq.; OMB Guidelines to Agencies on Governmentwide Debarment and Suspension (Nonprocurement) in 2 CFR part 3485; and 18 USC § 1001, as appropriate.

Electronic Signature

Carrie Oakes
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<td>To maximize the consistency of students being able to access educational resources and instructional support during the school day and from home and to minimize the impact of learning loss due to the COVID-19 pandemic, we need to replace some of our outdated and inefficient instructional technology for students by acquiring 400 ipads, 400 covers, and 8 charging stations.</td>
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<td>Platforms for communication and distance learning needed for remote students. This includes Seesaw (K-6) and Canvas (7-12).</td>
<td>Platforms used to sustain communication with parents and students (Phone call 5/10/21). Allowable to a) reimburse the district for prior remote learning expenses b) incur new expenses related to actual current/perpetual remote learning circumstances, and/or c) to budget for potential future remote learning expenses. Please note that expenses should not be incurred to purchase property to hold in the unlikely event of potential future remote learning needs.</td>
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<td>We need to acquire fifty-two 70-inch smart high-definition televisions to directly address and maximize student engagement and viewability for all students. Additionally, these televisions have a clearer, sharper, and better picture to maximize engagement and learning for when teachers provide instruction remotely for any student who is quarantined due to exposure to COVID-19.</td>
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<td>Bus Driver Salaries (Driver 1: 4 hr/day x 23 days, Driver 2: 3.5 hr/day x 23 days, Driver 3: 6 hr day x 23 days) This is for drivers to pick up and deliver students and to help deliver meals to area students in need due to COVID-19</td>
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Please describe the expenditures within the account and how they will address a COVID-19 need:

- **290-1-001-20210608**: Provide summer professional development for staff to address a deeper dive into our curriculum, our scope and sequence, and our resources to better prepare our staff to address the learning loss of our students during this pandemic. **Total Expenditures**: $50,000

- **290-1-002-20210608**: Addition of staff members to work as instruction interventionalists within the day to work with math instruction similar to our Title Reading staff. **Total Expenditures**: $250,000

- **290-1-003-20210608**: We would like to purchase touch screen chromebooks for our students to help with intervention especially at home. Our intention is to use digital resources to provide access to parents to help continue learning at home through this digital platform with specific intervention correlated with their child's needs. **Total Expenditures**: $500,000
| Eligible Direct Allocation | Instruction | Regular Certified Salaries | 12. Addressing learning loss among students, including vulnerable populations | Providing an additional 20 minutes to the school day specific to math intervention due to instructional loss because of COVID for all students. | $ | - | $ | - | $ | - | - | 88 E 100 110 0010 000 | Change request: removal of previously approved line-item 290-1-001 ($900,000 value) |
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<td>16. Other activities necessary to maintain LEA operations and services and employ existing LEA staff</td>
<td>We added two staff members to help coordinate with classroom teachers, counselors, social workers, and administrators to ensure a higher level of student success. Salaries of these two staff members were paid with SPARK funding, which ended in December of 2020. I would like to use ESSER II funds to cover the salary for these two teachers for through the end of the 20-21 year. (The last salary paid on Aug 20th payroll,) K-6 Staff 1: $33,573.36 salary, $2,685.87 FICA, $3,798.08 insurance. ($40,057.31). 7-12 Staff 1: $18,935.00 salary, $1,842.12 FICA, $1,424.28 insurance. ($22,201.40)</td>
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<td>Currently, Federal (Title) Funds assist the district in providing MTSS support at the primary level in our elementary school. Due to the loss of instruction and pressure in learning environments, we are wanting to add a MTSS position to our MS/HS staff. This will provide additional support for both students and staff to ensure the time lost due to COVID school closures does not affect the students’ success in the future. The MTSS coordinator will manage student data and implement intervention strategies for students not performing at grade level.</td>
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<td>3. Providing principals and other school leaders with resources to address individual school needs Our current MTSS coordinators at the elementary school have had an increase in students who are eligible for specialized instruction. Due to learning loss and size precautions to remain safe with small cohort groups, the district will be hiring three (3) MTSS paraeducators to assist the certified staff members in continuing to provide this support. This will also give the district the ability to expand the program to reach students who were not receiving services due to the inability to provide adequate staff for the number of students.</td>
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