

ESSER Updates

Winfield City Schools
May 2023



What are ESSER Funds?

The Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) fund is a federal program, approved by the Department of Education as part of a larger COVID-19 aid plan.

- Keeping schools open
- Investing in infrastructure
- Emergency financial assistance for a variety of necessary projects to school districts in the country.

Allowable Costs

- Repairing and improving school facilities to reduce risk of virus transmission and exposure to health hazards.
- Improving indoor air quality.
- Summer Learning Programs
- Address Learning Loss
- Continuation of employment and hiring staff.
- Expansion of facilities.

Winfield City Progress - ARP ESSER

- Renovate floors in Winfield Middle School - Completed
- Renovate current Board Office to WMS classrooms - August 2023 (projected time)
- Reconfigure Sitel Building to Career Tech Center and Winfield BOE - In process
- Hire additional classroom instructional aides - 3 aides hired 2021
- Employ a nurse at WHS - hired 2021
- Summer Reading and Math Camps - Funding began summer 2021
- Employ a Math Coach - hired 2021
- Employ a Curriculum Coordinator - hired 2021
- Employ additional Special Education Teacher - hired 2021
- After school tutoring - began 2022
- Employ In-school Suspension Teacher - hired 2021



ARP ESSER Plan Updates

- Summer learning/enrichment program (Journeys) - Summer 2024
- After-School Tutors FY23-FY24
- Continue funding two paraprofessionals FY22-24
- Continue funding an in-school suspension teacher
- Continue funding current math coach FY24
- Continue funding current curriculum coordinator FY24
- Fund an intervention specialist at WMS FY24
- Continue funding one nurse - FY23-24
- Purchase Career Tech Program materials and supplies

Winfield City ARP ESSER Reserve Plan Updates

- After School Program (Journeys) - FY23-24
- Summer Program (Journeys) - FY23-24
- Homework Parent Nights
- In-school Tutoring
- Summer Reading and Math Camps - FY23-24
- Summer School at Winfield Middle School
- Continue to employ one paraprofessional FY23-24

Questions/Comments

As always our system welcomes all questions/comments

Winfield Board of Education

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