ESSER III - ARP (Elem. and Secondary School Emergency Relief - American Rescue Plan)
Overview

• At least 20% or (\$1,696,419) must be used on the following:

	20% Projects
1	High-quality tutoring
2	Bridge programs
3	Enrichment programs
4	Credit recovery
5	Extended school year
6	Extended School Day (before and after school)
8	Summer programming
9	Class-size reduction
10	Family support resources

Examples for RSU 10 are the costs of our expanded summer programs, additional staff for 21-22 for reducing class-size and adding additional interventions. Tutoring. Cost of the Remote Academy.

The remaining 80% can be used on any of the following:

Additional Projects

Any activity authorized by ESEA

Any activity authorized by Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA)

Any activity authorized by Adult Education and Family Literacy Act (AEFLA)

Any activity authorized by Carl D. Perkins Career and Technical Education Act of 2006 (Perkins CTE)

Coordinating preparedness and response efforts with State, local, Tribal, and territorial public health departments to prevent, prepare for, and respond to COVID-19;

Training and professional development on sanitizing and minimizing the spread of infectious diseases:

Purchasing supplies to sanitize and clean the SAU's facilities

Repairing and improving school facilities to reduce risk of virus transmission and exposure to environmental health hazards;

Improving indoor air quality

Addressing the needs of children from low-income families, children with disabilities, English learners, racial and ethnic minorities, students experiencing homelessness, and foster care youth;

Developing and implementing procedures and systems to improve the preparedness and response efforts of LEAs;

Planning for or implementing activities during long-term closures, including providing meals to

eligible students and providing technology for online learning;

Purchasing educational technology (including hardware, software, connectivity, assistive technology, and adaptive equipment) for students that aids in regular and substantive educational interaction between students and their classroom instructors, including students from low-income families and children with disabilities;

Providing mental health services and supports, including through the implementation of evidence based full-service community schools and the hiring of counselors;

Planning and implementing activities related to summer learning and supplemental after-school programs;

Addressing learning loss;

Examples for RSU 10 are additional technology for 1:1 at the middle school level, building upgrades regarding HVAC, ventilation, space. Additional Transportation for summer programming and meal delivery. Contracts for counseling services, professional development regarding interventions, technology and social emotional learning and equity.

Funds actually need to be obligated and expended by September 2023.

- SAU plan for Safe Return to In-Person Instruction: <u>COVID-19 Update to see the new</u> information about returning to school in fall of 2021-22.
- Provide the link of the plan RSU 10 will have a link on our Website when the plan is completed.
- Describe the process of obtaining public comments: <u>There is a Google Form at this link</u> for public input! <u>Form for Public Input on ESSER III</u>