

# ROCK HILL LOCAL SCHOOLS AMERICAN RESCUE PLAN/ ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY SCHOOL EMERGENCY RELIEF FUND PLAN

On March 11, 2021, a third ESSER Fund (ARP ESSER) was authorized by the enactment of the American Rescue Plan (ARP) Act. The act includes more than \$122 billion in block grants to State educational agencies and school districts to safely reopen and sustain the safe operation of schools. The ARP/ESSER funds will be spent over the course of a three-year period. Rock Hill Local Schools will receive \$6,718,422.15 from the American Rescue Plan Act. One requirement of the ARP Act is that 20% of these funds must be used to provide services that decrease the impact of learning loss caused by the COVID-19 pandemic and the resulting school closures. A second requirement is the collection of public opinion. The following plan was developed by the Rock Hill Administration considering the feedback we have received to date. We will continue to review feedback as it is received. Another requirement for receiving funds from the ARP Act is that districts make their planned use of funds available for public viewing. Rock Hill Local School's plan is listed below:

## Rock Hill Local Schools ARP ACT Use of Funds 2021-2024

Additional Teaching Staff and Extended Learning Opportunities to Address learning loss associated with the COVID 19 Pandemic.	\$691,923.02/year (\$2,075,769.06 for 3 years)
Instructional Supplies	\$166,666.67/year (\$500,000 for 3 years)
Additional Support to address cleaning and sanitation efforts.	\$47,551.03/year (\$142,653.09 for 3 years)
Professional Development to address challenges/needs resulting from the COVID 19 Pandemic.	\$100,000/year (\$300,000 for 3 years)
School Facility Improvements and Construction	\$1,000,000/year (\$3,000,000 for 3 years)
Additional School Buses	\$100,000/year (\$200,000 for 2 years)
Safety Supplies	\$166,666.67/year (\$500,000 for 3 years)

**TOTAL: \$6,718,422.15**