

Dufur SD 29 - 2229 - Annual Questions

Dufur Annual SIA Report

Question	Response
1 There are clear impacts from the reduction in SIA funding and from the direct efforts to respond to COVID-19. While you can't fully set those aside, what is important for your community, including focal student groups, families, and educators, to understand about your SIA implementation efforts during the 2020-21 school year and the positive impacts that have occurred? How were you able to make progress towards the goals and outcomes you were aiming at with SIA funding and processes? (500 words or less)	We met the reduction in funding by narrowing our focus, we started with K and 1 reduced our class sizes which had a big impact. Covid hybrid allowed deeper relationships to be established with students, staff and families we are continuing to build upon that. Our students thrived both academically and social emotionally.
2 What barriers, impediments, or challenges to your SIA implementation have you faced or identified that are helpful for your community and/or state leaders to be aware of? (500 words or less)	The reduced amount that we got slowed us down a little bit. We were not able to implement everything that we wanted to due to the reduced level of funding.
3 SIA implementation includes ongoing engagement with focal students, the families of focal students, and educators. What successes and challenges, if any, have you experienced in maintaining engagement? (500 words or less)	The challenges is that we have not been able to do as much one on one face to face, other then that we have had great success with contacting all of our students and families. Techonology like Remind and other platforms have added to our success and outreach to maintain our communication with our stakeholders.
4 Please share your professional assessment of what guided your choices and prioritization efforts in the first year of SIA implementation? What stands out? Anything important or surprising to report back or reflect on? How were key decisions on scaled down implementation made? What impacts, if any, are helpful to name in how you navigated through the last year, specifically as it relates to SIA implementation? (500 words or less)	What stands out is that if you have small classes you will make greater progress that was proven correct. What surprises us was that we had academic and social emotional gains even through Covid. We are in discussions with staff about 4 day academic week and enrichment Fridays.
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