



St. Anne Grade School #256
ARP ESSER III
Use Of Funds
2021-2022

St. Anne Community Consolidated School District #256 strives to provide a safe and secure learning environment for all students at all times. In addition to a SAGS Safe Return to School Plan, the District has created a ARP ESSER Use of Funds Plan.

Each LEA that receives ARP ESSER funds must develop a plan for its use of ARP ESSER funds. The plan must contain, at a minimum, the extent to which and how the funds will be used to implement prevention and mitigation strategies that are, to the extent practicable, consistent with CDC guidance; how the LEA will use the funds it reserves under section 2001(e)(1) of the ARP Act to address the academic impact of lost instructional time; how the LEA will use its remaining ARP ESSER funds; and how the LEA will ensure the interventions it implements will respond to the social, emotional, mental health, and academic needs of all students and particularly those students disproportionately impacted by the COVID-19 pandemic.

The following are sources of federal funding and summaries associated with expenditures that aid in the re-opening of our school and addressing the issues students and staff face with the ongoing pandemic. Expenditures will be consistent with CDC guidance in an effort to provide a safe learning environment for all students while addressing the academic impact of lost instructional time due to the pandemic.

Upon successful completion and approval of ESSER III Grant application, this plan will be reviewed at a minimum of every 6 months in order to update as needed.

Recovery Funding:

- ★ ESSER I - Received in 2020 - to be spent by September 2022
 - Building and Facility preparation for initial reopening to increase protection.
 - Enhanced technology for staff and students including hotspots to increase equity.
- ★ ESSER II - Received in 2021 - to be spent by September 2023
 - Continued Building and Facility preparation for continued reopening
 - Continued increased supply of cleaning supplies and personal protective equipment for staff and students
- ★ ARP ESSER III - Allocated but not yet approved in the district - to be spent by September of 2024
 - 20% funds set aside for academic outcome recovery
 - 2023-2024 Extended School Year (Summer School)
 - After School Tutoring
 - Funds dedicated to reducing the spread of COVID-19
 - Continued SEL support for all students

Conclusion:

As mentioned previously, the St. Anne Community Consolidated District #256 believes that the physical and mental health of our students is a top priority. We believe the Return Plan for 2021-2022 and the ARP ESSER Use of Funds Plan supports the emphasis by the Illinois State Board of Education and State Superintendent to return to in-person instruction. In addition, with following the CDC, IDPH, and ISBE guidelines the SAGS #256 District believes it can achieve the goal of full-day in-person learning in a safe manner for the 2021-2022 school year.