

Indian River School District News

Financial Summary – Fiscal Year 2022:

Date: 08/31/2021 Percentage of fiscal year: 17%

	Anticipated Receipts	Actual	Funds Not Yet Received	Percentage Received
State Funds	FY22 Preliminary Budget has not yet been approved.	\$ 89,554,499	FY22 Preliminary Budget has not yet been approved.	FY22 Preliminary Budget has not yet been approved.
Federal Funds		-		
Local Tax		3,125,679		
Total Revenues		\$ 92,680,178		

	Budget	Actual	Remaining Spending Authority	Percentage Spent
Total Expenditures	FY22 Preliminary Budget has not yet been approved.	\$ 33,699,406	FY22 Preliminary Budget has not yet been approved.	FY22 Preliminary Budget has not yet been approved.

District Happenings:

- Southern Delaware School of the Arts was named a National Blue Ribbon School for 2021. It was one of three schools in Delaware and 325 nationwide to receive the honor. Overall, it is the district's 11th Blue Ribbon award since 2001.
- Gwen Gillespie, a paraprofessional at Georgetown Elementary School, was named IRSD Educational Support Professional of the Year for 2021-2022.
- October 25-29 is Special Education Week in the Indian River School District.
- Sussex Central High School was recently named a Delaware World Language Proficiency Champion School.

Major Capital Improvement Progress:

- The district hosted a beam signing ceremony at the new Howard T. Ennis School on October 13. District and state officials celebrated the completion of the frame of the new school by signing the last steel beam before it was welded into place in the structure of the building.
- The Board of Education approved schematic drawings for the new Sussex Central High School on September 27. Architects will now proceed with the design phase for the new building.

Carver Consent Order Update:

- Summer progress reports for former Carver students were recently submitted to the Special Master for final review.
- The Equity Steering Committee will begin work in October with Judith Brittingham and Nika Reid serving as co-facilitators.
- The first Community Advisory Board meeting for 2021-2022 was held on October 5. Additional meetings are scheduled for December 9, March 1 and June 9. All will be from 4:30-6:30 p.m. at Millsboro Middle School.

Did you know?

- The district and its bus contractors are still in need of bus drivers and bus aides for the 2021-2022 school year. Interested applicants should contact Shawn Tidwell or Tami Hudson at (302) 436-1000.
- October is National School Principals Month. All IRSD principals are being recognized on the district's social media pages throughout the month.