

Indian River School District News

Financial Summary – Fiscal Year 2024:

Date: 11/30/2023 Percentage of fiscal year: 42%

	Anticipated Receipts	Actual	Funds Not Yet Received	Percentage Received
State Funds	\$ 128,832,185	\$ 117,316,459	\$ 11,515,726	91%
Local Funds	81,764,367	73,810,676	7,953,691	90%
Federal Funds	10,015,511	9,525,401	490,110	95%
Total Revenues	\$ 220,612,063	\$ 200,652,536	\$ 19,959,527	91%

	Budget	Actual	Remaining Spending Authority	Percentage Spent
Total Expenditures	\$ 220,612,063	\$ 71,313,247	\$ 149,298,816	32%

District Happenings:

- Parents of incoming kindergarten students who would like to be considered for school choice for 2024-2025 should complete their application as soon as possible. Parents must first register their child at his/her home school and then submit a choice application. The deadline for applications is January 10, 2024.
- Brynn Crandell of Indian River High School recently captured her third consecutive state cross country championship. She also became just the fifth girl in Delaware history to have the best time in the state championship meet for three consecutive years.

Major Capital Improvement Progress:

- Repairs to the therapy pool at the new Howard T. Ennis School have been completed and the pool has been filled in preparation for start-up. The district is expected to take possession of the pool area by the end of December.
- Construction of the Howard T. Ennis greenhouse is underway with additional materials for the structure to be shipped soon.
- Construction of the new Sussex Central High School is proceeding on schedule.

Carver Consent Order Update:

- Dr. Linda Rhen has announced that she will resign the position of Special Master effective December 30.
- Attorneys are currently engaged in a collaborative process to select a successor to Dr. Rhen. The Board of Education will receive official notification once a new Special Master has been appointed.

Did you know?

- Several district students have received the African-American Achievement Award from the Southern Delaware Alliance for Racial Justice.
- North Georgetown Elementary School recently inducted 30 fourth- and fifth-graders into the National Elementary Honor Society.
- Indian River High School student Gina Garcia-Perez was awarded the Lee Mitchell Scholarship by Southern Delaware Chorale.