

Grant Community High School District #124

American Rescue Plan Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief Public Hearing

August 19, 2021





Background

- ARP ESSER (or ESSER III) is authorized under Section 2001 of the American Rescue Act.
- These funds are to help safely reopen and sustain the safe operation of schools, as well as address the impact of the coronavirus pandemic on the nation's students.
- The \$1.5 million in allocated funds may be used for expenses from March 13, 2020 through September 30, 2023.
- Not less than twenty percent (20%) of the ARP ESSER allocation is to be used to address learning loss through the implementation of evidence-based interventions and ensure that those interventions respond to students' social, emotional, and academic needs.
- Each grant recipient is to seek public comment on its plan for the safe return to in-person instruction, and subsequently post its plan on its website.



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Return to School Plan

- Grant CHSD #124 will fully return to school with in-person instruction for the 2021-22 school year.
- Additional staffing, materials, and SEL supports will be provided for students.



ARP ESSER Spending (ESSER III)

- SEL -- \$235,000
- Student Learning --\$400,000
- Curricular -- \$178,000
- Summer School -- \$160,000
- Technology -- \$490,000
- Building Improvement -- \$37,000



Questions?