

Indian River School District News

Financial Summary – Fiscal Year 2025:

Date: 10/31/2024 Percentage of fiscal year: 33%

	Anticipated Receipts	Actual	Funds Not Yet Received	Percentage Received
State Funds	\$ 127,961,785	\$ 114,476,960	\$ 13,484,823	89%
Local Funds	84,235,078	68,707,814	15,527,264	82%
Federal Funds	9,367,681	9,427,750	(60,069)	101%
Total Revenues	\$ 221,564,544	\$ 192,612,524	\$ 28,952,019	87%

	Budget	Actual	Remaining Spending Authority	Percentage Spent
Total Expenditures	\$ 221,564,544	\$ 61,916,178	\$ 159,648,366	28%

District Happenings:

- Indian River High School ended the fall sports season on a high note by winning two state football championships on the same weekend. On Nov. 29, the IRHS unified flag football team defeated Caesar Rodney 45-32 in the state final at Delaware State University. The next day, Indian River captured the Delaware Class 1A Football Championship with a thrilling 47-45 victory over Tatnall at Abessinio Stadium in Wilmington. Congratulations to both teams!
- Weapons detection systems will be used at the gym entrances for boys basketball games at Indian River and Sussex Central high schools this winter sports season.

Major Capital Improvement Progress:

- At the new Sussex Central High School, cast stone at the main entrance is nearing completion; grading and concrete work are continuing at the athletic field complex; metal panel installation is taking place in numerous locations; painting is underway in the main gym; and mechanical, electrical and ductwork are taking place in multiple areas.
- Upgrades to the auditorium at the existing SCHS have been completed.

Carver Consent Order Update:

- The district provided its required quarterly updates on the progress of former G.W. Carver students on Nov. 1.
- The Community Advisory Board held its latest meeting on Dec. 5 at the Howard T. Ennis School.

Did you know?

- Millsboro Middle School science teacher Sarah Betlejewski and her students were selected as a State Finalist in the 2024-2025 Samsung Solve for Tomorrow competition. Sarah has been awarded \$2,500 in Samsung technology for her classroom and now has the chance to compete for a \$12,000 prize and the title of State Winner.
- The Sussex Central High School eSports Chess Team won the Mid-Atlantic Regional Championship on Dec. 10.