Arcanum-Butler Local School District

Disadvantaged Pupil Impact Aid

&

Student Wellness and Success Plan

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Disadvantaged Pupil Impact Aid (DPIA)

The district received $41,012 of DPIA funding in FY26, and is estimated to receive $44,598 in FY27. DPIA funding is used for school safety and security measures. Each year, the school district contracts with the Village of Arcanum to employ a full-time School Resource Officer (SRO).

	Partner	FY26	FY27	Total
School Resource Officer	Arcanum Police Department	$42,470	$44,598	$87,068

Student Wellness & Success Funds

For FY27, the District is estimated to receive $235,486 of Student Wellness and Success Funds. In addition to the current allocation, the District had $178,015 of carryover Student Wellness and Success Funds from FY26. During FY27, Student Wellness & Success Funds will be used for a combination of mental health services, student success liaison and physical health services.

Initiative # 1 – Mental Health Services

The district has partnered with the Recovery and Wellness Centers of Midwest Ohio to offer mental health counseling for our students. With the use of these funds, the district added 1 more day a week of services that allows the counselor to meet with any student in need with parent permission. The district has been able to double the number of students who have access to mental health counseling.

	Partner	FY26	FY27	Total
Mental Health Therapy Services	Recovery & Wellness	$17,500	$23,625	$41,125

Initiative # 2 – Student Success Liaison

The district partners with Darke County Recovery and National Trail Local School District to provide school/community liaison for the purpose of providing support to the instructional programs. Specific responsibilities include communicating available support programs to students/parents, referring families to other agencies, and fostering ongoing partnerships between home and the school district.

	Partner	FY26	FY27	Total
Student Success Liaison	Recovery & Wellness	$24,075	$25,290	$49,365

Initiative # 3 – Mental Health Services

The school district employs a full-time school counselor to serve grades K-8 and a school counselor for grades 9-12. School counselors works alongside mental health therapist and the student success liaison to provide services to students in need.

	Partner	FY26	FY27	Total
School Counselors	N/A	$151,725	$155,901	$307,626

Initiative # 4 – Physical Health Services

The school district employs a full-time school nurse to serve students during the school day.

	Partner	FY26	FY27	Total
School Nurse	N/A	$127,389	$131,875	$259,264