



The Winnebago School District plans to use the ESSER funds to increase mitigation strategies to safely operate schools for in-person learning and expand capabilities to accommodate one-to-one learning strategies. To accomplish this, the district will use these funds to increase the educational support and additional staffing in an effort to assist struggling learners including those from low income and minority families as well as students with individual education plans.

The district will use portions of this grant to procure maintenance supplies and capital equipment to create a sanitary environment. This includes quality cleaning materials, projects to increase airflow efficiency, and protective equipment for students and staff. These measures will help with prevention and mitigation strategies that are, to the extent practicable, consistent with CDC guidance.

We will also provide a comprehensive needs assessment of each school, including taking into account the needs of migratory children, homeless youth, and other underserved students, in relation to the State academic content standards and the State student academic achievement standards described in section 1111(b)(1). These funds will support students in a manner that will help them improve their academic skills and meet the state academic standards, including lost instructional time and learning loss.

It will provide opportunities for all children to meet the State's proficient and advanced levels of student academic achievement described in section 1111(b)(1)(D). We feel this additional support will strengthen the core academic program in the school and provide the interventions needed for helping students reach rigorous standards.

The district provides meaningful consultation with all stakeholders through the Strategic Plan, which includes students, parents, school and district administrators, teachers, principals, support staff, unions, and other educators. The Board is updated monthly on the strategic plan; therefore, the public has the opportunity to provide input on the ESSER Funds plan through this process.

The remaining funds in the final year are expected to be used to procure a ventilation system upgrade for one of the elementary schools to ensure a clean air environment. Furthermore, the remaining funds will be used for retaining new staff members.