

East Hampton UFSD

American Rescue Plan (ARP)

July 1, 2021 - September 30, 2024 Tentative Dates

Purpose:

The American Rescue Plan (ARP) Act requires Local Education Agencies (LEAs) to spend at least 20% of their ARP-ESSER allocation to address learning loss that may have been created due to the Covid Pandemic. This will be accomplished through our Summer School Programs. The 2021-22 enacted New York State budget directs that the required State Education Agency (SEA) set-asides be allocated as grants to specified school districts.

Another portion of these ARP funds may be utilized to enhance our HVAC systems in all of our buildings to help minimize the spread of germs/viruses. The remainder may be used to help offset some of the costs for our Covid/Pandemic-related professionals who have done so much in helping our students and employees to get through this tough time and any future needs they may have.

The health and safety of everyone who enters our buildings and grounds continue to be our top priority. This plan will be re-evaluated and updated continuously by our Administration based on the changing needs of our student population, faculty, staff, and all other stakeholders. These plans provided are fluid, as we continue to learn the ever-changing requirements of the spending. Administration is continuously attending trainings and receiving updates from the State Education Department (SED), Suffolk County Department of Health, and the Center for Disease Control (CDC).

Thank you for your continued support of the East Hampton UFSD.