

Morrison Community Unit District 6
Elementary & Secondary School
Emergency Relief Funds (ARP ESSER III)
Spending Plan 2023-2024

In response to the COVID-19 pandemic, the federal government initiated the Elementary & Secondary Emergency Relief (ESSER) Fund. For Morrison CUSD 6, the total amount of dollars allocated for the 3rd installment titled the American Rescue Plan (ARP)/ESSER III is \$1,007,890. These funds are to be used to keep students and staff safe, as well as overcoming student learning loss. Consistent with section 2001(e) of the ARP Act, Morrison CUSD 6 has developed a use of funds plan. The district used surveys from parents and staff from 2020-2021 school year, CDC guidance for schools, and other input to determine needs for the district with these funds. The following is a general plan for utilizing the funds at Morrison CUSD 6.

AREAS OF FOCUS

- STUDENT LEARNING LOSS
- STAFFING

STUDENT LEARNING LOSS

- After school tutoring programs
- Summer enrichment programs
- Intervention programs (3-5 Reading interventionist, RTI aide, K-2 & 6-8 math interventionist)
- New math curriculum & online learning platform to support additional learning
- Assessment programs

STAFFING

- Employee salaries and benefits for employees who are supporting learning loss programs
- Hiring 3-5 reading interventionist for additional support at the elementary level
- K-2 and 6-8 math interventionist for additional support for students struggling