

American Rescue Plan (ARP) & Foundation Aid Plan

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MALVERNE UNION FREE SCHOOL DISTRICT

American Rescue Plan (ARP-ESSER)

- New York State has been allocated nearly \$9 billion in ARP-ESSER funds, with a minimum of \$8.09 billion (90 percent) going to local education agencies, including public schools.
- Malverne Union Free School District has been allocated \$2,135,564
- Of the District's total, the following amounts must be dedicated toward specific areas:
 - \$100,002 for summer enrichment/summer programming
 - \$100,002 for after school programming
 - \$499,996 to address learning loss



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Districts are also required to prioritize spending on *non-recurring* expenses in the following areas:

- Safely returning students to in-person instruction;
- Maximizing in-person instruction time;
- Operating schools and meeting the needs of students;
- Purchasing educational technology;
- Addressing the impacts of the COVID-19 pandemic on students, including the impacts of interrupted instruction and learning loss and the impacts on low-income students, children with disabilities, English language learners, and students experiencing homelessness;
- Implementing evidence-based strategies to meet students' social, emotional, mental health, and academic needs;
- Offering evidence-based summer, afterschool, and other extended learning and enrichment programs; and
- Supporting early childhood education.



Foundation Aid

- For the 2021-22 school year, the Malverne Union Free School District received a foundation aid increase of 16% or \$1,095,543.
- The State requires us to post a plan of how the increased Foundation Aid will be used to address student performance and need, including but not limited to:
 - **Increasing graduation rates and eliminating the achievement gap;**
 - **Reducing class size;**
 - **Providing supports for students who are not meeting, or who are at risk of not meeting, state learning standards in core academic subject areas;**
 - **Addressing student social-emotional health; and**
 - **Providing adequate resources to English language learners, students with disabilities, and students experiencing homelessness.**



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