



## Holton Public Schools

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Dear Holton Community:

The pandemic has had a profound impact on teaching and learning. State and federal resources have been provided to schools to support student academic recovery and maintain safe and healthy students, staff, and communities. Holton Public Schools has applied to receive Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief Funds (ESSER) to address learning recovery from the impact of COVID-19. All of our stakeholders were invited to complete a survey to help us develop a plan to use these resources. Results of the survey can be found on our website.

With your input we will be using ESSER III resources in the following way:

- Director of Instructional and Intervention Services to coordinate supports for students
- Additional teachers to reduce class sizes
- Elementary math intervention teacher
- Instructional para pros to support small group instruction
- Additional cleaning crew to maintain clean facilities
- Premier subs to cover staff who are sick
- Increase elementary behavioral support
- Air Purification (ionization units)

At the Board of Education meeting on December 13, 2021, the public had the opportunity to review the survey results, give input on priority areas, and help develop how funds will be spent.

Thank you for your feedback in this process. We are committed to supporting our students to achieve their highest potential.

Respectfully,

Dr. Adam Bayne  
Superintendent