



# Early Literacy Support Block (ELSB) Grant

Board Meeting

September 2, 2021

Agenda Item No. 9.1

Approval of ELSB Action Plans and 4 Site Budget Form

Presented by:

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# SCUSD ELSB Schools

A.M. Winn Waldorf-Inspired Elementary

Ethel I. Baker Elementary

John D. Sloat Elementary

John H. Still K-8 School

# OVERVIEW & History of the ELSB Grant

SB 98, Section 114 Statutes of 2020 establishes an Expert Lead in Literacy:

Sacramento County Office of Education (SCOE)

Pivot Learning / CORE: Project Partner

# Goals of the ELSB Grant

The Goal of the Early Literacy Support Block Grant is to develop and implement literacy instruction and support programs, particularly focused on literacy in early grades (TK/K–3), ultimately resulting in improved student outcomes.

# Year 1 - Planning Phase

Orientation	December 2020
Evidence-based Reading Instruction and Assessment Professional Learning Series	January - February 2021
Root Cause	March 2021
Literacy Needs Assessment	April 2021
Literacy Action Plan	May 2021
Action Plans Due	May 30, 2021
Literacy Action Plans approved by SCOE/Pivot/CORE, CDE, and LEA Board	Conditionally approved per your approval

# Understanding the ELSB Grant Action Plans

OVERVIEW (Required)

Current Site/LEA ELA/ELD Instructional Plan

Section 1: PLANNING PHASE

# Understanding the ELSB Grant Action Plans

Section 3: (One or more of the following categories required. Must have met criteria OR provide rationale for not including in plan.)

Category 1: Access to High Quality Literacy Teaching

Category 2: Support for Literacy Learning

Category 3: Pupil Supports

Category 4: Family and Community Supports



# Strategies Listed in Action Plans

# Strategies in Action Plan Continued

Hiring of literacy coaches/consultancy support from outside agencies such as SCOE to build teacher capacity in effective literacy teaching and learning

Improve school climate, pupil connectedness, and attendance by conducting home visits.

Implementation of a multi-tiered system of support and the response to intervention approach.

Hiring librarians to expand literacy instruction.

Develop literacy training and education for parents to help develop a supportive literacy environment in the home.

# Budget

ELSB Grant total is \$3,093,976.00 for fiscal year's 2021-2024

A.M. Winn: \$563,140.00

John Sloat: \$563,140.00

John Still: \$943,848.0

Ethel I. Baker: \$943,848.00

# Grant Reporting

Quarterly Reports

Annual Reports

# Year 2 - Next Steps

## Building a Strong Foundation (July 2021-June 2022)

Technical assistance for action plan implementation

CORE's Online Elementary Reading Academy (Cohort 1)

CORE's Reading Fundamentals for Administrators

# Year 3&4 - Next Steps

## Deepening & Sustaining Implementation (July 2022-June 2024)

Technical assistance for plan implementation

CORE's Online Elementary Reading Academy (Cohort 2)

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# Q & A