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# SFSD Student Investment Account

— 3rd Period & Annual Report —

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# SIA Big Picture

HB 3427 Student Success Act

## \$2 Billion Education Investment

- \$200 Million - State School Fund
  - 20% Early Learning Division
  - 50% Student Investment Account
  - 30% Statewide Education Initiatives Account
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There are two stated purposes for SSA funds:

1. Meet students' **mental or behavioral health needs**, and
2. Increase **academic achievement for all students and reduce disparities** for: Students of color; students with disabilities; emerging bilingual students; and students navigating poverty, homelessness, and foster care; and other students that have historically experienced disparities in our schools.

On-Time Graduation &  
5-year Completion Rate

9<sup>th</sup> Grade On-Track

Locally Selected  
Metrics

Curbing Chronic  
Absenteeism

3<sup>rd</sup> Grade Reading  
Proficiency

# Engagement & Feedback

2018-2019: Used data from our surveys and listening sessions with staff, parents, students and the community from our Strategic Plan.

2019-2020: District Equity Team formed, Staff, Students, and Parents Youth Truth Surveys, community partnerships with Sheltering Silverton, multiple foci groups.

2020-2021: Presentations and updates at School Board meetings, School Town Halls, Staff, Students, and Parents Youth Truth Surveys.

# Spending Plan

SFSD has spent just under \$1 Million, our SIA allocation from last year.

- Sequoia Falls Academy
- Increase Social Workers and school Counselors
- Professional Development to implement a Guaranteed and Viable Curriculum district-wide.

# Lessons Learned

- Clear priorities: most at risk students, behavioral and mental health.
- Challenges: COVID, construction, recruiting and hiring, and the need to act quickly.
- Feedback & Engagement: struggle to connect during COVID, struggle to communicate with all stakeholders in their home language, positive personal phone calls, deeper connections.

# Next Steps

2021-2022: \$2,908,994 allocated to SFSD for Student Investment Account

2022-2023: \$3,031,269 allocated to SFSD for Student Investment Account

Priorities:

- Maintenance of current plan
- Guaranteed and Viable Curriculum
- Add a Community Liaison, Welcome Center, Bilingual support
- English Language Arts materials