

# **ESSER Annual Reporting Webinar**

Phase I Data Collection

February 16, 2023

# **Agenda for Today's Presentation**

- Review timeline of Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief Fund (ESSER) Annual Reporting for fiscal year 2022 (FY22) from Oct. 1, 2021-Sept. 30, 2022.
- Walk through Phase I ESSER data collection requirements.
- Provide instructions for how to fill out and submit the Phase I data collection template to the Integrated Data Submission (IDS) portal.



# **Background: ESSER Recovery Funding**

\$540 million

total funding available to LEAs through

**ESSER I-CARES** 

**ESSER II-CRRSA** 

**ESSER III-ARP** 

As a condition of receiving ESSER funds, the Office of the State Superintendent of Education (OSSE) and local education agencies (LEAs) are required to complete annual reporting to the US Department of Education (USED).

**Note:** This webinar is focused on reporting for LEAs that received ESSER I, II, or III funds during FY22 (Oct. 1, 2021-Sept. 30, 2022).



# **ESSER** Recovery Funding Reporting Timeline

January 2023	We are here February 2023	March 2023	April 2023	April– Early May 2023
Organizing and Preparing	Submission	USED Final Deadline		
USED releases reporting form	Phase I data collection  OSSE opens collection portal  ESSER LEAs submit Phase I data	Phase II data collection  ESSER LEAs submit Phase II data  OSSE reviews and works with LEAs to resolve data issues	LEA Leader certifies Phase I & II data in the collection portal  OSSE reviews submitted data and conducts quality assurance reviews	OSSE populates final USED templates OSSE submits ESSER reporting to USED



# **ESSER Recovery Funding Reporting Process**

#### **Phase I: February - March**

Series of true/false questions on spending decisions and one narrative on evidence-based interventions

#### Feb. 16-20: Tools & Resources Published

- Webinars to review data required for the Phase I collection. Register <u>here</u>.
- User guide for Phase I collection posted on ESSER recovery funding website
- IDS portal opens for LEAs on Feb. 20

#### March 7: Data Due to OSSE

 Deadline for LEAs to upload completed templates into the IDS Portal

#### Phase II: March

Detailed expenditure data by spending activity (e.g., health and safety, student academic needs) and by cost type (e.g., personnel, supplies)

#### March 2-7: Tools & Resources Published

- Webinars on to review data required for Phase II collection. Register <u>here</u>.
- User guide for Phase II collection posted on ESSER recovery funding website
- IDS portal opens for LEAs on Mar 7

#### March 21: Data Due to OSSE

 Deadline for LEAs to upload completed templates into the IDS Portal



Action	Location	<b>Estimated Time</b>	
Log into IDS portal and download the template	IDS Portal	< 2 minutes	
Download the instructional guide	OSSE Recovery Funding Website	< 2 minutes	
Complete the reporting template	Spreadsheet downloaded from IDS Portal	~2 hours	
Submit completed template	IDS Portal	5-15 minutes (if errors are found, this step may require corrections to the spreadsheet)	



**TODAY**: LEAs will understand Phase I ESSER data collection requirements

**Safe In-Person Instruction** 

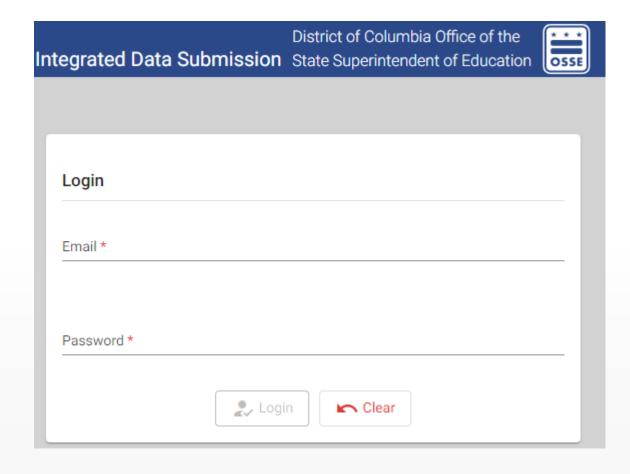
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# Log in to the IDS Portal

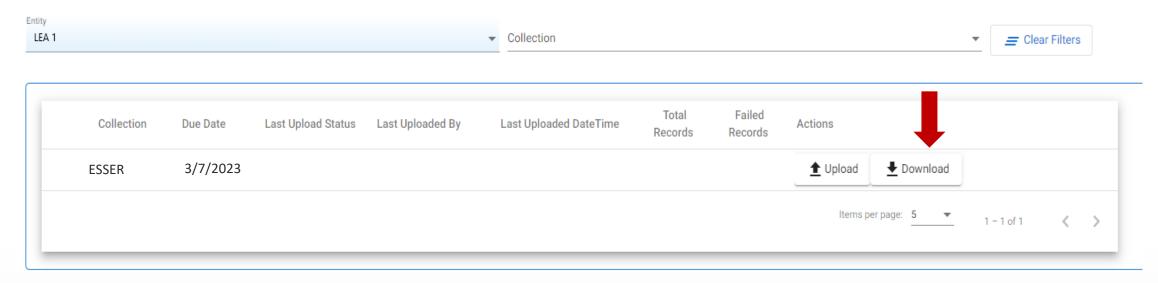


Your IDS credentials were emailed to you by OSSE if you are registered as an LEA Finance/Grant Manager in the IDS All Staff Application.

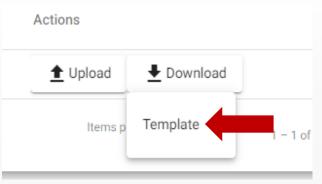
If you do not have credentials, please email OSSE.ESSER@dc.gov for support.



# **Download the ESSER Reporting Template**



- Locate the *Download* button in the ESSER
   FY22 Phase 1 collection row and click it.
- 2. Select *Template*. The **ESSER FY22 Phase 1** Template workbook will download to your computer.





# **Access the Instructional Guide**



District of Columbia
Office of the State Superintendent of Education

## FY21 USED ESSER REPORTING

LEA Instructional Guide

March 16, 2022

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# Data Requested by USED

Did the LEA spend ESSER funds on any of the items below to maintain safe in-person instruction?

- Promoting vaccination
- Consistent and correct mask use
- Physical distancing
- Screening testing to promptly identify cases, clusters and outbreaks
- Ventilation
- Handwashing and respiratory etiquette
- Staying home when sick and getting tested
- Contact tracing, in combination with isolation and quarantine
- Cleaning and disinfection



## **Safe In-Person Instruction**

2	Category	LEA Details	Maintaining Safe	Maintaining Safe In-Person Instruction. Did the LEA expend ESSER funds on any of the items below (note, ESSER refers to ESSI						
3	Element	LEA Name	Promoting vaccination	Consistent and correct mask use	Physical distancing	Screening testing to promptly identify cases, clusters, and outbreaks	Ventilation	Handwashing and respiratory etiquette		
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## Data Requested by USED

Did the LEA use ESSER funds to provide home internet access for any students in FY22? (T/F)

What types of home internet services were provided by the district using ESSER funds?

- Mobile hotspots with paid data plans
- Internet connected devices with paid data plans
- LEA pays for the cost of home internet subscription for student
- LEA provides home internet access through an LEA-managed wireless network
- Other (please describe)



## **Provide Internet Access**

2	Category	LEA Details	ESSER Funds to Provide Internet Access	ESSER Funds to Provide Internet Access What types of home Internet services were provided by the district using ESSER funds? Internet						
3	Element	LEA Name	Did this LEA use ESSER funds to provide home Internet access for any students in fiscal year 2021?	Mobile hotspots with paid data plans	Internet connected devices with paid data plans	LEA pays for the cost of home Internet subscription for student	LEA provides home Internet access through a LEA-managed wireless network	Other		
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# **Data Requested by USED**

Did the LEA seek to reengage students with poor attendance or participation?

#### Types of strategies:

- Direct outreach to families
- Engaging the school district homeless liaison
- Partnering with community-based organizations
- Offering home internet service and/or devices
- Implementing new curricular strategies to improve student engagement
- Offering credit recovery and/or acceleration strategies
- Other (please describe)



# **Reengaging Students**

1	Category	LEA Details	Funds to Reengage Students			How did the LEA seek to	reengage students with po	or attendan
3	Element	LEA Name	Did the LEA seek to reengage students with poor attendance or participation? (Mark TRUE or FALSE) Mark TRUE if the LEA undertook any strategies to reengage students with poor attendance or participation, regardless of whether ESSER or other funding were used for these purposes.	Direct outreach to families	Engaging the school district homeless liaison	Partnering with community-based organizations	Offering home internet service and/or devices	Impler curricula impro eng
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# Data Requested by USED

Did this LEA allocate some portion of ESSER funds to schools in this reporting period?

If yes, indicate whether the below criteria were used to allocate ESSER funds to schools.

- Flat amount per school or per pupil
- Number or proportion of students at the school with specific curricular needs, such as students with disabilities or English learners
- Number or proportion of students at the school who are eligible for Free or Reduced-Price Lunch and/or other indicators of low-income background
- Measure(s) of lost instructional time ("learning loss")
- Stakeholder or community input
- Title I status
- Other (Please describe)



## **Allocation of ESSER Resources**

1 2	Category	LEA Details	Allocation of ESSER Resources within LEA		I	How did this LEA allocate ESSER funds?
3	Element	LEA Name	Did this LEA allocate some portion of ESSER funds to schools in this reporting period? Note, ESSER refers to ESSER I, ESSER II, and ESSER III funds	Flat amount per school or per pupil	Number or proportion of students at the school with specific curricular needs, such as students with disabilities or English language learners	Number or proportion of students at the school who are eligible for Free or Reduced-Price Lunch and/or other indicators of low-income background
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### **ESSER III-ARP 20%**

As a requirement of the ESSER III-ARP grant, LEAs must spend a minimum of 20 percent of their total allocation to address learning loss through evidence-based interventions and ensure that those interventions respond to students' social, emotional, and academic needs. These activities should address the disproportionate impact of coronavirus (COVID-19) on underrepresented student subgroups.





# **ESSER III Mandatory Requirement**

2	Category	LEA Details				Which activities or	interventions did the
3	Element	LEA Name	Summer learning or summer enrichment	Afterschool programs	Extended instructional time (school day, school week, or school year)	Tutoring	Additional clas
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## Data Requested by USED

Please describe how the selected activities or interventions address the disproportionate impact of COVID-19 on each underserved student group.

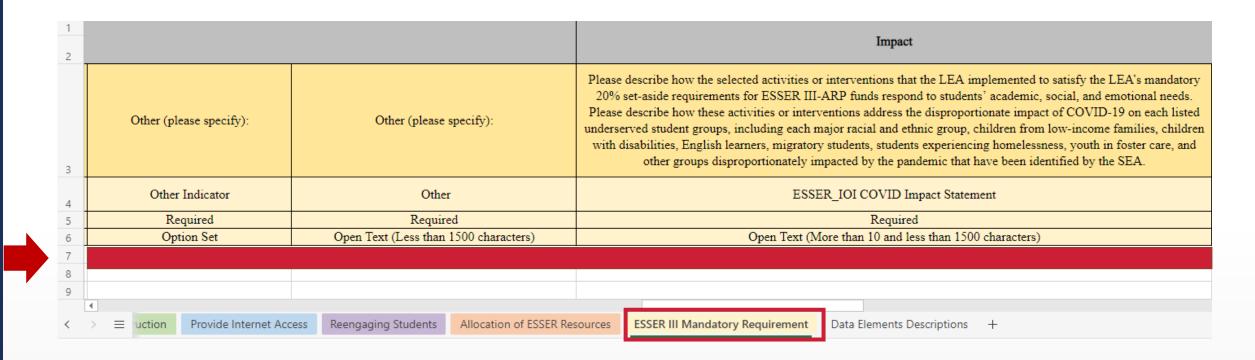
Please include the following in your response:

- Identify which underserved groups listed in the question represent students served at your LEA.
- Describe the impact of COVID-19 on those student groups.
- Explain how the evidence-based interventions, identified in columns C Q, address those impacts.
   (3000 characters max)

Note: LEAs may refer to their ESSER III-ARP application or Continuing Education Plan (CEP) to complete the narrative for this section.



# **ESSER III Mandatory Requirement**





# **ESSER Reporting Support**

**Data Elements Definitions:** OSSE has included detailed descriptions of each question and option on the final tab of the template.

Tab	Element Type	OSSE	Required?	Drop-Down Menu?	Definition	Directions	Permitted Values
Safe In Person Instruction		Handwashing respiratory etiquette	Yes	Yes	Whether the LEA expended ESSER (SEA Reserve and/or mandatory subgrant) funds on handwashing and respiratory etiquette.		True/False
afe in Person Instruction		Staying home when sick	Yes	Yes	Whether the LEA expended ESSER (SEA Reserve and/or mandatory subgrant) funds on staying home when sick and getting tested		True/False
afe In Person Instruction		Tracing Isolation Quarantine	Yes	Yes	Whether the LEA expended ESSER (SEA Reserve and/or mandatory subgrant) funds on contact tracing, in combination with isolation and quarantine		True/False
afe In Person Instruction		Cleaning Disinfection	Yes	Yes	Whether the LEA expended ESSER (SEA Reserve and/or mandatory subgrant) funds on cleaning and disinfection		True/False
rovide Internet Access		Did this LEA use ESSER funds to provide home Internet access for any students in fiscal year 2021? (Mark TRUE or FALSE)	Yes	Yes	Whether the LEA expended ESSER (SEA Reserve and/or mandatory subgrant) funds to provide home internet access for students	In column C, select TRUE or FALSE to indicate if the LEA expended ESSER I-CARES, ESSER II-CRRSA, or ESSER III-ARP funds to provide home internet access to students during FY21 (October 1, 2020 – September 30, 2021).	True/False
ovide Internet Access		Mobile hotspots with paid data plans	Yes	Yes	Whether the LEA expended ESSER (SEA Reserve and/or mandatory subgrant) funds to provide mobile hotspots with paid data plans	In columns D – G, select TRUE or FALSE for each internet service type.	True/False
rovide Internet Access		Internet connected devices with paid data plans	Yes	Yes	Whether the LEA expended ESSER (SEA Reserve and/or mandatory subgrant) funds to provide internet-connected devices with paid data plans		True/False
rovide Internet Access		LEA pays for the cost of home Internet	Yes	Yes	Whether the LEA expended ESSER (SEA Reserve and/or mandatory subgrant) funds to provide a		True/False
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# **ESSER Reporting Support**

- Reducing burden: OSSE will prepopulate as much as possible
- Communication and training:
- Webinar to provide instructions on completing Phase I reporting data collection
- K12 Grants Newsletter will have updates, including upcoming deadlines
- March 2 webinar on how to submit your LEA's Phase II reporting data collection
- Answering questions:
  - Submit questions to <u>OSSE.ESSER@dc.gov</u>
  - Reach out to your ESSER grant specialist directly



