LITTLE ROCK SCHOOL DISTRICT READY FOR LEARNING PLAN

IN RESPONSE TO COVID-19
FOR THE
2020-2021 SCHOOL YEAR



Quarterly Update

October 2020

LITTLE ROCK SCHOOL DISTRICT'S READY FOR LEARNING QUARTERLY UPDATE

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

The Little Rock School District strives to ensure equitable access to effective, innovative educational programming, resources and supports for all students and staff members; engagement of all stakeholders in the educational environment; and achievement for all students at all grade levels. The Little Rock School District's Ready for Learning Plan was developed with ongoing input from parents, students, teachers, administrators and district level staff. Our goal is that this Quarterly report provides an informative outlook on the District's academic and safety measures that the District has established. We will continue to seek your engagement on how we can better serve , support, and perform for all stakeholders.

- The guidelines referenced in this plan are based on guidance from the Arkansas Department of Elementary and Secondary Education (DESE) and Arkansas Department of Health (ADH).
- The District has made regular updates to this plan as new guidance has been received by the Arkansas Department of Health and the Division of Elementary and Secondary Education.
- Arkansas Center for Health Improvement has recently provided school district-level <u>COVID-19</u>
 data. The data on this website are provided to help inform local decision makers, including
 policymakers, school personnel and parents, about the impact of COVID-19 in their communities.
- The District strives to ensure transparency at all times, at all levels; therefore, this report provides a quarterly update of the District's resources, supports, and processes that have been provided. The District is proud of the accomplishments that have been made during this unprecedented time and will continue to assess the areas of need and provide interventions and supports to the identified areas of need.

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ACADEMIC UPDATE

Elementary

1st Quarter:

<u>Interim Grades</u>(Click the link for the Full Report)

ES: A- 50,475 (70%) B- 6,049 (8%) C- 3,993 (6%) D- 1,558 (2%) F- 9,600 (13%) I- 757 (1%)

Final Grades(Click the link for the Full Report)

ES: A-51,913 (68%) B-9,572 (13%) C-6,503 (8.5%) D-2, 306 (3%) F-5,361 (7%) I-169 (.2%)

Secondary

1st Quarter:

Interim Grades(Click the link for the Full Report)

MS: A-13,949 (39%) B-4,253 (12%) C- 3,182 (9%) D- 2, 471 (7%) F- 10,555 (2%) I- 1, 295 (4%) HS: A-14,762 (36%) B-5,146 (12%) C- 3,584 (9%) D- 2,682 (6%) F- 14,153 (34%) I- 1, 130 (3%)

Final Grades (Click the link for the Full Report)

MS: A-14,198 (37%) B-6253 (16%) C-5141 (14%) D-4028 (11%) F-6635 (17%) I- 1671 (4%) HS: A-14,818 (35%) B-7467 (18%) C-5404 (13%) D-4342 (10%) F-8561 (20%) I-1525 (4%)

Average Daily Attendance/ Average Daily Membership Report

1st Quarter Data(Click the link for the Full Report)

NWEA Data

1st Quarter Data(Click the link for the Full Report)

Additional Academic Information is located in the links below. The District also encourages all students and parents to access the LRSD Academic Helpline for additional academic support and technology support. Licensed teachers, teacher interns, and City Year Corps members provide the academic support.

Student Plans and Supports

Academic Helpline Data

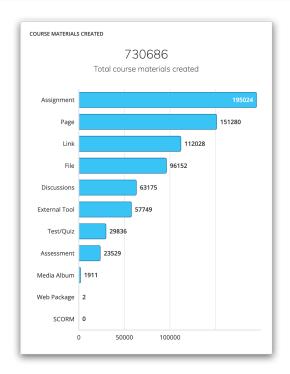
Specific Plans/ Interventions

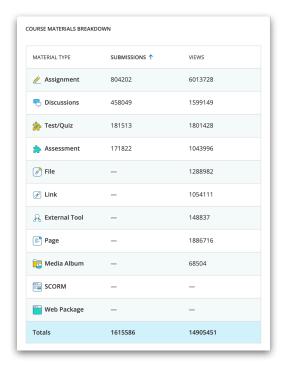
Mental Health Supports

Guidance & Counseling Supports



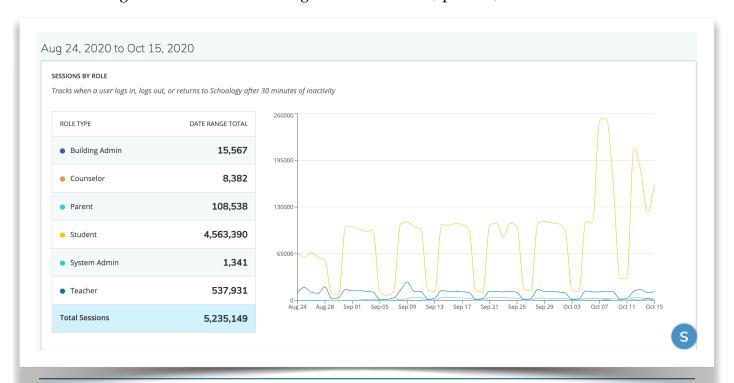
Schoology Analytics Learning Management System





Diagrams #1 and #2 indicate the number of assignments, assessments, discussions that occurred within the District's Learning Management System (LMS)- Schoology.

Diagram #3 indicates the usage data of students, parents, and educators.



Students	Students Who Accessed Schoology Between 8/24 and 9/24			
Student accessed Schoology	Onsite/Traditional Learning	Virtual/Remote Learning	Not Assigned	Grand Total
No	1951	339	49	2339
Yes	8730	11068	20	19818
Grand Total	10681	11407	69	22157

This diagram indicates the number of students who have accessed the District's Learning Management System, Schoology.



Monday - Thursday

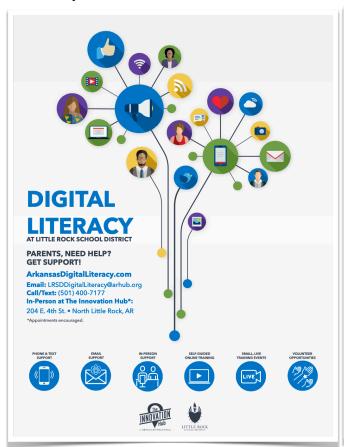
Elementary Academic Helpline 4pm to 7pm Secondary Academic Helpline 5pm to 8pm

Log on through classlink!



Parent Support

The <u>Innovation Hub</u>, in partnership with the <u>Little Rock School District</u> (LRSD), developed resources for parents, students, and teachers to obtain the training and support that they need.





LRSD COVID-19 Cumulative Report			
Type	Quarantine	Positive	
Student	336	63	
Staff	788	114	
Total	1124	177	

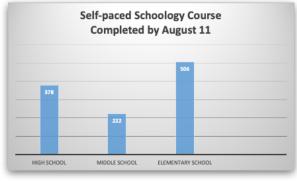
LRSD Daily/ Weekly COVID-19 Reports

Educator Support

Starting July 20th n July 28 and 29, 150 Schoology Ambassadors, selected from all District schools to support site-based training and support, participated in a 3-hour virtual

professional development session with a Schoology Consultant. Ambassadors then begun planning professional development to deliver on August to staff members. staff members were challenged to complete the self-paced Schoology course by August 11; the response was well received.





On August 12, each campus completed six hours of Schoology professional development which was facilitated by the building Schoology Ambassadors.

Tech Time Participants

During the month of July, LRSD began Tech Tuesday, various one-hour technology sessions were offered during the month throughout the workday and afternoon.

Session topics included the following:

Basic Google Slides
Google Slides
NearPod
Microsoft Basics
AR Digital Sandbox
Schoology
Mastery Reports
Sync

Google Drive and Basic Docs	
AR Digital Sandbox	
Pear Deck	
Microsoft Office 365	
Schoology & Microsoft Teams	
Using Google Drive/One Drive	e
Schoology & Grading Rubrics	

	Basic Forms and Sheets Intermediate
	Advanced AR Digital Sandbox'
	Microsoft Teams
	Schoology Learning Objectives
	Student Modifications/Differentiation &
•	Schoology Learning Objectives &
	Schoology Grade Setup & Gradebook

LITTLE ROCK SCHOOL DISTRICT- READY FOR LEARNING QUARTERLY UPDATE

EXPENDITURES

Educational Technology, Personal Protective Equipment, and Academic Support/ Resources

Little Rock School District, in partnership with the City of Little Rock and the Arkansas Department of Education, has provided the following resources and supports in the efforts to support the academic, health, and safety of our students, support staff, and educators.

Description	Quantity	Funding Source	Cost
Mobile MiFis	2500	Title IV	\$500,000.00
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Chromebooks	2000	Title IV/ Cares Funding	\$534,100.00
Laptops: Student	500	ADE	\$0.00
PPE: Face Shields	3400	CARES Funding	\$10,339.74
PPE: Masks	3500000	CARES Funding	\$880,175.00
PPE: Sanitization Wipes	15, 120	CARES Funding	\$53,675.79
Electrostatic Backpack Sprayers	55	CARES Funding	\$94,120.90
Non-contact Infrared Thermometers	200	CARES Funding	\$10,900.00
PPE: Hand Sanitizer	7530	CARES Funding	\$40,914.24
PPE: Eye Goggles	120	CARES Funding	\$503.58
Laptops: Educators	2000	CARES Funding	\$1,737,460.00
NearPod	1	Special Ed./PD Funding	\$30,000/ \$20,000
Respondus Lockdown Browswer	1	C&I	\$5,695.00
Lexia for Elementary Schools	1	City of Little Rock/ESA Funding	\$180,000/ \$61,574.80
Quaver for K-8 Music and PE	1	Title IV	\$56,800.00
Art of Education/ Flex for K-12 Visual Arts	1	Fine Arts	\$34,124.00
Smart Music Curriculum for K-12 Music	1	Fine Arts	\$5,470.00

Description	Quantity	Funding Source	Cost
Digital SLP for Speech-Language Pathologists	1	Special Education	N/A
Art at Home Kits		Fine Arts	\$557,171.91
Tools to Grow for OT/PT Services	1	Special Education	N/A
Rosetta Stone for begining EL Support	1	Title III	\$53,000.00
Unique Learning Curriculum for CBI	1	Special Education	N/A
Newsela for all Middle and High Schools	1	Grant Funding	\$139,930.00
Schoology- LMS	1	CARES Funding	\$165,438.00
Docking Stations	2000	CARES Funding	\$303,020.00
Amplified Systems	1311	CARES Funding	\$1,813,423.19
Child Nutrition Equipment & Supplies	275042	CARES Funding	\$68,362.45
Disinfectant Solution	120	CARES Funding	\$16,142.96
PPE: N95 Kits	60	CARES Funding	\$4,815.00
Fundations At Home Kits for Grades K-3	6918	Title 1	\$27,114.16
Total			\$6,857,740

