

# Foundation Aid & COVID Federal Funding Update

**October 6, 2022**

Board of Education Planning Session, 6:30pm

# Rye Neck COVID Federal Funding Summary

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Stimulus Fund Name	Amount(\$)
Coronavirus Aid, Relief and Economic Security Act ( <b>CARES</b> )	\$ 72,580
Coronavirus Relief Response Supplemental Act ( <b>CRRSA</b> )	211,266
American Rescue Plan ( <b>ARP</b> )	474,817
American Rescue Plan ( <b>ARP-611</b> ) Homeless Children and Youth and IDEA Part B, 611	73,311
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 831,974</b>

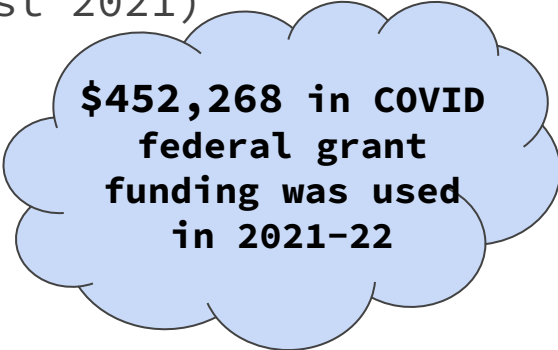
# How much **CRRSA** and **ARP** funding was used in the 2021-22 school year?

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CRRSA, entire grant amount of **\$211,266** was used in 2021-22:

- Two elementary teachers
- Kindergarten aide
- Mental health presentation (MS/HS)
- Costs related to districtwide COVID testing

ARP, **\$241,002** of the grant was used in 2021-22:

- Districtwide summer programs (July & August 2021)
- Elementary guidance counselor
- Elementary AIS teacher
- Intramural sports program (6th grade)
- Mental health presentation (MS/HS)
- Outdoor learning space development



**\$452,268 in COVID  
federal grant  
funding was used  
in 2021-22**

# What will **ARP** grant funds be used for in the 2022-23 school year?

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At July 1, 2022, the ARP grant had a balance of **\$233,815**:

- Districtwide summer programs (July & August 2022) utilized **\$58K** of ARP grant funding
- Classroom teacher at FEB
- Two full time aides for kindergarten classrooms
- Outdoor learning space development (MS/HS)
- Mental health presentations (MS/HS)

We expect to fully utilize the remaining ARP funding by June 30, 2023.

# Foundation Aid (2023-2024)

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- Rye Neck has been historically underfunded in the state aid category, Foundation Aid.
  - New York State has made a commitment to fully phase-in Foundation Aid for underfunded districts by school year 2023-24.
  - Estimates from the state indicate that Rye Neck will receive an additional \$600,000 in Foundation Aid for the 2023-24 school year (Rye Neck received an increase of \$642K in the 2022-23 school year).
  - As we have done for the past two years, as a result of this anticipated increase in funding, we are seeking input from the community on how to use the increase in Foundation Aid funds.

# Results of the December 2021 survey

- 43% of respondents wanted funds to be used for additional mental health and emotional support for students.
- Other answers included: Academic support for all students, more social and extracurricular opportunities, summer programs and additional tutoring services, additional staffing and staff development, and investments in technology.
- As a result the 2022-23 Foundation Aid increase (+\$642K) was allocated to:
  - Elementary Guidance Counselor (DW/FEB)
  - AIS Teacher (DW/FEB)
  - Assistant Principal (MS/HS)
  - IT Equipment, Supplies and Services (Districtwide)
  - Intramural sports program (6th grade)

# How to access the 2023-24 **Foundation Aid** survey

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- The survey link will be sent to all families in Dr. Lutinski's weekly update email on Tuesday, October 11
- Foundation Aid 2023-24 Survey ([English](#))
- Foundation Aid 2023-24 Survey ([Spanish](#))

Thank you