

## **Paramount Englewood (PEN)**

Allocations for the Paramount Schools of Excellence Englewood ESSER III grant support various after-school enrichment activities, including STEM and E-Sports Gaming system, specialty printers and supplies, after-school care instruction, and Tutoring Special Education and FACT Team. Additional staff salary allocations that address learning loss and community involvement include STEM staff, DEI Coordinator, and IT, support staff.

Health and safety improvements have been made with ESSER III funds which allowed our facility to have necessary updates to cleaning services, updating the facility and its systems with mold-resistant paint, AEDs, and upgrades to the outdoor fitness to ensure a safe and healthy environment. Staff allocations associated with this area of improvement include janitorial services and nursing staff.

Various supplies were necessary for school operations and student safety, including Chromebook for students, staff laptops, software and licensing diversity-focused library materials, and training/licenses for teaching staff in conjunction with Marion University. Staff allocations utilized to ensure the overall operations for the school returning to in-person operations include the Grant Manager and IT support services.

PEN received \$1,044,525.29 in funding from the ESSER III. Approximately \$675,309.54 is allocated to administrative costs during the grant cycle, and \$369,215.75 is allocated towards learning loss and accelerated learning with 51% Salaries, 6% Benefits, and 10% Technology related 17% Property/Utility, and 16% Supplies.