



# TENNESSEE

PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOL COMMISSION

**LEA AND OPERATIONAL  
UPDATES**

**OCTOBER 17, 2022**

# ESSER/GRANT UPDATES

## Grants Overview

- School Wide Pool (Titles I-IV, IDEA)
  - Final FY23 district allocations
  - IDEA allocation methodology
- Safe Schools
  - FY23 application status
  - School Security Assessments
- Turnaround Action Grants (TAG 2.0)
  - ASD Priority Exit Schools
  - FY23 application status



# ESSER/GRANT UPDATES

## Grants Overview (continued)

- Competitive Grants
  - 21st Century Community Learning Centers
  - Resilient School Communities



# ESSER/GRANT UPDATES

## ESSER Grants

- ESSER 2.0 and ESSER 3.0
  - ASD Carryover
- ESSER Plan
- Other Relief Funding
  - ARP IDEA
  - Best for All
  - TN ALL Corps



# ESSER/GRANT UPDATES

## District Grant/Fiscal Supports

- Application review and feedback
- Grants/Fiscal Updates training
- Weekly Office Hours
- Bi-weekly Newsletter



# BLUFF CORRECTIVE ACTION PLAN

Area of Improvement	Improvement Objectives
Cumulative Progress Toward Academic Goals	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Increase academic achievement and growth in ELA and math by ten percentage points annually on each EOC tested subject.</li><li>• Improve percentage of students in Tier 1 by 15 percentage points from fall to spring (reading and math) on internal assessment data.</li><li>• Increase composite ACT score average by 1.5 points annually until achieving an average of 21.</li></ul>
Chronic Absenteeism	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Reduce number of students chronically absent by 15% each quarter to meet the yearly goal of decreasing chronic absenteeism by 50%.</li></ul>
Suspension Rate	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Reduce number of suspensions to under 35 per year.</li></ul>
Enrollment Trends	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Increase and retain 40 new students for a total enrollment of 590 students for FY24.</li></ul>



# BLUFF CORRECTIVE ACTION PLAN

- September 1 - Plan was submitted and Commission provided feedback to Bluff regarding their plan and instructions to resubmit
- September 15 - Revised plan was submitted
- September 16th - Commission staff met with Bluff to review the plan
- November 16th - Commission staff are visiting Bluff in-person
- January 2023 - We will provide updates at the next Commission meeting. In July, we will provide an update on their year performance under this plan and will determine if they stay on probationary status.



# SCHOOL SECURITY ASSESSMENT UPDATE

- All school security assessments completed
- New annex required by EO 97
- Reviewed for alignment of needs with Safe Schools budgets from schools
- Participated in group feedback session with TDOE related to Security Assessment and unique charter school needs





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