

**PS3013—Program Plan**

The intent and purpose of the American Rescue Plan (ARP) of 2021, Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER III) funding is to help safely reopen and sustain the safe operation of schools and address the impact of the coronavirus pandemic on students.

**Section A— Use of Funds – LEA Allowable Activities**

In this section you will indicate the planned uses of the ARP ESSER III grant funds for the LEA. Select the pre-award and/or school year (SY) the LEA has expended or plans to expend the funds selected. Multiple SY checkboxes may be selected. If the LEA will not be expending funds for the activity, select “N/A”, and be sure no school year or pre-award box is selected.

A response is required in at least one of the following questions: A16, A17, B1, B2, and/or B3 to meet the 20% statutory requirements for learning loss and the impact on lost instruction.

A response is required in at least one of the following questions: A6, A13, A15, A17, B1, B2, and/or B3 to meet the statutory requirement for addressing academic, social, emotional, and mental health needs of students.

**Section B — Use of Funds – LEA Allowable Activities (continued)**

In this section you will indicate the planned uses of the ARP ESSER III grant funds for the LEA. Select the pre-award and/or school year (SY) the LEA has expended or plans to expend the funds selected. Multiple SY checkboxes may be selected. If the LEA will not be expending funds for the activity, select “N/A”, and be sure no school year or pre-award box is selected.

A response is required in at least one of the following questions: A16, A17, B1, B2, and/or B3 to meet the 20% statutory requirements for learning loss and the impact on lost instruction.

A response is required in at least one of the following questions: A6, A13, A15, A17, B1, B2, and/or B3 to meet the statutory requirement for addressing academic, social, emotional, and mental health needs of students.

**Section C — LEA Needs Process**

Line 1--Select the types of activities the LEA followed in conducting its process to identify the added needs caused by the pandemic. Check all that apply.

Line 2—Select the types of processes the LEA followed in prioritizing the needs of the LEA in determining what activities would be funded with ARP ESSER III grant funds. Check all that apply. If all identified needs are being met with ARP ESSER III grant funds, select “All needs met, no prioritization needed.”

**Section D— Maintenance of Equity**

Select only one checkbox: Yes or No or Maybe. If the LEA selects Yes, then you must indicate the exemption criterion met by the LEA. If the LEA selects Maybe, you must submit a waiver request to USDE or amend your application at a later date.

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**Section E— Required Assurances**

LEA must select the checkboxes to indicate compliance with each required assurance.