

Input Sought on Federal Funds

The Chardon Local School District receives annual notification of their entitlement to federal funds which are allocated through the Ohio Department of Education via the Consolidated Continuous Improvement Plan (CCIP). Monies received through IDEA-B (Individuals with Disabilities Education Improvement Act) and ECSE (Early Childhood Special Education) are used to provide special education services to students with identified disabilities, ages 3-21. Title I funds are used for supplemental initiatives, targeted professional development, and parent involvement. Title IIA funds are used for targeted professional development based on district needs. Title III funds are used for students with limited English proficiency and immigrants. Title IV funds are used for well-rounded education initiatives, health and safety of students, and effective use of technology. All funds must align with goals outlined in the district's CCIP.

Public input regarding the use of these funds for the school year is welcomed and encouraged. Comments can be sent to Assistant Superintendent, Ed Klein, or Director of Student Services, Linda Elegante, at 428 North Street, Chardon, Ohio. Input can also be emailed to ed.klein@chardonschools.org or linda.elegante@chardonschools.org

American Rescue Plan IDEA Part B Funds

The Chardon Local School District received American Rescue Plan (ARP) IDEA and Early Childhood IDEA funding that must be spent on the education of students with disabilities. The Chardon Local School District is accepting public comments on the use of these funds. Please send comments to Linda Elegante, Director of Student Services at linda.elegante@chardonschools.org