Introductions

Our Mission
» To Enable Innovation, Communication, Safety, and Transformation through Technology

Our Goals
» Safer & Smarter School Buses
» Improve Student Performance
» Secure Funding for Transportation Technologies
2 Major Funding Buckets Available Now

» Esser II & Esser III Funds
  » Use – Almost anything related to re-opening & covid response

» Emergency Connectivity Fund (ECF)
  » Use - Off Campus Connectivity for schools & libraries
ECF Allowable Uses for Transportation

**Transportation Uses**

» School Bus Wi-Fi
  » Routers & Options
  » Cellular Service

» Tablets
  » Special Need Students

» Other Covered Items
  » Laptops
  » Chromebooks

No Other Usage Allowed
Internet on the bus can also be used to enable remote camera / DVR access

» Reduce Disruptive Incidents

» Improve Response Times
  » Medical Emergencies
  » Accidents
  » Missing Children

» Streamline Contact Tracing

» Real-time Information

» Eliminate pulling hard drives
» Review entire fleet on single map and find any bus, anywhere, anytime
» Route Tracking – playback in real-time or historical
» Real-Time Speed Monitoring
» Set geo-fencing by route Receive
» See signal strength of carrier along the route
Choose your vendor
Understand your cost – (get a firm quote)
Submit a Form 741 through regular e-rate process
  Note if your district has not filed for e-rate in the past, you’ll need to request a Spin #. Typically takes 2 – 3 days. WE CAN HELP!
Your choice –
  Purchase now – or – wait for e-rate notification of approval
  Note – funding approval is based upon 7.17 billion dollars – not your districts e-rate percentage
File BEFORE August 13th
1. Coordination of **preparedness & response efforts** with health depts or other relevant agencies

2. Providing school leaders ability to **address unique needs** of schools

3. Activities addressing unique needs of “at-risk” student groups

4. Developing & implementing systems to **improve preparedness/response efforts**

5. Professional development for staff on sanitization/ **minimizing spread of infectious diseases**

6. **Planning & coordination** efforts for long-term closures

7. **Purchasing EdTech** to facilitate continued learning

8. Planning & implementing **summer/supplemental learning programs**

9. **Addressing learning loss** among students (especially those considered “at risk”)

10. **Other activities** as necessary to maintain operations & continuity of services/continued employment of staff
Student Ridership - Covered

» Covered because it is a contact tracing tool

» GPS by itself isn’t easily coverable because it doesn’t clearly address any of the 10 key areas of covid response as outlined.

» Therefore, complete your request talking about the benefits of student tracking/ridership

» Esser # 1

  » Coordination of **preparedness & response efforts** with health depts or other relevant agencies
Routing Software

» Easily Change Routes in Real-Time
» Improve Driver Confidence & Safety

ESSER # 4

» Developing & implementing systems to improve preparedness/response efforts
Tablet & Digital Forms

» Pre & Post Trip Inspections
» Sanitation Process / Inspections

» ESSER # 4
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**Wi-Fi on or around the bus**

**Esser # 7**

*Purchasing EdTech* to facilitate continued learning

**Esser # 9**

*Addressing learning loss* among students (especially those considered “at risk”)

**Wi-Fi around the bus**

**Esser # 6**

*Planning & coordination* efforts for long-term closures
Esser # 4

» Developing & implementing systems to improve preparedness/response efforts
Camera Systems

Esser # 4
» Developing & implementing systems to **improve preparedness/response efforts**

Esser # 1
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