



INTRODUCTION & OVERVIEW

In the Fall of 2022, North Muskegon Public Schools has the ability to apply for PA 144 Section 98c: Learning Loss. The award of the grant is expected to be around \$50 per pupil. North Muskegon Public Schools is expecting our enrollment to be around 950 which the award for the district to be \$47,500 for the 2022 -23 fiscal year.

The definition of learning loss for this grant was used from the ESSER II grant. Here are the four different areas that are allowable for learning loss:

- Administering high-quality, reliable assessments that can assess student academic progress and assist educators in meeting student needs, including by differentiating instruction.
- Implementing evidence-based activities to meet the comprehensive needs of students.
- Providing information and assistance to parents and families on ways to support students.
- Tracking student performance and engagement in distance learning.

Below are the requirements the district must meet in order to be awarded the grant for PA 144 Section 98c: Learning Loss:

Board Presentation

Mark Mesbergen, Director of Business Services, presented on October 24, 2022 during a regularly scheduled board meeting. The meeting minutes will be posted on the website under the board of education drop-down.

Use of Metrics

North Muskegon Public Schools will be using the NWEA math and reading growth data from 21-22 for 3rd-7th Grades and PSAT/ SAT college readiness data for 8th-11th Grades. The data are located below within this document which is posted on the website.



Budget/Spending Plan

NMPS Estimated Allocation: *\$95,000*

With discussion with the leadership team, North Muskegon Public Schools will focus on the learning loss in three of the four defined areas in the introduction and overview section. The district allocates the following items for this grant:

- The purchase of the NWEA program to have the ability to have assessments to determine where our students are experiencing growth and where additional supports need to be placed.
- Additional math and reading interventionist in our buildings based on the data from grades, and NWEA.
- Purchase additional assessments within the elementary and secondary levels to determine where our students are experiencing growth and where additional supports need to be placed.
- Staff's salary and benefits to administer the additional assessments for the current school year.