

# LEGACY ELEMENTARY SCHOOL LAND TRUST GRANT SUMMARY 2013-14

The School LAND Trust program, established by the Utah legislature in 1999, distributes the "annual dividend" from the permanent State School Fund to all public schools in the state. This is only one source of funding schools receive. It is important because schools determine the use of these funds through their local School Community Council. Parents, teachers, and the school's principal prepare a plan to address academic needs at each school. The plan is then approved by the local School Board. This is a summary of Legacy's School LAND Trust Grant for 2013-14. You can learn more at [schoollandtrust.org](http://schoollandtrust.org)

**Funding for Legacy Elementary 2013-14**  
**\$47,896**  
 Carryover from 2012-13: \$6,082  
**Total: \$53,978**  
**Total spent: \$53,978**

**Legacy Mission Statement:**  
**EVERYBODY LEARNS**  
**EVERY DAY**

## How were funds used?

**Legacy Booster Club:** Before and after school small group intervention for students identified for further instruction in literacy.

**Den Time:** Intervention during school to provide additional instruction for students, as well as extensions or enrichment for students who already understand concepts.

**Technology:** iPads for students.

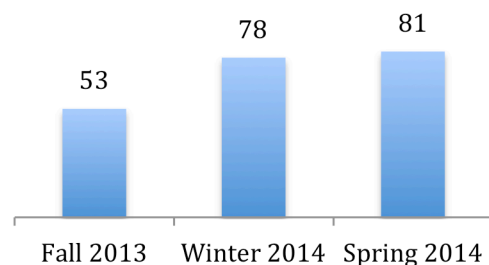
**Teacher Assistants in Classrooms:** Assistants increase the adult/student ratio to provide more help for students.

**Professional Development:** Teachers received training in literacy to improve instruction.

**Student Assessment:** Teachers receive additional time and support to assess and evaluate student achievement levels.

**Goal: Increase student reading levels. Use the Developmental Reading Assessment (DRA) to establish a new baseline for student improvement in reading. This new level will be aligned with the Utah Core Curriculum.**

**DRA - Legacy Elementary 2013-14 percent of students at benchmark**



**Goal: Increase student writing levels as measured by school-level writing rubrics. Evaluate current rubrics to align with more rigorous Utah Core Standards.**

**Legacy Writing Assessment 2013-14 percent of students at benchmark**



## School Land Trust Grant 2014-15

**Funds allocated: \$46,078**

**Goal: Improve student achievement in literacy**

**How are funds being used this year?**

- Booster Club
- Professional Development/Summer Collaboration Grants for teacher teams
- Den Time
- Student Assessment, including funding for MasteryConnect. MasteryConnect is a technology-based tool for teachers to administer, track, and evaluate classroom assessments to improve instruction.