

School Land Trust
Distribution
2018-2019 Carry Over
\$5,000
2019-2020 Distribution
\$101,188
Expenditures for 2019-2020
\$106,188

2019-2020 Land Trust Spending Areas

- 1- Provide time for teachers to meet together respond to student data and or needs.
- 2- Provide professional development for teachers.
- 3- Integrated Arts instruction through the Beverly Taylor Sorenson Grant.
- 4- Provide access to technology for teachers and students.
- 5- Provide aide support for students working with academics, behavior, and attendance needs.
- 6- Provide software, supplies, and materials for classrooms for engaging content.

School Community Council

Pony Express Elementary has an active and supportive School Community Council (SCC). The council meets throughout the year to review student performance data, safety, and other school improvement concerns. Our current SCC members are:

Celena Wunder	SCC Chair
Kellie Campbell	Vice Chair
Tisha Carney	Parent Member
Daniel Schmidt	Parent Member
Amber Hall	Parent Member
Betsy Powers	Employee Member
Ben Larson	Employee Member
Aaron Stevenson	Principal Member

The SCC contact information and meeting dates are posted on the school website. We hold elections for the SCC in the fall. If you are interested in participating in the SCC, please contact a member of the council.

Pony Express Demographics

2018-2019

Enrollment	885
Race/Ethnic Minority	16%
English Learners	1%
Econ. Disadvantaged	24%
Students with Disabilities	17%
Consistent Attendance	78%

Pony Express Elementary



Our Mission:

All students will recognize and experience success through achievement and growth.



Stakeholders Report
2019-2020 School
Year

2019-2020 Trust Land Goal

Pony Express, kindergarten through third grade teams, will have a 5% increase in the composite benchmark score of the Dynamic Indicators of Basic Early Literacy Skills (DIBELS) Test, from the 2018-2019 Middle of the year test (MOY) to the 2019-2020 MOY test.

The percentage of students reaching proficiency will increase by 2% in all RISE tested subjects at the end of the 2019-2020 school year as compared to the 2018-2019 school year.

2018-2019 Trust Lands Report

Pony Express students will increase their reading and writing scores on the Educational Software for Guiding Instruction (ESGI), DIBELS and or SAGE assessments by 2% as compared to the scores from the previous year.

Math: 1% increase, 2018 44% Proficient, 2017 43% Proficient

English Language Arts: 1% increase, 2018 51% Proficient, 2017 50% Proficient

Science: 5% increase, 2018 52% Proficient, 2017 47% Proficient

DIBELS: 4% increase, 2018 72% at/above benchmark, 2017 68% at/above benchmark

School Supports

We are grateful to the PTA for the tremendous support they provide the school. Their contribution is invaluable. Below are some of the opportunities that are available because of the support of the PTA and the community.

Open House, Ryder Run, Volunteers for Hearing and Vision Screenings, Safety Week, Red Ribbon Week, Parents and Pastries, Trading Post, Patriotic Week, Santa Shop, and so much more

Pony Express is an active, practicing Professional Learning Community. Teachers meet regularly in collaborative teams to identify best practices, utilize data to target instruction, provide intervention, while utilizing the PLC Results Cycle.