

ESSER Funding for Cognia Services

Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) funds are authorized under the CARES, CRRSA, and ARP¹ acts. With similar criteria, all three acts enable such funds to be broadly used to accelerate learning and support teacher professional development. The funds are authorized for use on Cognia professional learning opportunities, resources and services on the Cognia Improvement Platform, and specialized improvement services.

Cognia provides an array of continuous improvement solutions to members of the Cognia Global Network—a worldwide community of passionate educators, all committed to addressing today’s educational challenges and creating a promising future for all learners. You can take advantage of many solutions through our membership program, and choose to accelerate your progress on specific initiatives with scheduled or customized professional learning, targeted diagnostic reviews, and powerful strategic plans. All of these services are eligible for funding through the ESSER Fund.

Request a conversation to learn more about how you can use your funding.

While every school or institution has unique challenges, educators across the world face some common concerns. Here’s a sampling of what you can find with Cognia and pay for with ESSER funds.

Accelerated Learning

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How do you know what students know and are able to do?

How can you support students who need help adjusting to different learning modes?

Cognia services

- Cognia Formative and Interim Assessments
- Cognia Continuous Improvement process and online platform; which include collaborative data-gathering components
- Cognia Learning Community

Professional learning topics

- Increase Assessment Literacy
- Put Instructionally Embedded Formative Assessment into Action
- Accelerate Learning through Common Assessment with PLCs
- Strategies for Formative Assessment and Collaborative Learning
- Progress Monitoring and Feedback
- Methods and Strategies to Differentiate Learning

¹ CARES: Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security
CRRSA: Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations
ARP: American Rescue Plan



Strategic Planning

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How can I build an effective and compelling plan while I am absorbed in responding to today's needs?

What initiatives have worked well in other schools?

How can I improve communication and buy-in with internal and external stakeholders?

Cognia services

- Cognia data-driven Continuous Improvement process, including the Strategies module on our online platform
- Expert Diagnostic and Accreditation Reviews
- Customized facilitation of your strategic planning process

Professional learning topics

- Creating a Growth Mindset
- Introduction to Cognia's Improvement Process
- Exploring the Strategic Thinking Process
- Tools to Support Continuous Improvement

Academic Support

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Is our team motivated and engaged by a continuous improvement mindset?

Are we focused on the right issues to address underperformance?

Cognia services

- Cognia Continuous Improvement process and online platform; which include collaborative data-gathering components
- Diagnostic Review service for guided self-assessment and expert facilitation of inquiry
- Student Engagement Reviews

Professional learning topics

- Curriculum Mapping
- Creating Effective Learning Environments
- Engage All Students Through Instructional Strategies
- Progress Monitoring and Feedback
- Creating a Culture of Thinking with Effective Questioning
- Customized professional development plans and topics



Digital Learning

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How do I establish an equitable virtual or hybrid learning environment?

What strategies can I use to overcome technology limitations and maximize learners' access to instruction?

Cognia services

- Effective Learning Environments Observation Tool® (eleot®) for digital learning
- Cognia Learning Community
- On-demand and scheduled workshops tailored to your specific challenges

Professional learning topics

- Introduction to the Cognia observation tool for digital learning
- Extended Family Support for Virtual Learning
- Engage All Students Through Instructional Strategies
- Creating a Culture of Thinking with Effective Questioning
- Progress Monitoring and Feedback

[Talk with us](#) about how you can use your funding.