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# Federal Emergency Relief Programs Office Hour

**Presented by:** The FERP Team



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What's this all about?

## Today's Objectives

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Participants will be able to use ESSER funds effectively and in alignment with federal requirements. Topics that will be discussed include:

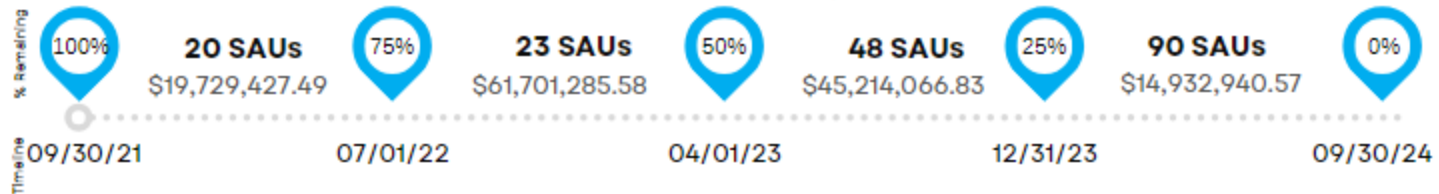
- ✓ Timelines and Spending
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- ✓ Friendly Reminders

# Timelines and Spending

# ESSER – ARP Funding

## \$141,577,720.47 - 152 Days

(as of 05/01/2024)



ARP ESSER III funding must be:

- **obligated by September 30, 2024** and
- **invoiced by December 30, 2024 - preferably MUCH sooner!**

An obligation is the legal liability to pay immediately or at a later date. A table illustrating when a sub-recipient has made an obligation is available in 2 CFR § 76.707.

# ESSER – ARP Funding



## **Please Note:**

If ARP ESSER III funds were reimbursed under an incorrect project, the **ONLY** way to address the inaccuracy is to return funding because ARP ESSER III is project-based application/invoicing.

# Late Liquidation Extension

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**IMPORTANT:** Only activities that have been properly and timely obligated by 9/30/24 may be considered for late liquidation extension.

More information will be provided at the webinar hosted on

**May 21, 2024 at 11:00AM**

Register in advance for this meeting at <https://mainestate.zoom.us/j/91234567890>

# Performance Report



# FY 23 ESSER Performance Report

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- FY 2023 ESSER performance report was due by **April 12, 2024**
- Report is based on reimbursements in **Fiscal Year 2023 - 7/1/22 to 6/30/22**
- Available at <https://www.4pcmaine.org/>
- We have **67.74% completion** rate as of May 1, 2024
- Please help us get to 100% completion by **May 15, 2024** when we need to start reporting to the U.S. Department of Education.
  
- If you need help, check out these resources:
  - **Blank Copy** of the FY 2023 ESSER Performance Report ([PDF](#))([Word](#))
  - **New Webpage**, [www.maine.gov/doe/fedrelief/ESSERPRFY23](http://www.maine.gov/doe/fedrelief/ESSERPRFY23)

# Friendly Reminders

# Federal Fiscal Office Hours

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Please share this opportunity with your Business Managers!

The Federal program offices:

- Office of Federal Emergency Relief (ESSER)
- Elementary and Secondary Education Act (ESEA)
- Office of Special Services and Inclusive Education (IDEA)
- Career and Technical Education (Perkins)
- Office of Child Nutrition

host an Office Hour the **4th Thursday of every month** to focus on fiscal matters like invoicing, time and effort, policies and procedures, and/or maintenance of effort.

Registration link available at <https://networkmaine.zoom.us/j/89161353831>

# Resources

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ESSER Page: <https://oese.ed.gov/offices/education-stabilization-fund/elementary-secondary-school-emergency-relief-fund/>

EANS Page: <https://oese.ed.gov/offices/education-stabilization-fund/emergency-assistance-non-public-schools/>

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