

St. Clair County Intervention Academy

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On July 14, 2022, Governor Gretchen Whitmer signed into law Public Act 144 of 2022. Section 98c (MCL 388.1698c) of the act appropriates \$52,056,000 in federal funding for local education agencies to address learning loss as part of the Governor's Emergency Education Relief (GEER) Fund and part of the Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) II Fund. The funds support goal 5 of Michigan's Top 10 Strategic Education Plan. With district plans to accelerate instruction in addressing learning loss, students can get back on track to graduate. This will increase the percentage of students who will graduate from high school.

98c Learning Loss Plan

Similar to students in the rest of the state and country, Intervention Academy students have suffered the impact of lost or "unfinished" learning related to mitigation efforts (reduced time in class) of COVID-19. Having experienced a loss in learning, or unfinished learning, especially at their "home" or previous school, Intervention Academy students are farther behind in their progress towards graduation. More than 95% of Intervention Academy students are behind their cohort peers in credits earned towards graduation.

The St. Clair County Intervention Academy has always, and will always, work to close learning gaps as well as support students in their efforts to earn and/or recover credits with an end goal of graduation.

To that end, St. Clair County Intervention Academy will commit all of the State allocated 98c funds, with the direct intention to mitigate learning loss via the following:

Teaching and Learning

o <u>Strategy</u>

- Edgenuity After-Hours support (Monday Thursday 4pm-9pm)
- o <u>Metrics</u>

-Credits earned (Average credits earned per student)

-Meeting daily and weekly Edgenuity course progress goals (75% or higher goal attainment).

-Increase in GPA (entering vs exiting GPA)

- Budget for 98c
 - Teachers for to provide Edgenuity after hours support