

Delta South Elementary School
Review of the 2019-2020 Land Trust Plan

Goal 1: Participate in the Beverly Taylor Sorenson Arts Grant

We continue to employ a fine arts teacher who teaches visual arts. We pay 20% of her salary and benefits from Land Trust money.

Goal 2: Employ additional personnel

We planned on continuing the employment of one 5.75 hour person and two 3.5 hour people. One of our part-time people wanted full time so we increase her hours. Currently we have two 5.75 hour people and one 3.5 hour person. The additional staff gives us the opportunity to provide individualized and small group instruction for Tier II, provide additional personnel for our dedicated power hour, and give some help to teachers by helping with progress monitoring.

Goal 3: Student Achievement/Professional Development

This goal area was created to provide materials for classroom teachers in all areas of the curriculum. Monies have been used to purchase additional reading curriculum resources, intervention resources, additional math manipulatives, and leveled readers for take home books.

Teachers are holding PLC's twice a month to look at data to drive instruction. Money is being used to pay them for four additional hours per month for the school year. This has resulted in increased awareness of student growth, changes to instruction, specific interventions for groups of students, and the conversation revolves around the students and their needs.

For professional development – we sent two people to the November PLC conference. With some of our carryover – we will help send two more people to the June PLC conference.

Software licenses for Read Live were purchased for classrooms. We also renewed the license for Raz Kids (an online reading site).