



# K-12 Education Stimulus Funding



Eligible ENA Services	CARES Act ESSER I \$13.2 Billion <a href="#">MORE INFO</a>	CARES Act GEER I \$3.0 Billion <a href="#">MORE INFO</a>	CRRSA ESSER II \$54.0 Billion <a href="#">MORE INFO</a>	CRRSA GEER II \$4 Billion <a href="#">MORE INFO</a>	ARP ESSER \$122.8 Billion <a href="#">MORE INFO</a>	ARP Emergency Connectivity Fund \$7.2 Billion <a href="#">MORE INFO</a>
<b>CONNECTIVITY</b>						
ENA Beacon Private LTE	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
ENA Internet Access	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
ENA WAN	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
ENA Air and Wireless Solutions	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
Kajeet Hotspots & Wi-Fi Bus Solutions	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
<b>COMMUNICATION</b>						
ENA SmartVoice VoIP Solution	✓		✓		✓	
ENA SmartUC Unified Communications Solution	✓		✓		✓	
<b>SECURITY</b>						
ENA Security Solutions	✓		✓		✓	
ENA Cloud Solutions	✓		✓		✓	
SentinelOne Endpoint Protection (ENA is an authorized reseller)	✓		✓		✓	
<b>STUDENT ENGAGEMENT</b>						
CatchOn Engagement Analytics	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
BrainPop (ENA is an authorized reseller in TN only)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
Zoom (ENA is an authorized reseller)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	



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<b>ESSER Funds</b> ESSER Fund (CARES Act) / ESSER II Fund (CRRSA Act) / ARP ESSER (ARP Act)	<b>GEER Funds</b> GEER I / GEER II	<b>ARP Emergency Connectivity Fund</b>
<p><b>The CARES Act</b> includes allowable uses of funds related to preventing, preparing for, and responding to COVID-19. ESSER funds may be used for the same allowable purposes as ESSER II and ARP ESSER.</p> <p><b>ESSER II</b> funds may be used for the same allowable purposes as ESSER and ARP ESSER, including hiring new staff and avoiding layoffs. Note that the “additional” LEA allowable uses of funds under the CRRSA Act (addressing learning loss, preparing schools for reopening, and testing, repairing, and upgrading projects to improve air quality in school buildings) already are permitted under the CARES Act.</p> <p><b>ESSER ARP</b> funds require that an LEA must reserve not less than 20 percent of its total ARP ESSER allocation to address learning loss through the implementation of evidence-based interventions and ensure that such interventions respond to students’ academic, social, and emotional needs and address the disproportionate impact of COVID-19 on underrepresented student subgroups. The remaining ARP ESSER funds may be used for the same allowable purposes as ESSER and ESSER II, including any activity authorized by the ESEA and IDEA, educational technology (hardware, software, connectivity, assistive technology, and adaptive equipment), and tracking student attendance and improving student engagement in distance learning.</p> <p><b>Source: ARP Fact Sheet</b>  <a href="https://oese.ed.gov/files/2021/03/FINAL_ARP-ESSER-FACT-SHEET.pdf">https://oese.ed.gov/files/2021/03/FINAL_ARP-ESSER-FACT-SHEET.pdf</a></p>	<p>The CARES Act GEER I and CRRSA GEER II includes allowable uses of funds related to preventing, preparing for, and responding to COVID-19. Governors may provide subgrants to LEAs and IHEs within their jurisdiction that have been “most significantly impacted by coronavirus” to support their ability to continue providing educational services to their students and to support the “on-going functionality” of these entities. In addition, a Governor may use these funds to provide support through a subgrant or a contract to other LEAs, IHEs, and education-related entities that the Governor “deems essential” for carrying out emergency educational services, providing child care and early childhood education, providing social and emotional support, and protecting education related jobs.</p> <p><b>Source: GEER Fact Sheet</b>  <a href="https://oese.ed.gov/files/2021/01/FINAL_-GEER_FactSheet_1.8.211.pdf">https://oese.ed.gov/files/2021/01/FINAL_-GEER_FactSheet_1.8.211.pdf</a></p>	<p>The final ECF Rules were adopted by the FCC on May 10, 2021. A 45-day ECF filing window will soon be opened to first provide funding to schools and libraries for purchases during the coming school year, July 1, 2021 to June 30, 2022 for eligible equipment and services. If there are remaining funds after the initial application window, a second window will open for eligible equipment and services previously purchased from March 1, 2020 to June 30, 2021.</p> <p><b>Eligible Broadband Equipment:</b> Wi-Fi hotspots, modems (including air-cards), routers, devices that combine a modem and router, and connected devices.</p> <p><b>Connected Devices:</b> Defined as laptop and tablet computers. Excludes desktop computers and mobile phones, including smartphones.</p> <p><b>Eligible Services:</b> Unless there is no Internet access service available to purchase in an area, to qualify for funding as advanced telecommunications or information services, schools and libraries will only be reimbursed for purchasing a commercially available service providing a fixed or mobile broadband Internet access connection for off-campus use.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Under Appendix B, these services include: cable modem, DSL, leased lit fiber (FTTH or FTTP), satellite, and wireless.</li> <li>• With the one exception for areas where no service is available for purchase, it excludes funding for dark fiber and the construction of new networks, including self-provisioned networks.</li> <li>• Does not allow funding for additional equipment for network expansion, including antennas, cell towers, CBRS, TWWS base stations, or drone-powered Internet, and other such wireless network equipment, except where no service is available for purchase.</li> <li>• Does not apply minimum service standards.</li> </ul> <p><b>Source: FCC Order</b>  <a href="https://docs.fcc.gov/public/attachments/FCC-21-58A1.pdf">https://docs.fcc.gov/public/attachments/FCC-21-58A1.pdf</a></p>