High-Impact Tutoring Beyond ESSER Funds

The proven transformative power of high-impact tutoring

High-impact tutoring can significantly improve graduation rates, especially by focusing on interventions in grades two/three literacy and grades 8/9 algebra.

Even though ESSER funding is running out, alternative funding sources are available for tutoring programs.

Strong tutoring programs embed tutors within the school day, either in the class or down the hall, creating a strong connection between tutors and teachers.

Beyond ESSER Funds: Alternative Funding Sources

High-impact tutoring = more grads = more $ for schools! Invest in student success, invest in the future.

Consider these alternative funding options for high-impact tutoring

- **Title I funds**: Repurposing existing allocations can be used for tutoring in early reading (grades 2-3) and algebra 1 (grades 8-9).
- **AmeriCorps Grants**: 3-year AmeriCorps grants fund 80% of tutoring costs.
- **Hawkins Program**: U.S. Department of Education teacher preparation funds
- **Federal Work-Study**: Federal work-study pays college tutors (financial aid). More $ for off-campus jobs (tutoring) = more tutors!
- **Apprenticeships**: U.S. Department of Labor apprenticeship funds

Students who do not pass grade 9 Algebra are four times less likely to graduate from high school.

Saga Education is a national leader in high-impact, in-school tutoring that leverages the power of human capital and technology to accelerate student outcomes and create more equitable learning.

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