

Proposition 28: Arts and Music in Schools Funding

Annual Report

Fiscal Year 2024–25

Name: Sulphur Springs Union
CDS Code: 1965045-0000000
Allocation Year: 2023-24

1. Narrative description of the Prop 28 arts education program(s) funded. (2500 character limit).

During the 2023-2024 school year, all nine schools in the Sulphur Springs Union School District provided an arts education for all students. The District is committed to supporting students with an arts education since there is evidence to support that students that are exposed to an arts education have increased self-esteem and self-confidence. In addition, students' language and mathematical skills are greatly supported if they have the opportunity to learn a musical instrument and/or sing in a choir. At all nine schools, the primary grade students learned the foundations of music, such as beat, rhythm, and melody. In grades third through sixth, students began to learn how to read music, keep time and beat, learn eye/hand coordination, and develop their ears and listening skills. The District hired a full-time credentialed music teacher as well as part time music teachers to support the arts education program. Students had the opportunity to participate in choir and learn how to play recorders and Ukuleles. There were choir and Ukulele performances in the springtime of 2024 that parents were invited to attend. The data in the Annual Report reflects the Arts and Music in Schools Funds (AMS) that were expended to implement the Art Education Program for the Sulphur Springs Union School District during the 2023-2024 academic year.

2. Number of full-time equivalent teachers (certificated). 1.0

3. Number of full-time equivalent personnel (classified). 0.0

4. Number of full-time equivalent teaching aides. 0.0

5. Number of students served. 5,211

6. Number of school sites providing arts education. 9

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