

LEGACY ELEMENTARY SCHOOL LAND TRUST GRANT SUMMARY 2014-15

The School LAND Trust program, established by the Utah legislature in 1999, distributes the “annual dividend” from the permanent State School Fund to all public schools in the state. This is only one source of funding schools receive. It is important because schools determine the use of these funds through their local School Community Council. Parents, teachers, and the school’s principal prepare a plan to address academic needs at each school. The plan is then approved by the local School Board. This is a summary of Legacy’s School LAND Trust Grant for 2014-15. You can learn more at schoollandtrust.org

Funding for Legacy Elementary 2013-14
\$46,078
Total spent: \$44,264
Carryover to 2015-16: \$1,814

Legacy Mission Statement:

**EVERYBODY LEARNS
 EVERY DAY**

=How were funds used?

Legacy Booster Club: Before and after school small group intervention for students identified for further instruction in literacy and math.

Den Time: Intervention during school to provide additional instruction for students, as well as extensions or enrichment for students who already understand concepts.

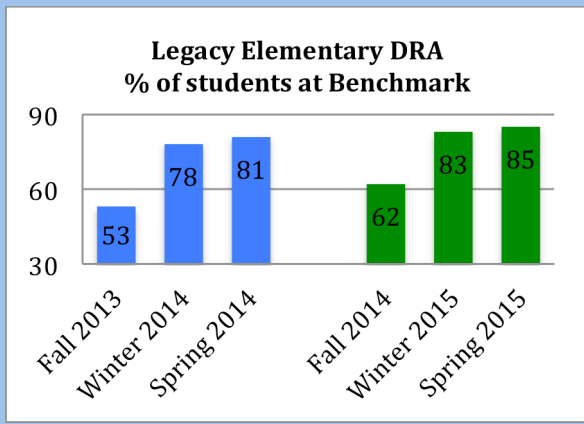
Technology: MasteryConnect Software

Teacher Assistants in Classrooms: Assistants increase the adult/student ratio to provide more help for students.

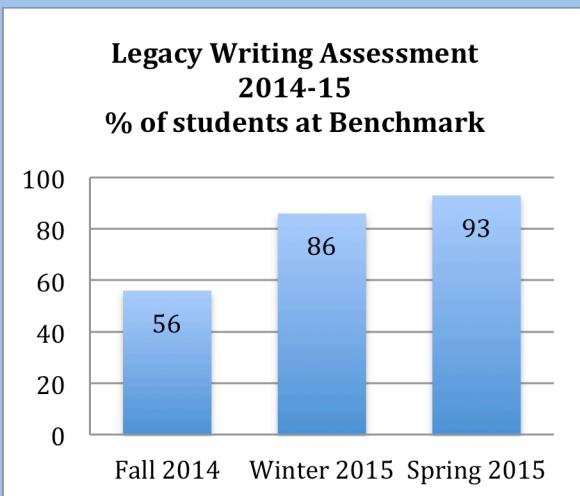
Professional Development and Summer Collaboration: Teachers received training and worked together during the summer months to improve instruction/assessment.

Student Assessment: Teachers receive additional time and support to assess and evaluate student achievement levels.

Goal: Increase student reading levels. Use the Developmental Reading Assessment (DRA) to measure student progress. Projected goal: 88% of students at grade level (7% increase).



Goal: Increase student writing levels as measured by school-level writing rubrics.



School Land Trust Grant 2015-16

Funds allocated: \$52,637

Goal: Improve student achievement in literacy, math

How are funds being used this year?

- Booster Club
- Professional Development/Summer Collaboration Grants for teacher teams
- Den Time
- Targeted Aide Time
- Student Assessment, including funding for MasteryConnect. MasteryConnect is a technology-based tool for teachers to administer, track, and evaluate classroom assessments to improve instruction.