

2017-18 School Based Behavioral Health Programs: Expansion of School Wide Positive Behavior Interventions and Supports (SWPBIS) Grant

Grant Overview: The purpose of the School-Based Behavioral Health Grant is to:

- Support the development of a continuum of School Wide Positive Behavior Interventions and Supports (SWPBIS) that focus on universal prevention, strategic intervention (secondary intervention), and/or intensive service delivery or crisis management needs of school-aged students (tertiary intervention).
- Bring together educational, clinical, protective and correctional services in a conceptually integrated, multi-tiered system of support for behavior that utilizes a continuum of preventing and intervening services.

The administration is considering the application of SWPBIS funding to expand such programming into either Beaty Warren Middle School or Eisenhower and Sheffield Elementary Schools.

Amount of Award: Up to \$12,000

Due Date/Notification of Award: Due November 30, 2017. Notification should be in January 2018.

Alternatives if not Awarded: The expansion of SWPBIS services will proceed at a slower pace without grant funds.

WCSD Resources Required: None.

Administrative Recommendation: That the Board of School Directors instructs the administration to submit an application of up to \$12,000 to the School-Based Behavioral Health Grant, with the intent of implementing school-wide positive behavior interventions and supports (SWPBIS) at such schools as determined to be appropriate to the grant guidelines and funding amount.