

Grant Final Report

April 4, 2017

Notification: Anti-Bullying Grant Award

LEA Number: 1301000

Budget String: 1217-009-2017-206

Grant Award Amount: \$ 2,178.72

Award Period: July 1, 2016, to May 31, 2017

- A. Program Name: Safe and Caring Schools
District: Natrona County School District
Grant Administrators: Anna Lavin
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- B. Actual Grant Amount expended: \$ 2166.98
Grant related activities can be found at: www.natronaschools.org - Under Curriculum and Instruction Section - Grants
- C. Total Number of Students involved with Grant : 200
Total Number of Locations: 1
Total Number of Classrooms: 12
- D. The impact of this year's grant included: With the funding provided by the grant we were able to purchase a social emotional curriculum for the whole school to use. We also were able to purchase each student a book to take home to read to their parents and families about bullying and how to deal with different situations. Due to the resources provided by the grant we were able to teach weekly lessons and read books on a variety of subjects so students were learning coping skills, problems solving skills, teamwork and a variety of subjects. In January we completed our anti- bullying poster contest and all the students were a part of the process.
- E. The following data indicates the number of discipline infractions by quarter for the current school year.

Quarter 1: 64

Quarter 2: 102

Quarter 3: 90

There was a decrease in discipline infractions after the initial presentations and implementation of materials. These are the numbers of referral for the prior year when we had not implemented our Safe And Caring Schools Curriculum.

Quarter 1: 115

Quarter 2: 161

Quarter 3: 136

Quarter 4: 146

The total number of substantiated bullying infractions for the current school year is 3.

- F. Explanation of Program Results: This program has not only taught children how to deal with bullying in the schools but has provided them general social skills that they can utilize on a daily bases when dealing with hard situations or conflict. In our school we have seen more students resolving their own issues as well as being open to sitting down and discussion issues before they become larger problems. Kids are aware of what bullying is and able to stand up for other students as well. This is clear by our significant decrease in number of referral and also kids asking adults to help talk out their problems. In conclusion, the kids have learned invaluable social skills and it reflects in their daily attitudes and environment.