



Leading Through Innovation

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SFPS Thanks Our Legislative Partners



- The 2022 legislative session resulted in \$3.8 billion for public education, the most ever appropriated by the legislature, which represents an increase of over \$400 million.
- This year in particular, with salary minimums increased \$10,000 across the board and raises for educational staff, we give a tremendous thank you to the legislature.
- These actions are furthering our ability to attract and retain staff in schools and classrooms across the District.
- We are deeply grateful for the legislature's leadership and advocacy on behalf of education and the Santa Fe Public Schools.

2022-23 SFPS Successes



- Tara Hughes named the 2023 New Mexico Teacher of the Year
- Acequia Madre Elementary named 2022 National Blue Ribbon School
- Early College Opportunities High School holds groundbreaking
- SFPS launched a fully licensed childcare program for SFPS staff
- Standards-based learning and grading implemented in 13 schools to help accelerate learning (Yazzie/Martinez)
- First Lady Dr. Jill Biden and U.S. Secretary of Education Dr. Miguel Cardona recognize SFPS for supporting students through ARP funds

2022-23 Cornerstone Initiatives



- Standards-based learning
- Early Childhood Center
- Work-based learning
- Summer programming
- Leveraging ESSER for teachers to gain licensure
- “Be Visible” attendance initiative

Questions?

