

2016-2017 Summary of the School Trust Lands Plan Final Report

At Kanab High School, last year's Community Council created two goals to support our School Improvement Plan and student learning for 2016-17. These goals utilized our Trust Lands Funds to create learning opportunities and supports for our students. One of our goals was to assist students become or remain successful in their coursework. An important component of the plan was continued funding of paraprofessionals in the remediation and independent education programs. Our paraprofessionals assisted students in credit recovery, as well as, provided academic support and assistance. Students received tutoring, help with time and task management, and teacher communication. Over 70 students received assistance earning make-up credit or successfully completed coursework. Trust Land funds were used to purchase site licenses for APEX online courses used in credit recovery.

One measurement of program success is the KHS graduation rate. The rate for the 16-17 school year was 98%. Students earned 5.75 credits in the credit recovery program and 90% of students receiving assistance through the Independent Education course successfully completed coursework during the school year. Sage proficiency rates for 2017 were 40% English, 52% Math, and 43% Science. Proficiency rate increases will continue to be a focus in our School Improvement and Trust Lands plans.

Our second improvement goal was related to a Grand Canyon Youth river trip. This trip was funded by our School Trust Land money to provide an exciting, experiential learning opportunity during the summer for interested students. Eighteen students, along with three teachers and Grand Canyon Youth staff went on a river trip down the Green river. Students took part in leadership training and also earned credit by completing assignments and activities in Art, English, Science, and Physical Education. All students successfully completed coursework and were awarded credit. The river trip is planned for every other year as an incredible educational opportunity for KHS students.

We appreciate our School Community Council for their time and service in allocating the \$40,763 of trust land funds. Trust Land funding provides educational opportunities, supports learning and helps ensure student success.

<u>2016-2017 School Community Council</u>	
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<u>School Community Council Meeting Dates</u>	
September 12 th	February 7 th
October 4 th	March 7 th
November 1 st	April 11 th
January 10 th	May 2 nd
<i>Meeting are held in room #1 at 11:55am</i>	