



Regional Office of Education #11

Dr. Kyle Thompson
Regional Superintendent



Annual Report

July 1, 2020 - June 30, 2021



Mission Statement

Provide Services for Learning Using Excellent Leadership,
Professional Development, and Student Programs.



Associated Boards and Committees

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James Young, President—Douglas County

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Yvonne West

Superintendent Search

The Regional Office of Education #11 offers the service of assisting school districts in their respective superintendent searches.

Regional Information

149,589 Population
3,583 Miles in Region
24 Public School Districts
1 Cooperative High School
21,133 Student Enrollment
1,513 Teachers
123 Administrators
78 Buildings
3 Alternative Programs (Bridges, Beacons, Pathways)
1 Special Ed. Cooperative
6 County Retired Teachers Associations

ROE #11 School Districts

Arcola CUSD #306	Neoga CUSD #3
Arthur CUSD #305	Oakland CUSD #5
Casey-Westfield CUSD #C-4	Okaw Valley CUSD #302
Central A & M CUSD #21	Paris CUSD #4
Charleston CUSD #1	Paris CUSD #95
Cowden-Herrick CUSD #3A	Shelbyville CUSD #4
Cumberland CUSD #77	Shiloh CUSD #1
Edgar County CUSD #6	Stewardson-Strasburg CUSD #5A
Kansas CUSD #3	Sullivan CUSD #300
Marshall CUSD #C-2	Tuscola CUSD #301
Martinsville CUSD #C-3	Villa Grove CUSD #302
Mattoon CUSD #2	Windsor CUSD #1

Non-Public Schools

(ISBE Recognized)

Mid-America Preparatory School
St. John's Lutheran School
St. Michael's School
Trinity Lutheran School

Associated Programs

Eastern Illinois Area Special Education
Eastern Illinois Education for Employment System
Lake Land College Adult Education Center
Illinois Violence Prevention
Sarah Bush Lincoln Healthy Communities
Illini Prairie CEO

Public School Recognition

(Districts Evaluated for Compliance)

Charleston CUSD #1
Marshall CUSD #C-2
Neoga CUSD #3
Shiloh CUSD #1
Sullivan CUSD #300

Life Safety Inspections

All buildings were inspected and reports filed with the respective Board of Education and the State Board of Education.

76 Public School Buildings
4 Special Education Facilities
4 Alternative Schools

Permits Issued

6 Building Permits
7 Building Occupancy Permits
1 Temporary Facility Occupancy Permit
0 Demolition Permit

Petition Hearings

1 Petition for annexation/detachment/dissolution
processed between July 1, 2020-June 30, 2021 by
ROE #11 Regional Board of School Trustees



Youth Services

Bridges (RSSP)

Students Served	156
Students Earning High School Credit/ Advanced in Grade Levels 6-8	133
High School Graduates	62
Returned to Home School in Good Standing	35

Beacons (TAOEP)

Students Served	54
Students Earning High School Credit Advanced in Grade Levels 6-8	11
High School Graduates	8

Attendance Improvement Matters (TAOEP)

Students Served (includes Beacons)	531
Graduated from High School	14
Met Goal of 90% Attendance Rate	210
Advanced in Grade Level K-8	305
State's Attorney Referrals	22

McKinney-Vento Homeless Grant

Children and Youth Served	651
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ROE #11

Full-time Employees	21
Part-time Employees	21

Professional Development

Type	Workshops	Participants
Administrator Academy	3	79
Illinois Empower	19	101
Technology & E-Learning	18	443
Book Studies	3	43
Special Ed PLC	3	30
McKinney-Vento	3	73
Math PLC	3	25
Science PLC	1	16
Nurse PLC	5	79
Art PLC	2	16

Retired Teachers

1 Teacher Retirement System Conference

620 Retired Teachers Association Newsletters Mailed

Educator Licensure

626 Licenses Registered

219 Subs Registered

120 Background Checks/Fingerprints

388 Licensure Tests

GED Testing

98 Tests Taken

51 GEDs Completed

52 GEDs Certified

94 Official Transcripts

Bus Driver Training

9 Initial Trainings

18 Refresher Trainings

58 Initial Drivers

403 Refresher Drivers



Associated Programs

Lake Land College Pathways

(Alternative Education)

103 Students Participated

2 Students Received GEDs

34 Students Graduated High School

Eastern Illinois Education for Employment System

Health Occupations: 148 students from 23 schools

Coles County ClassE: 18 students from 2 schools

Cumberland County CEO: 4 students from 1 school

Edgar-Clark Counties ECCEL Academy: 18 students from 6 schools

Effingham County CEO: 34 students from 5 schools

Effingham County Construction Trades: 20 students from 6 schools

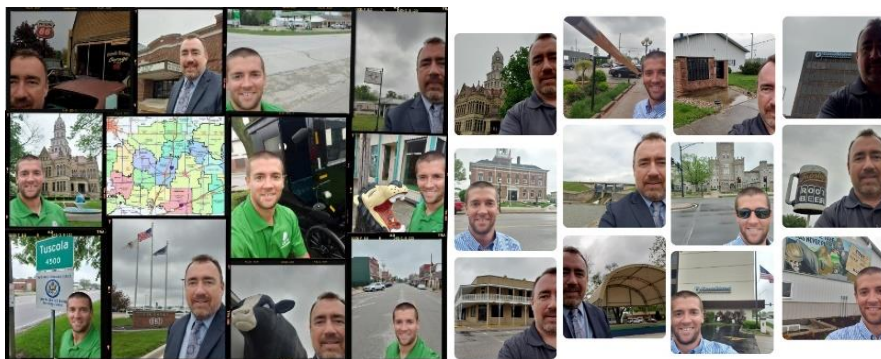
CTEI Funds: \$723,345

Carl Perkins Funds: \$266,313

Revenue Information

July 1, 2020-June 30, 2021

<i>PD Coordinator Fees</i>	\$0
<i>RTA Postage Reimbursement</i>	\$479.81
<i>ROE Admin Fees</i>	\$2,500.00
<i>Workshop Revenue - Local</i>	\$48,458.00
<i>Testing Fees - Local</i>	\$8,763.00
<i>Direct Shared Services - Local</i>	\$18,070.00
<i>Teacher Licensure and Renewals - Local</i>	\$34,400.00
<i>Fingerprint Fees - Local</i>	\$7,582.00
<i>Bus Driver Training – Local</i>	\$4,600.00
<i>GED Applications and Certificates - Local</i>	\$3,108.75
<i>IVPA Presenter Donations - Local</i>	\$0
<i>APEX Consortium - Local</i>	\$51,400.00
<i>APEX (Summer) - Local</i>	\$0
<i>Illini Prairie CEO Program – Local</i>	\$31,267.00
<i>Detachments – Local</i>	\$1,500.00
<i>County School Facility Sales Tax to School Districts – Local</i>	\$9,901,852.96
<i>Evidence Based Funding</i>	\$642,167.55
<i>FSA – State Free Lunch & Breakfast</i>	\$128.20
<i>Evidence Based Funding – TAOEP</i>	\$18,447.41
<i>TAOEP/AIM ISBE Grant</i>	\$159,351.00
<i>RSSP Bridges – ISBE Grant</i>	\$85,864.00
<i>RSSP Coop – ISBE Grant</i>	\$39,861.00
<i>Bus Driver Training – State</i>	\$1,562.00
<i>ROE-ISC Operations – ISBE Grant</i>	\$128,361.00
<i>Family Violence Council – IVPA</i>	\$25,331.81
<i>Evidence Based Funding – TAOEP LLC</i>	\$390,588.42
<i>FSA – Nat’l School Lunch and Breakfast</i>	\$68,160.13
<i>ESE Special Ed Grant</i>	\$1,784.04
<i>Homeless/McKinney – Vento – ISBE Grant</i>	\$166,445.00
<i>Homeless – Fed Rev. – SubGrantee</i>	\$40,182.20
<i>Elem Sec Emergency Relief – Digital Equity</i>	\$5,925.00
<i>ESSER I</i>	\$29,617.00
<i>Teacher Quality – Title II</i>	\$0
<i>County Support Funds</i>	\$322,567.45



The 2020-2021 school year is one we will never forget. We entered the year with uncertainty and new challenges. Leaders navigated the political gauntlet of continued State mandates while balancing local control as teachers rose to the challenge of teaching in person and remotely. We ended the year with many mixed emotions, but I am so proud of our schools' and students' resilience and determination to learn.

Once again, we were able to recognize excellence in education throughout our region. This year we had nominations from every school district as we honored 28 outstanding educators with the Recognition of Excellence award. The excitement around the school visits and presentations is something we hope will continue to grow with each passing year. A heartfelt thank you to all who submitted nominations and congratulations again to the skillful and dedicated educators for their outstanding effort and ability.

In an effort to expand the services we offer, our office is growing and we have several new employees joining our ROE #11 team. We are adding a fourth attendance specialist to serve our school districts as they work with truant students and their families in an effort to improve attendance. We have also hired a Special Education Regional Specialist through a federal grant who will work directly with special educators throughout ROE #11. Additionally, our office will continue to battle the teacher shortage by advocating for legislation and rule changes that allow for flexibility and expand our pipeline to fill our schools with qualified staff.

We hope the 2021-2022 school year will continue moving toward a "return to normal" as we all strive to do what is best for our students. Our office remains ready to serve. We know how important each school day is for our students as they grow and learn, and we will continue to do everything possible -- no matter the circumstances -- to help our schools provide the best learning environment for every student. Thank you for all that you do for our schools and our students.

- Dr. Kyle Thompson, Regional Superintendent

2021 ROE #11 Recognition of Excellence Award

We are privileged to have so many outstanding educators within our region, passionate about the profession, and dedicated to our students. It's an honor to recognize and validate their meaningful efforts. Education is truly a work-of-heart and these educators work with relentless persistence, creativity, flexibility, and competence. Our students, schools, and communities benefit from their skills, knowledge, and compassion. Congratulations to the following 2021 ROE #11 Recognition of Excellence Award Recipients:

Arcola CUSD #306: Lisa Sigrist
Arthur CUSD #305: Shannon Cheek
Bridges/ROE #11: Michelle Young
Casey-Westfield CUSD #C-4: Susan Elkins
Central A&M CUSD #21: Laura Seitz
Charleston CUSD #1: Anne Shaffer
Cowden-Herrick CUSD #3A: Kyle Knop
Cumberland CUSD #77: Amy Carr
E.I.A.S.E.: Kelly Keller
Edgar County CUSD #6: Andy Ruff
Kansas CUSD #3: Joe Morrissey
Marshall CUSD #C-2: Lori Butts
Martinsville CUSD #C-3: Margo Riker
Mattoon CUSD #2: Tera Stewart
Neoga CUSD #3: Alicia Kessler
Oakland CUSD #5: Lance Landeck
Okaw Valley CUSD #302: Matthew Shoaff
Paris Crestwood CUSD #4: Cindy Calhoun
Paris Cooperative High School: MaryAnn Stallings
Paris Union School District #95: Tobi Sanders
Shelbyville CUSD #4: Rachel Banfield
Shiloh CUSD #1: Kara Bosch
Stewardson-Strasburg CUSD #5A: Leslie Richter
St. John's Lutheran School: Brenda Severson
Sullivan CUSD #300: Patricia King
Tuscola CUSD #301: Darla Stanfield
Villa Grove CUSD #302: Becky Olson
Windsor CUSD #1: Josh Forsythe





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RECOGNITION OF EXCELLENCE



2021

2020-2021 Friends of Education

The following individuals received “Friends of Education” awards in gratitude for their many years of dedicated service to our students, school districts, and communities: Becky Parker, Congressman John Shimkus, Trooper Tracy Lillard, and Kendall Huffman. Additionally, retiring superintendent John Hasten was also recognized with this honor.





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