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Issue Paper

DATE:

04/28/2022

AGENDA ITEM (ACTION ITEM):

Consider/Approve the expansion of the "KCSD Summer Internship Program" providing ten KCSD students paid internship opportunities with the KCSD Technology Department beginning in June 2022.

APPLICABLE BOARD POLICY:

01.1 "Legal Status of the Board"

HISTORY/BACKGROUND:

KCSD presented an amended 1:1 Technology Implementation in February, 2022 providing technology and professional learning for students and staff. In that plan, it was noted to utilize students to fill internship opportunities to work with the Technology Department in the setup and configuration of the student and teacher devices. This program will follow a similar plan to the established Workforce Ready program already in place for Maintenance and Nursing. Interns will be assigned to a current KCSD team member who will serve as a mentor during the 4-6 week internship. After completing the Program, students will be invited to participate in Technology Help Desks being established throughout the district. An added benefit of the program will be the development of an internal pool of qualified candidates who were trained by the Districts' own staff.

FISCAL/BUDGETARY IMPACT:

Approximately \$22,000 from ARP ESSER funds as previously presented in the Amended 1:1 Technology Implementation Plan in February, 2022. The interns will be paid as Step 0 from the Building Operations Support/Maintenance Apprentice pay scale.

RECOMMENDATION:

Approval to the expansion of the "KCSD Summer Internship Program" to include ten Technology paid internship opportunities beginning in June 2022

CONTACT PERSON:

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Principal/Administrator



District Administrator



Superintendent

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