

PROGRAM AMENDMENT
SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT GRANTS

District Name: Livingston

School Name: Livingston Central High School

Person Submitting Amendment: Leigh Ann Choat

Reviewer: Tara Rodriguez

Date Revision Approved: 6/14/19

Sections	(Amend)Yes or No	Description data supporting amendment and strategies to be included.
Section 1: Commitment to Serve <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Assessment data • Non-cognitive data • Causes and contributing factors • Strategy selection 		
Section 2: Intervention Model (Tier I and Tier II)		
Section 3: Actions <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Technology • Family involvement • Personnel assignments • Redirected funds • PD • Resources • External support • Review policies • Changes in policies/practices • Sustain reform 		<p><u>Action Dealing with Code 0240—need to redirect funds to code: 0643.</u></p> <p>The original grant allocation for Tuition Reimbursement (Code 0240) has not been utilized to its fullest extent.</p> <p>LCHS requests to redirect \$10,000 of the above code to supplement the original allocation in the 0643 code. These monies will be used to purchase textbooks and other resources for new Advanced Placement courses including: AP Environment Science, AP Human Geography, and AP Language and Composition. We are also requesting supplemental materials for the existing AP courses (AP Literature, AP Psychology, AP US History, AP Calculus). These courses will provide students with a rigorous curriculum that will help better prepare them for college courses. The textbooks and other resources will help prepare the students to take and increase their chances of passing the AP Exam to earn college credit. This will allow LCHS students to have more opportunities to earn college credit that is more comparable to students in other surrounding schools. These materials will be able to be used by students for several years to come.</p>

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		<p>LCHS has expanded our AP course offerings over the last two years (adding AP Music Theory and AP Art in 18-19 and AP Human Geography and AP Environmental Science in 19-20) with the hopes of reaching more students with these specific offerings who might otherwise not have taken advantage of an Advanced Placement course. The offerings in Art and Music allow students who are specifically interested in those areas to obtain a richer curriculum in that area, whereas they might not have felt comfortable or equipped to take an AP English or Math course. Also, the AP Human Geography addition this year will open our AP offerings up to Freshmen and Sophomore students where all of our previous AP offerings were limited to Junior and Senior students. This will allow more students to take advantage of this opportunity earlier in their high school career and give them the confidence that they will be able to succeed in additional higher level courses throughout their high school years. The additional resources we have requested (5 Steps to a 5) will offer teachers another avenue to prepare all students to succeed in the AP courses and achieve passing scores on the exam. In the 18-19 school year LCHS administered AP exams to 68 students, which is approximately 21% of the student population, with these additional offerings we hope to increase the number of students taking the AP courses and exams to 100 students or approximately 30% of the student population and grow that throughout the coming years.</p> <p>AP Textbooks and Materials List: AP English Language & Composition textbooks – 20 @ \$92 = \$1,840</p> <p>AP Environmental Science textbooks – 20 @ \$140 = \$2,800</p> <p>AP Human Geography textbooks – 20 @ \$55 = \$1,100</p> <p>5 Steps to a 5 AP Environment Student Study Guide – 20 @ \$13 = \$260</p> <p>5 Steps to a 5 AP English Language & Composition Student Study Guide –</p>

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		<p>20 @ \$13 = \$260</p> <p>5 Steps to a 5 AP Human Geography Student Study Guide – 20 @ \$13 = \$260</p> <p>5 Steps to a 5 AP Psychology Student Study Guide 20 @ \$20 = \$400</p> <p>5 Steps to a 5 AP US History Student Study Guide 20 @ \$13 = \$260</p> <p>5 Steps to a 5 AP Calculus Student Study Guide 20 @ \$20 = \$400</p> <p>5 Steps to a 5 AP English Literature Student Study Guide 20 @ \$13 = \$260</p>