

Hoot Reading

Background

Hoot Reading is the leading online tutoring service providing 1:1, evidence-based literacy instruction with qualified teachers. AFIA participated in this program during the summer and fall 2021 through its partnership with Lead to Read. The impact on participating students was positive.

Total Proposed Spend for Hoot Reading for 23-24: \$21,780

The cost for returning schools is \$720 per student for 10 weeks. The management fee including devices and a LTR site facilitator is \$4,500. There is a slight increase due to the increase of instruction time. The lessons will be 25 minutes long vs 20 minutes. There is an additional 2 1/2 hours of instruction for each student. Hoot is using the Science of Reading. [Here](#) is an overview of the Hoot assessment. The total for 24 students, 3 times a week, 30 lessons (10 weeks) is \$21,780.

Budget:

There are funds within the existing budget to accommodate this expenditure. Specifically, an SSKC grant spanning the 22-23 and 23-24 school years will be the specific funding source.