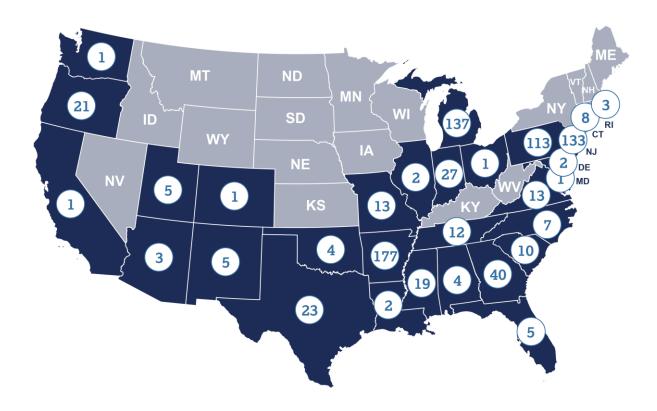


## **Mission**

At ESS we believe that **every** student in **every** classroom deserves to have a great substitute when their teacher is not available.



## Who We Are



- Exclusive focus on PreK-12 education customized solution for each district partner
- 800+ Districts, 4 million students served over 30 states by 55,000+ substitute & permanent employees
- Experienced & stable regional leadership team - strong community involvement
- Significant investments in people, processes
   & technology
- Efficient, accountable, automated systems virtual learning options
- High client satisfaction and retention 98%+



## **New Mexico District Partners**













## **Track Record of Success**

District	ESS Partnership Kickoff	Fill Rate Before Partnership	ESS Fill Rate Before COVID	ESS Fill Rate During COVID		
Gallup-McKinley County Schools	April, 2018	80%	97%	66%		
Central Consolidated Schools	April, 2019	75%	91%	62%		
Grants-Cibola County Schools	August, 2020	79%	88%	72%		
Carlsbad Municipal Schools	August, 2020	75%	87%	72%		



# **A Better Mousetrap**

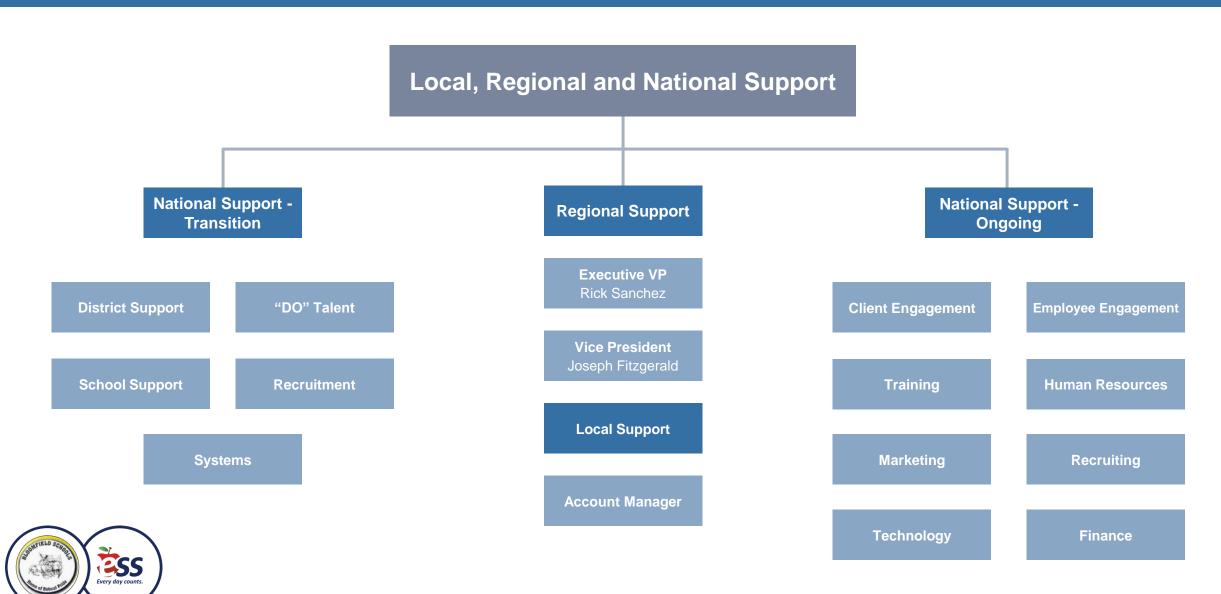


## **Full-Service Model**

Recruit & Screen – Background checks follow your District guidelines Train – Live training can be customized to your District Hire, Evaluate, Direct, & Manage the entire substitute pool Handle payroll for the entire substitute pool – benefits offered to all substitutes Liability, Worker's Comp, Unemployment, ACA & Cares Act Compliance



# **Bloomfield School District Support Structure**



# Recruiting – Connecting with the Community

### **Digital Outreach**

Indeed, Glassdoor, LinkedIn, Instagram, Facebook

#### **Traditional**

Local Papers, Flyers, Lawn Signs, Outdoor Banners

### **District Activities/Community Events**

 Football games, PTO Meetings, Booster Club Meetings, Chambers of Commerce







## Willsub+ software

### **Supercharge your Substitute Program**

ESS will provide willsub+ software and all associated training to boost your Substitute Program. willsub+ is an easy-to-use software for absence and substitute scheduling for K-12 campuses. It's a powerful, all-in-one program that makes your district's substitute processes faster and easier for your administration, teachers, and substitutes.



- Faster Substitute Fills
- Streamlined Substitute Selection
- Easy Lesson Plan Communication
- Quick Data and Reporting Options





# Training – Focusing on Student Achievement

- Live 5-hour training for new substitutes, customized to District's needs
- Efficient hiring, trainings scheduled often so new applicants can get to work
- Substitutes must pass training to be hired
- Trainers are certified by Dr. Jim Wasser, ESS Director of Training
- Online training modules offered for further Professional Development

#### Topics covered:

- Professional Teaching Behavior
- Classroom Management
- Student and Staff Safety
- Creative Instructional Strategies
- District and School Policies
- Digital Platforms for Virtual Learning











# **Substitute Engagement – Targeted Incentives**







### **Weekly Pay**

Direct Deposit every Friday, District Determines
 Pay Rates

#### **Benefits**

Health, Vision, Dental & Life Insurance, 401(k)

### **Targeted Incentives**

Gift Cards & Other Prizes, \$75 per referral



# Bloomfield School District Pricing and Proposal

### **Pricing for Bloomfield School District**

- Payroll \* 1.3275
- Example: \$100 substitute pay rate; \$132.75 bill rate

### **ESS Manages to District Budget**

District only pays for substitutes provided, No other fees

#### **Software**

 ESS provides willsub+ software, app and training on how to use the system – included in pricing

## **Scholarships**

• \$1,000 annual scholarship donation

### **National Purchasing Cooperatives**

• <u>1GPA</u>, PCA, TIPS, and Equalis



INCLUDED WITH PARTNERSHIP					
Local Manager	Employee Incentive Programs				
Regional and National Support	Community Involvement				
Payroll, Taxes & All Processing	Substitute Program Software, App and Training				
Recruiting/Advertising	Personnel & Time Savings – Central Office				
Application Screening/Onboarding	Significant Time Savings at Each Campus				
Training – Initial & Ongoing	Incident Resolution				
General Liability Insurance	Unemployment Costs				
Worker's Compensation Insurance	Data Analytics				

# An investment in your Substitute Program

Bloomfield School District Substitute Program Costs		Current Program		ESS Partnership (Payroll * 1.3275)	
Annual Payroll Estimate	\$	715,064	\$	715,064	
Payroll Taxes	\$	54,702			
Unemployment/General Liability Insurance	\$	3,575			
Worker's Compensation Insurance	\$	10,726			
Benefits and ERB for substitutes (from questionnaire)	\$	176,643			
Soft costs - modeled after Denton ISD analysis (scaled down and cut by half)	\$	57,205			
Total Substitute Program Cost	\$	1,017,916	\$	949,247	
Cost Differential			\$	(68,668)	
Cost Differential %				-6.7%	



## **Essential Points**

- ESS will provide a dedicated onsite Account Manager for your Substitute Program and we will support that Manager with our Regional and National Teams.
- ESS will provide state-of-the art software for your Substitute Program and provide training for that software.
- ESS will succeed. We will increase your substitute pool, we will increase your fill rates and we will ensure that you have the quality of substitutes you need for your classrooms.
- This partnership is good for your substitutes they will still be paid the same rates and now they will be paid weekly. They will be offered affordable benefits and will maintain the same flexibility and work opportunities they have now.
- This partnership will NOT cost the District more on an apples-to-apples basis. And ESS will stay within the budget allocated by the District.

