

Opportunity Gap Reduction Plan 2021-2022

School District: South Bend
High School: South Bend High School

School FRPL % 71%

ASB Card Possession Opportunity Gap %:	-12%	Gap Plan Required?	No
Extracurricular Participation Opportunity Gap %:	38%	Gap Plan Required?	Yes
<p><i>The intent of ASB Card Possession/Extracurricular Activity Gap Plan is to reflect on and identify additional barriers that prevent students who are low income from participating in optional, noncredit extracurricular activities such as clubs, school events, and athletics. Please share your ASB and athletic fee data with your ASB student council before filling out this gap reduction plan. Gap Plans for 2021-2022 are required for either Opportunity Gaps over 16%.</i></p>			
<p>1. Our school used the following approaches to determine barriers to ASB card possession and/or extracurricular participation:</p>			Yes/No
Survey students on their participation			No
Survey parents on their students' participation			No
Evaluate required factors for participation (transportation, materials/uniforms, etc.)			No
Compare school data to other schools with similar demographics			Yes
Conduct a cost benefit analysis of offerings			No
Other:			
<p>2. What are some of your students' barriers to student possession of ASB Cards?</p>			Barriers
Interest			N/A
Timing			N/A
Identifying eligible students			N/A
Communication/Marketing			N/A
Cultural responsiveness/awareness			N/A
Other:			

3. What are some of your students' barriers to student participation in extracurricular activities?	Barriers
Transportation	No
Cost	No
Timing/Schedule	Yes
Availability/Options	Yes
Communication/Marketing	Yes
Cultural responsiveness/awareness	No
Interest	Yes

Other:

4. Describe the action steps the school/district will take to reduce the opportunity gap in student possession of ASB cards and/or participation in extracurricular activities for the up coming school year.

Next year, we will not only continue to be 100% in person, but we SHOULD NOT have mask requirements, both for attendance to school and for athletics. In addition, crowd restrictions for athletics SHOULD be lifted. As a school and as a district, we are committed to following HB 1660 and effectively communicating that with our students. We will continue to communicate with our students and families during registration and at the beginning of each sports season. We will continue to apply for the grant that supplements our support as well, and we will continue to use other funding, such as the InvestEd grant when necessary.