Mental Health
SPPS has added 169 school-based mental health support staff positions, including counselors, health assistants, intervention specialists, school psychologists and social workers, since 2015. The district is investing $22.8 million* in additional mental health supports with American Rescue Plan (ARP) funds.

Multilingual Staff
SPPS is investing nearly $800,000* in multilingual staff and supports for English language learners and their families with ARP funds.

Teacher Recruitment and Retention
$3.4 million* is earmarked for recruiting and retaining more teachers of color.

Equity Training
$6.3 million* is budgeted for creating a district equity plan and professional development or staff.

Special Education
$7.8 million* in targeted support for students in special education.

*American Rescue Plan (ARP) Investments Snapshot