School Improvement Grant (SIG) Application Amendment Form

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The Oklahoma State Department of Education (OSDE) is requesting that any changes to the original School Improvement Grant (SIG) application be recorded in the form below. Please be advised the SIG Amendment Form is only for minor changes that were deemed necessary following a needs assessment in order to reach student achievement goals.

Local Educational Agency (LEA): Butner Public Schools

Name of School: Butner Elementary

Cohort: Cohort 1 ☐ Cohort 2 ☐ Cohort 3 ☑

Complete the chart below for each section of the LEA or school application that has been altered since the grant was awarded.

Provide the section and page number of LEA or school application.	Provide a brief description and a list of evidence to support the amendment.
Page 49	As a Cohort 3 school, Butner Elementary had the option to apply for the FY2013 additional SIG funds and has requested to add additional tablets and a cart (iPad). The technology will be a great tool for our elementary students to use to improve reading and math skills. There is substantial evidence that using technology enhances student learning and educational outcomes. Students are more involved with collaborative work, participate in more project-based instruction, produce work that is of a higher quality, gain increased access to information, and spend more time on projects. Research has also shown that these students report a greater reliance on active learning strategies, readily engage in problem solving and critical thinking skills, and consistently show deeper and more flexible uses of technology. The additional tablets would give us enough to have one for each student in a class.

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Principal, Turnaround Director and Superintendent Approval

Principal (Printed Name): Ms. Melissa Walden	Signature of Principal and Date X Melissa Walden 1-3-13
Turnaround Director (Printed Name): Ms. Rae Lyn Hightower	Signature of Turnaround Director and Date X Rae Lyn Hightower 1-3-13
Superintendent (Printed Name): Ms. Bobbette Hamilton	Signature of Superintendent and Date X Bobbette Hamilton 1-3-13