



## 21<sup>st</sup> Century Community Learning Center Grants and the Arts

### Update

Appropriations for the 21st Century Community Learning Centers have increased since the publication of the Americans for the Arts Resource Guide for Arts Education in 2006. In FY 2012, the federal government appropriated \$1.13 billion towards the grant program. Formula grants are awarded to State educational agencies, which in turn manage statewide competitions and award grants to eligible entities, including local education agencies and nonprofit organizations.<sup>1</sup> In 2012, 52 awards in total were issued to each of the states, the Bureau of Indian Education, and the Virgin Islands. The range of these awards was \$5.7 million-\$127.9 million, and the average new award to a state or entity was \$21.7 million.<sup>2</sup> As of May 2011, 4,165 grants funded afterschool programs, reaching more than 1.6 million children and youth and 10,466 school-based and community-based centers nationwide.<sup>3</sup>

### Appropriations

\$1.13 billion in FY 2012

### Who To Contact in Your State

The U.S. Department of Education website provides a list of 21st Century Community Learning Grant contacts by state: <http://www2.ed.gov/programs/21stcclc/contacts.html>.

Inquiries may also be addressed to [21stCCLC@ed.gov](mailto:21stCCLC@ed.gov).

### Examples of Arts Programs and Partnerships

The 21st Century Community Learning Center grant awardees listed below have recently partnered with arts organizations within their communities or have incorporated the arts into their curriculum.

### 2013

#### Kansas

- ***Boys & Girls Club of Lawrence:*** To enable all youth, especially those who need us most, to reach their full potential as productive, caring, responsible citizens. We will do this by providing core programs in the following areas; character and leadership, education and career skills, health and life skills, the arts and fitness, sports and recreation.

Total Number of Students Served: 80

Total Number of Adults Served: 100

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<sup>1</sup> Department of Education, "Eligibility," 21st Century Community Learning Centers, <http://www2.ed.gov/programs/21stcclc/eligibility.html>.

<sup>2</sup> Department of Education, "Funding Status," 21st Century Community Learning Centers, <http://www2.ed.gov/programs/21stcclc/funding.html>

<sup>3</sup> Afterschool Alliance, "21st Century Community Learning Centers Federal Afterschool Initiative," <http://www.afterschoolalliance.org/policy21stcclc.cfm>.

Partners include: Lawrence Arts Center, Lawrence Gymnastic Academy

Awarded: February 2013

Grant Length: 5 years

Year 1: \$185,721

Year 2: \$110,300

Year 3: \$124,318

Year 4: \$124,318

Year 5: \$124,318

**Source:** <http://ppics.learningpt.org/ppics/publicGrantee.asp?grantee=9717>

### **South Carolina**

- ***Pelion Elementary School and Forts Pond Elementary School, Lexington County School District One***

Awarded: February 2013

Grant Length: 4 years, up to \$200,000/year

**Sources:** [http://ed.sc.gov/agency/lpa/documents/21stCenturyLearningGrants\\_020113.pdf](http://ed.sc.gov/agency/lpa/documents/21stCenturyLearningGrants_020113.pdf)

### **2012**

#### **Delaware**

- ***Latin American Community Center/Lewis Elementary School, Wilmington:*** The Latin American Community Center will provide 21st CCLC after school tutoring, homework help, and enrichment activities to 100 children in the Red Clay School District, Lewis Elementary.

Total Number of Students Served: 100

Total Number of Adults Served: 50

Objectives of program include: Increase physical activity and multi-ethnic origins of Latin Dance.

Awarded: May 2012

Grant Length: 5 Years

Year 1: \$145,700

Year 2: \$145,700

Year 3: \$145,700

Year 4: \$109,275

Year 5: \$72,850

**Source:** <http://ppics.learningpt.org/ppics/publicGrantee.asp?grantee=9849>

- ***Latin American Community Center/Oberle Elementary School, Wilmington:*** The Latin American Community Center will provide 21st CCLC after school tutoring, homework help, and enrichment activities to 100 children in the Red Clay School District, Lewis Elementary.

Total Number of Students Served: 100

Total Number of Adults Served: 50

Objectives of program include: Increase physical activity and awareness of multicultural and multi-ethnic origin of Latin Dance.

Awarded: May 2012  
Grant Length: 5 Years  
Year 1: \$145,700  
Year 2: \$145,700  
Year 3: \$145,700  
Year 4: \$109,275  
Year 5: \$72,850

**Source:** <http://ppics.learningpt.org/ppics/publicGrantee.asp?grantee=9850>

### **Florida**

- ***After School Programs, Broward County Schools:***

Awarded: August 2012  
Grant Length: 5 years

### **Idaho**

- ***Blackfoot Community Center Rd 5, Blackfoot:*** The Power Project is a youth development program based on the three pillars of arts enrichment, academic support, and mentoring. Serving 30 students, the program aims to increase academic performance in youth by 20% over the course of three years. The Power Project has a great reputation, one of the program's strengths, and has a good track record of academic improvement. Barriers to program implementation have been the limited amount of program staff.

Total Number of Students Served: 0  
Total Number of Adults Served: 0

Centers included: Children's Museum

Awarded: July 2012  
Grant Length: 5 years  
Year 1: \$217,000  
Year 2: \$217,000  
Year 3: \$217,000  
Year 4: \$195,300  
Year 5: \$173,600

**Source:** <http://ppics.learningpt.org/ppics/publicGrantee.asp?grantee=10371>

### **Ohio**

- ***Greater Cleveland Neighborhood Center Association, Cleveland:*** The goal of NCA's 21st CCLC program is to improve and increase at least 85% of participating students' academic

performance in school and on State proficiency tests by providing high-quality out-of-school-time learning focused on reading/literacy, math through STEM, youth development, and family and community engagement. The neighborhood centers are in the process of increasing enrollment for middle school students through marketing efforts and by connecting more closely with their schools and community organizations.

Total Number of Students Served: 75

Total Number of Adults Served: 75

Partners include: Broadway School of Music and Arts, Cleveland Natural History Museum, Cleveland Public Libraries, WVIZ/PBS

Awarded: July 2012

Grant Length: 5 Years

Year 1: \$200,000

Year 2: \$200,000

Year 3: \$200,000

Year 4: \$150,000

Year 5: \$100,000

**Source:** <http://ppics.learningpt.org/ppics/publicGrantee.asp?grantee=10105>

- ***Horizon Activities Center (6525), North Olmsted:*** Center and Site based after school program, serving children from Lorain, Ohio. Programming opportunities are academic and enrichment based to provide youth development and parent engagement opportunities.

Total Number of Students Served: 150

Total Number of Adults Served: 90

Partners include: The MAD\* Factory

Awarded: July 2012

Grant Length: 5 Years

Year 1: \$200,000

Year 2: \$200,000

Year 3: \$200,000

Year 4: \$150,000

Year 5: \$100,000

**Source:** <http://ppics.learningpt.org/ppics/publicGrantee.asp?grantee=10108>

## **Pennsylvania**

- ***CIS Philadelphia, Philadelphia:*** SWAG (Students With Academic Goals) will serve 200 middle aged students in four low performance schools from 3:00 - 6:00PM Monday -Thursday for 36 weeks. Concentration will focus on STEM/STEAM education: Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts and Math.

Total Number of Students Served: 210

Total Number of Adults Served: 100

Awarded: June 2012  
Grant Length: 3 Years  
Year 1: \$500,000  
Year 2: \$500,000  
Year 3: \$500,000

**Source:** <http://ppics.learningpt.org/ppics/publicGrantee.asp?grantee=9948>

- ***East End Community Center, Uniontown:*** The EEUCC after-school "Check it Out" program is a STEM based program tailored to meet the needs of students in the Central Greene and Laurel Highland School Districts. The EEUCC will work closely with partner organizations to address the needs of the High Priority Occupations within the region while increasing student letter grades and achievement on PSSA test scores.

Total Number of Students Served: 85  
Total Number of Adults Served: 63

Partners include: Art Expression, Inc.

Program includes arts and music education activities, as well as cultural activities/social studies.

Awarded: June 2012  
Grant Length: 3 years  
Year 1: \$133,753  
Year 2: \$133,028  
Year 3: \$132,981

**Source:** <http://ppics.learningpt.org/ppics/publicGrantee.asp?grantee=9954>

- ***Education Works, Philadelphia:*** EducationWorks (EW) will serve 200 students in the summer and 200 in the school year at 3 high-poverty, low performing schools: Blankenburg ES, Disston ES, and Sheridan ES. EW will focus on activities that improve academic achievement, with a particular focus on STEM, enrich school-day academic learning, provide exposure to arts and culture, and encourage a healthy lifestyle.

Total Number of Students Served: 400  
Total Number of Adults Served: 65

Partners include: Art Reach, Spiral Q Puppet Theater, The Clay Studio, The Franklin Institute

Awarded: June 2012  
Grant Length: 3 years  
Year 1: \$500,000  
Year 2: \$500,000  
Year 3: \$500,000

**Source:** <http://ppics.learningpt.org/ppics/publicGrantee.asp?grantee=9955>

- **Foundations, Inc, Mt. Laurel:** Full STEAM Ahead is an inquiry-based after school program that combines academic support and homework help with hands on STEM and art projects that build students understanding of careers in the STEAM fields. Full STEAM Ahead serves students in grades 5th-8th grade from the School District of Philadelphia, New Media Charter School, Wissahickon Charter School, and St. Raymond's of Penafort. The program is headquartered at The Philadelphia Center for Arts and Technology (PCAT) and students are transported to the center each week where they are instructed by a biology professor from a local university.

Total Number of Students Served: 640

Total Number of Adults Served: 115

Awarded: June 2012

Grant Length: 3 years

Year 1: \$432,000

Year 2: \$432,000

Year 3: \$432,000

**Source:** <http://ppics.learningpt.org/ppics/publicGrantee.asp?grantee=9958>

- **Philadelphia Arts in Education Partnership, Philadelphia:** The Philadelphia Arts in Education Partnership will work with 5 School District of Philadelphia elementary/middle schools for an OST arts integration program to join the arts with STEM math and science common core curriculum for students grades 6-8, 4 days a week for 36 weeks during the school year. Designed to augment STEM with the inclusion of the arts, STEAM, the program will employ the visual and performing arts as a means to strengthen students' math and science competencies, improve standardized test scores, and enhance development of pro social behaviors and attitudes towards school. The only barriers to the program to date are a later than anticipated start date of October 15, 2012 due to contract and school site selection issues and the need to identify a 5th school which shall be determined the week of October 22, 2012.

Total Number of Students Served: 325

Awarded: June 2012

Grant Length: 3 years

Year 1: \$451,100

Year 2: \$451,100

Year 3: \$451,100

**Source:** <http://ppics.learningpt.org/ppics/publicGrantee.asp?grantee=10044>

- **Scholarship in Progress, Philadelphia:** Our program in partnership the School District of Philadelphia and The Franklin Institute Science Museum will serve 405 students and 150 parents. The Franklin Institute will bring STEM, PACTS, and LEAP activities to the Mayfair School in Philadelphia.

Total Number of Students Served: 405

Total Number of Adults Served: 150

Partners include: The Clay Studio, The Franklin Institute

Awarded: June 2012  
Grant Length: 3 years  
Year 1: \$486,000  
Year 2: \$486,000  
Year 3: \$486,000

**Source:** <http://ppics.learningpt.org/ppics/publicGrantee.asp?grantee=10050>

- ***The Consortium for Public Education, McKeesport:*** The Clairton After-School Teaching and Learning Experience (CASTLE) will provide a rich offering of learning activities by implementing programs and working with partners that engage students in a variety of STREAM (Science, Technology, Research, Engineering, Arts & Mathematics) activities. Building on a strong literacy and numeracy tutoring component, students work towards project based competencies related to major PA learning standards.

Total Number of Students Served: 200  
Total Number of Adults Served: 150

Partners include: Carnegie Museum of Art, Hip Hop on L.O.C.K., SLB Radio Productions

Awarded: June 2012  
Grant Length: 3 years  
Year 1: \$494,408  
Year 2: \$494,408  
Year 3: \$492,792

**Source:** <http://ppics.learningpt.org/ppics/publicGrantee.asp?grantee=10055>

- ***To Our Children's Future With Health, Philadelphia:*** TOCFWH's 21st Century Community Learning Center selects STEAM education as the approach it will use to enhance academic achievement in 5th, 6th, and 7th graders attending the Mary McLeod Bethune and Robert E Lamberton schools. Focusing on Project Base Learning in the urban laboratory, as a way to promote student interest in quality Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics, and creative Arts.

Total Number of Students Served: 100  
Total Number of Adults Served: 50

Partners include: Philadelphia Arts and Education, The Franklin Institute

Awarded: June 2012  
Grant Length: 3 years  
Year 1: \$305,616  
Year 2: \$260,000  
Year 3: \$260,000

**Source:** <http://ppics.learningpt.org/ppics/publicGrantee.asp?grantee=10057>

- ***Wireless Neighborhoods, Bethel Park:*** The Neighborhood Learning Alliance's After-School Program is designed to address academic and social challenges encountered by students from

several of the Pittsburgh regions most underserved communities. We provide a safe and supportive after-school environment, which includes, a snack, tutoring, enrichment, a meal and recreation time, for struggling students.

Total Number of Students Served: 400

Partners include: Pittsburgh Filmmakers/Center for the Arts, Tickets for Kids

Awarded: June 2012

Grant Length: 3 years

Year 1: \$440,000

Year 2: \$440,000

Year 3: \$440,000

**Source:** <http://ppics.learningpt.org/ppics/publicGrantee.asp?grantee=10065>

- **YouthPlaces/Tides Center, Pittsburgh:** YouthPlaces is an initiative designed to engage youth most at risk ages 12-18 in positive afterschool program activities, outreaching to youth from high risk neighborhoods that do not traditionally attend afterschool programs. Through 21st CCLC, YouthPlaces desires to add a comprehensive academic enrichment program that incorporates individual support and mentoring in order to positively affect student achievement.

Total Number of Students Served: 165

Partners Include: Andy Warhol Museum

Awarded: June 2012

Grant Length: 3 Years

Year 1: \$197,987

Year 2: \$197,987

Year 3: \$197,987

**Source:** <http://ppics.learningpt.org/ppics/publicGrantee.asp?grantee=10068>

## **Rhode Island**

- **Riverzedge Arts, Woonsocket:** Building STEAM for Teens in Woonsocket (Building STEAM- Science, Technology, Engineering, Art and Math) is a collaborative between Riverzedge Arts and Woonsocket High School with direction, guidance and facilitation from Woonsocket Education Department that utilizes expanded learning opportunities and applied arts engagement as innovative strategies to provide alternative pathways to high school success and on-time graduation to at high risk students.

Total Number of Students Served: 385

Total Number of Adults Served: 25

Awarded: July 2012

Grant Length: 3 years

Year 1: \$171,060

Year 2: \$171,060



Year 3: \$171,060

Source: <http://ppics.learningpt.org/ppics/publicGrantee.asp?grantee=9795>

### **South Dakota**

- ***SF – Washington Pavilion:*** The Action Arts and Science Program enhances the work of the local after school programs and supplements classroom learning by offering students hands-on art and science activities that inspire confidence, encourage collaboration, and inspire creativity. In doing so, AASP is extending the resources of the Washington Pavilion to young people who traditionally have had less chances to participate in extra-curricular activities and connecting them to all the opportunities available at the Washington Pavilion of Arts and Science, a nationally accredited art and science museum and performing arts institution.

Total Number of Students Served: 505

Total Number of Adults Served: 79

Objectives of the program include:

1. Promote goals of No Child Left Behind
2. Provide students access to art and science educational experiences which enhance their knowledge and academic progress in key areas
3. Spark interest in arts and science
4. Use arts and science programming to promote positive youth development.

Partners include: Multi-Cultural Center After School Program (science, art, and music education activities)

Awarded: July 2012

Grant Length: 5 years

Year 1: \$75,026

Year 2: \$76,866

Year 3: \$76,991

Year 4: \$77,178

Year 5: \$78,890

Source: <http://ppics.learningpt.org/ppics/publicGrantee.asp?grantee=9930>

### **Virginia**

- ***Boys & Girls Clubs of WSA (WPES, WES), Waynesboro:*** This 21CCLC is aimed at delivering an after school and summer program that ensures academic achievement and enrichment for elementary school children. We aim to accomplish this task by focusing on three areas; academic success, character development, and healthy lifestyle choices.

Total Number of Students Served: 250

Total Number of Adults Served: 150

Partners include: Shenandoah Valley Arts Center, Waynesboro Symphony Orchestra, Blue Pixel Creates

Awarded: August 2012  
Grant Length: 3 years  
Year 1: \$200,000  
Year 2: \$200,000  
Year 3: \$200,000

**Source:** <http://ppics.learningpt.org/ppics/publicGrantee.asp?grantee=10189>

- ***Tiny Tots (South Seattle), Seattle:*** The "Academic Achievers" project seeks to reduce the need/risk factors of a highly diverse student population and promote academic improvement and behavior enhancement. This project offers expanded learning curriculum and activities and promotes parent and community involvement.

Total Number of Students Served: 80  
Total Number of Adults Served: 160

Partners include: Arts Corps

Awarded: September 2012  
Grant Length: 5 years  
Year 1: \$275,000  
Year 2: \$275,000  
Year 3: \$275,000  
Year 4: \$275,000  
Year 5: \$275,000

**Source:** <http://ppics.learningpt.org/ppics/publicGrantee.asp?grantee=10550>

- ***Washington Alliance for Better School-Cohort 9, Shoreline:*** After school and summer enrichment program offered at three sites in Kent School District. Students in grades 3-6 attend.

Total Number of Students Served: 150  
Total Number of Adults Served: 150

Partners include: The Art Corps, Museum of Flight

Awarded: September 2012  
Grant length: 5 years  
Year 1: \$313,773  
Year 2: \$313,773  
Year 3: \$313,773  
Year 4: \$313,773  
Year 5: \$313,773

**Source:** <http://ppics.learningpt.org/ppics/publicGrantee.asp?grantee=10551>

## **2011**

### **Alabama**

- **Better Basics Forest Hills MS/Robinson ES Cohort 9, Birmingham:** Better Basics' HOPE 21st Century Community Learning Center at Robinson Elementary School and Forest Hills Middle School(the HOPE Center) will provide Fairfield City Schools with a safe, effective after-school program that will address needs identified by the school personnel. The needs identified are academic weakness, truancy, lack of parental involvement, willfull disobedience, and childhood obesity. This after-school care program seeks to improve student academic achievement, artistic expression, civic engagement and health education resulting in well-rounded, well-adjusted students.

Total Number of Students Served: 70

Total Number of Adults Served: 70

Partners include: Metropolitan Youth Orchestra, Real Life Poets, Red Mountain Theatre

Awarded: October 2011

Grant Length: 3 years

Year 1: \$125,000

Year 2: \$125,000

Year 3: \$125,000

**Source:** <http://ppics.learningpt.org/ppics/publicGrantee.asp?grantee=9527>

- **Birmingham Civil Rights Institute Green Acres, Birmingham:** The Birmingham Cultural Alliance Partnership (BCAP) 21st Century Community Learning Center at Green Acres Middle School will provide supervised and creative after-school enrichment experience for students and their families. In order to address the identified student “risk factors” and increase family involvement, the BCAP 21st CCLC at Green Acres will offer expanded learning opportunities to students and community members in a safe, drug free environment which will support and encourage their efforts to improve their academic achievement and enhance their physical, mental and social well-being. The project will provide extended day and summer programs. There has not, as of yet, any significant changes in circumstances, achievement or barriers encountered.

Total Number of Students Served: 80

Total Number of Adults Served: 25

Partners include: Alabama Jazz Hall of Fame, Birmingham Museum of Art, Vulcan Park & Museum

Awarded: October 2011

Grant Length: 3 years

Year 1: \$125,000

Year 2: \$125,000

Year 3: \$125,000

**Source:** <http://ppics.learningpt.org/ppics/publicGrantee.asp?grantee=9528>

- **Covington County Red Level Cohort 9, Red Level:** This project will address and alleviate certain social issues by maximizing student academic achievement, boosting parental and community involvement, reducing retention and dropout rates, extending and enriching traditional educational programs, and providing safe and engaging learning opportunities to the students and

community that it serves through the use of technology purchased with Title I funds. In addition, the project will provide enriching educational opportunities to community members, including parents, seniors, and all students through community education programs. The project will also serve students kindergarten through sixth grade on campus site.

Total Number of Students Served: 100

Total Number of Adults Served: 80

Partners include: Covington County Arts Coalition

Awarded: October 2011

Grant Length: 3 years

Year 1: \$125,000

Year 2: \$125,000

Year 3: \$125,000

**Source:** <http://ppics.learningpt.org/ppics/publicGrantee.asp?grantee=9543>

## **Florida**

- ***OIC of Broward County:*** OIC's 21st CCLC All A's program model heightens youth Awareness of how academic achievement will enable them to reach future goals and career aspirations, shows them how to Access resources and opportunities, guides them in creating and implementing an Action plan, and supports their efforts to pursue and Achieve their goals. This was our first program year and began just before the Winter break. We look forward to applying lessons learned during the first seven months to our program implementation in year two

Total Number of Students Served: 200

Total Number of Adults Served: 40

Partners include: Art-Turnatives for Building Communities, Inc.,

Awarded: August 2011

Grant Length: 5 years

Year 1: \$465,638

Year 2: \$291,716

Year 3: \$233,373

Year 4: \$233,373

Year 5: \$233,373

**Source:** <http://ppics.learningpt.org/ppics/publicGrantee.asp?grantee=9828>

## **Illinois**

- ***Youth Organizations Umbrella, Inc., Evanston:*** The Y.O.U CONNECT Center serves 75 Evanston Township High School students and their families in many capacities. In the after-school hours, students have access to comprehensive academic assistance, including small group instruction, tutoring and homework help in a safe and structured environment. Additionally, students have the opportunity to participate

in positive youth development and enrichment centered around academic, cultural, artistic and recreational activities.

Total Number of Students Served: 75

Total Number of Adults Served: 40

Partners include: Noyes Cultural Arts Center, Open Studio Project

Awarded: August 2011

Grant Length: 3 years

Year 1: \$150,000

Year 2: \$150,000

Year 3: \$150,000

**Source:** <http://ppics.learningpt.org/ppics/publicGrantee.asp?grantee=9670>

- **Family Focus, Inc., Chicago:** Family Focus is providing afterschool programming to 3 schools in the Chicago metro area.

Total Number of Students Served: 240

Total Number of Adults Served: 120

Partners include: Hubbard Street Dance Company, Joffrey Ballet Company, Music Works, New Millennium Theater Company, Open Mind Open Mic-Human Thread, Redmoon Theater

Awarded: August 2011

Grant Length: 3 years

Year 1: \$450,000

Year 2: \$450,000

Year 3: \$450,000

**Source:** <http://ppics.learningpt.org/ppics/publicGrantee.asp?grantee=9673>

- **Metropolitan Family Services, Chicago:** Community School programming is provided across 6 CPS schools that includes but is not limited to family programming, academic, social emotional, cultural enrichment and wellness. We will focus on increased academic achievement, increased involvement in school activities, positive social and behavioral change, along with community engagement.

Total Number of Students Served: 550

Total Number of Adults Served: 150

Partners include: Beverly Arts Center, South Chicago Art Center

Awarded: August 2011

Grant Length: 3 year

Year 1: \$900,000

Year 2: \$750,000

Year 3: \$750,000

Source: <http://ppics.learningpt.org/ppics/publicGrantee.asp?grantee=9688>

## Ohio

- ***Open Doors Inc., Cleveland Heights:*** Open Doors Academy is an out-of-school enrichment program for middle and high school youth, supporting the students and their families academically, socially, and emotionally through high school graduation and beyond. Open Doors Academy works to nurture, protect, inspire, and challenge adolescents to reach their full potential through the provision of meaningful out-of-school enrichment activities in a safe and structured environment. In addition to this being Central's first year, it was also the first year for a more structured high school program, providing a continuum of 7 years of support to ensure high school graduation.

Total Number of Students Served: 40

Total Number of Adults Served: 40

Partners include: Drame, Drum and Dance, Progressive Arts Alliance

Awarded: July 2011

Grant Length: 5 Years

Source: <http://ppics.learningpt.org/ppics/publicGrantee.asp?grantee=9421>

- ***Project Success of Vermilion Co., Inc., Danville:*** This is an afterschool and summer program at two schools in southern Vermilion County, Mary Miller Junior High School in Georgetown, IL and Judith Giacoma Elementary School in Westville, IL. This is the first time an afterschool/summer program has been available to the youth attending Judith Giacoma Elementary School. Both programs began in January 2012. This created difficulties in establishing a relationship with youth and parents.

Total Number of Students Served: 185

Total Number of Adults Served: 45

Partners: Imagination Theater

Awarded: August 2011

Grant Length: 3 Years

Year 1: \$299,841

Year 2: \$299,841

Year 3: \$299,841

Source: <http://ppics.learningpt.org/ppics/publicGrantee.asp?grantee=9676>

- ***Urban Gateways: Center for Arts Education, Chicago:*** Urban Gateways: Center for Arts Education and Epic Academy Charter High School have partnered to provide a 21st-CCLC program located at the Epic Academy Charter High School campus. The program will have the focus on the arts and its positive impact on the academic achievement of the students at Epic Academy Charter High School. This will be our first year of the program.

Total Number of Students Served: 125  
Total Number of Adults Served: 20

Awarded: August 2011  
Grant Length: 3 years  
Year 1: \$100,000  
Year 2: \$100,000  
Year 3: \$100,000

**Source:** <http://ppics.learningpt.org/ppics/publicGrantee.asp?grantee=9677>

## **Pennsylvania**

- **Foundation Inc., Mt. Laurel:** Kids: Plan, Do, Learn!, an OST program for elementary and middle school students in five charter schools in Philadelphia, is premised on the notion that students benefit from an awareness and application of the design process as a learning strategy.

Total Number of Students Served: 415

Partners include: African American History Museum, The Franklin Institute

Awarded: December 2011  
Grant Length: 3 Years  
Year 1: \$498,000  
Year 2: \$498,000  
Year 3: \$498,000

**Source:** <http://ppics.learningpt.org/ppics/publicGrantee.asp?grantee=9744>

- **Public Health Management, Philadelphia:** The 21st CCLC project is comprised of 4 centers which serve youth in grade K-4. The program uses the methodologies of Project Based Learning and Arts Integration to improve academic outcomes in reading and math. Programs have started and are working on recruiting youth for the summer session.

Total Number of Students Served: 356  
Total Number of Adults Served: 180

Partners include: Philadelphia Arts in Education Partnership

Awarded: December 2011  
Grant Length: 3 years  
Year 1: \$500,000  
Year 2: \$500,000  
Year 3: \$500,000

**Source:** <http://ppics.learningpt.org/ppics/publicGrantee.asp?grantee=9769>

## **Washington, D.C.**

- ***New Community for Children, D.C.:*** New Community for Children for Children offers after school academic and social enrichment programs to students in grades Pre-Kindergarten through high school. In addition to programs that help parents remain (or become) actively involved in their student(s) education.

Total Number of Students Served: 215

Total Number of Adults Served: 220

Partners include: Project Create, Inward Office Yoga

Awarded: November 2011

Grant Length: 3 years

Year 1: \$225,000

Year 2: \$225,000

Year 3: \$225,000

**Source:** <http://ppics.learningpt.org/ppics/publicGrantee.asp?grantee=9790>

## **West Virginia**

- ***Boone County 21<sup>st</sup> Century Community Learning Center/The Clay Center:*** Our 21st Century Community Learning Centers are partnered with three Boone Co. middle schools to create an active environment filled with learning, growth, and confidence. We are not only serving the students of our selected schools, but we are also reaching into the community and to the parents by offering varieties of adult education opportunities, parent/student activities, and more in the future. Throughout this first year we have experience struggles in gaining parental involvement and we have also had slight struggles in keeping attendance in higher numbers.

Partners include: The Clay Center

Awarded: July 2011

Grant Length: 5 years

Year 1: \$213,926

Year 2: \$213,926

Year 3: \$213,926

Year 4: \$213,926

Year 5: \$213,926

**Source:** <http://ppics.learningpt.org/ppics/publicGrantee.asp?grantee=9727>

## **2010**

### **Alabama**

- ***Sheffield City Schools Cohort 8:*** Sheffield City Schools will provide a quality after-school program at four locations serving grades pre-k - 2; 3-6; 7-8; and 9-12.

Total Number of Students Served: 130

Total Number of Adults Served: 190



Awarded: October 2010  
Grant Length: 3 years  
Year 1: \$175,000  
Year 2: \$175,000  
Year 3: \$175,000

**Source:** [http://www.timesdaily.com/gallery/news/collection\\_0f04170a-85c7-54b2-a054-a683aeaf5a87.html](http://www.timesdaily.com/gallery/news/collection_0f04170a-85c7-54b2-a054-a683aeaf5a87.html)  
<http://ppics.learningpt.org/ppics/publicGrantee.asp?grantee=8950>

## **2009**

### **Illinois**

- ***National Museum of Mexican Art, Chicago:*** The Casa program will provide 3 after-school learning centers that will provide 3 after-school learning centers that will cumulatively serve 40 high school and 80 middle school students (6-8) along with their families over a 5 year term. Each of the 3 school centers will offer 2 art classes that will aim to improve students' achievement through meaningful standards based art education that will challenge students and parents to take a leadership role in their schools and community.

Total Number of Students Served: 120  
Total Number of Adults Served: 120

Awarded: July 2009  
Grant Length: 5 years  
Year 1: \$449,939  
Year 2: \$449,939  
Year 3: \$449,939  
Year 4: \$405,000  
Year 5: \$337,500

**Source:** <http://ppics.learningpt.org/ppics/publicGrantee.asp?grantee=6868>