



21st CCLC in Michigan

The 21st Century Community Learning Centers (21st CCLC) Program funds out-of-school time activities for K-12 students in high-poverty areas. The goal is to expand academic enrichment and youth development opportunities for students attending low-performing schools by offering students a broad array of services. Other programs provided for participating students include drug and violence prevention, counseling services, art, music, recreation activities, technology education, and character education that are designed to reinforce and complement the academic program. Families of participating children are offered literacy and other educational services.

Need Exceeds 21 CCLC Funding Level

- In 2009, 80 applications were received for Cohort F's competition, only 41 were awarded.
- In total Michigan would need over \$64M to fund all of the applications received for Cohorts D, E, and F.
- Michigan's 2010 federal allocation of \$41.9M funds only 40% of the grants submitted for all cohorts of grantees.



Currently...

...Michigan funds 90 grants,
totaling 340 sites in 23 counties
serving more than 33,000
students in high-priority schools.

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Michigan's Youth Soaring

Michigan has developed a unique evaluation system that looks at improved academic and youth development outcomes plus associated characteristics of high-quality programs, based on a continuous program improvement model. The Michigan Department of Education and its local grantees partner with Michigan State University's Community and Evaluation Research Center and The David P. Weikart Center for Youth Program Quality to accomplish this multi-faceted evaluation model.



Students participating in 21st CCLC program have:

- Improved MEAP scores at the elementary and middle school levels in both reading and math.
- Increased classroom participation and homework completion by 77%.¹
- Improved student behavior such as suspensions and expulsions by 75%.¹



High-quality 21st CCLC programs provide...
...safe and supportive environments,
...positive youth/adult interactions, and
...multiple avenues for youth engagement
for students in Michigan's high-priority schools.²

References

¹ Michigan State University, Community Evaluation and Research Center (2007), Michigan 21st Century Community Learning Centers Five Years and Growing. East Lansing, MI.

² High/Scope Educational Research Foundation Youth Development Group. (2007).