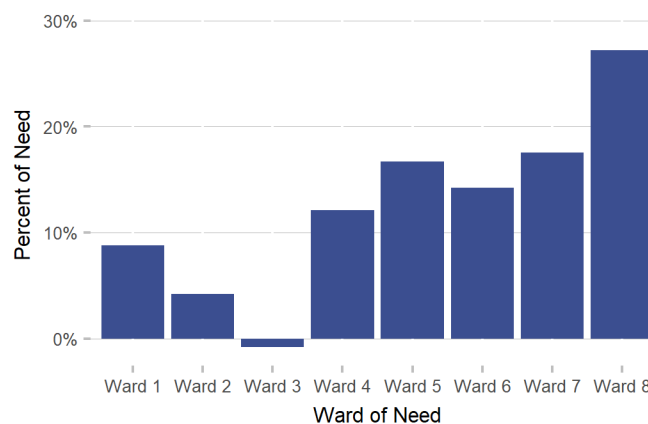


## Fiscal Year 2022 and School Year 2021-22 Grant Competitions Summary

The Office of Out of School Time Grants and Youth Outcomes (OST Office) located in the Office of the Deputy Mayor for Education (DME) thanks all organizations that applied for Fiscal Year 2022 (FY22) and School Year 2021-22 (SY21-22) Out of School Time grant competitions and those that requested continuation awards. Altogether there were over 106 organizations that submitted applications or continuation requests. The quality of the applications made for a highly competitive process. The number of excellent programs and organizations that applied was impressive and we appreciate and recognize the contributions of every organization for their continued work with children and youth across the District of Columbia. FY22 and School Year 2021-22 grant competitions are funded with a combination of local, American Rescue Plan (ARP) and Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) funds.

Learn24 is a network of before- and after-school and summer programs, also called out-of-school-time (OST) programs, to ensure youth in the District of Columbia have access to quality educational and enrichment activities beyond the school day. In October 2017, the DC Policy Center released the *Needs Assessment on Out-of-School Time Programs in the District of Columbia*<sup>1</sup> providing details about the gap in program options by Ward.

**Distribution of School Year Programming Need, by Ward**

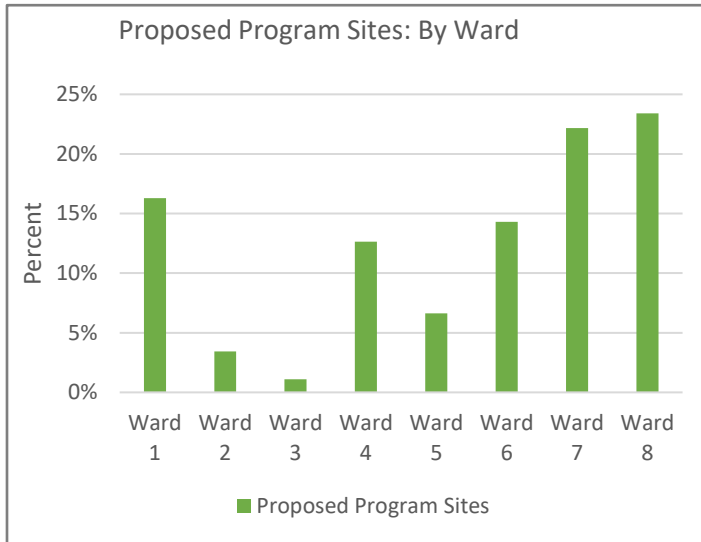


### Highlights

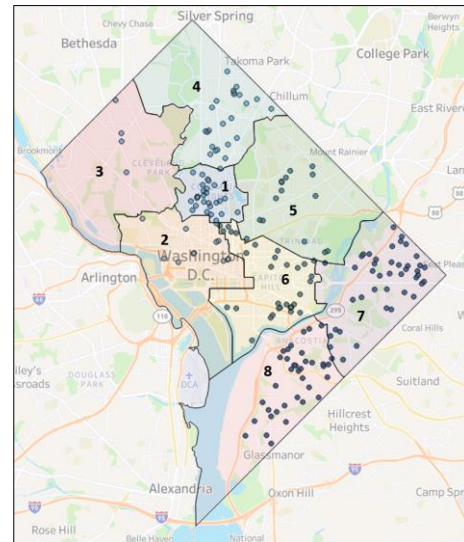
- In total, up to \$12.26 million will be awarded to 91 nonprofit organizations that propose to provide services to over 9,600 District of Columbia children and youth during the upcoming grant period.
- Of the total:
  - \$2,437,243 will be awarded to 22 organizations receiving SY21-22 OST grants. These organizations propose to serve approximately 2,840 youth.
  - \$174,500 will be awarded to 7 organizations receiving SY21-22 Small Nonprofit OST grants and propose to serve 480 youth.
  - \$1,950,110 will be awarded to 12 organizations receiving Year Round grants. These grantees received School Year 2020-21 and Summer 2021 grants and applied for the FY22 Invitation Only Year Round grant. The grantees will provide afterschool and summer 2022 camps to serve approximately 1,344 youth.
  - \$7,696,887 in continuation grants will be awarded to 49 organizations. Of the 49 organizations, 6 are small non-profits and 30 are Year-Round grantees. These organizations propose to serve 4,975 youth.
- Seven (7) organizations are new grantees that have not been previously funded by the OST Office.
- Three grant competitions were released on June 4, 2021 and applications were received by July 7, 2021.

<sup>1</sup> Taylor, Yesim Sayen and Zickuhr, Kathryn (2017). Needs Assessment of Out-of-School Time Programs in the District of Columbia. Washington, D.C.: DC Policy Center. Retrieved from <https://www.dcpolicycenter.org/wp-content/uploads/2017/10/FINAL-OST-NEEDS-ASSESSMENT.OCTOBER2017-1.pdf>

**Percent of FY22 and SY21-22 Proposed Program Sites, by Ward**



**Map of Proposed Program Site Locations, by Ward**



**Overview of Grant Competitions**

All proposals were reviewed and scored by three impartial reviewers using a publicly available rubric.

- 1) School Year 2021-22 Out of School Time Grant Competition
  - 35 applications were received for a total request of \$3,9331,948.
  - 22 applicants will be awarded grants for a total of \$2,437,243.
  - Applications that scored 73 or greater out of 88 points were awarded a grant.
  - Grant amounts requested ranged from \$25,000 to \$150,000.
  
- 2) School Year 2021-22 Small Nonprofit Out of School Time Grant Competition
  - 8 applications were received for a total request of \$199,500.
  - 7 applicants will be awarded grants for a total of \$174,500.
  - Applications that scored 22 or greater out of 44 points were awarded a grant.
  - Grant amounts requested ranged from \$24,500 to \$25,000.
  
- 3) Fiscal Year 2022 Year Round Out of School Time Invitation Only Grant Competition
  - 12 applications were received for a total request of \$2,229,120.
  - 12 applicants will be awarded grants for a total of \$1,950,110.
  - Applications that scored 24 or greater out of 52 points were awarded a grant.
  - Grant amounts requested ranged from \$50,000 to \$300,000.
  
- 4) Continuation Grants (School Year 2019-20, School Year 2020-21, School Year Small Nonprofit 2019-20, School Year Small Nonprofit 2020-21, Year Round Coordinating Entity, FY20 Year Round, and FY21 Year Round)
  - 51 continuation applications were received for a total request of \$9,370,125.
  - 49 organizations will receive \$7,696,887 as OST continuation recipients.
  - Organizations could receive more grant funds than they had received in FY21.
  - 16 organizations will receive \$1,507,650 as School Year 2021-22 continuation recipients.
  - 4 organizations will receive \$100,000 as Small Nonprofit School Year continuation recipients.
  - 29 organizations will receive \$6,089,237 as Year Round continuation recipients.
  - Continuation requests ranged from \$25,000 to \$300,000.

## List of Grantees

### School Year 2021-22 Out of School Time Grant Competition

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|---|--|
| 1. Access Inc.*                                     | 12. Homeless Childrens Playtime Project  |
| 2. Boys & Girls Clubs of Greater Washington (BGCGW) | 13. Leaders of Tomorrow Youth Center Inc.*   |
| 3. Center for Inspired Teaching                     | 14. Men Can Stop Rape  |
| 4. City Blossoms                                    | 15. One World Education*   |
| 5. City Gate Inc.                                   | 16. Smart from the Start*  |
| 6. Collaborative Solutions for Communities          | 17. Swaliga Foundation   |
| 7. College Track*                                   | 18. Thurgood Marshall Academy  |
| 8. Dance Makers Inc.                                | 19. Words Beats and Life   |
| 9. Fihankra Akoma Ntoaso (FAN)                      | 20. Young Playwrights Theater  |
| 10. For Love of Children (FLOC)                     | 21. Young Women's Christian Association of the National Capital Area Inc. (YWCA NCA) |
| 11. Healthy Babies Project Inc.                     | 22. Young Women's Project*   |

### School Year 2021-22 Small Nonprofit Out of School Time Grant Competition

1. Amy Jacques Garvey Institute
2. Capital Movement Inc.\*
3. Childrens Art Studio
4. Metropolitan Alliance for Youth Advancement (MAYA) Foundation Inc. (The)
5. Oye Palaver Hut
6. Student-Athlete Organization Understand Leadership (SOUL)
7. Tumaini DC Inc.

### Fiscal Year 2022 Year Round Invitation Only OST Grant Competition

1. Amala Lives
2. Arts for Our Children
3. Beta Omega Social Services (BOSS)
4. Capital City Public Charter School
5. Dance Institute of Washington (The)
6. Do The Write Thing of DC
7. FRESHFARM Markets Inc.
8. Hung Tao Choy Mei Leadership Institute
9. Mentors of Minorities in Education Inc. (MOMIES)
10. National Center for Children and Families
11. One Common Unity
12. Tech Turn Up

### Continuation Grantees – School Year 2021-22 Out of School Time Continuation Grant

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| 1. After-School All-Stars                                | 9. GALA Hispanic Theatre                      |
| 2. BEST Kids Inc.  | 10. Global Kids                               |
| 3. Big Brothers Big Sisters of the National Capital Area | 11. Higher Achievement                        |
| 4. BUILD Metro DC  | 12. Latino Student Fund                       |
| 5. Capital Partners for Education                        | 13. Many Languages One Voice                  |
| 6. Common Good City Farm                                 | 14. Reading Partners                          |
| 7. Critical Exposure                                     | 15. See Forever Foundation (Maya Angelou PCS) |
| 8. DC Youth Orchestra Program                            |   |

**Continuation Grantees – School Year 2021-22 Small Nonprofit Out of School Time Continuation Grant**

1. Children's Legacy Theatre
2. EnventU
3. Northeast Performing Arts Group
4. Urban Learning and Teaching Center

**Continuation Grantees – Fiscal Year 2022 Year Round Continuation Grant**

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| 1. A Greater Washington Field of Dreams                        | 15. Jubilee Housing                            |
| 2. Asian American Youth Leadership Empowerment and Development | 16. Kid Power                                  |
| 3. Beacon House  | 17. Latin American Youth Center                |
| 4. Children and Charity International                          | 18. Little Lights Urban Ministries             |
| 5. City Kids Wilderness Project                                | 19. MusicianShip (The)                         |
| 6. CityDance   | 20. NOMIS Youth Network                        |
| 7. College Tribe   | 21. Project Create DC                          |
| 8. Community Services Foundation                               | 22. Sasha Bruce Youthwork                      |
| 9. Dance Place/DC Wheel Productions                            | 23. Shaw Community Center                      |
| 10. DC SCORES  | 24. Sitar Arts Center                          |
| 11. Eagle Academy Public Charter School                        | 25. United to Rise (formerly YOUR CC)          |
| 12. Fishing School (The)                                       | 26. Urban Alliance                             |
| 13. Helping Our People Empowerment Group (The)                 | 27. Washington School For Girls                |
| 14. Horton's Kids  | 28. Washington Tennis and Education Foundation |

**Continuation Grantees – Fiscal Year 2022 Year Round Coordinating Entity Continuation Grant**

1. East River Family Strengthening Collaborative at Lincoln Heights
2. Exodus Treatment Center at Highland Addition
3. Exodus Treatment Center at Woodland Terrace

\* new grantee

**Questions**

Contact the OST Office at [Learn24@dc.gov](mailto:Learn24@dc.gov) with questions about the grant process.

**Additional Information**

- Stay informed by receiving the Learn24 newsletters that include grant opportunities, resources, and research by visiting [Learn24.dc.gov](http://Learn24.dc.gov).
- OST Office releases grant competitions at least twice yearly.