







# Fiscal Year 2020 Annual Grant Report

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#### About the Office of Out of School Time Grants and Youth Outcomes

The Office of Out of School Time Grants and Youth Outcomes (OST Office) supports equitable access to high-quality, out-of-school-time programs for District of Columbia youth through coordination among government agencies, targeted grant-making, data collection and evaluation, and the provision of training, capacity building, and technical assistance to out-ofschool-time providers.

Learn24 is a network of before school, after school, and summer programs, also called out-ofschool-time (OST) programs, launched by Mayor Bowser in 2017. The OST Office stewards the Learn24 brand to foster awareness of the OST Office, The Institute for Youth Development, Commission on Out of School Time Grants and Youth Outcomes, higher education partners, District agencies, philanthropic partners, and the hundreds of nonprofits and schools that offer programs to youth outside the school day.

A decade of research indicates that youth who regularly participate in quality OST programs benefit in terms of their academic performance, social and emotional development, and health and wellness. In addition, youth participation in OST programs can result in improved school attendance, higher graduation rates, lower dropout rates, stronger academic performance, and improved positive behaviors and work habits.

The Commission on Out of School Time Grants and Youth Outcomes (OST Commission) and the OST Office support access to, and cultivation of, high-quality OST programs by:

- Building the skills for adults who work with youth in OST programs through workshops and conferences organized by The Institute for Youth Development within the OST Office:
- Working directly with OST program leaders and staff through observation, assessment, and coaching to improve program design and implementation;
- Communicating the importance of program quality to key stakeholders to increase accountability across the network of OST providers:
- Providing access to funding; and

• Measuring and reporting on outcomes for youth who participate in programs across the District of Columbia.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Youth is used throughout the document to include children and adolescents in Kindergarten through 12<sup>th</sup> grade.

## About the OST Commission

The OST Commission is a public body composed of engaged residents and representatives from government agencies. The mission of the OST Commission is to support equitable access to high-quality OST programs for District of Columbia youth through coordination among government agencies, targeted grant-making, data collection and evaluation, and the provision of training, capacity building, and technical assistance to OST providers. The OST Commission will guide the OST Office to offer resources and support to ensure a citywide system of high-quality OST programs.

#### **Vision**

All youth across the District of Columbia have the skills, attitudes, and knowledge necessary to achieve and thrive in school, the workplace, and their communities.

#### **Values**

#### Youth Voice

Youth contribute directly to decisions that impact their lives.

## Equity

Decisions are made recognizing structural racism with a determined focus on dismantling those systems and achieving equitable outcomes for youth.

#### Commitment to Learning

Continuous improvement and learning leads to stronger and more effective systems, organizations, and programs.

## Mutual Respect and Responsibilities

Respecting the unique insights, resources, and contributions of all stakeholders leads to the realization of a collective vision.

## Strategic Plan 2019-2022

On August 8, 2019, the OST Commission approved the 2019-2022 Strategic Plan. Over the next three years, the OST Commission and the OST Office will focus on the following four strategic priorities to achieve the vision. Each strategic priority must remain anchored in the values of youth voice, equity, commitment to learning, and mutual respect and responsibilities.

#### **Funding and Capacity Building**

The OST Commission prioritizes closing the gap in OST program capacity; this is achieved when all Washington, DC youth have equitable access to diverse, high-quality programs in locations convenient to them. The OST Commission will support Learn24 in closing the gap in OST program capacity by guiding the OST Office in its mission to provide financial, technical, and educational resources to a wide range of OST providers, large and small, who have established trust with their communities and have experience meeting the needs of their communities.

#### Quality

High-quality programs engage youth in the authentic expression of voice and choice by providing safe and supportive environments, caring adults, and structured activities. The OST Commission prioritizes ensuring that all Washington, DC youth have equitable access to high-quality OST programs. The OST Commission will set guidelines for the OST Office on how to define, measure, assess, and increase program quality.

#### **Outcomes**

Outcomes are the strides the OST Commission expects youth will make through participation in OST programs. Outcomes must evolve with young people as they grow physically, socially, emotionally, and cognitively. The OST Commission prioritizes supporting Learn24 in ensuring that all Washington, DC youth have access to programs that allow them to achieve outcomes. The OST Commission will guide the OST Office on how to define, measure, and assess outcomes.

#### **Coordination and Collaboration**

To build a strong and sustainable system that supports high-quality OST programs, the OST Office will rely on the help and input of youth, families, OST providers, experts, and government agencies. To achieve this goal, the OST Commission will encourage connection among various stakeholders including: the OST Office, government agencies, nonprofit entities, parents, and youth.

The OST Strategic Plan 2019-2022 may be found at Learn24.dc.gov.

# **Key Findings from OST Needs Assessment**

In October 2017, the DC Policy Center released a report, "Needs Assessment of Out-of-School Time Programs in the District of Columbia". The report was commissioned by the OST Office to examine the extent to which OST programs were offered and if the programs were meeting the needs of youth attending Washington, DC public and charter schools.

#### School Year Summary

- 33,400 youth attend regular afterschool programming in Washington, DC.
- This total includes 28,700 youth in pre-K to 8th grade and 4,700 youth in grades 9 to 12
- Main providers of OST programs are schools and community-based organizations.

## **Summer Summary**

- 15,500 youth from pre-K to 12th grade participate in summer programs in Washington, DC.
- This total includes 4,700 entering pre-K3 to 8th grade and 10,800 in grades 9 to 12.
- Marion S. Barry Summer Youth Employment Program (SYEP), typically not considered an OST program, is the largest summer program provider.

Estimated Gap in OST Program Capacity <sup>2</sup>						
	Afterschool		Summer			
	Pre-K3 to grade 8	Grades 9 to 12	Pre-K3 to grade 8	Grades 9 to 12		
"At risk" Youth Population	1,600	4,300	25,600	0		

<sup>2</sup> Source: Taylor, Yesim Sayen and Kathryn Zickuhr (2017). *Needs Assessment of Out-of-School Time Programs in the District of Columbia*. Washington D.C.: DC Policy Center. Retrieved from <a href="https://www.dcpolicycenter.org/wp-content/uploads/2017/10/FINAL-OST-DRAFT.OCTOBER-16.corrected.pdf">https://www.dcpolicycenter.org/wp-content/uploads/2017/10/FINAL-OST-DRAFT.OCTOBER-16.corrected.pdf</a>

# Voices of DC Parents and Youth on OST<sup>3</sup>

Policy Studies Associates developed and analyzed youth and parent surveys in 2018. The report summarizes insights provided by 1,207 parents of youth from PreK to 8<sup>th</sup> grade and 227 youth in middle and high school about program activities, supports, and resources that are most important to them.

#### Insights from parents:

- Safe and engaging programs are priorities.
  - More than half of parents identified safety as one of the most important components of OST programs (78%). Parents also want programs that reflect children's interests (53%), including arts and sports.
- Transportation, affordability, and lack of information are top challenges to OST participation.
  - More than half of parents identified a lack of transportation as a primary challenge (53%).
- Parents prefer to receive information about programs from their child's school and to register their child in person.
  - 76 percent of parents identified schools as their preferred source of information about programs.

#### Insights from youth:

- Youth want to build skills in OST programs.
  - The top three skill areas identified by youth are arts (51%), sports (46%), and career/vocational (42%).
- Middle and high school youth want programs that offer college exploration and career exploration/training.
  - 58 percent of youth reported "a lot" of interest in college exploration, and 55 percent of youth expressed "a lot" of interest in career exploration/training.
- Middle and high school youth want to participate in sports and recreational activities.
  - 55 percent of middle and high school youth reported "a lot" of interest in sports, and 50 percent reported "a lot" of interest in recreational activities.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Source: Christina A. Russell, Tandra T. Tuner, and Alisha Butler (2018). *Voices of DC Parents and Youth on OST*. Washington, D.C.: Policy Studies Associates. Retrieved from: https://static1.squarespace.com/static/59d23c4c64b05f05702d7574/t/5c06b967562fa76ae69792ec/1543944552984/

# **COVID-19 Impacts**

Covid-19 had a marked and direct impact on School Year 2019-20 and Summer 2020 programs. Mayor Bowser's order of a public health emergency on March 11, 2020 and subsequent orders changed the:

- method that most programs used to interact with youth,
- · ability for programs to connect with the youth enrolled, and
- process for programs to recruit additional youth.

#### School Year 2019-20 Impacts:

- Many organizations quickly pivoted to the best of their ability to offer virtual programming.
- Other organizations suspended programming until they were able to return in-person.
- The requirement for programs to conduct youth surveys was suspended.

An Essential Worker Request for Applications was released to assist with the immediate needs of District Workers and the OST Office's effort to support the Public Health Emergency. This grant was released to current grantees in good standing with the grant, organizations who had staff already cleared, and organizations that had insurance requirements that met the District's requirements.

#### Summer 2020 Impacts:

- The grant competition was reduced.
- Applications for summer programs had already been received by March 11<sup>th</sup>, therefore organizations submitted follow up plans for virtual programming, if appropriate.
- The requirement for programs to conduct youth surveys was suspended.
- All programmatic site visits were conducted virtually.
- Some grantees did offer in-person programming with safety measures in place.

The 2020 Needs Assessment was suspended as a direct result of COVID-19.

## **Fiscal Year 2020 Grant Funds**

The OST Office received \$12,651,804 in local funds to be used as grants to nonprofits that offer OST programs. The OST Office issued one grant in Fiscal Year 2020 (FY20) to United Way of the National Capital Area (United Way NCA).

# **About United Way of the National Capital Area**

United Way NCA works to help all members of the community have a better life. United Way NCA focuses on the building blocks of a good life — a quality education, financial stability for individuals and families, and good health. United Way NCA convenes people and organizations to create solutions to the region's most pressing challenges. United Way NCA collaborates with effective partners, serves as the catalyst for community change, and brings together the voices, expertise, and resources needed to define, articulate, and create community impact in the national capital area.

# **United Way NCA Fiscal Year 2020 Grant Administration**

The OST Office works with one grantmaking partner to award subgrants to non-profit organizations that provide youth development services to District of Columbia school age youth. The grantmaking partner does not provide direct services and has a record of success in grantmaking. The grantmaking partner works at the direction of the OST Office and releases the various grant competitions; collects and monitors submissions; helps to recruit, train, and support grant reviewers; and works directly with the subgrantees on grant agreements and financial reports; and disburses grant payments.

There was one grant to United Way NCA in the amount of \$12,651,804 which was used to disburse \$11,714,633 as subgrants. The balance of \$937,171 was used by United Way NCA for the administration of the grant program.

In addition, the OST Office directed United Way NCA to use the unspent funds from Fiscal Year 2019 in the amount of \$394,407.55 for subgrants in Fiscal Year 2020.

Due to budget constraints, the District requested that United Way NCA return \$2,148,357 which impacted the total amount of awards for the 2020 Summer Strong Competitions.

# **Description of Subgrants and Timeline**

United Way NCA administered the OST Office's grant program from October 1, 2019 through September 30, 2020. At the direction of the OST Office, United Way NCA is responsible for awarding subgrants to nonprofit organizations that provide OST programs.

#### **Performance Measures and Performance Outcomes**

Grant Competition Name	Number of Grants Awarded	Number of Youth Funded to Serve	Total Amount of Awards		
OST Programs for Essential District Workers	2	24	\$120,000		
2020 Summer Strong DC	22	1,610	\$1,602,231		
2020 Summer Strong DC Small Nonprofit	7	161	\$172,500		
2020 Summer Strong Coordinating Entity	1	30	\$100,000		
2020 Summer Strong Enrichment at DCPS/DPR	3	130	\$219,159		
School Year 2019-20 OST	42	6,063	\$3,479,393*		
School Year 2019-20 OST Small Nonprofit	21	791	\$514,200*		
Fiscal Year 2020 Invitation Only Year Round OST	24	8,449	\$4,527,664*		
Fiscal Year 2020 Invitation Only Year Round Coordinating Entity	2	100	\$400,000*		
Total	124	17,358	\$11,135,147.60		
*These grants start in FY19 and a portion of grant funds are distributed in FY19.					

The OST Office directed United Way NCA to reallocate unspent and returned funds, as well as any remaining balances from Fiscal Year 2019, and apply those funds to Fiscal Year 2020 grants.

# **About the Subgrant Competitions**

## **OST Programs for Essential District Workers**

This grant competition was created as a direct response to the Public Health Emergency in order to support District workers providing essential services with full day, out-of-school time programs for their children and youth ages 5 -13.

#### 2020 Summer Strong DC

This opportunity was available to any nonprofit that provided a structured, supervised learning, or youth development program between June 15 and August 28, 2020 for a minimum of 5 hours per day, 5 days a week, for 5 consecutive weeks.

## 2020 Summer Strong DC Small Nonprofit

This opportunity was only available to small nonprofit organizations with budgets of less than \$250,000. Applicants had to provide a structured, supervised learning, or youth development opportunity between June 15 and August 28, 2020 for a minimum of 5 hours per day, 5 days a week, for 5 consecutive weeks.

#### **2020 Summer Strong Coordinating Entity**

The coordinating entities served youth residing at short-term family housing or DC Housing Authority communities. The coordinating entities had to subcontract with grassroots community led entities to provide a rich variety of summer experiences for the youth. The summer camp had to operate between June 5, and August 28, 2020 for a minimum of 8 hours per day, 5 days a week, for 6 consecutive weeks.

## **2020 Summer Strong Enrichment**

The grantees provided youth ages 5-13 with an engaging, fun, and educational enrichment program. The programming took place at DC Public School Summer Sites between June 29 and July 31, 2020.

#### School Year 2019-20 OST and School Year 2019-20 OST Small Nonprofit

This grant competition was held in Fiscal Year 2019 to fund OST programs from August 1, 2019 through July 31, 2020.

# Fiscal Year 2020 Invitation Only Year Round OST and Fiscal Year 2020 invitation Only Coordinating Entity

This continuation competition was released to organizations that received both the School Year 2018-19 OST and 2019 Summer Strong DC to serve school age children and youth with school year and summer programs. This competition was created to reduce the reporting requirements of the two grants and allow those programs to open summer enrollment at the same time as Department of Parks and Recreation (DPR) and DC Public Schools (DCPS).

# **Details about the Subgrants**

The following list shows the subgrantees that received awards from United Way NCA. The amount shows the grant amount distributed in FY20. Details on subgrantees were provided by United Way NCA.

## A Greater Washington Field of Dreams

**Program Description:** Our baseball and character development program cultivates future leaders, using baseball as a tool to teach students the importance of building their emotional, mental, and physical capabilities. Fields of Dreams Summer Camp includes baseball training, fitness exercises, STEM, literacy, financial literacy, character development, and enrichment.

Location of Program(s): Malcolm X Elementary School, Moten Elementary School, Simon Elementary School

Profile of Youth: Ages 7-12, Grades 3-6

**Grant Award(s):** 

School Year 2019-20 OST \$97,000 2020 Summer Strong Enrichment \$30,000

#### **After School All Stars**

**Program Description:** Each day from the end of the school day until 6 pm, we offer a combination of academic support, enrichment, and health and fitness activities to those who could not access them otherwise, providing students a safe-haven during the "danger zone" hours of 3:00 pm-6:00 pm: the time of the day when youth violence, drug use and other delinquent behaviors are mostly likely to occur. In this space, staff can deeply connect with students, incorporate innovative curricula, and equip them with skills, relationships, and experiences they will need to succeed in life.

**Location of Program(s):** Stuart Hobson Middle School, Charles Hart Middle School, John Hayden Johnson Middle School, Somerset Prep Academy Public Charter School, Two Rivers Public Charter School, Cesar Chavez Prep, Leckie Elementary School

Profile of Youth: Ages 10-14, Grades 4-8

**Grant Award(s):** 

School Year 2019-20 OST \$97,000 OST Programs for Essential District Workers \$90,000

#### **Amala Lives**

**Program Description:** Out-of-School Time Programs – Customized high academic, tutoring support, arts, culturally enriching and leadership programming for youth ages 5-13.

Saving Our Neighborhood (SON) – A Holistic Violence Intervention Program.

"Resilient Mentoring Program" - Transformative Mentoring Program.

Level Up – Music production and engineering program for adjudicated youth.

Location of Program(s): 4511 Quarles Street NE

**Profile of Youth:** Ages 5-13 who are low income, victims of gun violence, trauma or have incarcerated parent(s).

Grant Award(s):

School Year 2019-20 Small Nonprofit OST \$25,000 2020 Summer Strong Coordinating Entity \$100,000

#### **Amy Jacques Garvey Institute**

**Program Description:** This nonprofit values effective and structural improvements of at-risk youth from Ward 7 by offering three independent cohorts (Fall, Spring, and Summer) specifically designed to transform their individualized employment and training with professional strengths in the areas of literacy gains, work-readiness competencies, hands-on career employment, and developmental evidence-based outcomes.

Location of Program(s): Mt. Vernon United Methodist Church

Profile of Youth: Ages 14-24

**Grant Award(s):** 

#### Arts for Our Children

**Program Description:** The program is a continuation and expansion of the program that AFOC has conducted in conjunction with Whittier Education Campus since April 2017. AFOC provides services to its community in several areas, scholarships for students to participate in Davis Center programs and production support for the center's awards program, recitals and other activities. AFOC helps to fund and arrange field trips so that community youth can attend conferences and professionally staged performances. The students also attend nutrition classes and take part in ballet dance classes. In the summer the iThings2 Collard Greens summer camp includes opportunities for girls to receive training in dance, etiquette, sewing, music, self-esteem, poetry/reading, yoga, health and nutrition.

Location of Program(s): The Davis Center, Kingsbury Center

**Profile of Youth:** African American girls ages 5-13 primarily from Wards 4 and 5

**Grant Award(s):** 

School Year 2019-20 Small Nonprofit OST

\$25,000

#### Asian American Youth Leadership Empowerment and Development

**Program Description:** Programming includes academic counseling and support, including choosing middle school, high school, and post-secondary education options, life and study skills workshops, career workshops, college visits, cultural cooking workshops, cultural dialogues, mental health workshops, and leadership activities to promote ownership of programs.

Location of Program(s): Adams Morgan Community Center, Bancroft Elementary School, Chevy Chase

Community Center

Profile of Youth: Ages 5-18, Grades K-12

**Grant Award(s):** 

School Year 2019-20 OST \$97,000 2020 Summer Strong Enrichment \$45,357

#### **Bancroft Elementary Parent Teacher Organization of Washington DC**

**Program Description:** The PTO works in close partnership with school leadership, and in particular the Family Engagement Leadership Team (FELT) to plan, coordinate and implement enrichment programs for the students at Bancroft Elementary. These include a year-long residency program for PK-3 and PK-4 with the local arts organization, Imagination Stage, an in- house tutoring program with Reading Partners, and our targeted weekend enrichment program, Saturday Academy, for families of at-risk children, which the PTO seeks to expand under this grant.

Location of Program(s): Bancroft Elementary School

Profile of Youth: Ages 5-11 who are at-risk English Language Learners

Grant Award(s):

School Year 2019-20 Small Nonprofit OST

\$25.000

#### **Beacon House**

**Program Description:** We serve 150 low-income youth and children in two 6,000 square foot centers in the academic mentoring and enrichment programs each day afternoon, and engage another 300 young people in the year-round athletics program. We operate programming everyday afternoon from 3:30 - 8pm, have weekend programming including sports games and field trips, provide special programming on school breaks, and run a camp from 8:30 am - 3:30 pm each day in the summer.

**Location of Program(s):** Beacon House **Profile of Youth:** Ages 5-15, Grades K-9

Grant Award(s):

Fiscal Year 2020 Invitation Only Year Round OST

\$218.250

#### **BEST Kids**

**Program Description:** Through BEST Kids' comprehensive 1 one 1 mentoring programs, mentees are shown to have an improvement in social and emotional wellness, an increased set of independent living skills, consistent academic achievement, and an avoidance of risky behaviors.

Location of Program(s): Various sites throughout the District

Profile of Youth: Ages 6-21, Grades K-12

**Grant Award(s):** 

School Year 2019-20 OST

\$95,866

## **Beta Omega Social Services**

**Program Description:** The BOSS Summer Tech Camp and the BOSS Youth Tech Initiative OST program are designed to prepare the 21st century learner for success. The programs are designed to focus on S.T.E.M. education, while promoting career exploration in a fun setting. Each component of the programs is designed to use innovative strategies that include project-based learning, hands-on experiences, and other creative methods of instruction that will allow youth participants to thrive.

Location of Program(s): BOSS Youth Tech Initiative at Benning Park Recreation Center

Profile of Youth: Grades 3-8

Grant Award(s):

School Year 2019-20 Small Nonprofit OST

\$23,320

## **Boys and Girls Clubs of Greater Washington**

**Program Description:** BGCGW provides youth ages 5-18 with field-tested afterschool and summer programs and exposure to unique experiences, while striving to extend their development and learning beyond the classroom and into the community. Through a blend of educational, enrichment, and recreational activities, our programs are designed to promote positive relationships, increase self-worth, and develop leadership qualities. Our programs are structured under our evidence-based "Formula for Impact" philosophy of positive youth development, in which we work closely with parents and families, schools, and community organizations toward three priority outcomes for our youth: Academic Success, Good Character and Citizenship, and Healthy Lifestyles.

**Location of Program(s):** Richard England Clubhouse, FBR @ THEARC Club, George M. Ferris Jr. Clubhouse 6

Profile of Youth: Ages 5-18, Grades K-12

Grant Award(s):

Fiscal Year 2020 Invitation Only Year Round OST

\$218.250

#### **BUILD Metro DC**

**Program Description:** BUILD's Theory of Change relies on experiential learning within a growth mindset to equip our students with critical 21st century skills. Our students' experiential learning process is comprised of entrepreneurship, college and career readiness activities, and mentorship.

**Location of Program(s):** Eastern High School; SEED Public Charter School; Friendship Collegiate Academy Public Charter School; Friendship Tech Prep Academy Public Charter School

**Profile of Youth:** Grades 7-12

Grant Award(s):

School Year 2019-20 OST

\$25,000

## **Capital City Public Charter School**

**Program Description:** Programming for students provides enrichment with opportunities for physical and socioemotional learning. The morning portion of the program is focused on academics, while the afternoon is focused on enrichment, sports, and field trips. This grant is to expand and strengthen our extended day programmatic offerings by establishing partnerships with external organizations that offer opportunities for students to develop mastery in S.T,E,A,M. concepts such as human performance and wellness through athletics, technology, engineering, performing and graphic arts, music, film production, and mathematics.

Location of Program(s): Center City Public Charter School High School

**Profile of Youth:** Grades 5-12

Grant Award(s):

School Year 2019-20 OST \$97,000 2020 Summer Strong Enrichment \$84,590

## **Center for Inspired Teaching**

**Program Description:** Real World History teaches history through inquiry, equipping students with crucial skills to prepare them to thrive in our complex 21st century world. The Speak Truth program brings together high school students throughout DC to engage in student-facilitated discussions on riveting and often difficult contemporary issues facing our nation.

Location of Program(s): Center for Inspired Teaching

Profile of Youth: Grades 9-12

Grant Award(s):

School Year 2019-20 OST

\$97,000

#### Children & Charity International

**Program Description:** Programs are: Saturday Academy - K-12 students do hands-on STEM activities. Summer Enrichment - Summer Youth Employment Program (SYEP). SYEP youth 14-21 engage in integrated learning of academics and STEM, build personal and job readiness skills, Apprenticeships, field trips, research, and team projects, June through August. Peer Mentoring - high school youth 14-18 participate in open discussions and design solutions using critical thinking, problem solving skills, communication, and collaboration, to deal with real life situations. Afterschool Academic and Enrichment Adventure - students K-8, do their homework; work with tutors to improve math and reading skills; learn technology; and create and perform in a variety of music, art, dance, and drama events.

Location of Program(s): Langdon Elementary School; St. Augustine Catholic School; Gilead Baptist Church

**Profile of Youth:** Grades K-8

Grant Award(s):

Fiscal Year 2020 Invitation Only Year Round OST

\$172,944

#### Children's Art Studio (The)

**Program Description:** FY19 Summer and SY19-20: The Children's Art Studio provides students with the opportunity to create thoughtful drawings, painting, sculptures, prints and collages. Each lesson is enhanced with art history and literature.

Location of Program(s): Anne Beers Elementary School; Plummer Elementary School

Profile of Youth: Ages 5-10

Grant Award(s):

School Year 2019-20 Small Nonprofit OST

\$20,000

#### Children's Defense Fund

**Program Description:** The CDF Freedom Schools program is a six-week summer literacy and cultural enrichment program designed to serve children and youth in grades K–12 in communities where quality academic enrichment programming is limited, too expensive or non-existent. By partnering with schools, faith-and community-based organizations, municipalities, colleges and universities and juvenile detention facilities. To provide an intergenerational learning experience, CDF Freedom Schools are staffed primarily by college students and recent college graduates – called "Servant Leader Interns" – with a 1:10 adult to child ratio. CDF Freedom Schools offer small-group support for learning, mentoring through college-age Servant Leader Interns, guest speakers, field trips and opportunities to make a positive difference. The program enhances children's motivation to read, makes them feel good about learning and connects their families to community resources.

Location of Program(s): Boone Elementary School

Profile of Youth: Grades K-5

Grant Award(s):

2020 Summer Strong Enrichment

\$99,279

## **City Blossoms**

**Program Description:** The City Blossoms model incorporates four core elements: healthy living skills, environmental education, artistic expression, and community development. The grant funds is to support the Youth Entrepreneurship Cooperative (YEC) program, which annually works with 85 youth (ages 14 to 19) in out-of-school time (OST) programming primarily at Eastern Senior High School (Ward 6) and Cardozo Education Campus (Ward 1). The YEC program is a year-round garden-based social entrepreneurship program with the goal of reducing youth unemployment in the District.

Location of Program(s): Eastern High School, Cardozo Education Campus, City Blossoms Studio

**Profile of Youth:** Grades 8-12

**Grant Award(s):** 

School Year 2019-20 OST

\$97,000

## **City Kids Wilderness Project**

**Program Description:** Since 1996, City Kids Wilderness Project has been serving under-resourced youth from DC's most vulnerable communities. Today we are serving over 130 under-resourced DC youth year-round in Washington, DC and Jackson, WY, in a comprehensive, multi-year program model that includes summer, weekend, school break, afterschool, college access and career support, and alumni support programming. The program goals are to build youth resiliency, broaden horizons, and ensure skills for success, through intensive, long-term programming using wilderness settings to encourage growth.

Location of Program(s): Josephine Butler Parks Center

Profile of Youth: Ages 11-18, Grades 6-12

Grant Award(s):

Fiscal Year 2020 Invitation Only Year Round OST

\$218,250

## CityDance

**Program Description:** DREAM's program model (Theory of Change) is grounded in the conviction that when youth are in an environment built upon youth development principles (youth feel emotionally and physically safe, can form positive long-term relationships, receive exposure to new opportunities, and are met with high expectations) they develop critical competencies that play a key role in enabling them to pursue their full potential. At the center of the model is dance as the vehicle through which students develop these core competencies: a healthy concept of the self, motivation to achieve, creative problem solving, an understanding of the self as part of a larger social environment, and a positive future outlook. "Wrapped around" the dance-based activities are the essential supports and services needed to address the challenges children from low-income neighborhoods so often encounter.

**Location of Program(s):** Boone Elementary School, Brightwood Education Campus, Harris Elementary School, Wilson Elementary School, Oyster Adams Bilingual School, Savoy Elementary School, Thomson Elementary School, Turner Elementary School, Thomas Elementary School, Simon Elementary School

Profile of Youth: Ages 8-18, Grades 3-12

Grant Award(s):

Fiscal Year 2020 Invitation Only Year Round OST

\$166.840

#### **Collaborative Solutions For Communities**

Program Description: This program offers activities that foster literacy skill development and social-emotional learning (SEL) and soccer. CSC has chosen Zoom from which to offer all program activities. The participants will engage in daily activities such as individual contacts (text, group message, video conferencing, phone, Facetime, or Zoom) and small and large group virtual activities. The group of 30 participants will be divided into three groups of 10 for small group activities. The group of 30 participants will meet initially for literacy and soccer then divide in small groups and then reconvene before dismissing. All SEL activities will be offered in the large group setting. The participants will be asked to view a pre-recorded video with demonstrations of soccer drills and skills before meeting for the soccer sessions. All sessions will be 60 to 90 minutes. Additional online content includes virtual scavenger hunt and virtual drawing. For virtual scavenger hunt, the participants will use Google 3D map to search out various soccer arenas around the globe and will be asked to describe what they see in the arenas. For virtual drawing, the participants will select a soccer player that they admire and draw their photo using "Paint" with a brief explanation of why they admire that player. The camp will end on July 31 with a virtual graduation/celebration. Each participant will receive a certificate and a medal or a small trophy.

Location of Program(s): Cardozo Education Center

Profile of Youth: Grades 6-10

**Grant Award(s):** 

2020 Summer Strong Enrichment

\$75,305

## **College Success Foundation**

**Program Description:** CSF-DC offers a unique series of integrated academic and enrichment support services. Beginning in 7th grade and continuing through college completion, students receive in-depth academic advising, school year and summer academic enrichment support, emotional and social development programs, tutoring, SAT Prep, college visitation programs, college retention supports, and career support services.

**Location of Program(s):** Charles Hart Middle School; Friendship Collegiate Academy

**Profile of Youth:** Grades 7-12

**Grant Award(s):** 

School Year 2019-20 OST

\$97,000

## College Tribe

**Program Description:** Recognizing the need to create a culture of achieving success at an earlier age in order to help boys be competitive at a college level, College Tribe incorporates programs in STEM classes as well as mentoring.

Location of Program(s): Center City Public Charter School-Congress Heights; Garfield Elementary School; St.

Francis Xavier Catholic Academy; Stanton Elementary School; Covenant Baptist UCC

Profile of Youth: Grades 3-8

Grant Award(s):

School Year 2019-20 OST \$80,000 2020 Summer Strong Enrichment \$25,000

## **Common Good City Farm**

**Program Description:** In our youth programs,, we aim to create an environment where children can come to explore the natural environment, and engage with food and cooking. Our programs address both issues by focusing on fresh, healthy, organic fruits and vegetables and how to cook them, as well as environmental education. Our youth development philosophy focuses on hands-on learning, skills development, and providing a safe and supportive environment for learning.

Location of Program(s): Common Good City Farm; St. George's Episcopal Church

Profile of Youth: Grades K-6

Grant Award(s):

School Year 2019-20 OST

\$75,000

## Community Services Foundation, Inc.

**Program Description:** Using a Positive Youth Development (PYD) service delivery approach, CSF provides: 1.) Academic instruction and tutoring; 2.) Healthy living, nutrition and physical activity sessions; and (3) Social-emotional learning supports designed to help youth build self-awareness, self-management, social awareness, relationship skills, and responsible decision-making.

**Location of Program(s):** Benning Courts; Benning Park; Carver Hall Community Center; Congress Park Community Center: Park Navlor Community Center

**Profile of Youth:** Grades K-12

Grant Award(s):

Fiscal Year 2020 Invitation Only Year Round OST

\$208,094

## **Critical Exposure**

**Program Description:** Our programs significantly impact the artistic and leadership skills of the youth we serve. Through our programming, Critical Exposure is developing a new generation of young civic leaders who possess the creativity to imagine new solutions to old problems, the belief that they have the right and ability to fight for change, and the skills to hold communities and public officials accountable.

Location of Program(s): E.L. Haynes Public Charter School, Thurgood Marshall Center Trust

Profile of Youth: Ages 14-19, Grades 9-12

Grant Award(s):

School Year 2019-20 OST

\$97,000

## Dance Institute of Washington (The)

**Program Description:** DIW operates a holistic conservatory program with an array of wraparound services, several award-winning community partnership programs, a performing youth ensemble, and professional company, granting youth from diverse backgrounds the chance to experience the performing arts and develop skills needed for college and careers.

Location of Program(s): The Dance Institute of Washington

Profile of Youth: Ages 3-18, Grades K-12

Grant Award(s):

2020 Summer Strong Enrichment

\$80,000

#### Dance Place/DC Wheel Productions

**Program Description:** Our youth programs are integrated into every aspect of our organization as a theater, school and community center. This includes interactive performances (Family Series, InReach, Outreach); classes (Kids on the Move, Outreach); and the Energizers programs (Afterschool Club, Junior Staff, Camp). Our youth initiatives focus on nurturing the holistic development of young people through dance education, cultural experiences, life skills, academic enrichment and job training.

**Location of Program(s):** Dance Place **Profile of Youth:** Ages 5-19, Grades K-12

Grant Award(s):

Fiscal Year 2020 Invitation Only Year Round OST

\$99.910

#### Dancemakers, Inc.

Program Description: Contact between teachers and students will take place for individual students and small groups of students using Zoom for face-to-face contact. Daily contact may also be through phone, email or texting. The summer program will take place from 9:00 AM to 12:00 PM. The teachers will be with groups of no more than 8-10 students at one time, and four online Zoom sessions will be conducted simultaneously. Each day, Monday through Friday, will begin with an online Zoom session for 55 minutes. Students and teachers will then have a ten-minute break followed by a 50-minute session, another ten-minute break followed by the final 50-minute session for the day. Students will have assignments or projects to work on in the afternoon that complement the lessons covered that morning. In addition to interaction with the teachers, special instructors will lead sessions – primarily in the arts, including dance and theater. At least one teacher will be present whenever a guest teacher is conducting a session. The use of virtual technology is critical to the implementation of the summer program. The Information Technology Specialist will be available to troubleshoot as needed to ensure that there are no barriers to daily contact with each student. If there is a technical issue that cannot be resolved quickly, the teachers will contact students directly via telephone, email, or text. All students will have daily contact with a teacher and/or program staff.

Location of Program(s): Turner Elementary School

Profile of Youth: Grades K-5

Grant Award(s):

2020 Summer Strong Enrichment

\$91,282

#### DC SCORES

**Program Description:** DC Scores has 23 years of experience of providing after-school youth development programming simultaneously in up to 55 DC sites of all types. The founding principle is that bonds between teammates built on the soccer field forge a supportive community for poetry workshops, which in turn builds literacy skills and a forum for self-expression. Leadership skills are developed through healthy competition which prepares students to act as agents of change in their communities.

**Location of Program(s):** Bancroft Elementary School, Brightwood Education Campus, H.D. Cooke Elementary School, Thomas Elementary School, Truesdell Education Campus

Profile of Youth: Ages 5-14, Grades K-8

**Grant Award(s):** 

Fiscal Year 2020 Invitation Only Year Round OST

\$218,250

## **DC Strings Workshop**

**Program Description:** DC Strings Workshop (DCSW) is a Ward 8 based non-profit organization committed to healing and inspiration by presenting live orchestra performances throughout the District of Columbia ("DC") region, particularly in underserved areas. DC Strings Workshop operates from the belief that all people should experience the joys of music and have access to quality music education programs.

Location of Program(s): DC Dream Center 2826 Q Street SE

Profile of Youth: Ages 8-14, Grades 3-8

**Grant Award(s):** 

2020 Summer Strong Enrichment

\$25,000

## **DC Youth Orchestra Program**

**Program Description:** At our main site at Eastern High School in ward 6, we offer group music lessons and ensemble training on Saturdays for students ages 4.5 to 18 from across the Washington metropolitan area. **Location of Program(s):** Bunker Hill Elementary School; Garrison Elementary School; Noyes Elementary

School; Moten Elementary School; Turner Elementary School; Hendley Elementary School

Profile of Youth: Grades K-5

Grant Award(s):

School Year 2019-20 OST

\$100,000

## Do the Write Thing

**Program Description:** Offers 4 core programs at no cost to Ward 7 and 8 students: Raising our youth as leaders multi-media arts project, living storybook, the kindness project, and fashion against bullying.

**Location of Program(s):** Plummer Elementary School

Profile of Youth: Grades Pre K-5

**Grant Award(s):** 

School Year 2019-20 OST

\$97,000

## **Eagle Academy Public Charter School**

**Program Description:** Eagle Academy PCS's curricula and instructional programs draw from the best practices of research-based, empirically proven early childhood program educational programs. In 2012, the LEA established the first early childhood STEAM program in the district.

**Location of Program(s)**: Eagle Academy Public Charter School

Profile of Youth: Ages 3-10, Grades K-3

**Grant Award(s):** 

Fiscal Year 2020 Invitation Only Year Round OST

\$218,250

#### East of the River Boys & Girls Steelband, Inc.

**Program Description:** The EOTRS provides instruction in steel pan music taught by pan master Roger Greenidge. The musical repertoire consists of genres from Caribbean and calypso to pop, rhythm and blues and gospel. The Steelband performs at a broad range of events and venues throughout metropolitan Washington, DC and eastern states.

**Location of Program(s):** The Episcopal Church of the Atonement

**Profile of Youth:** Grades 6-12

**Grant Award(s):** 

School Year 2019-20 Small Nonprofit OST

\$25,000

#### **East River Family Strengthening Collaborative**

**Program Description:** ERFSA partners with community residents and organizations to reduce the number of children from entering the child welfare system of care, increase support to families, provide services to prevent homelessness, increase financial self-sufficiency, decrease youth violence, and ensure that persons with disabilities and older adults have the same rights and responsibilities as other people.

Location of Program(s): Lincoln Heights Profile of Youth: Ages 5-18, Grades K-12

Grant Award(s):

Fiscal Year 2020 Invitation Only Year Round OST

\$200,000

#### **Education Plus 2**

Program Description: We will use Zoom to communicate with our students in one tutor to five student ratio. We will use IXL to drill the students in math, and teach them the principles of computer programming, often through gamification. Additionally, our program will cover both SEL and literacy. In an effort to keep the children engaged, some of the SEL and literacy work will allow the students a break from intensive computer work (i.e., will involve work with paper and pen). Most modules will be involve at least 15 minutes of Zoom or Zoom-chat time. For the coding instruction, we will use Code.org; for the older students, we will transition to Python/Pygame, which has almost no online interaction. This will be followed by showing the teenagers class how to code a simple video game. Instruction will be via Zoom in a 5:1 student/teacher ratio; younger children will remain with Code.org, which is specifically set up for young children. The software will be Python and Pygame, and Code.org or Minecraft. Some follow-up will be by email and/or phone call. As for the SEL we will use Sanford Harmony and Embrace Race. These will also be taught via Zoom and the related websites. The literacy, nutrition, and similar modules will have an online and an off-line component.

Location of Program(s): Rita Bright Community Center

Profile of Youth: Grades 2-8

Grant Award(s):

2020 Summer Strong Enrichment

\$99,850

## **Ethiopian Community Center**

**Program Description:** An inter-session program that provides culturally and linguistically targeted youth programming designed to provide intensive reading and English language instructions, arts and cultural enrichment, and leadership opportunities for school-age children and youth ages 5-14.

Location of Program(s): Ethiopian Community Center

Profile of Youth: Grade Pre K-8

**Grant Award(s):** 

School Year 2019-20 Small Nonprofit OST

\$25,000

#### **Exodus Treatment Center**

**Program Description:** ETC provides academic enrichment, recreational opportunities, drug education and intervention, mental health services and youth crime prevention programs to prevent the destructive cycles of substance abuse and addiction that plague underprivileged communities.

Location of Program(s): Exodus Treatment Center

Profile of Youth: Ages 5-12, Grades K-8

Grant Award(s):

Fiscal Year 2020 Invitation Only Year Round OST

\$200,000

#### Far Southeast Family Strengthening Collaborative

**Program Description:** FSFSC's service delivery system is neighborhood-based, youth and family driven. This system was formed through a series of networks of support that are both flexible and responsive to the needs of children and families.

Location of Program(s): Far Southeast Family Strengthening Collaborative

Profile of Youth: Ages 10-13, Grades 5-8

Grant Award(s):

2020 Summer Strong Enrichment

\$96,012

#### Fihankra Akoma Ntoaso

**Program Description:** FAN's PYD program has been a daily after-school and summer program serving youth in foster care between the ages of 8 and 18 in Ward 8. This program engages young adolescents in activities of academic support, extracurricular instruction, community service, and group mentoring in the summer and after school

Location of Program(s): Malcolm X Opportunity Center

Profile of Youth: Grade 2-10

Grant Award(s):

School Year 2019-20 Small Nonprofit OST

\$25,000

## Fishing School (The)

**Program Description:** The Fishing School's Afterschool Program serves DC children and youth in Wards 7 and 8, embedded within three DCPS and one tuition-free independent school. Our programs are multi-year, ensuring that each student continues to receive the support they need in some of the most underserved communities in Washington, DC. Our offerings also place a heavy emphasis on parent engagement, as we believe this is integral to the success of our students.

**Location of Program(s):** KIPP DC - Quest Academy Public Charter School; Leckie Education Campus; Miner Elementary School; Roots Public Charter School

Profile of Youth: Grades 1-5

Grant Award(s):

Fiscal Year 2020 Invitation Only Year Round OST

\$155,200

#### For Love of Children

**Program Description:** FLOC's programs offer youth an array of developmental skills that are imperative to their personal and academic growth, helping students succeed academically, maturing into responsible young people who graduate from high school, go on to postsecondary education, and live meaningful lives that contribute to their communities.

**Location of Program(s):** Adams Morgan Community Center; Bard High School Early College DC; Beacon House: For Love of Children: Jubilee Housing: Sitar Arts Center

Profile of Youth: Ages 6-18

**Grant Award(s):** 

School Year 2019-20 OST

\$97,000

#### FRESHFARM FoodPrints

**Program Description:** The FoodPrints summer enrichment program integrates gardening, cooking, and nutrition education into the curriculum at partner DCPS schools. The program's goal is to improve health outcomes of children and families.

**Location of Program(s):** Anne Beers Elementary School; Marie Reed Elementary School; Burroughs Elementary School

**Profile of Youth:** Grades 3-5

Grant Award(s):

School Year 2019-20 OST \$90,819 2020 Summer Strong Enrichment \$47,159

## Friends of Kenilworth Aquatic Center

**Program Description:** NatureFest includes 3 weeks of full-day nature-based enrichment in camp-style programming to engage youth, families, and neighborhoods nearby in meaningful experiences in one of the community's greatest natural treasures – the Kenilworth Aquatic Gardens. Many of the activities have an environmental focus on local ecology, habitats, STEAM, and opportunities for stewardship, as well as connections to individual and family health and wellbeing.

Location of Program(s): Kenilworth Aquatic Gardens

Profile of Youth: Grades K-5

Grant Award(s):

School Year 2019-20 OST

\$77.817

#### **GALA Hispanic Theatre**

**Program Description:** GALA educates thousands of youth each year, provides opportunities for bilingual and multicultural artists, and engages the community in an exchange of ideas and perspectives.

Location of Program(s): GALA Hispanic Theatre Profile of Youth: Ages 13-21, Grades 8-12

**Grant Award(s):** 

School Year 2019-20 OST

\$93,650

#### **Global Kids**

**Program Description:** Global Kids in Washington, DC (GK-DC) works with more than 150 under-served youth annually from public high schools, and is the only organization in the District to offer a globally focused youth development program for high-needs students that uniquely incorporates youth leadership, community engagement, and global education.

Location of Program(s): Columbia Heights Educational Campus; McKinley Tech High School; Shaw (Watha T.

Daniel) Library

Profile of Youth: Ages 14-18, Grades 9-12

Grant Award(s):

School Year 2019-20 OST

\$97,000

#### **GOODProjects**

**Program Description:** GOODCamp achieves its goal of keeping children away from violence during the summer, by serving as a program that runs during standard day time hours with before care and after care for 7-weeks during the summer. At GOODCamp, youth experience athletics, academics, environmental education, restorative justice group circles, engaging speaker series, and field trips that expose them to new cultivating environments.

**Location of Program(s):** King Greenleaf Recreation Center

Profile of Youth: Ages 5-13

Grant Award(s):

2020 Summer Strong Enrichment

\$30,000

## **Healthy Living Inc.**

**Program Description:** Healthy Living Summer Youth Program provides healthy youth development where students learn about nutrition, wellness, food justice, arts and social studies.

Location of Program(s): Mayfair Mansions Community Center

**Profile of Youth:** Ages 6-13, Grades K-12

Grant Award(s):

School Year 2019-20 Small Nonprofit OST \$25,000 2020 Summer Strong Enrichment \$25,000

## Helping Our People Empowerment Group Inc.

**Program Description:** The program includes 90 minute sessions that focus on the Common Core Curriculum areas in reading, math, and science while emphasizing the importance of academics, college and career exploration.

Location of Program(s): Oxford Manor Apartments Community Center

Profile of Youth: Ages 8-14

**Grant Award(s):** 

School Year 2019-20 Small Nonprofit OST \$20,880 2020 Summer Strong Enrichment \$22,500

#### **Higher Achievement**

**Program Description:** Higher Achievement specializes in boosting academic success for youth during the pivotal middle school years; addressing unmet educational and social-emotional needs by providing rigorous academics and meaningful relationships at the right time: middle school.

Location of Program(s): Brookland Achievement Center; Eliot-Hine Middle School; Kelly Miller Middle School;

Payne Elementary School; Achievement Preparatory Academy Public Charter School

Profile of Youth: Ages 9-14, Grades 5-8

**Grant Award(s):** 

Fiscal Year 2020 Invitation Only Year Round OST

\$218,250

## **Homeless Children's Playtime Project**

**Program Description:** The Playtime Project provides opportunities for safe and transformative play to help

children heal from trauma and promote healthy child development.

Location of Program(s): Overflow Shelters at Quality Inn; Days Inn; Holiday Inn

Profile of Youth: Ages 5-18

**Grant Award(s):** 

School Year 2019-20 OST

\$50,000

#### **Horizons Greater Washington**

**Program Description:** Horizons serves at-risk students with a broad range of academic skills, providing them with the opportunity to experience success in a setting that, over time, becomes an inspirational and stable learning environment.

Location of Program(s): Maret School; St. Patrick's Episcopal Day School

Profile of Youth: Grades 1-9

Grant Award(s):

2020 Summer Strong Enrichment

\$120,000

#### **Horton's Kids**

**Program Description:** Horton's Kids' programming promotes youth development by providing children with targeted supports that help them develop critical academic and social-emotional skills necessary for success in adolescence and adulthood.

Location of Program(s): Horton's Kids Community Resource Center

Profile of Youth: Ages 5-18, Grades K-12

Grant Award(s):

Fiscal Year 2020 Invitation Only Year Round OST

\$218,250

## **House Student Leadership Center (The)**

**Program Description:** The EmpowerMEnt® schedules includes EmpowerMEnt leadership classes, group leadership development and physical fitness activities, and enrichment exploration / leading mindfully sessions. Program components include go mobile offsite learning experiences for models in leadership, plus one residency day at the University of Virginia over the summer program term.

Location of Program(s): Wheatley Elementary School

Profile of Youth: Ages 14-18

**Grant Award(s):** 

2020 Summer Strong Enrichment

\$72,000

## **Hung Tao Choy Mei Leadership Institute**

**Program Description:** The program serves students between the ages of 6 and 17 at the U Street location. Summer campers will engage in Kung fu, lion and dragon dance, African and Chinese arts as well as a STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Math) leadership and team exercise.

Location of Program(s): Hung Tao Choy Mei Leadership Institute

Profile of Youth: Ages 6-17, Grades 3-12

Grant Award(s):

School Year 2019-20 Small Nonprofit OST

\$25,000

## Institute for African Man Development Inc.

**Program Description:** Our main purpose is to address the paucity of mental health and social services that directly support the development of African-American Men and Boys and to equip those who work with this population, with effective intervention strategies through expert training.

**Location of Program(s):** Somerset Preparatory Public Charter School

Profile of Youth: Ages 13-17

**Grant Award(s):** 

School Year 2019-20 Small Nonprofit OST

\$25,000

#### Jah Kente

**Program Description:** Theatre workshops and rehearsal processes are structured to focus on improving life skills, communication skills, negotiation skills, leadership, civic engagement, relationships, and increase positive behaviors while aspiring to educate excellence.

Location of Program(s): Malcolm X Opportunity Center; Samuel G. Brown Community Center

Profile of Youth: Ages 14-17

Grant Award(s):

Fiscal Year 2020 Invitation Only Year Round OST

\$145.024

Jah Kentee did not meet compliance on the grant and therefore, the Fiscal Year 2020 Invitation Only year Round OST grant was terminated. A portion of the grant was disbursed but the reamining balance was used for 2020 Summer Strong Competition.

#### **Jubilee Housing**

**Program Description:** Our program will assist youth to act as agents of positive change in their communities, identify their unique, self-worthy attributes, and apply SEL strategies to real life situations. They will also minimize literacy loss and promote a heightened interest in STEAM fields and future careers.

Location of Program(s): Jubilee Housing Profile of Youth: Ages 5-21, Grades K-12

**Grant Award(s):** 

Fiscal Year 2020 Invitation Only Year Round OST

\$135.800

## Judah Project Inc.

Program Description: Judah Project OST programs create a safe and nurturing environment designed to

support the academic achievement, enhance social skills and foster success in school and life.

Location of Program(s): 941 R Street NW Profile of Youth: Age14-17, 9-12 grades

Grant Award(s):

2020 Summer Strong Enrichment

\$25,000

#### **Kid Power**

**Program Description:** Kid Power provides youth with a safe, structured learning environment to foster academic improvement through hands-on academic classes; socioemotional growth through positive relationships with mentors and staff, mindfulness activities, civic engagement, and service-learning projects; and the development of healthy behaviors through gardening, cooking, and physical recreation.

**Location of Program(s):** Barnard Elementary School; Jefferson Middle School Academy; J O Wilson Elementary School; LaSalle Backus EC; Malcolm X Elementary School; Stanton Elementary School

Profile of Youth: Ages 7-14, Grades 2-8

Grant Award(s):

Fiscal Year 2020 Invitation Only Year Round OST

\$218.250

#### **Latin American Youth Center**

**Program Description:** The Teen Center hosts educational, arts & enrichment, job-readiness, life-skills, leadership and recreational activities for youth in a safe, drug- and alcohol-free environment and during the summer special programming for a six-week period.

Location of Program(s): Latin American Youth Center

Profile of Youth: Ages 11-21, Grades 6-12

**Grant Award(s):** 

Fiscal Year 2020 Invitation Only Year Round OST

\$218,196

#### Latino Student Fund

**Program Description:** The Te Guio mentoring program works with at risk 9th-10th grade youth to empower them in both their school and home lives to put them on the path to graduate high school, enroll in higher education, and enable them to transition to a healthy adulthood. The program is composed of one-on-one mentoring as well as the Peace Cluster curriculum where students complete activities to learn coping and forgiveness skills to break the cycle of violence.

Location of Program(s): Cardozo Education Campus: Coolidge High School

Profile of Youth: Ages 14-18, Grades 9-12

Grant Award(s):

School Year 2019-20 OST

\$72,750

## Learning Tree (The)

**Program Description:** The Learning Tree, Inc. is an elementary academic enrichment program, with a focus on STEM education. The program also engage students from middle and high school to provide community service hours during the school year and as a host employer for the Summer Youth Employment Program (SYEP) during the summer.

Location of Program(s): Bunker Hill Elementary School; John Burroughs Elementary School

**Profile of Youth:** Ages 3-12; Grades K-2

Grant Award(s):

School Year 2019-20 OST

\$72,750

#### Life Success Center

**Program Description:** Life Success Center offers its STEAM Robotics programs.

Location of Program(s): LaSalle Elementary School

**Profile of Youth:** Ages 5-13

**Grant Award(s):** 

2020 Summer Strong Enrichment

\$100,000

## **Little Lights Urban Ministries**

**Program Description:** Little Lights takes a holistic approach, providing both academic and social support to address the needs of children and youth from Potomac Gardens. Hopkins and Benning Terrace.

Location of Program(s): Hopkins Apartments; Little Lights Center; Little Lights Hilltop Center; Little Lights

Hopkins Center; Little Lights Potomac Gardens Center

Profile of Youth: Ages 4-17, Grades K-12

Grant Award(s):

School Year 2019-20 OST \$97,000 2020 Summer Strong Enrichment \$61,140

#### Martha's Table

Program Description: Martha's Table Scholars Enrichment is a year-round, academically focused out-of-

school-time youth development program designed to support children in being "Strong by 8."

Location of Program(s): Martha's Table at The Commons

Profile of Youth: Grades K-3

Grant Award(s):

School Year 2019-20 OST

\$50.000

## Maya Angelou Public Charter School

**Program Description:** The Scholar Athlete Enrichment Program supports student-athletes' academic success; encourages discipline and good sportsmanship, builds leadership skills, and foster healthy behaviors.

Location of Program(s): Maya Angelou Public Charter High School

Profile of Youth: Ages 14-18

Grant Award(s):

School Year 2019-20 OST

\$50,000

#### Men Can Stop Rape

**Program Description:** Our MOST and WISE Club programs provide leadership, support, and skill-building that serve the sense of responsibility, autonomy, intellectual ability, and civic and social ability of our members.

**Location of Program(s):** McKinley Middle School; Hart Middle School; Ballou High School; Cardozo High School; KIPP College Preparatory High School; KIPP AIM; Kelly Miller Middle School; McFarland Middle School; Johnson Middle School; Anacostia Senior High School; HD Woodson Senio

**Profile of Youth:** Ages 11-18

Grant Award(s):

School Year 2019-20 OST

\$96,491

#### Mentors of Minorities in Education, Inc.

**Program Description:** Program provides academic assistance with a focus on math and ELA; character education via the Great Persons Series, games, enrichment services, physical activities, self-directed time, reflection and field trips once a week.

**Location of Program(s):** MOMIE's Headquarters

Profile of Youth: Ages 5-18

Grant Award(s):

2020 Summer Strong Enrichment

\$96,909

## Metropolitan Alliance for Youth Advancement Foundation, Inc.

**Program Description:** The MAYA Program provides academic support (reading, STEM, art, health/fitness) and another one; physical activity or community activity that will allow for students to obtain community service hours needed to complete their high school graduation requirements; and field trips.

**Location of Program(s):** The Monroe School; The Nannie Helen Burroughs School

Profile of Youth: Ages 12-17

**Grant Award(s):** 

School Year 2019-20 Small Nonprofit OST

\$25,000

## **Mission First Housing Group**

**Program Description:** The youth enrichment has an overall goal to create an environment where young people will engage in meaningful opportunities and activities that support them academically and develop the healthy lifestyle necessary to succeed in adolescence and adulthood. The programs also have components of social and emotional learning to help youth effectively apply the knowledge, attitudes, and skills necessary to understand and manage emotions, set and achieve positive goals, feel and show empathy for others, establish and maintain positive relationships, and make responsible decisions. The Youth Enrichment programs and activities include: visual arts activities, reading and math tutoring, STEM programming, homework assistance, summer camps, volunteer opportunities, typing classes, adolescent health prevention education programs, SAT prep classes, and distribution of school supplies.

Location of Program(s): Golden Rule Apartments; The Severna

Profile of Youth: Grades K-8

Grant Award(s):

2020 Summer Strong Enrichment

\$49.512

## **Multicultural Career Intern Program**

**Program Description:** MCIP has provided evidence-based instructional services and supports to close the achievement gap for underserved youth and to accelerate the transition of new immigrants to the U.S. mainstream. All MCIP programs are student centered and aligned to harness the strengths possessed by young people to promote their positive development, life chances, and civic

engagement, as well as, to advance the institutions of civil society. The overarching goal is to enhance the impact of the curricular offerings at CHEC with innovative programs that prepare students to succeed in postsecondary education and meet the demands of a 21st century workforce.

Location of Program(s): Columbia Heights Education Campus

Profile of Youth: Ages 11-17, Grades 6-12

Grant Award(s):

School Year 2019-20 OST \$97,000 2020 Summer Strong Enrichment \$120,000

#### MusicianShip (The)

**Program Description:** We focus on four goals: 1) Developing students' musical aptitude to increase their college scholarship opportunities, 2) Improving high school graduation rates, 3) Creating meaningful career pathways, and 4) Providing extracurricular lessons and activities that improve socio-emotional capacity. We work directly in public and charter schools, providing free music instruction and music ensemble enhancement. Our goal is to create more well-rounded musicians while simultaneously shifting their life trajectory to pursue education pathways and become better public citizens.

**Location of Program(s):** Eastern High School; Friendship Public Charter School; Garfield Elementary School; Bell Multicultural High School; Lincoln Multicultural Middle School

Profile of Youth: Ages 6-21, Grades K-12

Grant Award(s):

Fiscal Year 2020 Invitation Only Year Round OST

\$218.250

#### **National Center for Children and Families**

Program Description: Extended Day Program (EDP): an after-school program offering academic/cultural enrichment through the Blended Learning Model to provide art, language, music, dance and physical education opportunities, as well as STEM related activities and technology. Saturday School: a Saturday program that provides students with extra time and assistance in order to meet DCPS academic standards in reading/math. Parents also learn alongside their children, enabling them to assist with homework and integrate the use of technology (tablets) in order to increase student engagement, knowledge of technology, and overall academic enrichment. Parent University: a program that promotes parental involvement and family literacy, including parent education and adult education services (computer & GED programming). Cultural Learning Experience: designed to enhance character education activities using the "Second Step" character education curriculum. Afterschool, Saturday School, and mental health groups integrate character education seamlessly into their activities, and it is reinforced in the school newsletter. Mental Health Program: provides crisis interventions, one-on-one and group counseling to students, imparts and evaluates strategies to help classroom teachers manage students' negative behaviors, and provides social service and community referrals for families.

Location of Program(s): JC Nalle Elementary School

Profile of Youth: Ages 5-11, Grades K-6

Grant Award(s):

School Year 2019-20 OST

\$97,000

#### **NOMIS Youth Network**

**Program Description:** To fulfill its mission to build resiliency and prevent juvenile delinquency, NOMIS will ensure that children and youth will: (1) have access to increased opportunities for success; (2) learn to participate as members of a team; (3) be afforded increased opportunities to improve self-esteem and self-discipline; (4) develop healthy lifestyles; that (5) families will have the ability to learn new skills and have information to assist with parenting; and that (6) youth and families will have access to support systems to assist with developmental life transitions. Each participant will train and condition for a minimum of two hours, three days per week and will participate in individual and group counseling as needed. Participants may drop in and train according to their own schedule and needs.

Location of Program(s): NOMIS Boxing Community Center

**Profile of Youth:** Grades 8-12

Grant Award(s):

School Year 2019-20 Small Nonprofit OST \$25,000 2020 Summer Strong Enrichment \$25,000

#### **Northeast Performing Arts Group**

**Program Description:** NEPAG's Nine-week Summer Arts Camp to serve 50 youths, ages 5 - 18, who primarily reside in Wards 7 & 8, attending Title 1 schools. Program offerings: Performing and visual arts instruction (dance, vocal, visual and technical theater); Tutoring and cultural enrichment activities; Rites of Passages programming; Opportunities to engage in community service project and annual end of program performing arts production. The maximum staff to student ration is 1:10. NEPAG will address the following development outcomes: 1 (Safety), 2 (Self-Worth), 4 (Belonging & Membership), 7 (Physical Health), and 11 (Civic & Social Ability).

**Location of Program(s):** Northeast Outreach Youth Center

**Profile of Youth:** Grades K-12

**Grant Award(s):** 

School Year 2019-20 Small Nonprofit OST

\$25.000

## **One Common Unity**

**Program Description:** OCU provides youth development classes and workshops, incorporating live music, poetry, dance, and visual arts to promote non-violent communication, conflict resolution, and emotional literacy in DC's resource-strapped public schools.

**Location of Program(s):** Josephine Butler Parks Center; Perry Street Preparatory Public Charter School; School Without Walls High School; SEED Public Charter School of Washington DC; Stuart Hobson Middle School: Capitol Hill Cluster

Profile of Youth: Ages 14-19, Grades 9-12

**Grant Award(s):** 

School Year 2019-20 OST

\$97.000

#### Oye Palaver Hut, Inc.

**Program Description:** The vision of OPH is to demonstrate the enlightening, therapeutic and transformation power of the cultural arts to foster prosocial behavior, enhance physical and emotional wellness, and inspire hope, imagination, agency, and opportunity. OPH offers an immersive, interactive arts and nutrition education program for children and youth in this community entitled: "Linking Wellness, Health and the Arts". Activities include; teaching basic healthy cooking techniques, food, safety and access integrated with performances storytelling for literacy development, African dance, and live drumming to support physical and emotional health. **Location of Program(s):** Woodland Terrace Community Center; Lincoln Heights Community Center; Jefferson Middle School; Two Rivers Public Charter School; Lincoln Heights; Amidon-Bowen Elementary School

Profile of Youth: 5-17 years old

Grant Award(s):

School Year 2019-20 Small Nonprofit OST

\$25.000

#### **Peace Thru Culture**

**Program Description:** Peace thru Culture will offer District of Columbia youth, ages 11-16, who reside in Wards 4 and 7, a high quality culturally focused education program. The enrichment programs are combined to provide after school programming, school breaks and summer programming. The core components of the enrichment programs is designed to empower and equip youth with academic achievement that is related to critical thinking, communication and leadership skills, and the self-restraint needed to develop self-confidence to become caring, responsible and productive global citizens.

Location of Program(s): Paul Public Charter School; Seeds Public Charter School

**Profile of Youth:** Grades 6-9

Grant Award(s):

School Year 2019-20 OST

\$24,250

#### Planned Parenthood of Metropolitan Washington

**Program Description:** PPMW's health education programs are high-quality, affordable, and culturally-competent, with an emphasis on serving at-risk, low-income, youth in the metropolitan Washington area. PPMW's programs incorporate youth development elements that allow participants to create their own programming and visualize their health and achievement outcomes though education workshops, LGBTQ-focused programs, parent and family programs, Evidence-Based Interventions (EBI) and training of community health education professionals. These educational programs equip teens and adults with the information and tools they need to make healthy reproductive health choices and improve their decision-making skills.

Location of Program(s): Carroll Whitehill Moses Center; Columbia Heights Education Campus; Potomac Job Corp Center

Profile of Youth: Ages 13-19, Grades 9-12

**Grant Award(s):** 

School Year 2019-20 OST

\$58,200

## **Project Create DC**

**Program Description:** Project Create is the only organization in Washington, D.C. that provides free, on-site out-of-school-time arts education to children living in emergency, transitional and long-term affordable family housing. Our programming is designed and operated to promote positive development for children, youth, and families experiencing homelessness and poverty.

Location of Program(s): Project Create Arts Center, Project Create Art Studio

Profile of Youth: Ages 5-21, Grades K-12

Grant Award(s):

Fiscal Year 2020 Invitation Only Year Round OST

\$156,170

## **Reading Partners**

**Program Description:** Our model's expertise lies in the fact that each student is tutored one-on-one at his or her own independent reading level—i.e., the level of reading that is challenging enough to be motivating without becoming frustrating. We establish each student's independent reading level at the time of his or her enrollment by evaluating the student with a research based assessment tool. Each student receives two 45-minute sessions of tutoring each week either during the school day or after school. Reading Partners staff works closely with teachers to identify which times of day will be most productive for each student.

Location of Program(s): Bancroft Elementary School; Dorothy I Height Elementary School; HD Cooke

Elementary School; Payne Elementary School **Profile of Youth:** Ages 5-11, Grades K-4

Grant Award(s):

School Year 2019-20 OST

\$97,000

#### **Recreation Wish List Committee**

**Program Description:** We have a list of programs include Tennis, Tutoring & Academic Support, STEM, Robotics, Computer Science, Tech Know Kids (Computer Lab), Fit 'N' Know, Sew 'N Know and Strengthening Education through Upgraded Programs (SETUP). SETLC is located in the heart of Ward 8, one of the most underserved communities in Washington, D.C. The facility is a combination tennis and educational center complete with classrooms, a computer lab, sewing center, library, tennis courts and fitness room.

Location of Program(s): Recreation Wish List Committee

Profile of Youth: Ages 7-17, Grades 2-12

Grant Award(s):

School Year 2019-20 OST

\$97,000

#### Sasha Bruce Youthwork

**Program Description:** Sasha Bruce Youthwork provides a variety of programs to help educate young people and prepare them for meaningful and satisfying careers. We provide a competency-based approach to help youth and families identify and build on their strengths. Our primary objective of all of our work is to encourage young people to be civically engaged.

Location of Program(s): Richardson Youth Center

Profile of Youth: Ages 4-21, Grades K-12

Grant Award(s):

School Year 2019-20 OST \$97,000 2020 Summer Strong Enrichment \$30,000

#### **SEED School of Washington, D.C.**

**Program Description:** A key element of SEED DC's youth development programming is our afterschool program called SPARKS. SPARKS take place two evenings per week and is mandatory for all students. SPARKS fall into five general categories: Health/Fitness and Well-Being, Academic Enrichment, Fine Arts, S.T.E.M., and Leadership & Entrepreneurship with most tracks changing every six-weeks and others designed to engage with the student throughout the year.

**Location of Program(s):** The SEED School of Washington

Profile of Youth: Ages 12-19, Grades 7-12

**Grant Award(s):** 

School Year 2019-20 OST

#### **Sewing Opportunity Never Ending**

**Program Description:** The focus of the organization's primary program, Sew N Know, is to introduce thousands of the District's youth to the art, science, and business of apparel construction within the fashion industry.

The vision of the program is to effectively teach sewing disciplines in order to build youth's self confidence, explore their creativity, learn entrepreneurial skills, and ultimately assist them to become economically, self-sufficient adults.

**Location of Program(s):** Southeast Tennis and Learning Center

Profile of Youth: Ages 7-24

Grant Award(s):

School Year 2019-20 Small Nonprofit OST

\$25,000

\$97,000

## **Shaw Community Center**

**Program Description:** SCC's afterschool program and camp promotes positive youth development and enhances youth self-confidence, motivating them to succeed in social and academic settings.

Location of Program(s): Shaw Community Center-Lincoln Temple Church

Profile of Youth: Ages 12, Grade 6

Grant Award(s):

Fiscal Year 2020 Invitation Only Year Round OST \$218,250 OST Programs for Essential District Workers \$30,000

#### Sitar Arts Center

**Program Description:** Sitar Arts Center provides after-school, weekend and summer classes in the visual arts, music, drama, dance, digital arts and creative writing to 900 students a year. Our Arts Afterschool program provides over 400 low-income children and youth, ages 5-18, with multidisciplinary arts classes that specifically foster 21st century learning skills. Arts Afterschool includes a selection of over 80 multidisciplinary arts classes and 80 private lessons each semester, an intensive daily aftercare program that supports working families, a college readiness and workforce development program for teens, and building community.

Location of Program(s): Sitar Arts Center Profile of Youth: Ages 5-18, Grades K-12

**Grant Award(s):** 

Fiscal Year 2020 Invitation Only Year Round OST

\$218,250

## Student-Athletes Organized to Understand Leadership

**Program Description:** The College 101 Initiative is a 11-month four-phased college preparation program for college bound SOUL students. The program aims to enhance the intellectual abilities and campus navigation skills required to matriculate towards college graduation.

Location of Program(s): HD Woodson High School

Profile of Youth: Ages 17-19

**Grant Award(s):** 

School Year 2019-20 Small Nonprofit OST

\$25,000

## Thurgood Marshall Academy Public Charter School

**Program Description:** The school's suite of programs comprises both academic and youth development programming: a college-preparatory curriculum and additional opportunities for remedial instruction; in-house support services such as tutoring and college guidance counseling; and a legal emphasis that teaches students to take responsibility for their actions and to advocate for themselves and their communities.

Location of Program(s): Thurgood Marshall Academy Public Charter School

Profile of Youth: Ages 13-19, Grades 9-12

Grant Award(s):

School Year 2019-20 OST \$97,000 2020 Summer Strong Enrichment \$70,400

## **Tutoring Café**

**Program Description:** The Tutoring Café provides a structured curriculum that teaches how to build self confidence through overcoming challenges. Mentor Dream T.E.A.M. summer staff create the challenges through the curriculum of Martial Arts, Gymnastics, Swimming, and Sports (basketball, football, soccer, track, tennis, and dance).

Location of Program(s): 6431 Georgia Avenue NW

**Profile of Youth:** Ages 5-17

Grant Award(s):

2020 Summer Strong Enrichment

\$25,000

#### **Two Rivers PCS**

**Program Description:** The 2019 Two Rivers Summer School Program will be open to all rising 1st-8th grade Two Rivers students, regardless of their previous academic performance. However, special emphasis and recruiting will target a) students who are currently below grade level in literacy or math, and b) students who are meeting their grade-level standards but need Summer School to maintain their growth.

Location of Program(s): 1227 4th Street NE

Profile of Youth: Ages 5-14

Grant Award(s):

2020 Summer Strong Enrichment

\$119.595

## **United Planning Organization**

**Program Description:** Elementary OST program: provides youth with academic and enrichment opportunities that help improve reading and math proficiency, promote leadership, address socio-emotional deficiencies, facilitate the enhancement of critical thinking skills through STREAM components, and provides civic/social engagement opportunities.

**Location of Program(s):** Hendley Elementary School; Ketcham Elementary School

Profile of Youth: Ages 6-12, Grades 1-6

Grant Award(s):

 School Year 2019-20 OST
 \$48,500

 2020 Summer Strong Enrichment
 \$29,999.80

#### **Urban Alliance**

**Program Description:** Urban Alliance's core program matches underserved high school seniors with paid, professional internships, job skills training, one-on-one mentoring, and ongoing post-program support to expand their idea of what is possible for their future.

Location of Program(s): Internships are assigned throughout Washington, DC

Profile of Youth: Ages 16-19, Grade 12

Grant Award(s):

Fiscal Year 2020 Invitation Only Year Round OST

\$124,267

## **Urban Learning and Teaching Center**

**Program Description:** Our programming is driven by the belief that children learn as much when they are engaged in their communities as they do in schools. We based our programs in schools, churches, and synagogues across the city, so that they can be in commuting distance for families who seek full-day programs for their children when schools are closed.

**Location of Program(s):** Gallaudet University; Mosaic Church; Inspired Teaching Public Charter School; Stokes Public Charter School: Temple Micah: Washington Parks and People

Profile of Youth: Ages 5-13

**Grant Award(s):** 

School Year 2019-20 Small Nonprofit OST

\$25,000

#### **US Dream Academy**

**Program Description:** The overall goal is to nurture the whole child while altering attitudes, enhancing self-esteem, supporting emotional and intellectual growth, and sparking dreams. We provide one-on-one sessions with carefully matched mentors with complement afterschool activities that combine academic fundamentals. The focus builds on three pillars – skill-building, character-building, and dream-building.

Location of Program(s): John Hayden Johnson Middle School; Turner Elementary School

Profile of Youth: Ages 7-14, Grades 2-8

Grant Award(s):

School Year 2019-20 OST

\$97.000

## **Washington Jazz Arts Institute**

**Program Description:** The Institute is devoted to the preservation of the past, the promotion of the present and preparation for the future of Jazz in DC. We provide a structured program of musical education with a focus on Jazz offering a range of opportunities for children who can benefit from artistic therapies, cultural awareness, individual and group musical training, performance experience, mentoring relationships as mentors and mentees and exposure to a variety of career options in music.

**Location of Program(s):** Peoples Congregational Church

Profile of Youth: Ages 12-21

Grant Award(s):

School Year 2019-20 Small Nonprofit OST

\$25,000

## **Washington School for Girls**

**Program Description:** The Extended Day and Intersession program at WSG promotes youth development through rigorous academic support and enrichment activities that provide intellectual challenge, team and leadership skills building opportunities, project-based learning, physical recreation, creative stimulation, and family engagement. The program also provides project-based activities that teach students cooperation, leadership, critical thinking and problem-solving.

**Location of Program(s):** Washington School for Girls

Profile of Youth: Ages 12-13, Grades 6-8

**Grant Award(s):** 

School Year 2019-20 OST \$87,300 2020 Summer Strong Enrichment \$75,000

## **Washington Tennis and Education Foundation**

**Program Description:** The Center for Excellence (CFE) Summer located on WTEF's Ward 7 campus 9 weeks during summer, 5 days a week 8 am - 5:30 pm/ CFE Summer offer educational enrichment, robust physical activity, and healthy lifestyles through a syllabus of daily tennis paly and matches, educational board games and clubs, community presentations and field trips.

Location of Program(s): 200 Stoddert Place SE

Profile of Youth: Ages 5-12

Grant Award(s):

Fiscal Year 2020 Invitation Only Year Round OST

\$156,469

## **Woodland Tigers (The)**

**Program Description:** School Year: The program includes tutoring, studio, football, basketball, boxing, dance, culinary arts and camping opportunities.

Summer: Youth participate in one hour of Sports Education, Athletic Practice, 20 minutes of Mindfulness and

Yoga as well as serve as leaders, coaches and captains during enrichment field trips.

Location of Program(s): Malcolm X Community Center

Profile of Youth: Ages 5-21

Grant Award(s):

School Year 2019-20 OST

\$97,000

## Young Ladies of Tomorrow

**Program Description:** YLOT's programs activities are combined with afterschool programs consisting of workshops, homework help, STEM programs, mentoring sessions, and hands-on activities The Job Training and Work Force Development Program endeavors to improve the participants' communication skills in the work environment, helping them obtain employment or community service opportunities. The Etiquette Program introduces participants to the formal requirements governing one's behavior in the workforce.

**Location of Program(s):** Friendship Public Charter School; Woodridge Elementary School; Meridian Public Charter School

Profile of Youth: Ages 9-14. Grades 4-8

**Grant Award(s):** 

School Year 2019-20 OST

\$97,000

## Young Playwrights' Theater

**Program Description:** Young Playwrights' Theater serves the Washington Metropolitan Area and offers inschool and after-school programming that teaches young people how to tell stories. Our workshops build on the concept of playwriting and encourage young people to share stories that matter to them in accessible, imaginative, and freeing ways, while reinforcing literacy, communication and confidence. By teaching students to express themselves through the art of playwriting, YPT develops students' language skills, and empowers them with the creativity, confidence and critical thinking skills they need to succeed in school and beyond.

**Location of Program(s):** Inspired Teaching Demonstration Public Charter Schools; SEED Public Charter School of Washington DC; Shepherd Elementary School; Sitar Arts Center

Profile of Youth: Ages 3-14, Grades 3-8

**Grant Award(s):** 

School Year 2019-20 OST

\$97,000

## Young Women's Christian Association National Capital Area (YWCA NCA)

**Program Description:** YWCA NCA's EmpowerSTEAM Summer Academy is a five-week program empowering middle and highs school girls of color to lead, create, and explore education and careers in Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts, and Math (STEAM). It addresses two critical needs facing underserved girls: (1) closing the STEM/STEAM literacy gap, and (2) preparing girls for STEM/STEAM careers.

Location of Program(s): 2303 14th Street NW Profile of Youth: Ages 11-17, Grades 6-11

**Grant Award(s):** 

2020 Summer Strong Enrichment

\$100.000

## Youth Entrepreneur Institute

**Program Description:** YEI provides out-of-school STEM academic tutoring, curriculum-driven, outcomes-based entrepreneurship education, and social-emotional learning. Our five social enterprises (POPSHOPS, MakerShop, CosmeticShop, PrintShop/FashionShop and FoodShop) are innovation labs for youth to deliver both social impact and receive economic returns, through one-on-one interactions, mentorship, networking and professional memberships. We also offer graduates enrollment in the business program with ongoing business development and incubator space located East of the River.

Location of Program(s): Riverside Healthy Hiving Center;

Langston Dwellings; Anacostia High School; Malcolm X Opportunity Center; Roosevelt High School

Profile of Youth: Ages 14-21, Grades 8-12

**Grant Award(s):** 

Fiscal Year 2020 Invitation Only Year Round OST

\$218,250

## Youth Organizations United to Rise (YOUR) Community Center

**Program Description:** Advancing After School (AAS) program: Youth will participate in a daily after school 2 hour program that consistent a power hour of homework assistance and tutoring, following by 2 hours of STREAM enrichment and physical activities. Camp-On-The-Go summer camp: YOUR offered a 6-week summer camp for youth ages 6 - 13. It includes academics and enrichment activities, youth will go on daily field trips that provide experiences and exposure to the rich culture and history of Washington, DC.

Location of Program(s): YOUR Community Center; West Education Campus; Garfield Elementary School

Profile of Youth: Grades Pre K-6

Grant Award(s):

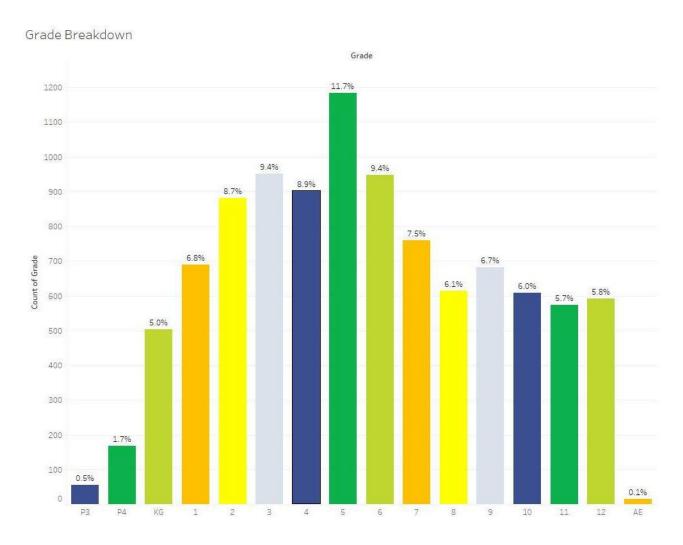
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\$169.750

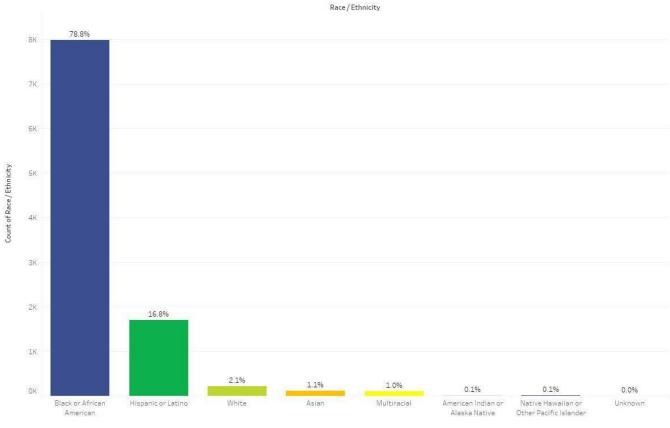
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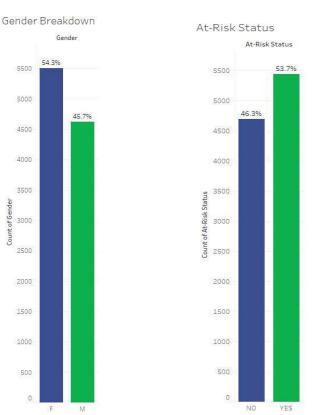
The OST Office waits until the Office of the State Superintendent of Education has audited student information for any given school year. That data is typically available the following fiscal year. Therfore, the OST Office can release aggregate data on students participating on OST programs from FY19.

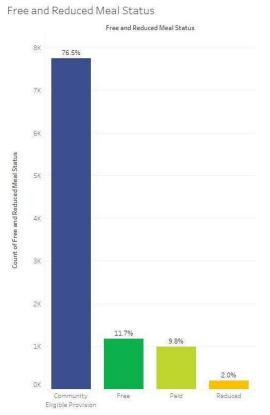
Overall the OST grants directly served 12,567 youth across the District. The demographics provided are based on participant data submitted by the grantee into the OST Office's database and a data match with OSSE.













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