

Should I apply for a 21CCLC Program Grant?

Self- Assessment Tool

1-10 scale for each statement

1= do not agree 5=average agreement 10= strongly agree

1. An individual has 50-100 hours to lead a team through a visioning, research, intentional program design, and online data entry process.(TIME and PLANNING) _____
2. The proposed school and/or community-based site is ready to develop and maintain a full comprehensive expanded learning center, using the most effective out of school time(s) to meet high expectations around student learning. (READINESS) _____
3. A viable partnership or partnership(s) exist between a school, community agency, faith based organization, municipality and/or individual community partners or people that will be successful to support the program over time. (PARTNERSHIPS)_____
4. The school principal and other school leaders are committed to being active participants and leaders of the program. (SCHOOL LEADERSHIP)_____
5. High quality staff including school based teachers and staff, community professionals, educators and others are available to work in the program during the school year and for summer learning programs. (HIGH QUALITY STAFF) _____
6. The schools in the community proposed to be served have 40% free/reduced lunch eligibility or are eligible for Title 1 Schoolwide status, have been identified to receive Comprehensive or Targeted Support, or have been designated by the district superintendent or principal to be in need of intervention. (ELIGIBILITY and PRIORITY)_____
7. There is a demonstrated need for after school/ expanded learning programs, including summer learning programs, in the community to support overall student learning and school improvement. (SCHOOL SYSTEMS IMPROVEMENT)_____
8. The applicant or consortium has a strong organizational structure that has the capacity to support the project including hiring new staff (a director, site leaders, many other new staff). The organization has the capacity to take on increased evaluation(data) and financial and legal Federal grant management responsibilities over time. (ORGANIZATION)_____
9. Full access to appropriate and adequate space in the school and/or community including classrooms, gyms, multi-purpose rooms, cafeterias, libraries, and access to technology and the outdoors that can be used as part of the program. (SPACE AND RESOURCES)_____
10. My overall assessment of all the areas above in the aggregate gets a score of_____

My Total Score is _____ of 100 possible points

(Not meeting #6 above may mean your community is ineligible for funding)