

Afterschool and Summer Learning Programs Self-Assessment Rating

Should I apply for 21C Funding?

1-10 scale for each statement – 100 points possible

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

Project _____

Community/Center _____

Area	Contextual Factors Considerations to think about	Project Rating	Specific Community Rating	Notes
1. (ELIGIBILITY) The community(ies) being considered are at 40% free reduced lunch or is eligible for Title 1 Schoolwide status	If no, consider other afterschool-summer funding streams			
2. (NEED) There is a demonstrated need for afterschool and/or summer programs in the community and for additional time for high quality learning programs that can support overall student learning.	-Are other available programs filling the need? -Service gaps these programs “should/could cover” - Cultural community acceptance of afterschool + summer programs -ability to leverage valid data			
3. (PARTNERSHIPS) A viable partnership or partnership(s) exist between a school, community agency, faith-based organization,	-Existing partners to leverage? -Think organizations and/or individuals			

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municipality and/or individual community partners or people that will be successful in supporting the program over time.	-Community resources (could be hidden?) -Are there any program “competitors?” or existing providers to engage and/or unify?			
4. (SCHOOL-COMMUNITY LEADERSHIP) The school principal and other school leaders are committed to being active participants, supporters and/or leaders of the program.	-Level of buy-in-support-at school and district and/or community level			
5. (HIGH QUALITY STAFF) High quality staff including school-based teachers and staff, community professionals, and/or educators and others are available to work in the program.	-Configuration of school staff and who might -will -could do the work -What is the staffing marketplace			
6. (ORGANIZATION) A strong organizational structure exists that has the capacity to support the project including a director and site leaders, and many new staff. The organization has the capacity to take on increased evaluation, financial and legal responsibilities over time.	-Business office and other system capacity to add new staff, jobs, and structure -Functionality and adaptability of systems such as Special Ed. -IT, HR, and other supports needed			

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7.(SPACE AND RESOURCES) Full access to high quality space in the school and/or community including classrooms, gyms, multi-purpose rooms, cafeterias, libraries, and access to technology and nature can be used as part of the program.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Use of “teacher space” -Level of building usage by others -Flexibility in Janitorial services -integrated in building versus isolated in a few rooms -sharing of computers and books 			
8. (EXPERIENCE) The site, personnel, and organization have a successful history running a comprehensive or related program.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -leveraging existing programs and partnerships -existing funding -building from strengths 			
9. (TIME and PLANNING) Someone within a team has at least 50+ hours over 4 months leading a team through a visioning, research, planning, design, and writing process	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -organizing and team collaboration level -writing ability -effective project management 			
10. (Overall) My summary belief in the possibility	-consider all known elements for a holistic rating			

My Total Score is _____ of 100 possible points (Not meeting #1 above may mean your community is ineligible for funding)

My overall Likert rating/assessment after doing this on a 1-10 scale is _____ for the whole project.

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Summary Self Reflection Notes: