

Memorandum of Understanding (MOU)

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Burlington Community School District's PiECES program

and

Boy Scouts of America- Mississippi Valley Council

This is an agreement between "Program", hereinafter called BCSD PiECES and "Partner", hereinafter called BSA.

I. PURPOSE & SCOPE

The purpose of this MOU is to clearly identify the roles and responsibilities of each party as they relate to partnership with the BCSD PiECES after school program.

In particular, this MOU is intended to:

- » Expand access to programming for more youth and their families within the BCSD PiECES program
- » Enhance students' and family learning through enrichment offered by our community partner
- » Expand opportunities for the youth and families of BCSD PiECES program to participate in activities and events held by the partner

II. BACKGROUND

The Boy Scouts of America's Mississippi Valley Council offers a Burlington Service Area that works within the Burlington Community School District. The BSA mission is to prepare young people to make ethical and moral choices over their lifetimes by instilling in them the values of the Scout Oath and Scout Law. Their vision is to prepare every eligible youth in America to become a responsible, participating citizen and leader who is guided by the Scout Oath and Scout Law.

BSA has been partnering with BCSD's PiECES program to offer student enrichment activities and Packs within our schools since the start of our program in 2014. It is our work together that encourages student and family participation in the BSA programs and works toward engaging young people in the programs of BSA that they normally may not be able to do to economic, transportation, or family insecurities.

III. PROGRAM RESPONSIBILITIES UNDER THIS MOU

BCSD PiECES shall undertake the following activities:

- Support the staff from BSA when they provide enrichment programming to PiECES students and/or family members;
- Promote BSA and events to the students and families of PiECES;
- Secure program time during the PiECES program hours for any BSA volunteer or staff to engage with PiECES students and families;
- Invite BSA to all YouthNet/PiECES Advisory Council meetings held on a monthly basis.

IV. PARTNER RESPONSIBILITIES UNDER THIS MOU

BSA shall undertake the following activities:

- Outreach visits to the after school program and the families of BCSD PiECES programs;
- Work with school staff to partner on activities offered by BSA including summer camps and Pack informatoin;
- Provide educational content or programming activities to the students and families of BCSD PiECES programs;
- Coordinate activities with BSA for students and families in collaboration with family engagement or family literacy programing for PiECES.

V. FUNDING

This MOU is not a commitment of funds.

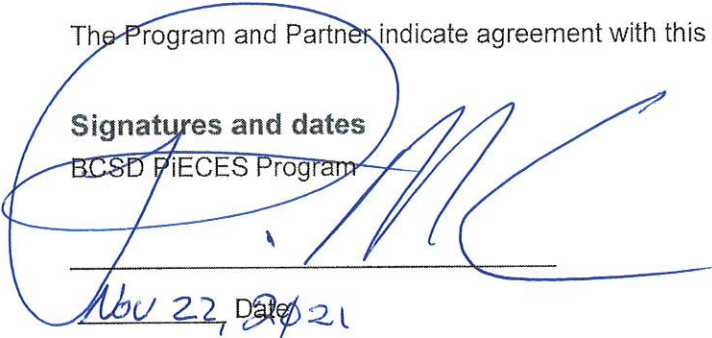
VI. EFFECTIVE DATE AND SIGNATURE

This MOU shall be effective upon the signature of Parties A and B authorized officials. It shall be in force from July 1, 2022 to June 30, 2027.

The Program and Partner indicate agreement with this MOU by their signatures.

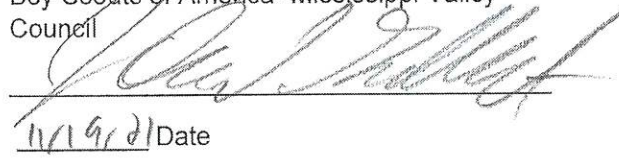
Signatures and dates

BCSD PiECES Program



Nov 22, 2021 Date

Boy Scouts of America- Mississippi Valley Council



11/19/21 Date