About Iowa 21CCLC

Nita M. Lowey 21st Century Community Learning Centers



About the Program Model

The Nita M. Lowey 21st Century Community Learning Centers is a U.S. Department of Education program, administered by the states, supporting out-of-school time learning opportunities for students in high-poverty, low-performing areas. The lowa Department of Education administers 21CCLC funding in Iowa through grant competitions. 21CCLC programs focus on:



Academic Support

Helping students meet state and local standards in core academic subjects



Academic Enrichment

Providing activities that complement learning from the school day



Parent Engagement

Offering literacy and educational services to the families of participating students

2022 by the **Numbers**





Sites





Paid & Unpaid **Partnerships**

Students Served School Year and Summer

Funding

Requested & Awarded





\$7 million \$7.4 million

Applications

Awarded

Requested

Average Request: \$823,864 | Request Range: \$225,500 - \$896,400

Of the 9,861 Students:





average free or reduced price lunch rate State = 13%

Limited English Proficient State = 6.5%

are categorized are students with a disability State = 13%

Attendance*



Iowa in 2021 **Iowa in Past Years:**

47% in 2020 68% in 2016 83% in 2018 64% in 2014

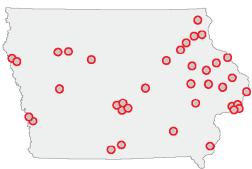
Statewide Staff: Student Ratio





teachers

21CCLC Map



lowa received less federal funding for this program than the previous year. Several programs had substantial declines due to grants expiring and the pandemic and we do not track sustainability in this dataset.

Data is compiled using federal and state sources

Based on attendance of 30 days or more over the school year over the school year APR does not track regular attendance.

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