



San Mateo County
COVID-19 Recovery Initiative

Out-of-School Care Grant Program
2022-2023 School Year

July 26, 2022

Board Investments for Out-of-School Care

- 2020-2021 Learning Hub Grant Program (\$1,506,000)
 - Awarded grants to 59 local learning hubs
 - Provided safe, supportive distance learning for 730 students
- 2022 Summer Enrichment Grant Program (\$3,219,500)
 - Awarded grants to 41 organizations running 68 programs
 - Added more than 2,000 slots and provided more than 800 scholarships for low-income youth



\$2,500,000

2022-23 Out-of-School Care Grant Program

Grants to expand access to quality out-of-school care for socio-economically disadvantaged (SED) youth



2022-2023 Out-of-School Care Grant Program Objectives

- Provide opportunities for quality out-of-school care for youth from historically marginalized backgrounds and communities that have been most impacted by the pandemic
 - Reduce educational disparities amplified by the pandemic and distance learning
 - Enhance SED youth's academic, social and emotional development
 - Support economic recovery by allowing parents to return to the workforce

Program Overview

Eligibility Criteria

- Located in San Mateo County
- Serve TK thru 12th grade
- Operational for 2022-2023 school year 5 days/week
- Offers academic support along with social and emotional learning
- Serves at least 50% SED students (defined as income less than 65% of area median income)

Equity Focus

- Geographic distribution of funds, proportionally based on population of SED students
- Priority given to programs serving > 75% SED students, English language learners, and students with special needs, and committed to increasing slots for SED students

Program Timeline

- Begin outreach through partner network after approval
- August 11-22, 2022: Applications accepted
- August 26, 2022: Selection by Advisory Committee
- September 5, 2022: Funds disbursed



Request for Board Action

- Authorize the use of ARPA Funds in the amounts of:
 - \$2,500,000 for grants
 - \$62,500 for administration fees
- Authorize County Executive to enter into an agreement with the SMCU Community Fund for Administration





Thank you!