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MEMORANDUM NO. 2023-014

- TO: School District Superintendents
- FROM: Wanda Maloney, Chief Policy Officer

DATE: January 30, 2023

SUBJECT: WDE Awards 21st Century Community Learning Center Grants

WDE AWARDS 21ST CENTURY COMMUNITY LEARNING CENTER GRANTS

The Wyoming Department of Education has awarded a total of \$1.812 million from FY 2022 to nine applicants for the Cohort 14 grant competition under Title IV, Part B of the Every Student Succeeds Act, known as the Nita M. Lowey 21st Century Community Learning Centers Program (21stCCLC).

The five-year grant is awarded to create or expand high-quality after school and summer learning programs serving students attending low performing and high needs schools. There are now a total of 25 organizations with 37 grants providing 21stCCLC programs across the state.

Cohort 15 (January 2023-September 2027) Awardees include:

- Boys and Girls Clubs of Cheyenne, Inc. (\$100,000) Cole and Hebard Elementary-Cheyenne
- Fremont County SD #1 (\$162,141) Gannett and Baldwin Creek Elementary- Lander
- PRACTICE Program (\$200,000)-Lingle-Ft. Laramie, Lincoln, and Trail Elementary-Torrington
- Sweetwater County SD #1 (\$225,000) Desert View, Eastside, Northpark, and Walnut Elementary and Rock Springs Junior High- Rock Springs
- Teton Literacy Center (\$325,000 Consolidation Grant)-Jackson, Colter, Munger Mountain Elementary, Jackson Hole Middle School, Jackson Hole and Summit High School-Jackson
- Uinta County Education Center #1 BOCES (\$225,000) Evanston- Aspen, Clark, North, Uinta Meadows Elementary, David Middle School, and Evanston Middle School

- Washakie County SD #1 (\$175,000)- Worland -All schools
- Weston County SD #1 (\$175,000) Newcastle- K-2, 3-5, and Newcastle Middle School
- Youth Emergency Services, Inc. (\$225,000) Gillette- Conestoga, Hillcrest, Lakeview, Meadowlark, Rozet, Stocktrail, Sunflower, and Wagonwheel Elementary

A list of current subgrantees can be found <u>here</u>.

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