



Subject: Equitable Services for Private School Notice BASA-ThinkTank

Good afternoon,

Brevard Public Schools is currently designing and developing the content for the intent to potentially submit an application for a 21st Century Community Learning Center Grant in Cocoa and Palm Bay area schools. The design of the program in the areas will help students meet state and local standards in core academic subjects. Brevard Public Schools will base the program on the assessment of a Principal needs survey, school improvement plans and objective data. The program will provide academic afterschool activities which under the parameters of a federally-defined program must target activities in the following areas: Literacy and English Language Arts, Mathematics, Science, Personal Enrichments and Family Member Performance. If your organization is interested in participating in the development of this grant (particularly as to what services it should provide), and can offer ideas as to how the children's needs can be identified, please reply to this email by Monday, May 26, 2017 indicating your interest.

Additionally, eligible non-public school children who reside within the boundaries of the selected schools may benefit from one or more of the services offered through this Grant. In an effort to reach all eligible children, Brevard Public Schools would like to collaborate with the Private Schools sector to meet the needs of the students in the community. As the possible sub recipient, Brevard Public Schools would like to offer equitable services to your students, their teachers and other educational personnel. If you have eligible children and would like to discuss this opportunity further, or have teachers and other educational staff that might be interested, please contact me.

The Brevard Afterschool Team is meeting to develop this program and would appreciate the additional input. If awarded, our organization will continue to provide timely and meaningful information to the private school sector via email regarding future program changes, operations and continuing applications if funded to operate a 21st CCLC program. If possible the Brevard Afterschool Team would appreciate it if you could disseminate this information to your faculty and families.

We look forward to the possibility of working with your organization to bring the best possible services to the children of our community.

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