

North Clackamas SD 12

Funded amount \$500,000

North Clackamas School District's 21st CCLC Program brings together school district staff and community partners in collaboration to help to fill a large gap in afterschool programming in our area. This collaboration provides critical academic support and enrichment opportunities to a cohort of youth experiencing poverty, trauma, and barriers to learning. The program focuses on improving academic outcomes, mental health and well-being, and pathways to post-secondary success, with an emphasis on engaging families as partners. NCS D is centralizing efforts at the highest poverty elementary and middle schools in the district and our highest needs high school, with intentional and targeted recruitment of focal student populations. Program goals align with NCS D's Strategic Points grounded in Student Experience & Success, People & Culture, Family & Community Collaboration, and Resources & Services. Program partnerships provide multiple supports for students to engage in afterschool CTE learning that is relevant and responsive to their interests and needs and provides paid work experiences for high school students. Site Coordinators utilize a case management approach to track academic progress, seamless transitions to middle school and 9th grade, parent engagement, and career exploration experiences. The program expands school improvement initiatives into extended day programs and provides family support, education, and engagement opportunities.