# 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

## 2019 by the **Numbers**





Sites



Paid & Unpaid **Partnerships** 

**Students Served School** Year and Summer

**Funding** Requested & Awarded



\$5.2 million \$6.8 million

**Applications** 

Requested

**Awarded** 

Average Request: \$747,000 | Request Range: \$277,500 - 1,302,000

## Of the 14,648 Students:







average free or reduced price lunch rate

State = 43%

are categorized **Limited English Proficient** 

State = 7%

are students with a disability State = 4%

# Regular Attendance\*





All Other States in 2016

**Iowa in Past Years:** 

63% in 2014 56% in 2012 42% in 2010

# Statewide Staff: Student Ratio\*



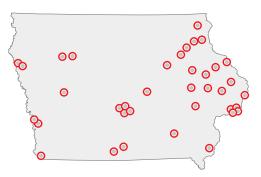


teachers



Average cost per student annually\*\*\*

# 21CCLC Map



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

### Sources:

Data is compiled using federal and state sources

Based on attendance of 30 days or more over the school year.

Indicates number from the previous year of reporting.

\*\*\* The Wallace Foundation recommends \$1,200 per student. The Iowa 21CCLC average annual cost is only possible through community partnerships.

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