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The Nita M. Lowey 21st Century Community Learning Centers (21st CCLC) Grant Application

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The 21st CCLC Title IV-B program is funded by a federal grant from the U.S. Department of Education and administered by the Arizona Department of Education.



For more information visit: <https://www.azed.gov/21stcclc/>



21st CCLC Grant

Overview



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Who qualifies to apply for 21st CCLC funding?

School districts and charter organizations that have schools with 40% or higher economically disadvantaged rate.



Focus of 21st CCLC Funding

21st CCLC programs maintain a strong commitment to improving math, reading/ language arts /literacy, and science.

Programs supplement the students' regular academic school day by creating a rich learning environment before school, after school and during the summer.



Focus of 21st CCLC Funding

21st CCLC programs offer a wide variety of classes, project-based learning activities, and hands-on enrichment opportunities.

This enrichment includes offerings in STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Math), environmental literacy programs, arts, music and physical education, mentoring, technology education including coding, and nutrition and health education.





Target Populations

Students

At-risk students from pre-kindergarten to twelfth grade who attend schools with a high concentration of students from low-income families

Adults & Families

Adult family members of students in the 21st CCLC program

Programs offer families of students ongoing, active and meaningful engagement in their children's education



▼ Timeline for Cycle 19 & New Grant Application Competition

January 3, 2023	21st CCLC Grant Application, Guidance & Resources available in Word Document Format on 21st CCLC website. (Writing process may begin.)
January 23, 2023	Grant Application, including Forms A, B, C, D, & E available online in the ADE Grants Management System (GME) accessed via the ADEConnect Portal (Online Submissions may begin.)
March 6, 2023	Grant Application, including Forms A, B, C, D & E are DUE online in Grants Management System (GME) by 11:59 PM
June 2023 (TBD)	Official State Board of Education Approval-formal announcement of Grant Awards

Please note, for an idea of the types of reports that will be required once awarded the 21st CCLC grant, please see the Required Reports on the right-hand side of this page.

21st CCLC Application Timeline for FY24





What is the Minimum/Maximum Amount of Annual Award?

- Annual minimum is \$50,000 per site
- Annual maximum is \$120,000 per site
- Grants are awarded for five years

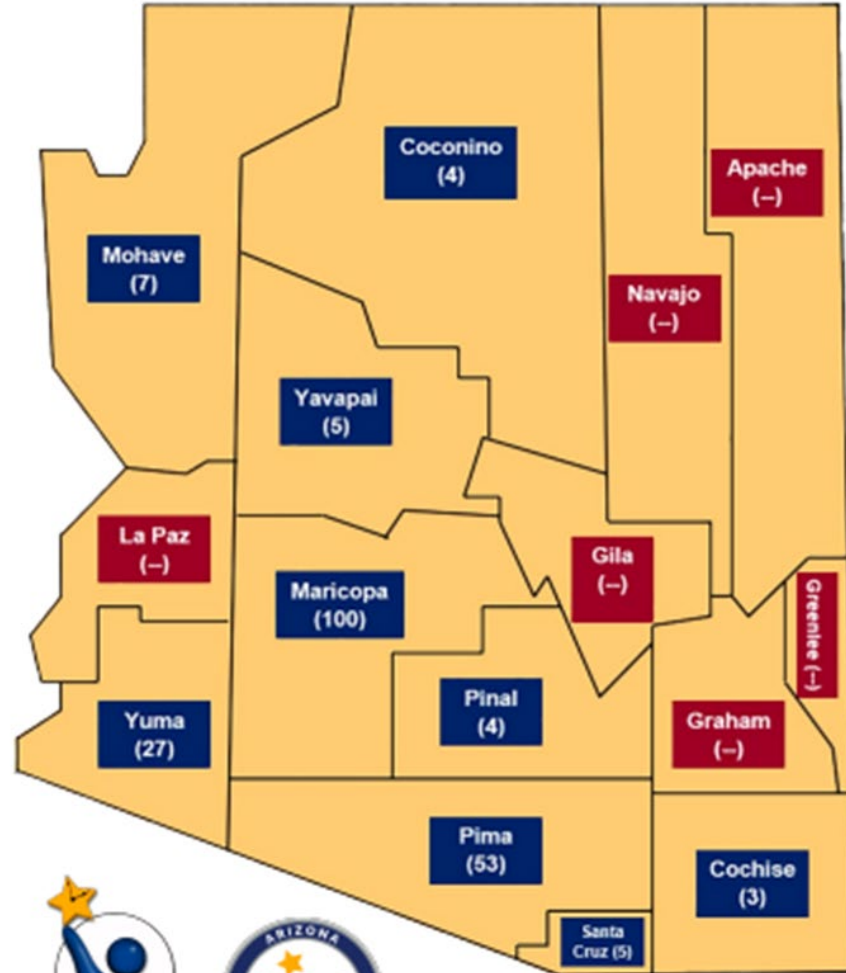
Arizona Department of Education
Nita M Lowey 21st Century Community Learning Centers
(21st CCLC), Title IV, Part B

Application Information



21st CCLC Programs In Arizona

The Nita M. Lowey 21st Century Community Learning Centers Throughout Arizona – Fiscal Year 2023



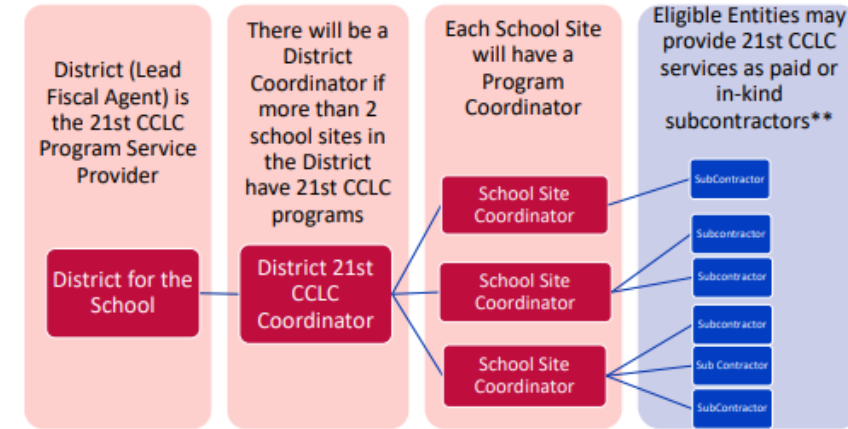
Total Sites: 208

21st CCLC Programs In Arizona

Two Pathways for Eligible Entities to Apply for 21st CCLC Funding

Standard Partnership Model

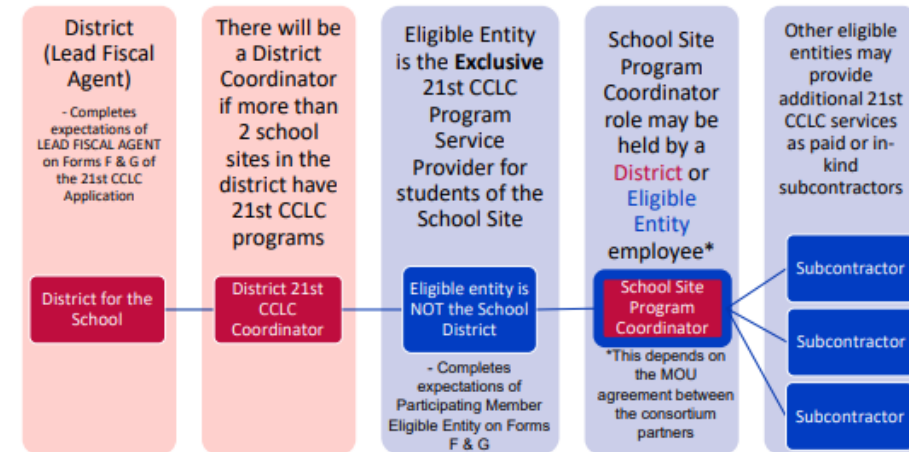
School District is the Program Services Provider – All but a few applicants choose this model



**There is no limit to subcontractors per site.

Consortium Model

Consortium formed with a School District – Rarely, applicants choose this Consortium Model



HOW DOES THE 21st CCLC GRANT WORK IN ARIZONA?

- ADE supports geographic equity with rural priority points in the application process
- Tribes can be contracted service providers to educate youth in traditional ways
- Tribes can apply as a consortium with a Public School District
- Schools can apply for funds through BIE (not through the ADE 21st CCLC Program Area)



Q & A

THANK YOU!



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