

**OFFICE OF INSTRUCTIONAL ENHANCEMENT AND INTERNAL OPERATIONS**  
**Summary of State Board of Education Agenda Items**  
**July 13-14, 2011**

**OFFICE OF FEDERAL PROGRAMS**

06. Approval to award competitive grants for the 21<sup>ST</sup> Century Community Learning Centers Program

Purpose: To create *community learning centers* that provide academic enrichment opportunities for children, particularly students who attend high-poverty and low-performing schools, to meet State and local student standards in core academic subjects, to offer students a broad array of enrichment activities that can complement their regular academic programs, and to offer literacy and other educational services to the families of participating children.

Grants are awarded for a period of up to five (5) years to any public or private organization, including local educational agencies, non-profit agencies, city or county government agencies, faith-based organizations, institutions of higher education, and for-profit corporations, or consortia of two or more of such agencies, organizations, or entities.

Scope of Grant:

- Grant Period: August 1, 2011 – July 31, 2016
  
- Award Amount: \$2,466,328.26 (Years 1 & 2)  
\$1,973,062.61 (Year 3)  
\$1,486,824.20 (Year 4)  
\$1,007,882.80 (Year 5)
  
- Method of Award: Request for Proposals

Funding Source: Federal (Title IV, Part B, of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act, as amended by the *No Child Left Behind Act of 2001*).

Summary of Selection Process:

A competitive grant selection process was utilized to award initial grants. Subsequent years will be funded based on reports from grantees and available funding.

Scoring Criteria:

- A. Project Description
- B. Collaboration
- C. Evaluation
- D. Continuation-Sustainability
- E. Budget

Recommendation: Approval

Back-up material attached

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21 <sup>st</sup> CCLC Grantees Cohort 8	SY 2011/2012 Year 1 100% Funding Maximum Grant Award	SY 2012/2013 Year 2 100% Funding Maximum Grant Award	SY 2013/2014 Year 3 80% Funding Maximum Grant Award	SY 2014/2015 Year 4 60% Funding Maximum Grant Award	SY 2015/2016 Year 5 40% Funding Maximum Grant Award
Chickasaw County School District (Houlka Attendance Center)	\$71,621.26	\$71,621.26	\$57,297.01	*\$50,000.00	*\$50,000.00
Columbia School District (Jefferson Middle and Columbia High Schools)	\$250,000.00	\$250,000.00	\$200,000.00	\$150,000.00	\$100,000.00
Columbia School District (Columbia Primary and Elementary Schools)	\$250,000.00	\$250,000.00	\$200,000.00	\$150,000.00	\$100,000.00
Greenwood Public School District (Greenwood High, Greenwood Middle, Bankston Elementary, Davis Elementary, Williams Elementary, Threadgill Elementary, and St. Francis of Assisi Schools)	\$250,000.00	\$250,000.00	\$200,000.00	\$150,000.00	\$100,000.00
Gulf Coast Education Initiative Consortium (Forest County Agricultural High, George County High, Gulfport School High, Hancock County High, Picayune Junior High, and Picayune Memorial High Schools)	\$500,000.00	\$500,000.00	\$400,000.00	\$300,000.00	\$200,000.00
Jackson Public School District (Clausell, French, Johnson, Lake, Poindexter, Raines, and Wilkins Elementary Schools)	\$500,000.00	\$500,000.00	\$400,000.00	\$300,000.00	\$200,000.00
Madison County School District (Velma Jackson High, Northeast Madison Middle, Luther Branson Elementary, Camden Elementary, East Flora Middle, and East Flora Elementary Schools)	\$500,000.00	\$500,000.00	\$400,000.00	\$300,000.00	\$200,000.00
Save the Children, Inc. (I.T. Montgomery Elementary School)	\$144,707.00	\$144,707.00	\$115,765.60	\$86,824.20	\$57,882.80
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$2,466,328.26</b>	<b>\$2,466,328.26</b>	<b>\$1,973,062.61</b>	<b>\$1,486,824.20</b>	<b>\$1,007,882.80</b>

*\* In accordance with the 21<sup>st</sup> Century Community Learning Centers Non-regulatory Guidance, in no event will grant funds be reduced to a level of less than \$50,000 pending congressional appropriations.*

*The Mississippi Department of Education reserves the right to negotiate grant award amounts depending upon congressional appropriations. Grant awards will not exceed the above amounts.*