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RE: Community Notice of Intent to Apply for CDE Grant Funds

Dear Community Members,

We would like to inform you about our intent to submit an application for the California Department of Education's 21st Century Community Learning Centers (CCLC) and the After School Safety and Enrichment for Teens (ASSETS) grant programs.

21st Century Community Learning Centers

The purpose of the 21st CCLC Program is to support the creation of community learning centers for elementary and middle school students that provide academic enrichment opportunities during non-school hours, particularly students who attend high poverty and low-performing schools. The 21st CCLC helps students meet state and local academic standards in core subjects such as reading and math; offers students a broad array of enrichment activities that can complement the regular academic program; and offers educational services to the families of participating children.

21st Century After School Safety and Enrichment for Teens

The purpose of the 21st Century ASSETS program is to provide local flexibility in the establishment or expansion of community learning centers that provide students in grades nine through twelve with academic enrichment opportunities and activities designed to complement students' regular academic program and that support college and career readiness; assist with literacy and related educational development services for families of these students; and provide a safe environment for students participating in their programs.

The SBCUSD CAPS Expanded Learning program has been running these programs for several years with great success and this will be a renewal application to continue funding services for our students. Once we submit the application, it will be available for your immediate review. Should you have questions or concerns, please feel free to contact us at (909) 880-6843.

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