

Afterschool and Summer Learning in North Carolina

21st Century Community Learning Centers in the 7th Congressional District



of students served:

1,429

of 21st CCLC grantees:

9

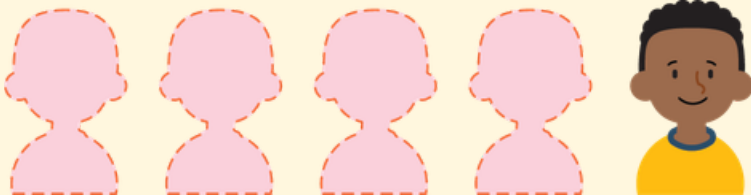
Amount of 21st CCLC dollars received:

\$4,491,514

Data reflects the 2025–2026 school year

North Carolina demand for OST opportunities

In North Carolina, the demand for afterschool programs is incredibly high. Parents of **over 850,000 children** want afterschool programs, but **nearly 4 in 5 children are missing out.**



Families value and rely on OST programs

88%

of parents agree programs encourage fun and learning and decrease screen time

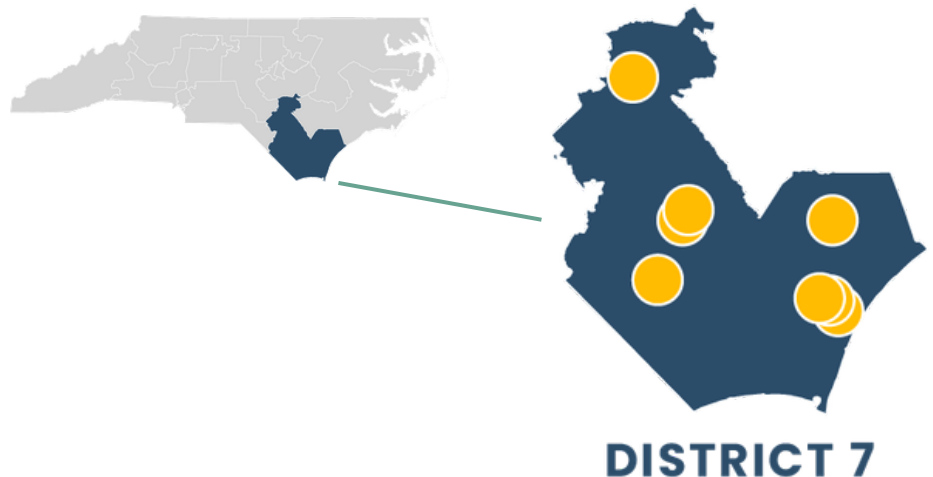
84%

of parents agree programs boost their kids' employability skills like teamwork, critical thinking, and leadership skills

92%

of parents agree programs help them keep their jobs or work more hours

9 out of 10 U.S. voters say afterschool strengthens families' economic well-being, helps parents work and allows parents to provide for their families.



DISTRICT 7