

Georgia Department of Education 21st Century Community Learning Centers FY 22 Common Data Elements Form



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Walters Club Success Academy

Boys and Girls Clubs of Lanier 21st Century Community Learning Center Evaluation

2021-2022 (Year 3)

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Overview and History

The Walters Club Success Academy of the Boys & Girls Clubs of Lanier (BGCL) operates in Gainesville, Georgia adjacent to the Lyman Hall Elementary School campus. The Boys & Girls Clubs of Lanier is a subgrantee of the Nita M. Lowey 21st Century Community Learning Centers grant, and is a member of the FY20 cohort. The program serves K-5 students of the Hall County School District through both a summer and after-school program of extended academic instruction and original activities designed to enhance and enrich participation and learning. Program goals and objectives focus on student achievement improvement in the areas of English language arts and mathematics, STEAM activities, various enrichments, and family engagement. Throughout the course of the program year, academic and enrichment instruction were delivered, by certified and/or trained personnel, which complemented the traditional school activities and allowed for both academic and personal growth. Reading and mathematics instruction occurs through creative implementation of instruction by Georgia certified teachers supplemented with the instructional support of various other qualified school personnel. The parent program was composed of a variety of opportunities including mental health awareness issues, literacy-based curriculum nights, and a variety of milestone celebrations.

The program targets a population that includes a large minority base. Many of the members also come from households that are considered to be economically disadvantaged. The program is a partnership between Hall County School District and Lyman Hall Elementary School. The program is supported by Georgia certified teachers, BGCL Youth Development Professionals (YDPs), and community volunteers.

Student Attendance and Enrollment

The Walters Club Success Academy of the Boys and Girls Clubs of Lanier 21st Century Community Learning Center Program registered 103 students during the 2021-2022 program year. Of those 103 students, 98 were considered regular attendees as a result of attending 30 or more days. The average daily attendance on site was 81 students per day. The average daily attendance of all students enrolled was 79%. The average daily attendance of regular attendees was 83%. Student attendance and enrollment data are summarized in Table A.

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Participant Attendance and Enrollment*										
# of Students Enrolled	# of Regular Attendees	Average Daily Attendance	Daily Attendance % of Students Enrolled	Daily Attendance % of Regular Attendees						
103	98	81	79	83						

*Data collected from Cayen (Attendance-Totals/Attendance Summary/Youth Only/All Students)

Table B describes the demographics of the regularly attending students. These students were composed of 53 males, 50 females, 102 Hispanic students, 1 White student, 1 English language learners, and 6 students with special education needs.

Participant Demographics								
Gen	ıder	Ethnicity	FI	SWD				
Male	Male Female		EL	SWD				
53	50	102/1	1	6				

Program Operation

The Walters Club Success Academy began the after-school program year on August 9, 2021 and operated through May 24, 2022. The typical after-school program day began at 2:30 p.m. and ended at 5:30 p.m. Mondays through Fridays each week. The program was composed of an after school nutritional snack time, homework assistance, mathematics and reading extended learning, and various enrichment activities. The Walters Club Success Academy included the parent/guardian component that provided for parent literacy/education activities and family involvement/enrichment activities throughout the year. Table C describes the service time for the 2021-2022 academic program year.

Table C. Walters Cl	ub - Program Operation
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Student Participant Program Operation								
Days Per Week	Total Weeks	Total Days	Hours Per Day	Hours per Week	Total Hours			
5	36	177	3	15	531			

Quality of Staffing

The Walters Club Success Academy employed 22 staff members that included 13 school-day teachers, 3 center administrators, and 6 youth development professionals. Of the staff members, many content instructional personnel were certified by the Georgia Professional Standards Commission. The student to staff (school-day teachers plus youth development professionals) ratio among regularly attending students was typically 10:1 for academic programs and 15:1 for enrichment activities, satisfying the guideline requirements.

The Walters Club Success Academy of BGCL leadership team included SheTeriha Lewis-Hartley, Program Director, Arizaid Guzman, Unit Director, Elena Martin, Data Specialist, and Neusa Wendt, Lead Teacher. Neusa Wendt is a retired Lyman Hall Elementary School teacher, who is certified through the Professional Standards Commission (PSC). Leadership supported staff performance through the identification of instructional needs, defining targeted interventions, and implementing appropriate professional learning opportunities. Many professional learning opportunities were offered throughout the school year. The Walters Club Success Academy at BGCL staff participated in regular weekly meetings to discuss issues, concerns, plans, procedures, policies, and professional development needs as they arose. Additionally, contracted tutors/enrichment providers met monthly for the same purpose. Table D describes professional learning provided for all staff.

Training Name	Positions required	Training Hours
New Hire Onboarding	All New Hires	4
CPR/First Aid	All Positions	4
Mandated Reporting	All Positions	2
Positive Behavior Guidance	All Positions	2
Classroom Management	All Positions	3
Working With Students	All Positions	2
With Special Needs		
Afterschool/Summer	All Positions	3
Orientations: Goals and		
Objectives		
BGCA Curriculum -	Youth Development Professionals, Site	16
Programs Training	Coordinators, Parent Coordinators	
Outcome Measurement:	Data Specialists	4
Data Reporting		
COVID – 19 Operations,	All Positions	8
Safety Training, Crisis		
Management		

Table D. Walters Club Success Academy - Professional Learning

Objective Assessment

Objective assessment occurred through a variety of analyses as defined by the 21st Century grant application and amendments for the duration of the 5-year program. A summary Table E, provides a quick review of annual progress on the defined objectives of the program with a descriptive analysis following.

Objective Assessment Summary Table

Table E. Regularly Attending Students – Objective Assessment

Objective Assessment				
Objective	Status			
Objective 1.1: 60% of students participating in the program will improve their reading performance, as indicated by appropriate universal screeners.	Met			
Objective 1.2: 60% of students participating in the program will improve their mathematics performance, as indicated by appropriate universal screeners.	Not Met			
Objective 1.3: 65% of participants will demonstrate improvement in homework completion, as indicated by teacher surveys.	Met			
Objective 2.1: 65% of students participating in the program will demonstrate improvement in classroom behavior, as indicated by teacher surveys.	Met			
Objective 2.2: 65% of students participating in the program will demonstrate improvement in class attendance and participation, as indicated by teacher surveys.	Met			
Objective 3.1: 50% of the parents/guardians will participate in two or more family literacy and education activities.	Met			
Objective 3.2: 50% of the parents/guardians will demonstrate increased involvement and communication with the child's teacher and/or school staff by the end of the school year.	Met			

Objective 1.1: Met

60% of students participating in the program will improve their reading performance, as indicated by appropriate universal screeners.

The data provided shows that 86% of students improved their reading performance.

Objective 1.2: Not Met

60% of students participating in the program will improve their mathematics performance, as indicated by appropriate universal screeners.

The data provided shows that only 46% of students improved their reading performance.

Objective 1.3: Met

65% of participants will demonstrate improvement in homework completion, as indicated by teacher surveys.

97% of students improved homework completion.

Objective 2.1: Met

65% of students participating in the program will demonstrate improvement in classroom behavior, as indicated by teacher surveys.

91% of students improved classroom behavior.

Objective 2.2: Met

65% of students participating in the program will demonstrate improvement in class attendance and participation, as indicated by teacher surveys.

92% of students improved class attendance and participation.

Objective 3.1: Met

50% of the parents/guardians will participate in two or more family literacy and education activities.

66% of parents participated in two or more family literacy and education activities.

Objective 3.2: Met

50% of the parents/guardians will demonstrate increased involvement and communication with the child's teacher and/or school staff by the end of the school year.

82% of parents demonstrated increased involvement, through attendance and activity participation.

Other Observations

The Walters Club (Downey) Success Academy at BGCL 21st Century includes a schedule of tutoring and enrichment activities that support student enthusiasm and participation. The program offered opportunities for participants to receive additional instruction in the areas of reading and mathematics, experience various arts activities, and develop friendships and relationships in a welcoming and nurturing environment. Parents were offered several opportunities to participate in activities, which were designed to support their child is learning at home, parenting, technology use, etc.

The BGCL Youth Development Professionals (YDPs) are all dedicated, professional young people. They work diligently to assist participating children as they complete homework, listen to stories, dance, complete art projects, work on math and/or reading skills in classroom instructional settings, and experience technology. The YDP staff is composed of young women and men, trained college students and community members, who make each members experience safer and more fulfilling. The instructional staff works to remediate as well as enrich the reading and mathematics competency of the participants after teaching during the regular school day. The administrative staff works successfully with YDPs, certified staff, volunteers, and parents to monitor and maintain the program. They work with the community and volunteers to enrich the program and creatively implement strategies designed to boost the experience of the participating students and their families.

Progress Toward Sustainability

The BGCL 21st CCLC program has continued its partnership with the Georgia Mountain Food Bank, as well as the Hall County Schools District, through year three of this grant cycle. These partnerships have resulted in enrichment activities and programs, transportation and meals services, as well as financial support. When funding is no longer available, the Boys and Girls Clubs of Lanier will continue to collaborate with local organizations, as well as, pursue new grants and local funding to maintain the program. The advisory team will seek support from community faith-based organizations to provide volunteers and monetary support. Project design builds the capacity of the Boys and Girls Clubs of Lanier to continue the project at reduced cost in later years as technology equipment, software, manipulatives, remediation workbooks, and other resources are in place while staff development is spread across most of the teaching staff. However, without the opportunity of the Nita M. Lowey 21st CCLC grant, the program would be minimized in its service to students and the community.

Overall Recommendations

The 2021-2022 implementation of the BGCL Walters Club Success Academy program has been beneficial to many students and parents. Program staff worked diligently to ensure student success. Progress has been made by meeting the grant requirements (participation, hours per week and weeks per year, quality staff, and student-staff ratio).

In order to successfully continue with future programs, the following recommendations should be considered:

- Monitor classroom implementation with rubric-based instruments and provide quarterly feedback for more focused and data-based recommendations.
- Provide participating students with more variety in enrichment opportunities.

Respectfully submitted, Michael Bush