



New Grantees, September 2015

Lead Applicant	School Partner	County	Partners List (As Identified by Lead Applicant)	Pending Award	Summary	Phone Number
North Lewisburg United Methodist Church	Triad Local Schools	Champaign	Champaign County Chamber of Commerce; Champaign County Economic Development Coordinator; Champaign County Manufacturer's Council	\$108,959.90	In this program, students will meet with mentors in the school setting and will be invited to participate in after-school and weekend community service opportunities.	(937) 484-1557
Family & Youth Initiatives	Tecumseh Local Schools	Clark	Western Clark County Business Coalition; Dayton Hispanic Chamber of Commerce; Wright State University	\$77,205.50	By using a three-prong approach, The DEFY Project will mentor 100 youth in Tecumseh middle and high schools by utilizing one-on-one peer, college and business mentors.	(937) 623-9910
Goodness Grows	East Palestine City Schools Wellsville Local School District	Columbiana	Wellsville Lion's Club; Youngstown Business Incubator; Columbiana County Educational Service Center; EDI (Employment Development Inc.)	\$70,202.16	The Resilient Active Career Exploration (RACE) to Success program will focus on eighth grade students attending Wellsville Jr. High School and East Palestine Middle School and will pair them with mentors in the students' preferred career fields. The mentors and mentees will meet monthly, covering the topics of labor markets, education, training, lifestyle and budget, resumes and interview skills, and basic economics.	(330) 424-9591
Canaan Missionary Baptist	Maple Heights City Schools	Cuyahoga	Ministry of Reconciliation, Adopt-A-School Network; Cislunar Systems, LLC; McWhorter Construction Co.	\$41,352.00	"Village of Success" will combine adult mentoring, peer mentoring and family building to help students in grades 6-8 to improve academic performance, increase social competency and strengthen family and community bonds.	(216) 406-2125

David's Challenge	East Cleveland City Schools	Cuyahoga	Northern Ohio Recovery Association; Cleveland Clinic- Stephanie Tubbs Jones Health Center	\$96,000.00	The Young Achievers Program will provide mentoring services to youth between the ages of 10 – 13 and enrolled in grades 5 -6. This project is intended to promote positive youth outcomes via relationships between young persons (mentees), who are enrolled in one of three elementary schools, within the East Cleveland School District, and non-parental adults (mentors) who are acting in a nonprofessional helping capacity.	(216) 249-3000
Ursuline College	Warrensville Heights	Cuyahoga	Collaborative Endeavors Inc.	\$43,370.00	ARROWS is a mentoring program where Ursuline College female students actively engage in a diverse, at-risk school system as mentors to 33 female high school students. The program provides Ursuline College students with the opportunity to mentor Warrensville Heights High School female students, encourage the students to graduate from high school and enroll in and graduate from college.	(440) 449-4200
US Together	Cleveland Heights-University Heights School System	Cuyahoga	Building Hope in the City; Cosmic Bobbins; American Healers	\$110,243.15	UST will implement a mentoring program to serve immigrant and refugee youth with the ultimate goal of building hope for a positive American future for refugee and immigrant children through mentoring activities.	(614) 205-6769
ALL THAT	Columbus City Schools	Franklin	New Birth Christian Ministries; Mentoring Center of Central Ohio; Community & Youth Collaborative Institute; Ohio State University Office of Student Life; Nationwide Children's Hospital Center for Family Safety and Healing	\$82,723.00	All THAT – Teens Hopeful About Tomorrow – provides mentoring and academic enrichment programs to youth from the 43227 and 43232 ZIP Codes who attend Columbus City Schools.	(513) 745-0007

Gertrude Wood Community Foundation	Columbus City Schools A+ Arts Academy Groveport Madison Schools	Franklin	Bethany Baptist Church; Tova's N.E.S.T.; Synthesis, Inc.; Phosi Express Laundromat; Liberty Mutual Insurance	\$39,984.78	The program will serve middle and high school students in the Columbus area and provide mentoring that will facilitate the development of healthy, positive relationships that will reduce risk factors while enhancing protective factors, build self-esteem and promote positive peer selection and relationships.	(614) 252-7456
Godman Guild Association	Columbus City Schools	Franklin	Mentoring Center of Ohio; OSU Medical Center; 7th Avenue Baptist Church; US Bank	\$112,180.00	The T.E.E.N. program will serve Columbus area high and middle school students by providing each student with one-on-one mentoring services while increasing their knowledge of 21st century careers.	(614) 294-5476
Greater Hilltop Area Shalom Zone	Columbus City Schools	Franklin	Hilltop YMCA; New Horizons United Methodist Church	\$102,716.75	The objective of the New Beginnings Mentoring Program is to provide mentorship opportunities for at-risk youth and young adults (credit deficit) who have either dropped out of school or face social, economic or other challenges that will allow them to develop skills and confidence to complete their high school education and/or develop life skills to permit them to function within society.	(614) 398-1230
Homeport	South-Western City Schools	Franklin	Columbus Mortgage Bankers; Society of St. Vincent DePaul; First Church of God	\$64,500.00	The Emerald Glen Mentorship Program serves students in grades 5-8 who live in Homeport's Emerald Glen Apartment Community on the west side of Columbus. The program consists of one-on-one mentoring.	(614) 545-7711
Lead the Way Learning Academy	Reynoldsburg City Schools	Franklin	OSU Nisonger; Mount Caramel Hospital; International Christian Center; Central Ohio Mentoring Center; Columbus Public Health Department	\$115,583.95	This program will replicate successful, comprehensive youth development activities while maintaining a focus on areas or need specific to teenagers.	(614) 419-7648
Lettuce Work Foundation	Oakstone Community School	Franklin	Johnstown Independent Baptist Church	\$129,015.00	The program serves students in grades 8-12 diagnosed with autism spectrum disorder and provides one-on-one mentoring that emphasizes goal setting, self-evaluation and workplace readiness skills to prepare students for transition from high school to	(614) 893-8029

Starfish Alliance	Columbus City Schools South-Western City Schools	Franklin	CMax Advisors; ECDI; Relā	\$80,840.00	Columbus City and South-Western City high school students in foster care are paired with local business mentors who will work with mentees to develop business plans for social enterprise as well as provide character and business coaching.	(614) 419-1541
The Graham School	Graham Expeditionary Middle School (GEMS) Graham Primary School (GPS)	Franklin	Summit UMC; OSU Department of Teaching and Learning; Donatos	\$99,180.00	The GEMS/GPS Center will provide free after-school programming to students from GEMS, GPS, CCS, Freedom Schools and other neighborhood children two days per week. Students will be assigned a mentor/tutor and together they will build relationships, work on social and academic goals and skill building and enjoy art programming.	(614) 571-1701
Boys and Girls Clubs of Greater Cincinnati	Cincinnati Public Schools	Hamilton	Santa Maria Community Services; BLOC ministries; Fidelity Investments	\$75,930.00	"Building Bright Futures" Mentoring Program will provide early intervention and prevention services through one-on-one mentoring relationship to 50 high risk youth in grades 5-12 who are at risk of educational failure, teen pregnancy, truancy and juvenile delinquency.	(513) 421-8909
Economics Center	Cincinnati Public Schools; Deer Park City Schools; Northwest Local Schools; North College Hill School District; Eden Grove Academy; St. Boniface	Hamilton	Northside Community Bank; Messer Construction; Bartlett & Co.; Paycor; Clark, Shaefer, Hackett; Ipsos; Kroger & Co; First Financial Bank; Coupons, Inc; Dinsmore & Shohl; JP Morgan; Ft. Washington Investment Advisors	\$82,918.63	Student Enterprise Program (StEP) is implemented in elementary schools in low to moderate income neighborhoods. StEP supports students' classroom engagement, academic achievement and quality instruction through an interactive mini-economy that becomes a part of the daily classroom experience.	(513) 556-2684

Partnership for Innovation in Education	Cincinnati Public School District	Hamilton	Accounting for Kids; ArtsWave; ArtWorks; CERKL.com; Girl Scouts of Western Ohio; Interact for Health; University of Dayton	\$126,600.00	The program extends into 156 classrooms in 32 Cincinnati Public Schools and reaches 4,300 grades 5-9 students involving a vetted pool of qualified mentors. The program would feature weekly one-to-one, in-classroom mentoring and a variety of rich learning experiences such as lunch learn panels, guest speakers, site visits and after-school community service.	(513) 387-8370
Hardin County Chamber and Business Alliance	Kenton City Schools	Hardin	Quest Federal Credit Union; Ensign Associates; Hardin County Ministerial Association; EnvisionEdPlus	\$128,605.00	This program will plan and incubate 2 mentoring/leadership programs serving 100 students in grades 5-12 who are struggling academically and/or with social/emotional skill demonstration.	(419) 673-4131
Brightway Center	Buckeye Local Schools; Steubenville City Schools; Edison Local Schools; Toronto City Schools; Jefferson County JVSD	Jefferson	Jefferson County Educational Service Center; Chesterton	\$126,588.00	The Teen Ethical Standards Training (T.E.S.T.) Program is designed to help teenagers with the challenges they are facing in society today, including coping with peer pressure, unhealthy relationships and drug and/or alcohol experimentation through relationships established with mentors.	(614) 737-3836
First Westminster Presbyterian Church	Steubenville City Schools	Jefferson		\$92,072.36	The purpose of the Steubenville City Schools Student Leadership Program is to provide early intervention and prevention services through a mentoring relationship to the at-risk youth in grades 5-8 who are at risk of educational failure, teen pregnancy, truancy and juvenile delinquency.	(740) 282-4591
The Salvation Army of Northeast Ohio	Painesville City Local District	Lake	Asa Cox Homes	\$43,414.87	The Teen Mentoring Program pairs Painesville youth with volunteer mentors providing a supportive environment to discuss problems with their peers and mentors, utilize the gym facility for health and wellness, complete outstanding homework and receive positive reinforcement.	(216) 623-7414

Neighborhood Outreach Center, Inc.	Riverside Local School District	Logan	Netgain Information Systems; DeGraff United Methodist Church	\$75,000.00	The Riverside Outreach Center will serve students in the Riverside Local School District with mentoring that will incorporate homework help and tutoring, goal-setting and character-building activities and community service opportunities.	(937) 843-9283
Lorain County Boys and Girls Club, Inc.	Lorain City Schools	Lorain	Nordson Corporation; Lorain County Community College; PolyOne	\$105,025.00	"The Teen Mentorship Program" will include individual mentoring of high-risk youth and small-group mentoring for other teen participants. The program will include workplace visits, job shadowing and placements.	(440) 246-4616
MADD Poets Society	Northpoint Academy; Discovery Academy; Achieve Career Preparatory Academy; Eagle Academy	Lucas	A Renewed Mind Services; Taylor Automotive Group; Leona Group Schools	\$95,040.00	Mentors will assist in creating mentee individualized needs plans that will include student interest surveys, career assessment guides, school reports of academic deficiencies, social emotional needs and assessed resiliency levels. Mentors will use data-driven decision making through the use of research-based instructional guides, materials and activities to mentor their mentees into renewed success.	(419) 381-4555
Sister's House	Central Academy of Ohio	Lucas	River of Life Church; Whittington Group Realty	\$81,000.00	New Passage Moon Shooters will match professionals and skilled laborers with interested students in grades 5 and 6. Students will be provided opportunities to observe, experience and participate in building new skills for 21st century careers.	(419) 381-4555
The Padua Center	Toledo City Schools	Lucas	Medical Mutual of Ohio	\$65,090.00	The Padua Possibilities Program is an alternative to suspension for children from four Toledo Public Schools. Approximately 30 students will be paired with mentors who will help students improve their behavior in school and expose them to college and career opportunities.	(419) 241-6465

100 Black Men of Greater Youngstown/Warren	Youngstown City Schools	Mahoning	New Bethel Baptist Church; CCS Transportation, Inc.	\$76,000.00	100Way–YM21 is a multi-layered approach, using one-to-one mentoring and group mentoring. It is built on nurturing five key character traits: respect/self-esteem; striving for excellence; integrity; kindness/compassion and perseverance.	(330) 307-6162
Neighborhood Ministries	Campbell City School District	Mahoning	Big Brothers, Big Sisters; Eastern Gateway College; Campbell Ecumenical Council;	\$71,221.00	Campbell Pathways will provide 80 students in grades 5-8 attending Campbell Middle School with an intensive mentoring experience designed to help them identify possibilities for their future and equip them with the skills and knowledge needed to graduate from high school and higher education.	(330) 565-8187
Boys and Girls Clubs of Dayton	Dayton Public Schools	Montgomery	PNC Bank; Hope Church	\$69,828.40	Great Futures will help drive academic and life success for Dayton area youth through individual and small group mentoring, academic tutoring, and on-site workshops and activities facilitated by community organizations and businesses that will provide unique learning opportunities.	(937) 262-8377
Morgan Metropolitan Housing	Morgan Local Schools	Morgan	Morgan County Family and Children First Council; Morgan County Juvenile Court; Morgan County United Ministries; Morgan County Behavioral Health; Morgan County Jobs and Family Services; Ohio State University Extension Office; Morgan Counseling Center; MIBA	\$30,575.00	At-risk middle school students will have access to 1-to-1 mentoring on a weekly basis through social media with monthly group activities planned by Morgan Counseling Center.	(740) 962-2377

Youth Leadership Association	Eastern Local School District Pike County Joint Vocational School Scioto Valley Waverly City Schools Western Local School District	Pike	Pike Visitors and Convention Bureau; South Ohio Communication Services; Bristol Village - National Church Residencies	\$89,994.00	This mentoring program will use Youth Leadership Association's Next Generation Laboratory to build more responsible citizens by engaging students in the life and work of their schools, communities and the world. School-based Youth Leadership Association's Next Generation Laboratories are student initiated and led with advice and mentoring of faculty advisors and other project adult partners.	(304) 675-5899
The University of Akron	Barberton City Schools	Summit	Johnson United Methodist Church; Raymond James Financial	\$75,898.69	Through 1-to-1 mentoring, this program will help 10th grade students set college and/or career goals with an opportunity to receive a \$1000 scholarship for The Univeristy of Akron.	(330) 972-2760
Marietta Community Foundation	Marietta City Schools	Washington	Peoples Bank; WC Family and Children First; Gilman UMC; Boys and Girls Clubs of WC; REsolve Studios	\$118,512.00	The Career Mentor Comprehensive Program for 7th grade students is a new version of mentoring that will enhance the work of participating organizations and provide a wrap-around program to fully support targeted students and their families.	(740) 374-6500