Updates, Amendments, and Frequently Asked Questions
School Age Community
Grant Application 2014-2015

UPDATES AND/OR AMENDMENTS:
Notice: Items in bold have been added. Items with strikeout marks have been removed.

1.) Mathematical error under Attachment Eight-C, Purchased Services, PQA/budget $1,200/site) Req'd. has been updated with PQA/budget $1,500/site) Req'd. Be sure your budget pages reflects this change.
2.) On the Intent to Apply for School Age Community (SAC) Grant, Potential applicants/bidders may send "Intent to Apply" for the School Age Community (SAC) grant completion by Wednesday, June 11, 2014. has been changed to Potential **applicants** may send "Intent to Apply" for the School Age Community (SAC) grant completion by **Friday, May 16, 2014**.
3.) On the Intent to Apply for School Age Community (SAC) Grant, This will help the DESE adequately plan for grant readers in order to have the Applications/IFB's reviewed in a timely manner has been changed to This will help the DESE adequately plan for grant readers in order to have the **Applications** reviewed in a timely manner.
4.) On Intent to Apply for School Age Community (SAC) Grant, This notice is not binding and by submitting an "Intent to Apply" letter, a potential applicant/bidder may, at a later date prior to the deadline, decide not to apply has been changed to This notice is not binding and by submitting an "Intent to Apply" letter, a potential **applicant** may, at a later date prior to the deadline, decide not to apply.

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS:
Can a community based or faith based organization apply for a SAC grant?
No, only public schools are eligible for a SAC grant. A community or faith based organization may carry out programming via contract but the school district must be the applicant and as such is responsible for all deliverables set forth in the grant application.
Can an application be submitted "district wide" to include all elementary schools in the district?
No, each site must apply on its own and will be evaluated and scored as such.
How long does a program have to become licensed if not currently?
If a program is not currently licensed the program has one year from date of award to become licensed. If the program is not licensed within that timeframe the grant is subject to termination.

Must a program be accredited to receive a SAC grant?

This is dependent on the recent funding status of the applicant. If the site is "new" meaning not funded in cohort 6, then the program does not have to be accredited to receive a SAC grant. If the site was a grantee from cohort 6 you must demonstrate that your program is accredited in order to receive a SAC grant in cohort 7. The site must work towards and become accredited by June 30th of the third year of the grant cycle

What age ranges can a SAC grant serve?

SAC grants serve children ages 5 to 12 unless under supervision of the court in which case the SAC program can serve up to the age of 19.

Can SAC grants receive reimbursement for daily transportation?

No SAC grants shall not budget or receive reimbursement for daily travel.

Can SAC grants pay for snacks?

No, SAC grants cannot pay for daily snacks. There are a number of ways a SAC afterschool program can receive reimbursement for snacks.

If my district currently has a 21st CCLC grant are we eligible to apply?

Yes so long as the SAC grant is proposed to serve students at a site not currently served by the 21st CCLC grant.