



COALITION FOR
**COMMUNITY
SCHOOLS**

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Family Engagement
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No More Random Acts of Programming



The Community School strategy

is a local engagement strategy that creates and coordinates opportunities with public school(s) to accelerate student success. It serves as a vehicle for hyper-local decision-making that responds to the unique needs of each community.

A Strategy, not a Program.

A framework for mobilizing relationships and resources around student success.





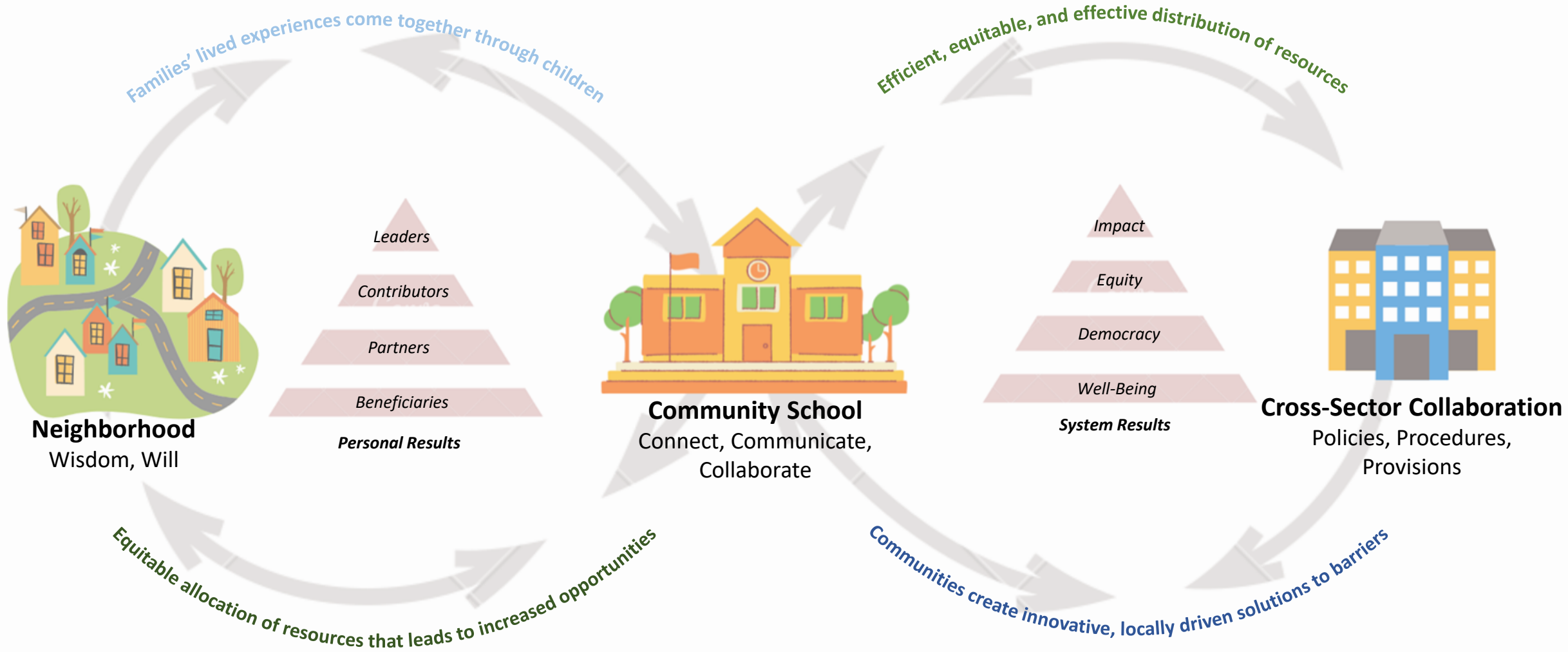




1. Active Family and Community Engagement
2. Integrated Student Supports
3. Expanded Learning Time and Opportunities
4. Collaborative Leadership and Practice

Culture of Belonging, Safety, and Care
 Community Connected Learning
 Shared Decision Making
 Continuous Improvement
 Equitable Resource Allocation

Community Schools Use Neighborhood Wisdom to Transform Systems





Braiding & Blending Funding to Support Community Schools

- School District Funding
- State Funding
- Federal Funding (Title I, Title IV etc.)
 - Full-service Community Schools
 - 21st Century Community Learning Centers
 - Promise Neighborhoods
- Corporations
- CARES, ARPA, CRRSA
 - ESSER Funding (LEA, SEA)
- Foundations (community & national)
- local, state, and federal grants
- Other

Federal Full-Service Community School Grant

- \$68 million
- Applications Available: July 13, 2022.
- Deadline for Notice of Intent to Apply: August 12, 2022.
- Deadline for Transmittal of Applications: September 12, 2022
- <https://www.communityschools.org/department-of-education-full-service-community-schools-grant-program/>
 - ‘Ready, Set, Apply’ webinar series: July 14th, July 28th, August 4th
 - CCS Coaching Sessions



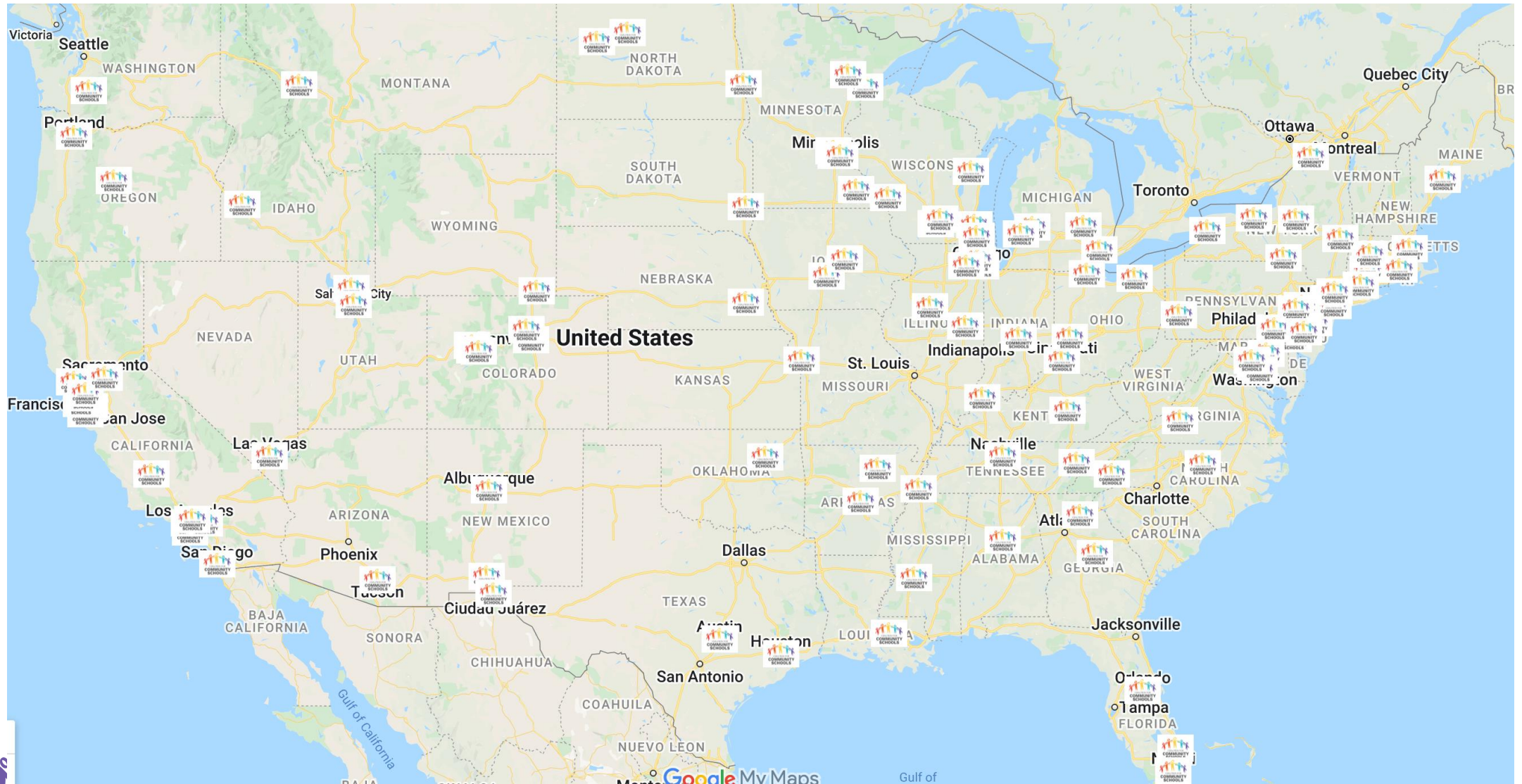
Results We've Seen

- Decrease in chronic absenteeism
- Decrease in behavioral referrals
- Increased family engagement
- Self-reported improved work habits, efforts and attitudes towards learning
- Academic effort and performance increased
- Improved grades and test scores
- More credits earned and more likely to stay in school
- Improved HS graduation
- Decrease in achievement gap

Source: <https://files.eric.ed.gov/fulltext/ED499103.pdf>

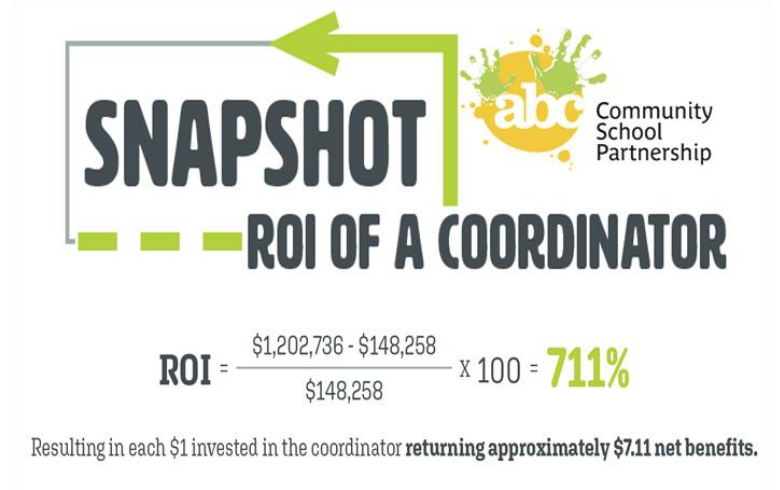
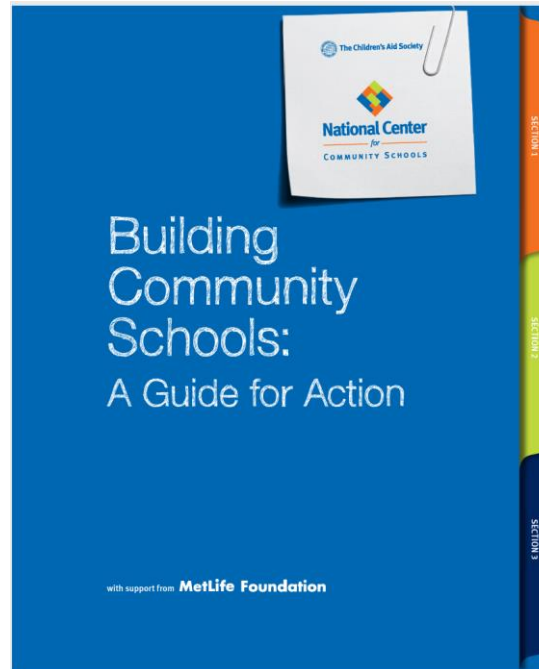


What Can We Learn From Other States?



Resources

www.communityschools.org



Who are we?

Coalition for Community Schools



is the “lead partner” who staffs and facilitates an alliance of local, state, and national organizations who work towards a shared vision of:

“Schools as centers for creating flourishing communities where everyone belongs, works together, and thrives.”

We work to PREPARE, SUPPORT, and MOBILIZE



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