

FY23 Nita M. Lowey 21st Century Community Learning Centers Grant Opportunity

The Tennessee Department of Education is requesting applications for the Nita M. Lowey 21st Century Community Learning Centers grant (21st CCLC). The 21st CCLC grant is awarded for 5 years based on a competitive application process. A copy of the application guide can be found [here](#). The application must be completed online through the department's [ePlan](#) grants management system by **April 14, 2022, 11:59 p.m. central time**; paper applications will not be accepted. Separate notification will be provided when the application is available in ePlan.

The overarching goal of the 21st CCLC program is to provide students—particularly students who attend schools in need of improvement—with academic enrichment opportunities and support services to help them meet state and local standards in the core content areas.

School districts, community-based and faith-based organizations, and other public or private organizations proposing to serve students in Tennessee are eligible to apply for funding.

A **technical assistance webinar** for prospective applicants will be held **March 8 at 9–11 a.m. CT | 10 a.m.–12 p.m. ET**.

Information on how to connect to the webinar is below.

- **Join on your computer or mobile app:** [Click here to join the meeting](#)
- **Or call in (audio only):** +1 615-270-9704,,791719688# | Phone Conference ID: 791 719 688#

Questions about the application process should be sent to Extended.Learning@tn.gov.