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Community Notice of Intent to Apply

Nita M. Lowey 21st Century Community Learning Centers (21st CCLC)

Date: April 21, 2026

Dear Parents, Community Members, and Education Partners,

The Wakulla County School Board hereby provides public notice of its intent to submit an application to the Florida Department of Education for funding under the Nita M. Lowey 21st Century Community Learning Centers (21st CCLC) Program for the 2026–2027 grant cycle.

The proposed 21st CCLC program is designed to provide high-quality academic enrichment opportunities during non-school hours for elementary students and their families. Services focus on improving student academic achievement in English Language Arts and mathematics, offering enrichment activities aligned to Florida's academic standards, and strengthening family engagement to support student success.

Proposed Target School

- Crawfordville Elementary School

Additional Schools Proposed for Inclusion

- Riversink Elementary School
- Medart Elementary School
- Shadeville Elementary School

Crawfordville Elementary School will serve as the primary focus and guaranteed site for the proposed program. The inclusion of additional elementary schools is contingent upon approval by the Florida Department of Education and is intended to support early academic intervention efforts for students identified by the district as needing additional learning opportunities.

The proposed program will provide:

- Afterschool academic enrichment and tutoring
- Homework assistance aligned with classroom instruction
- Enrichment activities including STEM, civics, and resiliency education

- Structured physical activity and wellness opportunities
- Meaningful educational activities for adult family members

In accordance with federal requirements, eligible private schools located within the Wakulla County School District service area are invited to participate in timely and meaningful consultation regarding the potential provision of equitable services to eligible private school students, teachers, and families, should the application be funded.

If the application is submitted and approved, a copy of the finalized grant narrative will be made available to the public on the district's website. Ongoing information regarding program services, locations, hours, and student and family engagement opportunities will also be published.

Thank you for your continued partnership in supporting the educational success of Wakulla County students and families.

Sincerely,

Richard Myhre, Superintendent
Wakulla County School Board