

Student Wellness and Success Funds

School Name: Columbus Humanities Arts and Technology Academy

IRN: 000553

Describe the use of funds:

The Academy will use Student Wellness and Success funds to provide psychological services, occupational therapy, physical therapy, and other services associated with serving students with disabilities.

The Academy will use at least 50% of Student Wellness and Success Funds for mental health services or physical healthcare services or a combination of contracting with outside agencies to provide counseling and other services to our students and hiring mental health professionals.

Name and describe coordination with community partners.

To support the use of Student Wellness and Success Funds, the Academy will partner with at least two community partners. During the 2023-2024 school year, the Academy will partner National Youth Advocacy Program (i.e. a community mental health prevention or treatment provider or local board of alcohol, drug addiction, and mental health services board and one of the community partners listed on the Student Wellness and Success Funds and Disadvantaged Pupil Impact Aid webpage). The partnerships will include the following services:

- Quality professional development to all classroom teachers and on “trauma-informed care” for their students to foster a culture of caring, trust, and safety within each classroom.
- Full-time therapy services at each campus:
 - National Youth Advocacy Program provided:
 - Student referral and mental health identification process
 - Case management
 - One-on-one intervention support to students during school hours
 - Emergency rapid response team participation
 - Outpatient therapy to teachers and staff
- Full-time college and career and financial advising for all middle schoolers provided through:
 - Junior Achievement—Biz Town and Finance Park
 - OSU real Money Real Time
 - OSU Roots
 - Kitchen of Life
 - Transportation to visit prospective high schools in the surrounding area

Describe the anticipated impact of the utilization of funds.

The use of the Student Wellness and Success funds will impact our students by improving overall Social and Emotional Health and addressing the ongoing concerns stemming from the pandemic. The funds will help 640 students who will be directly impacted. The Academy expects to see a 5-10% decrease in disruptive student behavior year over year.