

Gadsden Independent School District P.O. Drawer 70 Anthony, New Mexico 88021

Date: 10/17/2012

School Board Agenda Items

Title of Agenda It	em: Fund 24119 21 st Century Initial BAR	Consent Agenda Action
2012-2013		Discussion Items
Board Meeting Da	ate: October 25, 2012	
De	riginator – <u>Jose Hinojosa, Fine Arts Coordinator</u> epartment – <u>Fine Arts</u> ate – October 17, 2012	

To Be Presented By: <u>Jose Hinojosa</u>, Fine Arts Coordinator

Approved By: Steve Suggs, CFO/ Deputy Superintendent Date – October 17, 2012

Background and Summary:

BAR request for 21st Century Community Learning Center (21ST CCLC) AWARD to Chaparral, Mesquite, Riverside Elem and Chaparral Middle School. 21st CCLC goals are: To increase the participating student's knowledge and confidence in the STEM (science, technology, engineering, mathematics) subjects, reading, language arts, communication skills, and other integrated topics; To provide a safe, nurturing, and high quality after school learning environment; To increase the knowledge base and participation of the families of the participating students; To increase the knowledge base of instructors as well as understanding and implementing successful teaching strategies that meets the needs of all students; To form a strong collaborative educational network that will continue in the future each program will offer 38 sessions so that each student can be counted. Monday through Friday, Chaparral Middle School CLC will operate from 3:45 – 6:00 p.m.; Chaparral Elementary 2:30 – 5:00 p.m.; Riverside Elementary 3:00 - 5:00 p.m.; and Mesquite Elementary 2:30 - 5:00 p.m. In addition to the afterschool sessions, there will be field trips to the NMSU Campus, the Aerospace Education Laboratory, Family Festivals, and the Science/Math Brain Battle field trips. Summer camps will also be included to meet the needs of the students who participated in the after school programs throughout the academic year; encompassing the four content areas (math, literacy, science and technology) with physical activities that highlight the need for physical movement.



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Recommendation:

Approval

Assigned to Board Agenda for Meeting of (Date): October 25, 2012