Statewide, there are 177 Advantage After School Programs, 332 21st Century Community Learning Centers Programs, and 188 Extended School Day/School Violence Prevention Programs as of June 2016.

72,200 New York children participate in Advantage and 21st CCLC programs, as of September 1, 2016.

84% of parents support public funding for after-school programs.*

584,000+ New York students go home unsupervised after school.

1.1 million students are still in need of access to high-quality after-school programs in New York State.*

For every 1 student with access to a program, there are still 2 waiting to get in. In rural areas, 3 are waiting.*

“After-school programs help [students] to be successful and also give their parents peace of mind. Drop out rates go down, crime rates go down, students are healthier and happier. When students are successful, our whole community is successful.” - DONNA LUPARDO, NYS ASSEMBLY

* Afterschool Alliance, America After 3pm, 2014 / ** Deborah Lowe Vandell, The Achievement Gap is Real, 2013