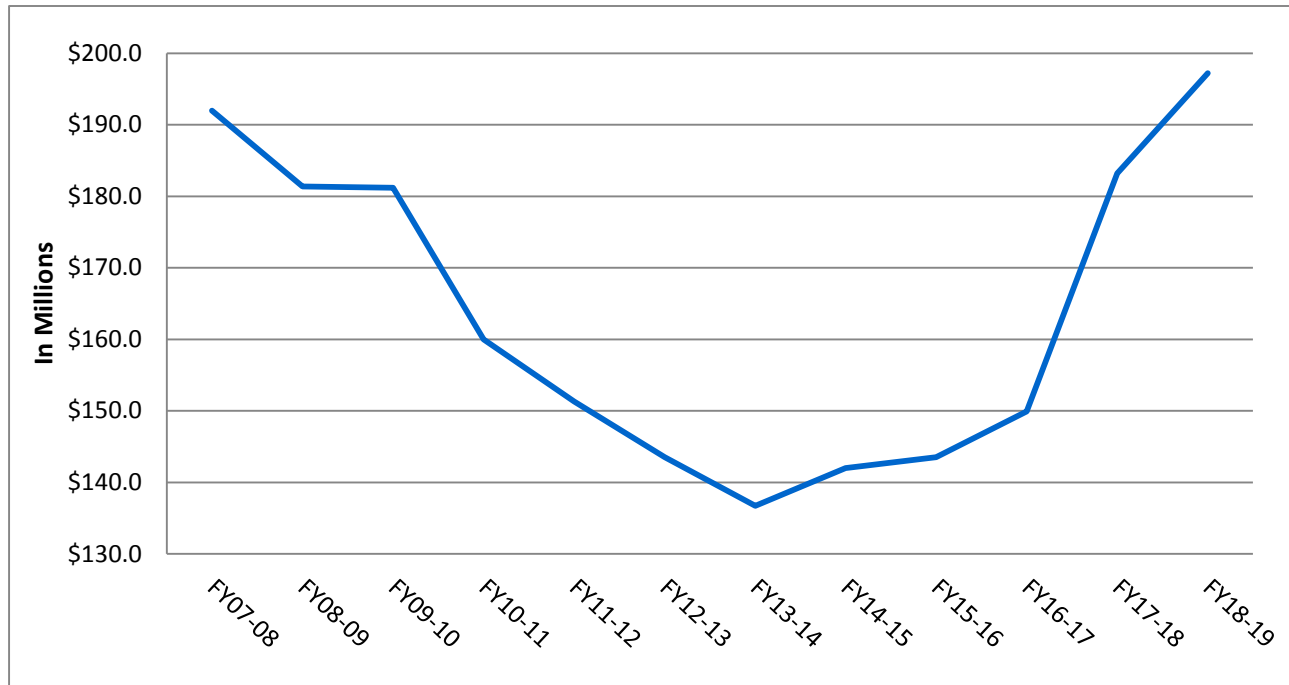


FUNDING FOR EXPANDED LEARNING



State Funding

Empire State After-School:

- \$10 million added in FY18-19 state budget, for a total of \$45 million
- Eligible school districts and community based organizations include Empire State Poverty Reduction Initiative areas, school districts and counties with a child poverty rate over 30% or poverty count between 5,000 and 20,000, and communities experiencing high student homelessness. \$2 million in the FY18-19 budget is reserved for high-need school districts in Nassau and Suffolk counties.
- Administered by the New York State Education Department and the Office of Children and Family Services

Advantage After School:

- Afterschool programs with priority target of “disconnected/high-need” youth
- \$22.3 million in FY18-19; peak funding of \$28.2 million in FY07-08
- Grants are for five years
- Administered by the Office of Children and Family Services

Extended School Day/ School Violence Prevention (ESD/SVP):

- Provide support to students through extended school-day and/or school violence prevention programs
- \$24.3 million in FY18-19; peak funding of \$30.2 million in FY07-08
- Grants are for three years with the possibility of two one-year extensions
- Administered by the New York State Education Department

Youth Development Program (YDP):

- Support for providers offering positive youth development programs
- \$15.6 million in FY18-19; peak funding of \$37.1 million in FY08-09
- Distributed by county-based formula
- Administered by the Office of Children and Family Services
- Funds are distributed through county Youth Bureaus; in New York City they are part of the Department of Youth and Community Development’s COMPASS/SONYC program

Community Schools Aid

- \$200 million in Community Schools Aid provided in FY18-19
- Funding allocated by formula to school districts with schools identified as "struggling" and "persistently struggling", as well as school districts identified as "high-need".
- Administered by the New York State Education Department

Community Schools Operating and Capital Fund

- \$75 million made available in FY16-17 for competitive grants to support operating and capital costs associated with the transformation of "struggling" and "persistently struggling" schools into community schools.
- \$50 million of this funding is for operating aid and \$25 million is for capital investments.
- Administered by the New York State Education Department

Summer Youth Employment Program (SYEP):

- Program employs youth ages 14 to 24 during the summer months, supporting their transition to the workforce
- Many participants serve as aides to summer programs for younger children, allowing programs to serve more children
- \$40 million provided in FY18-19

Local Funding

- Cities and counties often choose to fund expanded learning opportunities through discretionary spending, generally through local Youth Bureaus
- New York City invests approximately \$411 million in the COMPASS, including SONYC, and Beacon initiatives

Federal Funding:

21st Century Community Learning Centers:

- Programs offer academic enrichment and youth development, particularly for youth at low-performing or high poverty schools, through school-community partnerships
- \$90 million in FFY18; peak funding of \$100.5 million in FFY09-10. The New York State Education Department sets aside up to 7% for administration and technical assistance to grantees.
- Grants are for five years
- Administered by the New York State Education Department

Child and Adult Care Food Program (CACFP): The At-Risk Afterschool Snack and Supper Program:

- Nutrition assistance for afterschool programs to provide free snacks and suppers to youth
- As of July 1, 2017 the program reimbursed 88 cents per snack and \$3.23 per supper
- Any program located in a school district where 50% or more of enrolled students qualify for free or reduced-price school meals are eligible to receive funding

Summer Food Services Program (SFSP):

- Provides free, nutritious meals to children eighteen and under in low-income neighborhoods during the months when school is not in session
- Eligible locations must either be in areas where more than 50% of students qualify for free or reduced-price lunch or, if in a different area, the site must only provide free meals to students who qualify for free or reduced-price lunch

Child Care Subsidies:

- Federal, state, and local support for low-income families that may be used to pay for care for children from birth up to age twelve
- Approximately 1/2 of funding goes to school-age child care

School District Grants:

- Certain federal funding for school districts, such as Title I and School Improvement Grants (SIG), can be used for expanded learning opportunities at the discretion of the school district