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Exemplary Program Practices

The Massachusetts Department of Elementary and Secondary Education seeks to identify 21st Century Community Learning Centers Exemplary Program practices that are having a positive impact on students and/or families with the goal of sharing those practices with programs across the state.

Complete the form below to describe one of the most effective aspects of the program. This should be a practice that you have developed and found effective for the program and that others may learn from and/or adapt to meet their needs.

I. Program Information

21CCLC site: _____
Contact Person and Title: _____
Telephone: _____
Email: _____

District/Organization/Partners involved:

Grade Level(s) Served:

Brief description of practice (50 words or less):

II. Learning Outcomes

Review and check off all SAYO outcomes that this practice addresses (if applicable):

A. Homework Assistance

Homework

B. SAYO Outcomes

1. Mathematics

Communication Reasoning Problem Solving

2. English/Language Arts (Each one is considered a separate outcome.)

Reading Verbal Communication Written Communication

3. Science

4. Social Science

5. Engagement in Learning

6. Problem-Solving Skills

7. Communication Skills

8. Relation with Adults

9. Relation with Peers

10. Behavior

11. Other (Please list.) _____

C. If your exemplary practice does not connect directly to supporting SAYO Outcomes, describe the intended outcomes of the practice (e.g., improved attendance, improved reporting procedures, increased family involvement, etc.).

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III. Narrative Questions

- A. Describe the practice you are submitting as an exemplary practice. Include a description of ways in which the practice intentionally addresses the outcome(s) selected above. If templates, lesson plans or other materials were developed, attach samples only. It is not necessary to submit an entire curriculum module.
- B. How do you know this practice is having a positive effect on the program? Provide evidence to support your assertion.
- C. What factors do you think have contributed most to the success of this practice?
- D. What suggestions do you have for others regarding implementing this practice?