



Communities
In Schools

Communities in Schools of Lakewood

2016 Annual Report



At Communities In Schools (CIS) we work hand-in-hand with schools, communities and families to surround our students with a caring network of support. What sets CIS apart is the way we place site coordinators and program assistants inside schools to link community resources with the school. Equal parts compassion and expertise, CIS staff collaborate with schools and community partners to help students develop the confidence and skills they need to achieve their potential.

Complementing this work, we recruit and train mentors who provide positive adult role modeling, help with academic and home issues, and engage students in conversations about their future. As relationships deepen, these men and women become like second family to students.

A major accomplishment was placing a site coordinator at Clover Park High School (CPHS). Last year, 63 students received 1:1 support and hundreds received group support from CIS staff. All CIS services and supports were offered at no cost to parents.

Highlights for 2015-16 Academic Year

211 students received targeted, individual supports such as tutoring, food/basic resources, dental care, family support, goal setting assistance & post-school preparation. CIS staff met one-one with each student to monitor their progress. 87% made progress toward their academic goal.

Over 1,000 students received school-wide resources such as extended learning opportunities, free books, school supplies, clothing, and support.

CIS staff at Lochburn, Tillicum, Tyee Park, and Four Heroes coordinated after school programs, field trips, and family events for 260 students.

CIS staff at Clover Park High School assisted with 180 hours of extended learning support for 876 students.

CIS staff at Clover Park and Lochburn assisted with 200 hours of AVID classroom support. (Advancement Via Individual Determination)

15 CIS staff worked at 5 summer sites to provide 400 hours of reading and math support, field trips, family nights and enrichment for 200 students.

The following story illustrates the extent to which CIS staff goes to help students overcome barriers and break cycles of poverty in our community.

Auston was referred to CIS by his teacher. He needed assistance in getting bus tickets to help him find a job. Understanding his need, Site Coordinator at Clover Park High School, Leah Livingston, secured a monthly bus pass and used her connections with a local business owner to get him a job. Just after winter break, Leah learned that Auston was homeless. She and her staff spent much time helping Auston to cope and securing housing. Once he had stable living conditions, the school counselor and CIS staff focused on helping Auston attain the credits he needed to graduate.

Auston consistently stopped by the CIS office during lunch and after school to work with our site team. When it was official that he was going to graduate, CIS helped Auston get appropriate attire to wear to the big event.

Auston's family proudly waved the sign from the stands. He is now the first member of his family to graduate from high school.



Melvin, Auston, & Leah at CPHS Graduation

Financial Report

INCOME

Federal 21st Century Grant.....	\$150,181
Corporations & Local Businesses.....	\$50,519
Foundations	\$149,029
State and City of Lakewood.....	\$67,586
Individuals, Events & Service Clubs.....	\$41,842
United Way.....	\$25,000
AmeriCorps.....	\$32,976
Lollipop Stands.....	\$532
TOTAL INCOME	\$535,908

EXPENSES

Extended Learning Staff & Programs.....	\$241,772
Site Coordinators.....	\$124,938
Champions Mentor Program	\$39,516
Readiness to Learn.....	\$36,774
Fundraising.....	\$8,697
Management and General.....	\$84,054
TOTAL EXPENSES	\$535,751

Total In-Kind Contributions from Clover Park School District and Community Partners = \$194,868

In addition: 125 volunteers devoted 2,000 hours of service valued at \$46,000

CIS MISSION

To surround students with a community of support, empowering them to stay in school and achieve in life.

If you want to make a real and lasting impact on young people in Lakewood, consider volunteering as a mentor or tutor or making a financial contribution. To make a donation or sign-up to volunteer go to www.lakewood.ciswa.org

Thanks to supporters of Communities In Schools of Lakewood

Communities In Schools of Lakewood gratefully acknowledges the individuals, businesses, organizations and foundations whose support is invaluable to our mission. Your generosity helps our students to be prepared for school and focused on learning. Thank you for caring.

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Breakfast sponsors
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or community partner, please accept our
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kidsandfamilies@cislakewood.org
or at 253-589-7489

MAJOR FUNDING PARTNERS

\$30,000+

AmeriCorps
Department of Education
Discuren Foundation
Greater Tacoma
Community Foundation

\$20,000+

City of Lakewood
Costco Wholesale
Milgard Family
Foundation
Northwest Children's
Fund
United Way of Pierce
County

\$15,000+

Clover Park School
District, Washington State
Achievement Council
SafeCo Insurance
Education Initiative

\$5,000+

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National
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Other Community Partners and In-Kind

- Big Brothers, Big Sisters
- Bikes for Kids
- Boy Scouts of America
- Boys and Girls Club/Hope Center
- Caring for Kids
- City of Lakewood
- Clover Park School District
- Community Health Care
 - Discovered Care
 - Faith Communities
- Food Connection
- Lakewood First Lions Club
- Lakewood Library
- Lakewood Police and Fire
- Lindquist Dental
- Little Church on the Prairie
- Molina Health Care
- Pierce County Library
- Pierce County Public Works and Utilities
- Tillicum Library
- University of Puget Sound volunteers and Slater Museum
- WATCHDOGS
- West Pierce Fire and Rescue
- YMCA of Lakewood
- Youth for Christ

\$4,000 +

Franciscan Foundation

\$2,000 +

Dimmer Family Foundation
Florence B. Kilworth Foundation
Norcliffe Foundation
Rotary Club of Clover Park
Rotary Club of Lakewood
Silver Family Foundation
Umpqua Bank
Wells Fargo
William Kilworth Foundation

\$1,000 +

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Fred Meyer
Harborstone Credit Union
Lakewood Community Foundation
LeMay Enterprises
Puget Sound Energy Foundation
St. Clare's Hospital/CHI Franciscan
US Bank Corp

\$500+

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