



SUN Community School Profile 2015

Centennial Middle School

Lead Agency: Portland Parks and Recreation

Service Area & Target Groups/Focus

Children, adults and families who are homeless, living in poverty and/or at risk of academic failure – primarily from school neighborhood, but services are open to anyone.

School Population: 962 students; Grades 6-8; 68% Free and Reduced Lunch;
53% Students of Color (African American 9%, American Indian/AK Native 2%, Asian 14%,
Hispanic 26%, Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander 2%, White 47%)

Core Services 2014-15

Extended-Day Activities (children and adults)

Academic Support

Math and Homework Club
Latino Club
Multicultural Club

Recreation

Basketball
Baseball/Softball
Wrestling
Fishing
Soccer
Track & Field
Volleyball

Enrichment

Chess for Success Club
Computer Club
Career Exploration Club
Gardening & Cooking

Empowerment/Skill-Building

Girl's Group
Computer Club

Youth

Leadership/Involvement
Yearbook

Mentoring

Girl's Group

Summer Programs

8 weeks Themed Day Camps for
ages 6-12
Free Breakfast Program
Free Lunch Program

Adult Education

AARP Driver Safety
Women's Strength

Community/Cultural Events

Family Nights (Fall/Winter/Spring)

Family Education & Engagement

Daily communication with parents
Family Nights (Fall, Winter, Spring)
Parenting Classes (English & Spanish)

Case Management & Skill Building

Student Services Team

System Coordination, Service Integration & Site Management

Recruitment & connection of students & families with services; development of referral system
SUN CS Advisory Body (school staff, parents, students, and partner agencies)
Partner Meetings

Student Staffing Meetings
Site Management in Out-of-School Time
Partner and Resource Development
3 Community Agency Partners

1271 volunteer hours contributed
\$30,876 leveraged in cash & in-kind donations

Additional Services

After School Snacks
Summer Food Program
Community Engagement

Evaluation 2013-14

Outputs

277 youth served

57% students of color
77% identified as being “at risk of academic failure”
67% qualified for free and reduced lunch

21 adults served

96 people served in non-enrollment events
(family educational nights, cultural fairs, etc.)

Outcomes

80% of students increased benchmark scores in Reading
75% of students increased benchmark scores in Math
Average daily attendance of SUN CS students was **95%**

SUN Spot: SUN in Action

Centennial SUN Community School strives to provide activities, opportunities, motivation, advocacy and social services that encourage and support local youth in becoming successful academically, physically, mentally and socially. The primary method of achieving this goal is through involvement and cooperation with school administration, school staff, local social service agencies, area businesses and regional community groups.