

## Youth Policy Recap – 2017 Legislative Session

Bill/Policy Title	Policy Summary	Lead Organization	Committee/ Policy Area	FY 2016-17 Base Funding	Funding: FY 2016-17 vs 2018-19
<b>Afterschool Community Learning Grants Bill (HF 1060, SF 1091)</b>	Establishes competitive grant program for afterschool and summer programs offering K-12 youth enrichment activities; prioritizes low-income youth.	Ignite Afterschool	E-12/ Afterschool & Summer Programs	None	<b>No Change</b>
<b>Community Education Levy Increase (HF 625, SF 204)</b>	Increases Community Education local levy funding	MN Community Education Association	E-12/ Afterschool & Summer Programs	\$79.172 million /biennium	<b>No Change</b>
<b>Childcare Assistance (CCAP) Policy Reforms (HF 1458, SF 1278)</b>	Various changes/ improvements to childcare law provisions	MnAEYC-MnSACA	Health & Human Services/ Childcare	N/A	<b>+ \$9.3 million/ biennium*</b>
<b>Childcare Assistance (CCAP) Reimbursement Rate Increase (HF 723, SF 823)</b>	Increases the childcare reimbursement rate and an open appropriation to reduce the waiting list.	MnAEYC-MnSACA	Health & Human Services/ Childcare	N/A	<b>No Change*</b>
<b>Education Partnerships Grant (HF 734, SF 711)</b>	Grants to increase the capacity of organizations that are focused on achieving data-driven, locally controlled positive outcomes for youth throughout a community or area.	Education Partnerships Coalition	Community Coordination/ Cradle to Career	\$4.8 million/ biennium	<b>+ 1.36 million/ biennium</b>
<b>Youth at Work Program (HF 2408, SF 1547)</b>	Increases grant awards to existing grantees and provides funding for new grant applications for Youth employment and training services for at-risk youth age 14-24.	MN Department of Employment and Economic Development	Jobs & Economic Growth / Youth Employment	\$2 million/ biennium	<b>- \$1 million/ biennium for 2018-19</b> <b>- \$500k/ biennium for 2020-21</b>
<b>Youth Intervention Programs Funding Increase (HF 625, SF 459)</b>	Increases YIPA appropriation to \$7 million/ year	Youth Intervention Programs Association (YIPA)	Public Safety / Youth Intervention Programs	\$6.578 million/ biennium	<b>No Change</b>

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<b>Sanneh Foundation Program Funding (HF 268, SF 1189)</b>	Sanneh Foundation low-performing and chronically absent students academic and behavioral interventions grant appropriation	Sanneh Foundation	E-12/ Afterschool & Summer Programs	None	<b>+ \$1 million (one-time)</b>
<b>Full Service Community Schools Grants (HF 146, SF 7)</b>	Aims to provide additional funding for community schools. Minnesota Governor Mark Dayton has proposed \$2M in new funding; advocates have proposed \$10M	Education Minnesota and Community Schools	E-12/ Education	None	<b>No Change</b>
<b>National Service and AmeriCorps Promise Fellow Funding (HF 1027, SF 1606)</b>	Increase funding for AmeriCorps Promise Fellow program	Minnesota Alliance with Youth	E-12/ Education	None	<b>No Change</b>
<b>Boys and Girls Club Workforce Development Bill (HF 1284, SF 907)</b>	Grant to MN BGC to administer youth job skills and career development programs statewide.	Boys & Girls Club of Greater Twin Cities	Jobs & Economic Growth / Youth Employment	\$1.5 million/ biennium	<b>+ \$1.5 million/ biennium</b>
<b>Youth Job Skills Training Program (HF 631, SF 474)</b>	Grants to schools or CBOs to implement youth skills training program in partnership with employers.	Minnesota Precision Manufacturing Association	Jobs & Economic Growth / Youth Employment	None	<b>+ \$1 million /biennium</b>
<b>Big Brothers Big Sisters (BGBS) Greater Twin Cities Program Funding (HF 1588, SF 978)</b>	Grant to Greater Twin Cities BGBS for workforce readiness programs for youth age 12-21	Big Brothers Big Sisters of the Greater Twin Cities	Jobs & Economic Growth / Youth Employment	None	<b>+ \$500k/ biennium</b>
<b>Somali Community Development Grant Program (HF 1946, SF 1722)</b>	Somali Community Development Pilot Grant Program administered through MN DEED grants to intermediary organizations, to grant funds to organizations serving Somali communities	Coalition of Somali American Leaders	Jobs & Economic Growth/ Community-School Coordination	None	<b>No Change</b>

\*The Child Care Assistance Program is funded at approximately \$250 million a biennium. This legislative session an additional \$18 million was allocated to make family friendly policy changes to the program. No additional funding was allocated for reimbursement rates.

*Policy summary prepared by Ignite Afterschool.*

