

## FRYSC Impact Report Spotlight

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The following is a selection of reports written by center coordinators highlighting the impact of their efforts to remove barriers to learning. FRYSCs are making strides at the local level in many areas including

- Kindergarten readiness
- Behavior
- Reading
- Math
- Attendance
- Parent involvement
- And more

FRYSC does not claim full credit for the gains reported in this document. As with any effective, forwardthinking, and resourceful program, we believe that success comes when we work together for a common goal. Collaboration is the key, and FRYSC is thankful to play a valuable part in the success of Kentucky's students.

## PURPOSE OF THIS DOCUMENT

This impact report spotlight has a two-fold purpose:

1.) A resource for FRYSC coordinators

This is the first year that the Division of FRYSC requested data in this format. It is our hope that the reports shared in this spotlight will serve as good examples to improve data-gathering throughout the state.

2.) Documentation of FRYSC outcomes at the local level, which may be shared with stakeholders and other interested parties.



	Student Assistance Team (SAT) – consisting of school and district			
	personnel who meet every 6 weeks regarding student attendance			
	and related academic achievement			
How was the impact/outcome	Academic comparison			
measured?	Non-academic comparison			
FRYSC Component or category	Families in Training			
including data	There were a number of students whose chronic absenteeism was negatively affecting academic performance. The FRC director compiled data on 50 students who missed the most school in the previous school year. Grades in core content areas were averaged and compared. The data showed that 43 of the 50 students had a lower average grade in the quarters during which they missed the most school. The Student Assistance Team met to decide how best to assist these children and their parents. There were 35 students selected to receive targeted intervention.			
outcome of the intervention, service, or activity, including data.	Interventions included phone calls, letters, home visits and face-to- face meetings to share the data and discuss the importance of regular attendance. At the end of the first semester, 22 of the 35 missed less school and increased their grades in core content areas by 7%. Improvement was seen in the 3 <sup>rd</sup> and 4 <sup>th</sup> quarters as well. The final data shows that over 70% of the target group had improved attendance. The grade average increased from 77% to 86% for the group.			
Submitted by:	Dayton FRC			

Attendance Grades





Intervention/Service/Activity	NBA Math Hoops After School Club			
How was the impact/outcome measured?	Academic Comparison			
FRYSC Component or category	Family Literacy			
BEFORE/Demonstrated need, including data	The FRC coordinator and after school program director implemented NBA Math Hoops in the after school program to enhance educational achievement and allow peer relation support. This curriculum is tied to the Common Core state standards and 21 <sup>st</sup> century learning skills, and it has been shown to improve students' basic math skills and understanding of statistics, in addition to their interpersonal skills, driving them to collaborate more effectively with their peers. For more information, visit <u>http://www.nbamathhoops.org</u> . Fall Math MAP scores were documented as a baseline for the 8 participating students.			
AFTER/Describe the impact or	Spring 2017 Math MAP scores show an increase for all eight			
outcome of the intervention, service, or activity, including	students. Data is as follows:			
data.	Student 1: 228 (14 point increase)			
	Student 2: 222 (9 point increase)			
	Student 3: 231 (18 point increase)			
	Student 4: 227 (18 point increase)			
	Student 5: 236 (24 point increase)			
	Student 6: 229 (14 point increase)			
	Student 7: 230 (14 point increase)			
	Student 8: 214 (15 point increase)			
Submitted by:	Bridge Way FRC – Daviess Co. (West Louisville Elementary School)			

Math



Intervention/Service/Activity	iRAP – Informative Reading through Artistic Performance			
How was the impact/outcome	Academic comparison			
measured?	Non-academic comparison			
FRYSC Component or category	Family Literacy			
BEFORE/Demonstrated need, including data	Approximately 12 students were identified for participation in this program based on lack of student engagement, 2 or more behavioral incidents, excessive absences, and poor grades. The group was diverse with regard to male and female participants, grade and ability levels.			
AFTER/Describe the impact or outcome of the intervention, service, or activity, including data.	The Wheatley FRC recognized the need for class engagement and advocated for the ideas of the Wheatley writing teacher had for creating the iRAP program. After spring success, it was made a summer program, which now has been incorporated into portions of the school's curriculum. The curriculum is based on the 9 elements of Hip-Hop. These elements are infused with the state Standards to ensure rigorous and engaged learning.			
	The program started with 12 participants during spring break, doubled during summer break and currently has increased to over 50 students during school time hours.			
	There has been over a 50% decrease in behavior incidents, absences decreased by 40% from the previous school year and currently the iRAP program increased writing engagement evident through the KPREP scores. In addition, the 12 beginning participants increased in writing by scoring apprentice or above.			
Submitted by:	Wheatley Elementary FRC – Jefferson Co.			

Behavior, Attendance, Writing





Intervention/Service/Activity	English Language Learners Parent University			
How was the impact/outcome	Survey, pre- and post-			
measured?				
FRYSC Component or category	Families in Training			
BEFORE/Demonstrated need,	Feedback from the 2016-17 needs survey showed that			
including data	EL/international families expressed an interest in workshops for homework help and academic nights, as well as information on health care, adult education, and vision/dental care. Additionally, input from EL teachers showed concern that EL/international parents were not actively involved in their child's/children's learning due to either a lack of knowledge and/or the language barrier. KPREP data showed that EL students were the lowest achieving students amongst the GAP group. The principal expressed concern over this and asked for possible methods of intervention to address the need.			
AFTER/Describe the impact or outcome of the intervention, service, or activity, including data.	The FRC collaborated with Wellington's EL teachers and First Alliance Community Church to create and implement the International Parent University workshop series. A 4-week curriculum was developed that included 4 one-hour after school workshops designed to educate EL/international families on school and community resources, as well as aimed to teach families the English language when feasible/possible with sentence frames. Topics included: making a medical appointment and affordable health services; Wellington's attendance policy, procedures, how to write an excuse note; Parent-Teacher conversations about academic progress; and understanding their child's report card. The workshop series concluded with a trip on week 5 to the local library to learn about tutoring, literacy, and language programs available to them and their children.			
	<ul> <li>After the workshops:</li> <li>86% of parents reported an understanding of how to make a doctor's appointment and where to go for medical care. (baseline - 43%)</li> <li>100% of parents reported an understanding of Wellington's attendance policy, how to write an excuse note, and felt more comfortable talking to their child's teacher regarding academics. (baseline - 57%)</li> <li>86% also reported they learned new words in English that would help them in the school environment.</li> </ul>			
Submitted by:	Wellington FRC – Fayette Co.			

Parent Support



Intervention/Service/Activity	Summer Literacy Camp			
How was the impact/outcome	Academic comparison			
measured?	Non-academic comparison			
FRYSC Component or category	Family Literacy			
BEFORE/Demonstrated need, including data	Three nearby elementary schools pooled resources to offer a two- week summer literacy program. Each school selected 20 students who were considered at-risk and would most likely benefit from a targeted literacy program. All students identified were Tier 2 or 3 and were in the 2 <sup>nd</sup> or 3 <sup>rd</sup> grades. Students were assessed for beginning reading levels on the first day of camp and then again on the last day of camp using the same reading diagnostics.			
AFTER/Describe the impact or outcome of the intervention, service, or activity, including data.	Of the 63 students invited to participate, 52 students attended regularly. Of the 52 participants, 46 students showed gains in their reading abilities, with 19 individuals reaching their appropriate grade level proficiency by the end of camp. The program will continue over the next two summers, assuming the availability of continued funding.			
Submitted by:	Circle FRC – Jefferson Co.			

Reading





Intervention/Service/Activity	ACT Boot Camp			
How was the impact/outcome measured?	Academic comparison			
FRYSC Component or category	Career Exploration and Development			
BEFORE/Demonstrated need, including data	The ACT Boot Camp was created to give students who wanted to improve their ACT scores an opportunity for an intense course on the ACT. In March, every high school student across the state takes the ACT. Their March scores were used as a baseline when comparing the scores in June.			
	March Baseline Data:			
	AVERAGES English: 22.76 Math: 22.65			
	Reading: 23.15			
	Science: 22.82			
	Composite: 23.00			
AFTER/Describe the impact or outcome of the intervention, service, or activity, including data.	The Bearcat YSC, in partnership with ACHS, provided the ACT Boot Camp in June. Over 30 students participated in at least one session o the camp.			
	17 students had taken the ACT three months earlier, in March. Those students are who we used to provide data.			
	June Achievement Data: (17 participants) AVERAGES			
	English: 24.76 (+8.08%)			
	Math: 22.94 (+1.28%)			
	Reading: 25.06 (+7.51%)			
	Science: 24.53 (+6.95%)			
	Composite: 24.47 (+6.01%)			
	Due to the success, ACHS has taken this program and created two more versions of it that is 100% funded by ACHS.			
Submitted by:	Bearcat YSC, Anderson Co.			

## **ACT Scores**



Intervention/Service/Activity	After School Academic Support and Enrichment			
How was the impact/outcome measured?	Academic comparison, non-academic comparison, survey			
FRYSC Component or category	After School Child Care			
BEFORE/Demonstrated need, including data	52% of students were below Proficient in Reading. 74% of students were below Proficient in Math. FRYSC needs surveys indicated a need for after school and/or summer enrichment.			
AFTER/Describe the impact or outcome of the intervention, service, or activity, including data.	After school academic support and enrichment is funded in part through a 21 <sup>st</sup> CCLC grant. The 21 <sup>st</sup> CCLC "CATS" program operates before and after school, as well as during summer break and on weekends. Operation of the program takes place at a minimum three hours per day, four days per week. The CATS program utilizes grant funding, supplemented by funding from the school and through numerous volunteers.			
	<ul> <li>Of the 66 students who attended 30 days or more:</li> <li>67% showed an improvement in reading.</li> <li>81% showed an improvement in math.</li> <li>59% showed an improvement in homework completion rates (based on teacher surveys).</li> <li>38% who showed a need for improved behavior did so (based on teacher surveys and Infinite Campus data).</li> </ul>			
Submitted by:	Sebastian Middle School, Breathitt Co.			

Reading, Math, Behavior





Intervention/Service/Activity	Attendance Intervention Team			
How was the impact/outcome measured?	Non-academic comparison			
FRYSC Component or category	Optional Component			
BEFORE/Demonstrated need, including data	The Family Resource Center noticed a gap in the attendance policy with no one following up with families when students were absent. The FRC specifically focused on truancy in the form of unexcused absences. Before the start of the 16-17 school year, the FRC pulled truancy reports from Infinite Campus that showed that 85 students were truant in the previous year. For the 16-17 school year at Campbell Ridge, the Attendance Intervention Team consisting of the FRC coordinator, attendance clerk, and principal. A detailed plan was developed, based on the number of absences, to better communicate with and provide assistance and interventions for these students and families with a goal of reducing unexcused absences.			
AFTER/Describe the impact or outcome of the intervention, service, or activity, including data.	The number of students with 4 or more unexcused absences was reduced from 85 students in the 15-16 school year to 48 students in the 16-17 school year – a reduction of 43.5%. The Attendance Intervention Team will continue into the 17-18 school year.			
Submitted by:	Campbell Ridge Elementary FRC, Campbell Co.			

Attendance



Intervention/Service/Activity	Georgetown Reading Camp
How was the impact/outcome measured?	Academic Comparison
FRYSC Component or category	Family Literacy
BEFORE/Demonstrated need, including data	Students who tested an average of 13% below grade level for reading and who were not receiving services from the school were referred by teachers to the reading camp. These students did not test low enough to receive interventions during school hours but needed extra help with reading to increase proficiency.
AFTER/Describe the impact or outcome of the intervention, service, or activity, including data.	Twelve students participated 10 weeks after school. Volunteers worked with the students through fun games and activities to increase reading proficiency. Teachers relayed the level of reading for each student so they would have appropriate reading materials on-hand.
	Participating students increased their MAP Reading scores by 16.25% between their winter and spring test scores.
Submitted by:	Elkhorn FRC, Scott Co.

Reading





Intervention/Service/Activity	Nurturing Parenting (for the reduction of child maltreatment and			
	abuse)			
How was the impact/outcome measured?	Pre- and post- survey, Adult/Adolescent Parenting Inventory			
FRYSC Component or category	Families in Training			
BEFORE/Demonstrated need, including data	The Nurturing Parenting program is offered to families to promote family well-being by addressing child and family needs related to the reduction of child maltreatment risks and increasing protective factors. The classes are offered to families who had been identified by child welfare agencies for past child abuse or who were at high risk for child abuse and/or neglect. In the 2016-17 program year, 87% of parents in the program were at risk of child abuse and/or child maltreatment based on attitudes as measured by the Adult Adolescent Parenting Inventory 2.1 (AAPI 2.1).			
	The Nurturing Parenting program focuses on supporting the goals and plans provided by the Department of Community-Based Services for families who are at risk of child abuse.			
	Parents who participate in the program will develop their awareness, knowledge, and skills in five areas: age-appropriate expectations, empathy, bonding and attachment, nonviolent nurturing discipline, self-awareness and self-worth, and empowerment and healthy independence.			
AFTER/Describe the impact or outcome of the intervention, service, or activity, including data.	The Families First FRC provided two 13-week parenting classes using the research-based Nurturing Parenting curriculum by Dr. Stephen Bavolek.			
	In September 2016, 14 families (17 adults) and in Jan., 2017, 20 families (32 adults) were enrolled in the program.			
	Based on results of the post-AAPI 2.1, 91% of the parents who participated in the program were at a lower risk for incidences of child maltreatment and abuse after completing the program.			
Submitted by:	Families First FRC, Danville Ind.			

Child Abuse Prevention





Intervention/Service/Activity	GEMS and GENTS Day – health, hygiene, anti-bullying, transition			
	program for 5 <sup>th</sup> grade girls and boys			
How was the impact/outcome	Non-academic comparison			
measured?				
FRYSC Component or category	Health Services			
BEFORE/Demonstrated need,	Infinite Campus shows that there were 11 office referrals for 5 <sup>th</sup>			
including data	grade students from August through the beginning of March, prior to			
	the GEMS and GENTS Day event for the 2016-17 school year.			
AFTER/Describe the impact or	All 5 <sup>th</sup> grade students participated. The boys and girls were			
outcome of the intervention,	separated as they engaged in activities to promote healthy choices,			
service, or activity, including	good hygiene, anti-bullying messages, positive behavior			
data.	reinforcement and healthy friendships. Members of the community			
	taught small group lessons and whole group activities. Infinite			
	Campus shows that there were 0 office referrals for 5 <sup>th</sup> grade			
	students from March through May following the program.			
Submitted by:	Northern Elementary FRC, Pulaski Co.			

Behavior





Intervention/Service/Activity	<b>Tobacco Education Group</b> – positive alternative to suspension for			
,,	students with tobacco referrals			
How was the impact/outcome measured?	Non-academic comparison			
FRYSC Component or category	Substance abuse education and counseling			
BEFORE/Demonstrated need, including data	Since 2012-13, tobacco violations have been in the top 5 problem behaviors at Pendleton County High School. The Tobacco Education Program is a 4-week, after school program that provides students with information about the dangers of smoking and dipping. The main goals of the program are to provide basic information on the processes and effects of tobacco use and give the participants the opportunity to assess their own patterns of use and consider the eventual effects of such patterns. TEG is a positive alternative to suspension and thus not a mandatory program. FRYSC staff in conjunction with the Cooperative Extension Office are the facilitators of this program.			
AFTER/Describe the impact or outcome of the intervention, service, or activity, including data.	The data shows that students who participate in the program have lower incidences of repeat offenses than those who do not participate in the program.			
	School Year	% of students without	t repeat offenses	
		TEG Participants	Non-participants	
	2012-13         50%           2013-14         57%			
	2014-15	78%	20%	
	2015-16	75%	33%	
	2016-17	63%	0%	
Submitted by:	South FRYSC, Pendletor	n Co.		

Health





Intervention/Service/Activity	Book Buddies
How was the impact/outcome measured?	Survey, Brigance Screener
FRYSC Component or category	Families in Training
BEFORE/Demonstrated need, including data	According to the 15-16 Brigance Kindergarten Readiness Assessment, 47% of incoming Kindergarten students were not ready for Kindergarten. Only 40% were ready and 13% were ready with enrichments.
	Many of our families cannot afford to purchase books for their children to have in the home, and many of them do not have easy access to the public library, which is 20 miles away from Fordsville. Due to the lack of books in the home, parents are missing out on a great opportunity to have this bonding time with their child to enhance their social/emotional growth.
AFTER/Describe the impact or outcome of the intervention, service, or activity, including data.	The FRC provided Book Buddies for each of the 31 preschool students during the 15-16 school year. Book Buddies is a packet of 5 easy reader books. Students received a new set of books each month to take home and read together with their parents and/or siblings. The program ran from Sept. through the end of April, which put 40 different books in each student's home throughout the school year. The FRC received a mini grant from the Ohio County Community Early Childhood Council to purchase additional books to expand the library for the preschool students.
	According to the 16-17 Brigance Kindergarten Readiness Assessment, incoming student scores showed improvement in school readiness. Scores went from 47% not ready to 30% not ready. Student scores also increased the percentage of those ready from 40% to 53.3%, and students ready with enrichments from 13% to 16.7%
Submitted by:	Fordsville Elementary FRC, Ohio Co.

Kindergarten Readiness



Intervention/Service/Activity	Student Check-ins – Individual student impact
How was the impact/outcome measured?	Academic comparison, non-academic comparison, teacher response
FRYSC Component or category	Family Crisis and Mental Health Counseling
BEFORE/Demonstrated need, including data	In this particular student, we experienced angry outbursts, bullying behaviors, non-participation in the classroom, multiple behavioral referrals, non-compliance with homework and poor attendance. There was little to no parental involvement or control. This student was in need of guidance, mentoring, reassurance and role modeling as well as a sounding board for attitude.
AFTER/Describe the impact or outcome of the intervention, service, or activity, including data.	The student was included in a new program designed by the FRYSC and the Guidance Counselor in which students with behavioral or certain academic deficiencies were assigned a "check-in" person in the building. In this particular case, it was the FRYSC Coordinator. The student would check in with the coordinator three to four times each day with his checklist that was filled out by the teacher.
	The resulting changes in this student were profound. Virtually EVERY aspect of his behavior improved in clearly measurable ways. His behavior referrals went from 16 in the first semester to 2 in the months after winter break. His attendance improvement was remarkable. He had 11 absences and 13 tardies the first semester and only 1 absence and 4 tardies in the semester following winter break. While homework was not completed at a 100% rate, the student was reported to only miss 3 assignments in his daily work requirements once involved in the program.
	This program was expanded throughout the second semester to include up to 20 students. We were able to make profound, positive changes in 16 of the 20 students involved.
Submitted by:	Family Connections Resource Center, Bellevue Ind.

Individual Impact



Intervention/Service/Activity	Budgeting Workshop
How was the impact/outcome measured?	Intervention(s) results of improving credit reports
FRYSC Component or category	Families in Training
BEFORE/Demonstrated need, including data	Families did not own their own homes. The population served did not know their credit scores. Parents could be homeowners for the same amount of their monthly rent payment. The FRC partnered with Planter's Bank to offer budgeting classes at night. Our families learn the value of their credit score, negative reporting, and how to do checks and balances.
AFTER/Describe the impact or outcome of the intervention, service, or activity, including data.	Planter's Bank was able to provide one of their mortgage brokers to talk with the 7 attendees. Of those seven, 3 have been able to purchase a home. In addition, two will be able to purchase their new homes by Dec. 2017. The FRC goal is for the other two families to purchase a home by summer of 2018. This workshop is advertised in our monthly newsletter.
Submitted by:	Eagles FRC, Christian Co.

**Financial Literacy** 



Intervention/Service/Activity How was the impact/outcome	Healthy Eating Programs – Chopped the American Melting Pot student cooking class, Healthy Eating Day, and Happy Packs Food Program Survey, Non-academic comparison, Student BMI
measured? FRYSC Component or category BEFORE/Demonstrated need, including data	Health services and referrals 41% of students enrolled in Covington Independent school were not the recommended BMI for their height, age, and weight.
AFTER/Describe the impact or outcome of the intervention, service, or activity, including data.	The Family Resource Center helped to improve high BMI issues with healthy eating programs such as Chopped the American Melting Pot, a cooking class where local chefs came to the school to demonstrate how to make easy and quick after school snacks. Chefs at this event focused on snacks from around the world to create a welcoming environment for our diverse student body. All snacks were heatless and from raw fruits/vegetables and whole grains. Latonia's Healthy Eating Day Program invites parents to their child's classroom to enjoy healthy snacks made by students and to show the correlation between healthy eating and student achievement. Happy Packs Program helps food insecure families with food over the weekend. Community partners volunteer to make healthy snacks for students to take home. There were 259 students served during these interventions. The district BMI results have gone from 41% to 35%.
Submitted by:	Latonia Elementary FRC, Covington Ind.

Health



Intervention/Service/Activity	Me and My School
How was the impact/outcome measured?	Academic comparison
FRYSC Component or category	Families in Training
BEFORE/Demonstrated need, including data	Piner Elementary held "Kindergarten Round Up", an event for the incoming Kindergarteners and their families to participate in Kindergarten readiness activities. Parents were given a Kindergarten readiness package and were trained to engage their children in the activities. During this time, the incoming students met their teacher and were pre-tested in 7 areas. Parents were encouraged to enroll their students into the Me and My School program. Eighteen (18) of the 24 students enrolled and completed the post-test.
AFTER/Describe the impact or outcome of the intervention, service, or activity, including data.	Students enrolled in Me and My School participated in gross motor and fine motor activities as well as math and reading centers for a period of 4 weeks, 9 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Monday through Thursday. Family members are encouraged to attend class with their children on Wednesdays.
	Post-test results are as follows: Color identification – 33% increase Shape identification – 56% increase Uppercase letter identification – 56% increase Lowercase letter identification – 44% increase Letter Sounds – 39% increase Number identification – 11% increase Counting to highest number – 11% increase
Submitted by:	Piner FRC, Kenton Co.

Kindergarten Readiness





Intervention/Service/Activity	Monthly Student Book Exchange
How was the impact/outcome measured?	Academic comparison
FRYSC Component or category	Family Literacy
BEFORE/Demonstrated need, including data	McKinney-Vento (students in "transition") were targeted in 2016-17 to help raise their reading MAP scores. Transition families/students move around often, change schools and many of their possessions are left behind or lost. Books and nightly reading are not a priority for families and students when they are worried about where they will be sleeping or when they will eat their next meal. Monthly student book exchange is offered to all students at lunch time so no one feels singled out and everyone has a chance to
	choose a book they would like to read. 2016 fall MAP reading scores for our targeted group ranged from 137 to 199. It was our goal to raise the scores by 10 points per student. In 2016-17, Reiley Elementary had 32 McKinney-Vento students and Grant's Lick Elementary had 10.
	The academic goal for McKinney-Vento students is to increase the academic achievement/proficiency rates of homeless students in reading and math as well as improve their non-cognitive indicators including attendance, discipline and graduation rates through enhancement of support services such as Monthly Student Book Exchange.
AFTER/Describe the impact or outcome of the intervention, service, or activity, including data.	The program ran from September through April. Of the 12 students tracked, 100% of them raised their reading MAP scores, some as much as 31 points. The Student Book Exchange is one of many such programs offered by the FRC during the school year to help increase students' knowledge and help them raise reading MAP scores.
Submitted by:	Southern Campbell FRC, Campbell Co.

Reading





Intervention/Service/Activity	"Gettin' it Right" – After school behavior intervention
How was the impact/outcome measured?	Non-academic comparison
FRYSC Component or category	After school child day care
BEFORE/Demonstrated need, including data	Focus was placed on students identified with chronic absences and classroom behavioral issues. Students were referred to the program by their classroom teachers. Although not a designated criteria, a large percentage of participants had no male caregiver present in the home.
AFTER/Describe the impact or outcome of the intervention, service, or activity, including data.	Fifteen participants met after school on average three days a week. The program focused more on behavior modifications through character education programs such as Second Steps. Academic improvement was sought with designated time to study and do homework. Absenteeism was improved strictly because the students enjoyed
	coming to "our club" as they called it. Duration of the program was January through April, and a post-survey was given to each referring teacher. Concerning the fifteen participants from the time of referral:
	• There was a 52% improvement in behavioral referrals.
	<ul> <li>There was a 32% improvement in absenteeism.</li> </ul>
	• There was a 4% improvement in academic progress,
	although non-measurable data (teacher comments) did indicate that homework completion improved significantly.
Submitted by:	Western Marion Co. FRYSC

Behavior Attendance



Intervention/Service/Activity	AmeriCorp REACH Program
How was the impact/outcome measured?	Non-academic comparison
FRYSC Component or category	Optional component
BEFORE/Demonstrated need, including data	Students who had missed 7 to 10 unexcused absences were targeted. The goal was to improve overall attendance. In 2015-16, the 13 returning AmeriCorp REACH students missed a total of 156 days. Of those, 94 were unexcused.
AFTER/Describe the impact or outcome of the intervention, service, or activity, including data.	<ul> <li>The AmeriCorp REACH Member provides mentorship to the targeted population. The program aims to improve the students' school experience by supporting academic growth and minimizing absences, REACHCorps mentoring students meet weekly during the school day to work on goal-setting, social and study skills. The AmeriCorp REACH Member is financed through the FRYSC Grant.</li> <li>8 of 13 (61%) of returning AmeriCorp REACH participants had improved attendance from 2015-16 to 2016-17</li> <li>Participants attended school from 1.5 to 10 more days than the previous year.</li> </ul>
Submitted by:	Gutermuth FRC, Jefferson Co.

Attendance





Intervention/Service/Activity	Dad's Night Out
How was the impact/outcome measured?	Number of male volunteers
FRYSC Component or category	Families in Training
BEFORE/Demonstrated need, including data	The two elementary schools had a total of 5 male volunteers. A survey of teachers and staff indicated that 73% of those surveyed saw a need for more male parent involvement and positive male role models.
AFTER/Describe the impact or outcome of the intervention, service, or activity, including data.	The Trimble County Family Resource Center planned and implemented 2 Dad's Night Out events at each school. We discussed the importance of the father figure in educational support and as role models. The dads were asked to volunteer at their schools. Volunteer applications and background check forms were available at each meeting. The FRC provided meals and speakers for each event. Our Community Ed. Director planned other activities and work stations. Watch Dog Dad groups were started at each school. Attendance at these 4 events averaged 107. <b>Male volunteers</b> <b>increased from 5 to 23 total.</b> Watch Dog Dads attend the majority of the school events and are very visible with their Dog shirts.
Submitted by:	Trimble Co. FRC

Male Involvement



Intervention/Service/Activity	Kindergarten Jump Start
How was the impact/outcome measured?	Survey, Academic Comparison
FRYSC Component or category	Families in Training
BEFORE/Demonstrated need, including data	In 2015, only 25% of incoming Kindergarten students in Augusta Independent Schools were ready for Kindergarten. The Comprehensive School Improvement Plan 2016-17 Kindergarten Readiness goal was to maintain 75% or better on all future Kindergarten Readiness scores and increase Academic/Cognitive, Physical Development, and Self-help Readiness by 10% by 2017-18 as measured by the Brigance Kindergarten Screener.
	The administration team and the FRYSC coordinator attended training and collaborated with the pre-school teacher, Kindergarten teacher and special education department speech pathologist to analyze data from the Early Childhood Profile and Brigance Screener and develop goals.
	Various interventions were implemented to impact Kindergarten Readiness including Kindergarten Jump Start Night. Twelve of 15 families participated, were introduced to the Brigance Screen, and learned activities to do at home to improve skills. Other interventions with the same goals were implemented by Preschool, Special Ed., and the Kindergarten teacher.
AFTER/Describe the impact or outcome of the intervention, service, or activity, including data.	Examination of the Brigance Screen Results from the 2016-17 school year indicated that 91.7% of participating students were Kindergarten ready. The Academic/Cognitive indicator increased 64%, Physical Development increased 55.5%, and Self-Help increased 64.1% compared to the previous year of assessment.
Submitted by:	Augusta Ind. FRYSC

Kindergarten Readiness



Intervention/Service/Activity	Ready for Kindergarten!
How was the impact/outcome	Academic comparison
measured?	
FRYSC Component or category	Families in Training
BEFORE/Demonstrated need,	Nearly 80% of students entering Kindergarten tested Not Ready on
including data	the Kindergarten Brigance screener. The Felix E. Martin, Jr.
	Foundation provides a program called "Ready for Kindergarten",
	which consists of 3 sessions each school year and provides learning
	toys and manipulatives and teaches parents how to use those to help
	their children to be ready for Kindergarten.
AFTER/Describe the impact or	MSES had 34 of 63 families to attend "Ready for Kindergarten". The
outcome of the intervention,	Brigance Screening tool showed an improvement of 28% for those
service, or activity, including	attending the program.
data.	
Submitted by:	U.N.I.T.Y. Family Resource Center, Muhlenberg Co.

Kindergarten Readiness



Intervention/Service/Activity	Daycare Visits to Enhance On-time Kindergarten Registration
How was the impact/outcome measured?	District data
FRYSC Component or category	Preschool child care
BEFORE/Demonstrated need, including data	In the priority zip codes of 40203, 40208, 40210, 40211, 40212, 40218, and 40219, only 30% of incoming Kindergarten students for the 16-17 school year were registered on time.
AFTER/Describe the impact or outcome of the intervention, service, or activity, including data.	This FRC along with a group of other FRCs made visits to all the childcare sites in the zip codes and gave them information about on time registration as well as Kindergarten readiness. They were also invited to contact the FRC with additional needs.
	This, along with other community efforts led to a rise from 30% to 59% of incoming Kindergarten students from these zip codes registering on time. This timeliness allowed schools to have the opportunity to do early outreach with families.
Submitted by:	Lincoln/Dawson Orman FRC, Jefferson Co.

Kindergarten Registration, Outreach





Intervention/Service/Activity	Kindergarten Readiness On the Go – mobile family workshop
How was the impact/outcome measured?	Survey
FRYSC Component or category	Preschool child care
BEFORE/Demonstrated need, including data	The composite Kindergarten readiness score for Jessamine Co. reflected that only 46.5% of students arrived at school Kindergarten ready in 2016.
AFTER/Describe the impact or outcome of the intervention, service, or activity, including data.	In partnership with the Jessamine Co. Community Early Childhood Council, a Kindergarten readiness mobile lab was developed. The mobile lab provides family workshops in high need, under-served areas. WESCARE FRC held "Kindergarten Readiness On the Go" at a location in downtown Wilmore, and targeted families with preschool children who are not enrolled in day care or preschool. A total of 13 families attended.
	At the family workshop, parents and children traveled together through 5 learning stations (one for each of the 5 domains of Kindergarten readiness) and participated in educational activities. Parents were able to keep the tools/learning resources from each center to encourage continued learning at home. A local preschool playgroup leader was present for the event. She spent the next 5 weeks of preschool playgroup reviewing the 5 activities and added a Kindergarten readiness component to her playgroup with FRC support. WESCARE FRC planned the activities, put together the take- home tools/kits, recruited families to participate, and followed up with families and the local preschool playgroup leader.
	According to the 2017 Early Childhood Profile, the Kindergarten screener indicated that 51.2% of students arrived at school Kindergarten ready.
Submitted by:	WESCARE FRC, Jessamine Co.

Kindergarten Readiness





Intervention/Service/Activity	Green Dot – anti-bullying/anti-violence/a	nti-covual a	scault initiativo
How was the impact/outcome	Survey, pre- and post-		
measured?	Survey, pre- and post-		
FRYSC Component or category	Family Crisis and Mental Health Counseling		
BEFORE/Demonstrated need,	Students in the area high schools had increased power-based		er-based
including data	personal violence committed against the	· -	
	behaviors, theft, bullying, and sexual assa		
	given to students in 10h grade in 2014 at	-	-
	Dot Initiative. In 2016, the same surveys	were given t	to the same
	students who are now in 12 <sup>th</sup> grade.		
	The Green Dot Initiative teaches people h	low to be ac	tive bystanders
	and gives tools to students to intervene b		
	style. Students are taught about Power-E	Based Persor	nal Violence and
	statistics that show it is a problem. Proac	tive and rea	ctive
	interventions are discussed and taught du	uring the ful	day training.
	Leaders are chosen based on student refe	•	•
	for guidance. This ensures the true leade		
	training. Every student receives an overv	iew of the p	rogram.
AFTER/Describe the impact or	The following shows a decrease in power	-hased nerse	onal violence
outcome of the intervention,	behaviors in the past 12 months from the	•	
service, or activity, including	benaviors in the past 12 months from the same conort.		
data.	PERSONAL VIOLENCE BEHAVIOR	2014	2016
	Aggression	12.3%	9.6%
	Arrest	6%	4.7%
	Stolen or attempted to steal a car	4.8%	1.7%
	Were verbally threatened by someone	20.7%	14.9%
	Bullied on school property	17.2%	13%
	Bullied through electronic means	17%	12.7%
	Physically threatened by someone	8.4%	5.5%
	Had unwanted sexual advances toward	10.8%	6.1%
	them		
Submitted by:	Fusion YSC, Nelson Co.		
Submitted by.			

Violence Prevention



Intervention/Service/Activity	Reading Club
How was the impact/outcome measured?	Academic comparison
FRYSC Component or category	After School Child Care
BEFORE/Demonstrated need, including data	Students were below the grade level expectations in reading and needed additional reading time to help move them closer to the grade level goal.
AFTER/Describe the impact or outcome of the intervention, service, or activity, including data.	The FRC worked with the RTI Coordinator and Reading Interventionist to identify children who were below the desired reading level. The FRC then developed a reading program to provide those children with leveled books to read at home to increase their reading time with instructional text. The students returned the books at the end of each week with a book log completed by the parent. The FRC checked the book bag each week and provided rewards to those students who were completing the at home reading. Twenty-one (21) students participated on a regular basis. All 21 students moved forward in their reading levels. +9 levels (1 student) +8 levels (1 student) +7 levels (2 students) +6 levels (8 students) +5 levels (3 students) +4 levels (3 students) +3 levels (2 students) +1 level (1 student)
Submitted by:	Estill Springs/South Irvine FRC, Estill Co.

Reading



Intervention/Service/Activity	Georgetown Reading Camp
How was the impact/outcome measured?	Academic Comparison
FRYSC Component or category	Family literacy services
BEFORE/Demonstrated need, including data	12 students were identified based on low reading levels. Students one or more grade levels behind were selected to participate in Georgetown Reading Camp. These students attend Southern Elementary, a Community Eligibility Provision <b>(CEP</b> ) school.
AFTER/Describe the impact or outcome of the intervention, service, or activity, including data.	Students met 10 weeks in the fall and 10 weeks in the spring, twice weekly, and one week in the summer. Students worked with mentors for 1.5 hours at each session. Mentors consisted of local retired teachers, community partners and church volunteers with a focus on phonics, reading comprehension, writing, pleasure reading and drama. The average reading MAP score at the beginning of the program was 157. Following the completion of camp in Spring 2017, the average reading MAP score was 169.
Submitted by:	Scott Co, Scott County FRC

Reading



Intervention/Service/Activity	Ready Set Grow
How was the impact/outcome measured?	Survey
FRYSC Component or category	Families in Training
BEFORE/Demonstrated need, including data	In Barren County, 58.6% of incoming Kindergarten students tested not ready by the statewide school readiness test, the Brigance. The Barren County FRCs collaborated to provide 5 sessions with Kindergarten readiness content to students not enrolled in preschool.
AFTER/Describe the impact or outcome of the intervention, service, or activity, including data.	11 students attended the 5 sessions. The students showed a 36% increase in knowing the seasons, a 17% increase in knowing the days of the week, a 67% increase in knowing how to count to 10 and a 50% increase in knowing all or part of the pledge of allegiance. 100% of parents reported that they felt their children are ready to start school after the program.
Submitted by:	Barren Co, Hiseville FRC, North Eastern FRC and Western Barren Co FRC

Kindergarten Readiness





Intervention/Service/Activity	Summer Math Camps
How was the impact/outcome measured?	Academic Comparison
FRYSC Component or category	Optional
BEFORE/Demonstrated need, including data	According to State KPREP data, Wellington students are below district and state averages on factors such as attendance rate and percentage of students performing at the proficient or above levels in core academics. Only 30% of Wellington students score Proficient or Distinguished in Math compared to 48% in Jefferson County and 51% statewide.
	According to the Healthy Kids survey, 17% of students said they do not feel safe outside of school. 71% of respondents to the Parent Survey indicated a need for more after school and summer programs.
AFTER/Describe the impact or outcome of the intervention, service, or activity, including data.	The Wellington Summer Math Camp engaged 30 students in academic instruction, physical fitness and recreation for 4 weeks in July and August of 2017. Students completed a pre and post Math competency test based on grade level expectations. Each grade level showed significant improvement.
	<ul> <li>Incoming 1<sup>st</sup> grade students increased from 58% skill proficiency to 76%</li> <li>Incoming 2<sup>nd</sup> grade students increased from 71% skill proficiency to 76 %</li> <li>Incoming 3<sup>rd</sup> grade students increased from 44% skill proficiency to 72%</li> <li>Incoming 4<sup>th</sup> grade students increased from 60% skill proficiency to 74%</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Incoming 5th grade students increased from 75% skill proficiency to 90%</li> </ul>
Submitted by:	Jefferson Co, Wellington FRC

Math





Intervention/Service/Activity	STEAM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts, and Mathematics)
	Summer Camp
How was the impact/outcome	Survey; academic comparison
measured?	
FRYSC Component or category	After-school child day care
BEFORE/Demonstrated need,	According to the 2015-16 FRC Needs Assessment, 23% of
including data	parents/guardians reported a need for more after school and/or
	summer enrichment and 46% indicated that is important for K-4
	students to begin focusing on college and career readiness. As a
	result, the FRC collaborated with partners to provide a Science,
	Technology, Engineering, Arts and Mathematics (STEAM) summer
	camp for K-4 grades. All students were given a STEAM pre-test on
	the first day of programming with an average score of 30.5%
AFTER/Describe the impact or	Over 100 K-4 students attended the STEAM Summer Camp. The
outcome of the intervention,	average post-test score was 80.2%, which was an average increase of
service, or activity, including	50 points. 82% of students increased their knowledge of STEAM
data.	components and careers.
Submitted by:	Owen County FRC

College/Career Readiness



Intervention/Service/Activity	College and Career Readiness
How was the impact/outcome measured?	Non-academic comparison
FRYSC Component or category	Career exploration and development
BEFORE/Demonstrated need, including data	The YSC and in-school collaborative partners targeted the free/reduced lunch population to increase the graduation rate, increase college/career training applications, and FAFSA completion rates. Multiple interventions/programs were provided including, but not limited to: college visits, FAFSA workshops, Career Cruising/ILP, college essay writing, individual counseling, college/career appointments, ACT fee waivers, etc.
AFTER/Describe the impact or outcome of the intervention, service, or activity, including data.	<ul> <li>There was an 8.1% increase in graduation for the targeted population</li> <li>There was a 10.1% increase in target population's applying to a college or career training program</li> <li>12.2% increase in targeted senior graduations completing the FAFSA</li> </ul>
Submitted by:	Kenton County, Scott High School YSC

College/Career Readiness





Intervention/Service/Activity	Accelerated Reader Incentive Program
How was the impact/outcome	Survey; Academic comparison
measured?	
FRYSC Component or category	Family Literacy Services
BEFORE/Demonstrated need,	The schools 2 <sup>nd</sup> grade MAP scores from 2016 showed that 21 of 45
including data	students received a score of 170 or higher and only 3 students had
	over 200 Accelerated Reader (AR) points. Additionally, over 50% of
	students reported that they do not enjoy reading.
AFTER/Describe the impact or	The FRC provided monthly individual reward and an AR point
outcome of the intervention,	competition between classrooms.
service, or activity, including	
data.	From the fall of 2016 to the spring of 2017, 44 of 45 students
	increased their MAP scores, with 33 students increased more than
	10 points. Thirty-four (34) of the 45 students had 170 or higher AR
	points, with 8 students having over 200 AR points. When surveyed,
	41 of the 45 students reported that they enjoy reading.
Submitted by:	Grant Co, Mason-Corinth Elementary

Reading



Intervention/Service/Activity	Brookside Buddies Mentoring Program
How was the impact/outcome measured?	Academic Comparison; non-academic comparison
FRYSC Component or category	Optional
BEFORE/Demonstrated need, including data	<ul> <li>6 students were identified as needing social, emotional and academic support based on the following data from the first half of the school year: <ul> <li>5 of 6 had received 3 or more bus infractions 0 of the 6 students had met the standards of academic performance</li> <li>5 of the 6 students needed improvement as reflected on report cards in the areas that categorize students as a successful learner (work habits, attentiveness, homework, responsibility, resourcefulness and reflection)</li> </ul> </li> <li>The FRC provided positive adult role models to mentor the 6</li> </ul>
	students. Mentors visited weekly to share lunch, talk, play games, help with homework needed and offer support to the students.
AFTER/Describe the impact or	After participating in the program:
outcome of the intervention,	<ul> <li>5 of 6 students did not receive any bus infractions</li> </ul>
service, or activity, including data.	<ul> <li>20% of students increased their attendance</li> <li>20% of students increased their math, social students and special area scores</li> <li>50% of students increased their reading scores</li> <li>MAP math scores increased by an average of 5.5% from winter to spring</li> <li>MAP reading scores increased by an average of 10.2% from winter to spring</li> <li>100% of students improved in the areas of work habits, attentiveness, homework, responsibility, resourcefulness and relfection</li> </ul>
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Submitted by:	Jessamine Co, Brookside Family Circle FRC

Behavior, Attendance, Math, Reading




Intervention/Service/Activity	Parent Academy
How was the impact/outcome measured?	Academic comparison
FRYSC Component or category	Family Literacy Services
BEFORE/Demonstrated need, including data	Twenty-seven (27) students who needed literacy services/intervention were identified via test scores in Guided Reading levels.
AFTER/Describe the impact or outcome of the intervention, service, or activity, including data.	Parents of identified students were invited to an Ice Cream Social, during which staff worked with families to develop strategies to improve students reading skills. Supplies were distributed to assist families with working on reading at home and the school Reading Specialist explained how she will work with students and how parents can reinforce the strategies outside of school. The Fountas and Pinell Guided Reading levels for last year showed
	<ul> <li>100% improvement midyear for the 27 students attending:</li> <li>13 students improved 2 levels</li> <li>9 students improved 3 levels</li> <li>5 students hand an increase of 4 plus levels</li> </ul>
Submitted by:	Anderson Co, Emma B. Ward/Turner FRC



Intervention/Service/Activity	Woodlawn Kids Hope Mentoring
How was the impact/outcome measured?	Academic Comparison, non-academic comparison
FRYSC Component or category	Family Literacy Services
BEFORE/Demonstrated need, including data	<ul> <li>Two groups of students (Gap students and free and reduced lunch students) were identified as needing additional reading support and were paired with a mentor who was a positive, caring adult in their life and supported the children's reading skill development.</li> <li>In 2015, the Gap student group scored as follows in reading: <ul> <li>13% novice, 28.5% proficient, 17.7% distinguished</li> </ul> </li> <li>In 2015, the Free/reduced lunch students scored as follows in reading: <ul> <li>12% novice, 29.6% proficient and 18.5% distinguished</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
AFTER/Describe the impact or outcome of the intervention, service, or activity, including data.	<ul> <li>Mentors met with students on a weekly basis for the majority of the school year.</li> <li>In 2016, the Gap student group scored as follows in reading: <ul> <li>7.6% novice, 24.2% proficient, 26.5% distinguished</li> </ul> </li> <li>In 2016, the Free/reduced lunch students scored as follows in reading: <ul> <li>7.8% novice, 24.5% proficient and 26.5% distinguished</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
Submitted by:	Boyle Co, Woodlawn FRC



Intervention/Service/Activity	Virtual Learning Academy
How was the impact/outcome	Non-academic comparison
measured?	
FRYSC Component or category	Optional
BEFORE/Demonstrated need, including data	During the 2015-16 school year the graduation rate was 82.6%. Nine (9) Senior students either withdrew from school to be home schooled or dropped out.
AFTER/Describe the impact or outcome of the intervention, service, or activity, including data.	The YSC Coordinator made a concentrated effort to form personal relationships with the students who dropped out. She encouraged them via home visits, telephone calls and other personal contacts.
	The graduation rate for 2016-17 increased to 93%. Five (5) seniors who withdrew during the 2015-16 school year re-enrolled and graduated during the 2016-17 school year.
Submitted by:	Morgan Co, Morgan County High School YSC

Graduation



Intervention/Service/Activity	AmeriCorps Tutoring: 3 <sup>rd</sup> Grade
How was the impact/outcome measured?	Academic Comparison
FRYSC Component or category	Family Literacy Services
BEFORE/Demonstrated need, including data	3 <sup>rd</sup> grade students were identified as needing literacy intervention based on their Star and Stanford test scores. 30 students who scored below proficient were tutored for 13 hours each by an AmeriCorps literacy tutor.
AFTER/Describe the impact or outcome of the intervention, service, or activity, including data.	Of the 30 targeted students, 25 (83.33%) showed improvement in their scores. Five (5) advanced from Novice to Apprentice and 25 advanced from Novice/Apprentice to Proficient/Distinguished, 3 of whom advanced all the way from Novice to Distinguished.
Submitted by:	Floyd Co, Betsy Layne Elementary FRYSC



Intervention/Service/Activity	Small Groups: Social Skills and Behavior
How was the impact/outcome measured?	Survey; academic comparison; non-academic comparison
FRYSC Component or category	Family crisis and mental health counseling
BEFORE/Demonstrated need, including data	Students were referred to the small group due to a demonstration of behavior, social skills or motivation deficit. This was demonstrated through referrals to the office, recommendations by parents and teacher and by measuring academic progress. Students referred had at least 2 office referrals for the first midterm and were being considered for tier 2 behavior interventions.
AFTER/Describe the impact or outcome of the intervention, service, or activity, including data.	Students met weekly with the FRYSC Coordinator to participate in the Why Try program, which provides evidence based lessons to increase resiliency. 100% of participants increased their organization skills, 60% decreased their discipline referrals and 40% increased their average GPA. All participants indicated in the post test that they were more motivated to participate in academic activities.
Submitted by:	Fayette Co, Cassidy/Morton FRYSC

Behavior Grades





Intervention/Service/Activity	After School Tutoring
How was the impact/outcome	Academic Comparison
measured?	
FRYSC Component or category	After-school child day care
BEFORE/Demonstrated need, including data	This program targeted 3 <sup>rd</sup> grade students for after school tutoring in reading and math.
	<ul> <li>In 2016, 3<sup>rd</sup> grade KPREP Assessment scores showed:</li> <li>32.4% scored proficient or distinguished in math</li> <li>55.9% scored proficient or distinguished in reading</li> </ul>
AFTER/Describe the impact or outcome of the intervention, service, or activity, including data.	<ul> <li>After the tutoring services, 3<sup>rd</sup> grade students scored as follows:</li> <li>55.1% scored proficient or distinguished in math</li> <li>63.3% scored proficient or distinguished in reading</li> </ul>
Submitted by:	Rockcastle Co, Mt. Vernon Elementary FRC

Math Reading



Intervention/Service/Activity	Royal Springs Middle School- Georgetown College Homework Club
How was the impact/outcome measured?	Academic Comparison; non-academic comparison
FRYSC Component or category	Optional
BEFORE/Demonstrated need, including data	Teachers referred about 50 students that they considered to be either socially or academically at-risk during the first semester of the FY 17 school year. The average GPA of these students was 2.55; the average GPA of the students being referred for the second semester was 1.82.
AFTER/Describe the impact or outcome of the intervention, service, or activity, including data.	<ul> <li>Royal Springs Middle School (RSMS) collaborated with the Georgetown College Sociology Class to provide tutoring sessions that take place 2 times a week for 10 weeks per semester.</li> <li>33 Georgetown College students participated the first 10 week semester; 45 participated the second semester</li> <li>35 RSMS students participated in the 1<sup>st</sup> semester. 51% of the participants increased their GPAs.</li> <li>26 RSMS students participated in the 2<sup>nd</sup> semester. 27% of the participants increased their GPAs.</li> </ul>
Submitted by:	Royal Springs YSC, Scott Co.

Grades



Intervention/Service/Activity	Interventions to students with 3-5 discipline reports
How was the impact/outcome measured?	Non-academic comparison
FRYSC Component or category	Family crisis and mental health counseling
BEFORE/Demonstrated need, including data	Southwestern High implements the Positive Behavior Intervention and Supports (PBIS) as part of the school district's initiative to address behavior issues more effectively. Students are identified for Tier 2 interventions when they have 3-5 discipline referrals. A total of 55 students received the targeted interventions through the YSC.
AFTER/Describe the impact or outcome of the intervention, service, or activity, including data.	Check and Connect services were provided weekly or twice a month for up to 18 weeks. The Ripples program was provided weekly for 7- 8 weeks. During each visit, student grades and attendance were monitored and selected interventions were implemented. Based on discipline reports of all students receiving services, 78% had no additional discipline reports. At the time of initial services, 65% of the students were failing one or more classes; at the conclusion, 95% of the students improved their grades to passing.
Submitted by:	Pulaski Co, Southwestern High School YSC

Behavior Grades



Intervention/Service/Activity	Check In, Check Out (Mentoring program)
How was the impact/outcome measured?	Academic comparison; non-academic comparison
FRYSC Component or category	Family crisis and mental health counseling
BEFORE/Demonstrated need, including data	Teachers and the guidance counselor at Rich Pond Elementary identify students who are in need of behavior interventions based on the Positive Behavior Intervention and Supports (PBIS). The FRC Coordinator then uses a PBIS tool called "Swis Suite" to enter behavior data provided by the teacher daily, giving the students an overall daily score for behavior with the goal being 80%. The Coordinator also checks in each morning with the student to prepare for the day and the student checks out with the Coordinator daily. 14 students fell within this intervention category in the FY17 school year; their reported average daily goal was 73%.
AFTER/Describe the impact or outcome of the intervention, service, or activity, including data.	After participating in the Check in/Check out program, the 14 students were able to raise their daily behavior score from 73% to an average of 97%.
Submitted by:	Warren Co, Rich Pond Elementary FRC

Behavior



Intervention/Service/Activity	STAR Math Interventions
How was the impact/outcome	Academic comparison
measured?	
FRYSC Component or category	Optional
BEFORE/Demonstrated need,	The fall Standardized Testing and Report (STAR) test found that
including data	26.1% of 7 <sup>th</sup> graders scored below the 25%, while only 21.7% of
	students scored in the 75% range or above.
AFTER/Describe the impact or outcome of the intervention, service, or activity, including data.	The YSC Coordinator worked with other school personnel to break down each student's STAR result and then had students practice in needed areas with IXL, a web-based program that targets math for all grades K-12 with problems based on the common core standards. Students practiced throughout the school year.
	<ul> <li>7<sup>th</sup> grade students scoring in the 25% or below decreased to 21.%, a decrease of 4.2%</li> </ul>
	• 25.4% of students scored in the 75 <sup>th</sup> percentile or above.
	• Students scoring in the 75% or above increased by 3.7%
Submitted by:	Ohio Co, Ohio County Middle School YSC

Math



Intervention/Service/Activity	Foster Grandparent Program
How was the impact/outcome measured?	Academic comparison, non-academic comparison; survey
FRYSC Component or category	Family literacy services
BEFORE/Demonstrated need, including data	Twenty children were identified for the Foster Grandparent Program. All students scored below average in literacy levels as measured by the Brigance (5 Kindergarteners) and STAR scores (15 first graders). Most students had social/emotional needs, and others had language barriers, incarcerated parents and/or were abused/neglected.
AFTER/Describe the impact or outcome of the intervention, service, or activity, including data.	The FRC works closely with teachers and foster grandparents, assisting with daily interventions (reading, assisting with assignments, positive reinforcement, in addition to facilitating evaluations of student achievement). The end of year assessment by Audubon Area Community Services revealed program success at Wayland. Four of the twenty students moved from the school. Of the 16 who remained:
	<ul> <li>According to the STAR reading scores, 100% of the students served by foster grandparents improved their reading skills.</li> <li>The Brigance assessment of the social/emotional development of Kindergarten students indicated improvements in all five Kindergarten children.</li> <li>The teacher also reported that all five Kindergarten students had improved behavior.</li> <li>First grade teachers reported that 82% of their students demonstrated improved behavior skills.</li> </ul>
Submitted by:	Ohio Co, Wayland Alexander FRC

Reading School Readiness



Intervention/Service/Activity	The OWL Academy: Preschool for ages 2-5
How was the impact/outcome measured?	Survey; academic comparison; non-academic comparison
FRYSC Component or category	Preschool child care
BEFORE/Demonstrated need, including data	According to data from the Governor's Office of Early Childhood 2017 Early Childhood Profile, Butler County has 100 children enrolled in Preschool and Head Start. There are 152 children enrolled in licensed and certified child care. The preschool and Head Start programs serve children below 160% of the poverty level and also those with disabilities.
	Prior to the OWL Academy, children in Butler County who did not qualify for these services had no existing options to enroll children in preschool classes. The OWL Academy serves children ages 2-4 in a school setting and provides preschool class options for all Butler county children not already served by a preschool or Head Start program.
	The percentage of Butler County children who are deemed "Ready for Kindergarten" according to the Brigance screener is 47.3%.
AFTER/Describe the impact or outcome of the intervention, service, or activity, including data.	The OWL Academy, created by the Family Resource Center, currently serves 48 students, ages 2-4, who do not have other program eligibility.
	Participants were screened with the Brigance tool before entering the program and at the end of the program. At the conclusion of the FY17 school year, 81% of participants tested "Ready for Kindergarten", which is well above the 47.3% average for Butler County and 51% average for Kentucky.
Submitted by:	Butler Co, Butler County FRC



Intervention/Service/Activity	PT Attendance Committee
How was the impact/outcome measured?	Academic comparison; non-academic comparison
FRYSC Component or category	Optional
BEFORE/Demonstrated need, including data	The Tornado Valley YSC collaborated with Court Designated Workers and Director of Pupil Personnel to improve attendance as the school was not meeting their 95% attendance goal. Attendance in FY16 was 93% with the average number of upperclassman considered truant around 80.
AFTER/Describe the impact or outcome of the intervention, service, or activity, including data.	The team conducted home visits, made phone calls and developed relationships with the truant students to encourage their attendance. In FY17, there was a 15% decrease with an average of 68 students considered truant.
Submitted by:	Paducah Independent, Tornado Alley YSC

Attendance



Intervention/Service/Activity	Camp Literacy LIVE!
How was the impact/outcome measured?	Academic Comparison
FRYSC Component or category	Family literacy services
BEFORE/Demonstrated need, including data	This 4 week program targeted incoming 1 <sup>st</sup> grade students in need of strategic literacy development. Thirty-eight (38) students participated, all of whom scored below level in reading based on the Spring 2017 Developmental Reading Assessment (DRA).
AFTER/Describe the impact or outcome of the intervention, service, or activity, including data.	The 16-day camp focused on literacy development and science engagement, with an at-home component that parents were responsible for implementing. The following results were collected at the conclusion of the camp:
	<ul> <li>45% of students increased letter identification</li> <li>42% of students increased the Ohio Word Test</li> <li>40% of students increased Concepts about Print</li> <li>82% of students increased Writing Vocabulary</li> <li>18% of students increased Hearing &amp; Recording Sounds in Words</li> <li>48% of students improved in Text Reading</li> </ul>
Submitted by:	Oldham Co, Family Connection FRC





Intervention/Service/Activity	Teen Mom to Graduate program
How was the impact/outcome measured?	Non-academic comparison
FRYSC Component or category	Health services
BEFORE/Demonstrated need, including data	<ul> <li>Data for the number of Shelby Co High School teen moms</li> <li>2012-13 (14 teen moms); 2 dropped out &amp; avg absences was 37 days/year</li> <li>2013-14 (11 teen moms); 0 dropped out &amp; avg number of absences was 29 days/year</li> <li>2014-15 (9 teen moms); 0 dropped out &amp; avg number of absences was 39 days/year</li> <li>2015-16 (7 teen moms); 0 dropped out &amp; avg number of absences was 27 days/year</li> <li>The CDC reported in 2015 that 50% of teen moms do not obtain a high school diploma before the age of 22.</li> </ul>
AFTER/Describe the impact or outcome of the intervention, service, or activity, including data.	This program involves one on one case management for each student identified, which provides counseling and coordination with local agencies. Additionally, the YSC assists the students in obtaining any needed resources and works directly with the student to overcome any barrier that might interfere with attendance and academic achievement. During the 2016-17 school year, Shelby Co High maintained the 100% graduation rate among teen moms. The average attendance among the group dropped from 27 days per year to 21. Not one pregnant or parenting mom has dropped out in the last four years.
Submitted by:	Shelby Co, Shelby County High School

Graduation



Intervention/Service/Activity	"Grief Relief" grief counseling workshop
How was the impact/outcome measured?	Survey; non-academic comparison
FRYSC Component or category	Health Services/Mental Health
BEFORE/Demonstrated need, including data	Eight elementary students in grades 1-5 had a parent who died in the past 2 years. Several of these students were showing behavior problems or signs of anger/depression/anxiety because of the grief. Only 1 of the 8 students had been in counseling prior to the group sessions. The group met weekly for 8 weeks.
AFTER/Describe the impact or outcome of the intervention, service, or activity, including data.	The post survey showed that 100% of the students were more comfortable talking about their deceased loved one and 100% perceived a benefit of being in the group. One parent reported that his child was finally talking about the deceased person, something that had not happened in the 8 months since the death. Another guardian reported fewer outbursts and angry tantrums at home. One teacher reported that behavior referrals for a student in her room went from 3-4 per week down to 0-1 per week.
Submitted by:	Jefferson Co, Kenwood Kubs FRC

Mental Health



Intervention/Service/Activity	Mentoring, target student's attendance, academic achievement
How was the impact/outcome measured?	Academic comparison; non-academic comparison
FRYSC Component or category	Optional
BEFORE/Demonstrated need, including data	A student was targeted after 33 absences during his freshman year in 2015-16 and having a term GPA of 2.0 with a rolling cumulative GPA of 2.57. The student had a traumatic school year with 3 family deaths within 8 months and had an unstable home life.
AFTER/Describe the impact or outcome of the intervention, service, or activity, including data.	The YSC and other school personnel wrapped services around this student. He was referred for grief counseling and tutoring and became involved in the school's ROTC program. He was mentored by a teacher, guidance counselor and the YSC Coordinator at least 3 times monthly.
	During the 2016-17 school year, his absences decreased by 25.5 days and his term GPA raised to a 3.57 with his cumulative GPA raising to 3.39. He is a leader in ROTC and aspires to join the Air Force after graduation.
Submitted by:	Casey Co, Casey County YSC

Individual Impact



Intervention/Service/Activity	The Village Dad Program
How was the impact/outcome	Survey; logged hours
measured?	
FRYSC Component or category	Optional
BEFORE/Demonstrated need, including data	According to the Kids Count Data Center in 2015, 36% of Kentucky children live in single-parent homes. The National Center for Fathering states that children from fatherless homes are more likely to be poor, become involved in drug and alcohol abuse, drop out of school and suffer from health and emotional problems. The Jessamine Early Learning Village has over 900 students and only 2 male teachers, so the FRC created the Village Dad Program to bring positive male role models into the school.
AFTER/Describe the impact or outcome of the intervention, service, or activity, including data.	The Village Dad program enlisted 26 men to come to the Village during breakfast and lunch. The goal was relational and the Village Dads spent time at various tables engaging students in the conversation.
	The 2016-17 Village Dad participants logged 283 hours, increasing the number of hours of a male presence in the building by 88%.
	82% of teachers stated that the program met the goal of providing students with positive male interactions.
Submitted by:	Jessamine Co, Early Learning Village FRC

## Male Involvement



Intervention/Service/Activity	Literacy Tutoring
How was the impact/outcome	Academic comparison
measured?	
FRYSC Component or category	Optional
BEFORE/Demonstrated need,	Targeted students were those who were below level in Reading and
including data	had low I-ready scores. Scores ranged from 463-596.
AFTER/Describe the impact or	Students were pulled into small groups once a week for reading
outcome of the intervention,	interventions throughout the year. The FRYSC Corps worker
service, or activity, including	facilitated the tutoring with help and resources provided by teachers
data.	and the YSC. Twenty-give (25) students were impacted by this
	intervention. All students increased scores by an average of 42.2
	points.
Submitted by:	Madison Co, Farristown/Foley YSC



Intervention/Service/Activity	Whiz Kids-Tutoring and mentoring program
How was the impact/outcome	Survey; academic comparison
measured?	
FRYSC Component or category	Optional
BEFORE/Demonstrated need,	28 3 <sup>rd</sup> , 4 <sup>th</sup> and 5 <sup>th</sup> grade students who had low STAR Reading and
including data	Math scores were targeted for mentoring. The students were paired
	with a mentor tutor for the school year through the Greater
	Cincinnati tutoring program.
AFTER/Describe the impact or	Of the 28 students who were mentored, 100% improved their math
outcome of the intervention,	and reading scores with an average growth of +101 for reading and
service, or activity, including	an average growth of +113.
data.	
Submitted by:	Boone Co, Collins Elementary FRC

Reading/Math





Intervention/Service/Activity	FAFSA Nights and FSA ID Days
How was the impact/outcome	Academic comparison
measured?	
FRYSC Component or category	Career exploration and development
BEFORE/Demonstrated need,	35% or fewer of high school seniors were completing the FAFSA form
including data	to receive scholarship and grant money for college.
AFTER/Describe the impact or	During the 2016-17 school year, the YSC pulled all seniors out of their
outcome of the intervention,	English class to compile their FSA ID and their FAFSAs as a class. Out
service, or activity, including	of the 223 enrolled seniors, 143 completed their FAFSA by December
data.	2016; this was a 29% rise in student completions by December of
	their senior year.
Submitted by:	Corbin Independent Schools, Corbin High School

College/Career Readiness



Intervention/Service/Activity	Kindergarten School Readiness-Tiger Camp
How was the impact/outcome measured?	Survey; academic comparison; non-academic comparison; pre and post; teacher observation
FRYSC Component or category	Families in Training
BEFORE/Demonstrated need, including data	In the fall of 2016, incoming Kindergarten students scored a 56.1 on a school readiness assessment and staff concluded that efforts to increase school readiness were greatly needed.
	Before Tiger Camp, a pre-assessment was given; the average score for 26 students was 30 out of 40 possible points.
AFTER/Describe the impact or outcome of the intervention, service, or activity, including data.	The 9 day camp was held in June 2017. The post assessment score was 32.2 out of 40, showing a 2.2 average point gain. The students also scored an average of 69.6 on the Kindergarten screener administered prior to the school beginning this year. The average score compared to the overall school average of last year is 13.5 points higher.
	<ul> <li>The parents post survey showed the following information:</li> <li>94% of parents felt their children were more comfortable with the idea of school in the Fall</li> <li>100% of parents felt their child had a better understanding of school expectations and routines</li> <li>100% of parents stated they believed their child gained experience in school readiness skills.</li> </ul>
Submitted by:	Fayette Co, Tates Creek Elementary FRC

Kindergarten Readiness





Intervention/Service/Activity	Born Learning Academy
How was the impact/outcome	Survey; Academic Comparison
measured?	
FRYSC Component or category	Families in Training
BEFORE/Demonstrated need,	Brigance scores showed that 71% of incoming Kindergarten students
including data	scored Not Ready to start school.
AFTER/Describe the impact or	After the 6-session program, 5 students who entered Kindergarten
outcome of the intervention,	were scored and were 11% improved from Not Ready to Ready,
service, or activity, including	according to the Brigance screener.
data.	
Submitted by:	Ashland Independent School District, Ashland FRC

Kindergarten Readiness



## Kentucky FRYSC and Dental Health

Many FRYSCs are documenting positive outcomes with regard to the provision of dental services. Instructional time is saved because children do not have to leave school. Students who have never seen a dentist are able to receive services. The number of severe dental issues among students are being reduced over time. Below are samples of outcomes for some of these services.

Intervention/Service/Activity	Elgin Dental
AFTER/Describe the impact	The program has had a demonstrable impact on the oral health of the
or outcome of the	school population. The number of students needing immediate/soon
intervention, service, or	help has decreased, and there has been an increase in the number of
activity, including data.	students with no obvious dental issues (+6%)
Submitted by:	Keavy/Cold Hill FRC, Laurel Co.

Intervention/Service/Activity	Public Health Dental Hygienist On-site Treatment
AFTER/Describe the impact	A total of 137 students were seen by the traveling on-site hygienist, a
or outcome of the	56% increase from last school year. Of those seen, 113 (82%) received
intervention, service, or	oral assessments; 112 (81%) received a prophy (cleaning); 112 (81%)
activity, including data.	received varnish treatment (fluoride); 67 (49%) received oral sealants;
	42 (31%) were identified as having tooth decay; 38 (28%) received
	nutritional counseling and 102 (74%) received oral health instruction.
	29 (51%) of those were Kindergarteners who lacked the state mandated
	dental screening for enrollment. Approximately 287.7 days of
	instruction were saved.
Submitted by:	Mercer Co. Elementary FRC

Intervention/Service/Activity	Big Smiles Dental Clinic Program
AFTER/Describe the impact	Before 2014-15 services only included dental varnishing/screenings at
or outcome of the	the preschool and Kindergarten levels. Students were referred for
intervention, service, or	treatment on a case by case basis. The at-risk population was
activity, including data.	underserved across the district for screens, x-rays, sealants, and
	services.
	Now all 3 schools have on-site dental clinic days – Early Learning Acad. (2 days – 24 students), Second Street School (4 days, 68 students, 56 cavities fixed, 101 sealants), Frankfort High School (5 days, 54 students, 77 cavities fixed, 122 sealants). 302.4 days saved district-wide.
Submitted by:	Frankfort Ind. FRYSC



Intervention/Service/Activity	Floss & Gloss Dental Program
AFTER/Describe the impact	Of the 115 students whose permission forms were returned, all received
or outcome of the	cleaning and fluoride varnish. Thirty-five (35) received sealants. Seven
intervention, service, or	(7) received an URGENT report and received follow-up and help finding a
activity, including data.	local dentist. The parents of the 7 were offered a \$25 gas card to use for
	transportation to dental appointments. Five (5) of the 7 students
	received the needed treatment at local dentists.
Submitted by:	Lowes/Fancy Farm FRC, Graves Co.

Intervention/Service/Activity	Big Smiles Dental Program
AFTER/Describe the impact	The program was coordinated for preschool – 5 <sup>th</sup> grade. A dental office
or outcome of the	was set up on school grounds, and students were screened and treated
intervention, service, or	for dental needs over a two day period.
activity, including data.	
	Twenty-seven (27) students received dental exams, oral hygiene instruction, cleaning, fluoride varnish, and treatment plans if needed. There were 47 restorative procedures completed and 25 sealants placed. No student was turned away due to inability to pay. Several students received free and/or reduced cost dental services.
	Big Smiles predicted that the work completed over the two day period
	prevented up to 98 days of absences from school
Submitted by:	Westridge FRC, Franklin Co.

Intervention/Service/Activity	Elgin Dental Program
AFTER/Describe the impact	The school nurse reported concerning students who were suffering from
or outcome of the	dental pain and dental problems. The Elgin Dental Program screened
intervention, service, or	257 students, provided cleanings, and concluded that 102 students
activity, including data.	needed further dental work.
	There were 35 students who were taken to a local dentist office for
	additional dental work, decreasing the number of students in the school
	who needed additional dental work from 39.6% to 26%.
Submitted by:	Paces Creek FRC, Clay Co.



Intervention/Service/Activity	Dental Screening and Cleaning Program
AFTER/Describe the impact	Data from <b>2012</b> shows that <b>12%</b> of students participating in the school
or outcome of the	based dental screening/cleaning program were referred to a dentist due
intervention, service, or	to <i>urgent</i> dental care needs. In <b>2016</b> , that percentage is now <b>4%</b> .
activity, including data.	
	Over five years, urgent dental needs have decreased steadily.
	URGENT DENTAL NEEDS/REFERRALS
	2012 – 12%
	2013 – 8%
	2014 – 7%
	2015 – 6%
	2016 – 4%
Submitted by:	The Community Connection, Adair Co.







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