For every child in Kentucky enrolled in an afterschool program, at least 4 more are waiting to get in.

PROGRAM Landscape

Total program sites: 231
Number of sites per 1,000 population aged 5-18: 1.95
Number of non-fee-based sites: 40
Percent of total supply that is non-fee-based: 17.3%
Counties with no programs: 0
Counties with no non-fee-based programs: 16

DISTRICT Profile

Population ages 5-17: 118,560
% White: 85.9%
% Black or African American: 6.7%
% Hispanic or Latino: 3.2%
% Asian: 0.6%

Children in poverty 25.4%
Kentucky: 23.4%

Median income $44,306
Kentucky: $50,589

Children with a Disability 6.4%
Kentucky: 5.8%

Children in Foster Care 2.5%
Kentucky: 2.6%

Households with No Vehicles 6.8%
Kentucky: 7.24

Food Insecure Children 18.5%
Kentucky: 18.4

Impact of COVID-19

COVID-19 has impacted the lives of Kentucky’s children and families with job loss, school closings, and isolation. Expanded afterschool opportunities can help accelerate recovery for populations who continue to be disproportionately impacted by the pandemic.
**Top 3 Participation BARRIERS**

- Lack of affordable options in many areas
- No transportation to and/or from program sites
- Current demand exceeds supply

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**Afterschool is a smart investment in Kentucky's future. Too many kids are missing out. Help us change that.**

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**Top 5 BENEFITS**

**Afterschool programs:**

- Help kids recover and re-engage
- Provide STEM or computer science learning opportunities
- Give working parents peace of mind
- Help combat child hunger
- Teach important workforce skills

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**Non-Fee-Based Afterschool Programs and Child Poverty in Kentucky's 1st District**

Every $1 invested in out-of-school time programs saves taxpayers at least $3.

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