

GEORGIA STATEWIDE AFTERSCHOOL NETWORK

GA #Invest3to6 Social Media Toolkit

It is more important than ever to reach out to your Congressmen and let them know the importance of afterschool and the 21st Community Learning Centers (21st CCLC) in Georgia!

As it is currently drafted, the Elementary and Secondary Education Act (ESEA) threatens to eliminate the only designated federal funding for afterschool. Without a separate funding stream specifically targeting learning outside the school day, essential learning opportunities that are helping more than 1.5 million young people nationally better prepare for college, careers and life may disappear. In Georgia alone, 21st CCLC provides over 35,000 of Georgia's young people a safe and enriching place to go after school and helps to level the playing field in achieving school success and career readiness.

This toolkit includes sample tweets and posts to each Georgia Congressmen to make it easy for you to let your Congressmen know that now is not the time to eliminate the only designated federal funding for afterschool. It only takes one click!

Not sure who your Congressman is? Find out here.

For more ways to get involved, be sure to head over to Afterschool Alliance's <u>blog</u> and check out their <u>social media toolkit</u>.

Twitter

Senate

Senator Johnny Isakson

- @SenatorIsakson #21stCCLC provides 35,000+ youth in GA a safe & enriching place to go after school #Invest3to6 [click to tweet this!]
- @SenatorIsakson #21stCCLC helps students succeed in college, careers, & life.
 88% of GA parents support public funding for #afterschool [click to tweet this!]
- @SenatorIsakson Demand for afterschool in GA is greater than ever. Now is not the time to cut funding #Invest3to6 http://bit.ly/1A3xSyY [click to tweet this!]

Senator David Perdue

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House

Congressman Buddy Carter (1st District)

- @RepBuddyCarter 2,181 kids in your district rely on #21stCCLC to have a safe and enriching place to go after school #ESEA #Invest3to6 [click to tweet this!]
- @RepBuddyCarter 18% of GA kids are unsupervised after school #Invest3to6 http://bit.ly/1Dnrll6 [click to tweet this!]

Congressman Sanford Bishop Jr. (2nd District)

- @SanfordBishop 1,982 kids in your district rely on #21stCCLC to have a safe and enriching place to go after school #ESEA #Invest3to6 [click to tweet this!]
- @SanfordBishop 18% of GA kids are unsupervised after school #Invest3to6 http://bit.ly/1Dnrll6 [click to tweet this!]

Congressman Lynn Westmoreland (3rd District)

- @RepWestmoreland 385 kids in your district rely on #21stCCLC to have a safe and enriching place to go after school #ESEA #Invest3to6 [click to tweet this!]
- @RepWestmoreland 18% of GA kids are unsupervised after school #Invest3to6 http://bit.ly/1Dnrll6 [click to tweet this!]

Congressman Hank Johnson Jr. (4th District)

- @RepHankJohnson 716 kids in your district rely on #21stCCLC to have a safe and enriching place to go after school #ESEA #Invest3to6 [click to tweet this!]
- @RepHankJohnson 18% of GA kids are unsupervised after school #Invest3to6 http://bit.ly/1Dnrll6 [click to tweet this!]

Congressman John Lewis (5th District)

- @repjohnlewis 769 kids in your district rely on #21stCCLC to have a safe and enriching place to go after school #ESEA #Invest3to6 [click to tweet this!]
- @repjohnlewis 18% of GA kids are unsupervised after school #Invest3to6 http://bit.ly/1Dnrll6 [click to tweet this!]

Congressman Tom Price (6th District)

- @RepTomPrice Demand for afterschool in GA is greater than ever. Now is not the time to cut funding #Invest3to6 http://bit.ly/1A3xSyY [click to tweet this!]
- @RepTomPrice 18% of GA kids are unsupervised after school. #21stCCLC provides kids with a safe & enriching environment #Invest3to6 [click to tweet this!]

Congressman Rob Woodall (7th District)

- @RepRobWoodall Demand for afterschool in GA is greater than ever. Now is not the time to cut funding #Invest3to6 http://bit.ly/1A3xSyY [click to tweet this!]
- @RepRobWoodall 18% of GA kids are unsupervised after school. #21stCCLC provides kids with a safe & enriching environment #Invest3to6 [click to tweet this!]

Congressman Austin Scott (8th District)

- @AustinScottGA08 1,837 kids in your district rely on #21stCCLC to have a safe and enriching place to go after school #ESEA #Invest3to6 [click to tweet this!]
- @AustinScottGA08 18% of GA kids are unsupervised after school #Invest3to6 http://bit.ly/1Dnrll6 [click to tweet this!]

Congressman Doug Collins (9th District)

- @RepDougCollins 1,356 kids in your district rely on #21stCCLC to have a safe and enriching place to go after school #ESEA #Invest3to6 [click to tweet this!]
- @RepDougCollins 18% of GA kids are unsupervised after school #Invest3to6 http://bit.ly/1Dnrll6 [click to tweet this!]

Congressman Jody Hice (10th District)

Although Congressman Hice does not have a Twitter, you can call him at (202) 225-4101 to let him know 3,324 kids in his district rely on 21st CCLC to have a safe and enriching place to go after school. Please add your own personal stories of why afterschool matters to you.

Congressman Barry Loudermilk (11th District)

- @RepLoudermilk Demand for afterschool in GA is greater than ever. Now is not the time to cut funding #Invest3to6 http://bit.ly/1A3xSyY [click to tweet this!]
- @RepLoudermilk 18% of GA kids are unsupervised after school. #21stCCLC provides kids with a safe & enriching environment #Invest3to6 [click to tweet this!]

Congressman Rick Allen (12th District)

- @RepRickAllen 1,866 kids in your district rely on #21stCCLC to have a safe and enriching place to go after school #ESEA #Invest3to6 [click to tweet this!]
- @RepRickAllen 18% of GA kids are unsupervised after school #Invest3to6 http://bit.ly/1Dnrll6 [click to tweet this!]

Congressman David Scott (13th District)

- @repdavidscott 1,017 kids in your district rely on #21stCCLC to have a safe and enriching place to go after school #ESEA #Invest3to6 [click to tweet this!]
- @repdavidscott 18% of GA kids are unsupervised after school #Invest3to6 http://bit.ly/1Dnrll6 [click to tweet this!]

Congressman Tom Graves (14th District)

- @RepTomGraves Demand for afterschool in GA is greater than ever. Now is not the time to cut funding #Invest3to6 http://bit.ly/1A3xSyY [click to tweet this!]
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