

Student Wellness and Success Funds

School Name: Youngstown Academy of Excellence

IRN: 007984

Describe the use of funds:

Youngstown Academy of Excellence (YAE) will use Student Wellness and Success funds to provide psychological services, occupational therapy, physical therapy, and other services associated with serving students with disabilities.

Youngstown Academy will use at least 50% of Student Wellness and Success Funds for mental health services or physical healthcare services or a combination of contracting with outside agencies to provide counseling and other services to our students and hiring mental health professionals.

Name and describe coordination with community partners.

To support the use of Student Wellness and Success Funds, the Youngstown Academy will partner with at least two community partners. During the 2023-2024 school year, YAE will partner Red Zone and PSI. The partnerships will include the counseling for students and therapist for students with IEP goals.

Describe the anticipated impact of the utilization of funds.

The use of the Student Wellness and Success funds will impact our students by improving overall Social and Emotional Health and addressing the ongoing concerns stemming from the pandemic. The funds will help around 50 students who will be directly impacted. Youngstown Academy expects to see a 5-10% decrease in disruptive student behavior year over year.

Schools: Please see the following website for information on community partnerships - <https://education.ohio.gov/Topics/Student-Supports/School-Wellness/Supporting-Student-Wellness#Uses%C2%A0>