



Summer Achievers 2026

# Provider Orientation



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# Today's Objectives

- Reflect on Summer Achievers Years 1 and 2
- Share what's new with Summer Achievers 2026
- Provide timelines and resources
- Answer questions, host mini-TAs, introduce new friends
- Equip you to operate Summer Achievers 2026!





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## Celebrations from Summer Achievers 2025

- 5,378 students enrolled during Summer 2025
- 90% of enrolled students attended at least 1 day of program (4,865)

## Kudos

- Teacher focus groups shared that the collaboration between OST and SDP was vastly improved and overall positive.



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# Celebration of Years 1 and 2!



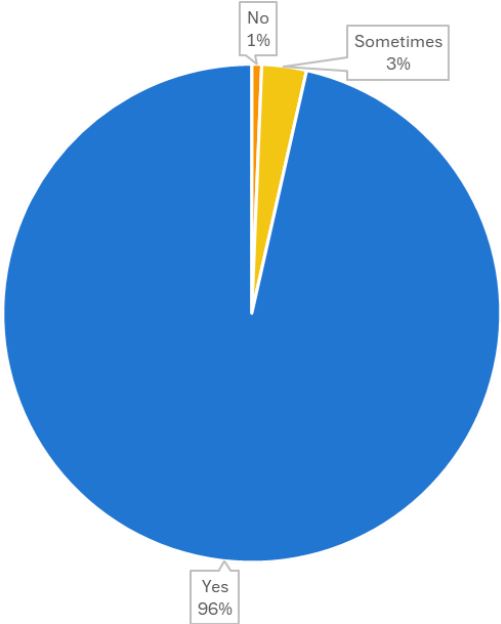
	2024	2025	2026
<b>Sites and Schools</b>	50 sites, 66 schools	60 sites, 64 schools	64 sites, 74 schools
<b>Slots</b>	4,378	5,386	6,434
<b>Enrolled</b>	4,210	5,378	TBD
<b>Met 80% attendance</b>	43%	31%	TBD
<b>SAYO Youth Surveys Completed</b>	667	1686	TBD
<b>SAYO Staff Surveys Completed (Pre)</b>	589	3,368	TBD
<b>SAYO Staff Surveys Completed (Post)</b>	1,189	1400	TBD
<b>Parent Caregiver Surveys Completed</b>	145	707	TBD

# Youth Feedback

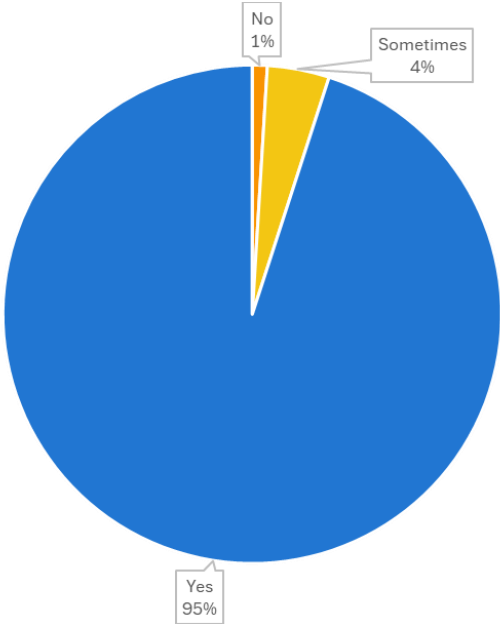
<p><b>I learn new things</b> <b>3.38/4</b></p> 	<p><b>There is an adult here I trust</b> <b>3.62/4</b></p> 
<p><b>I have fun while I'm here</b> <b>3.47/4</b></p> 	<p><b>There is an adult here who I consider a mentor and role model</b> <b>3.43/4</b></p> 
<p><b>I have good friends here</b> <b>3.61/4</b></p> 	<p><b>Adults here care about what I say, feel, and think</b> <b>3.56/4</b></p> 

# Caregivers considered the Summer Achievers programs **Safe** and **Friendly**

**Safe**



**Friendly**



# Small Group Reflection

## Take me back to 2025:

- Memories
- Boasts and Busts
- Roses, Thorns, Buds





# Summer Achievers 2026

## Looking Ahead for Year Three

- We will be operating in 64 school sites, serving 74 school communities
- Our goal is to fill all 6,434 funded Summer Achievers slots
- Increasing the number of youth who will benefit from this summer learning program by another 20%! (on top of last year's 26% increase)
- Roll out new resources and processes – based upon provider and teacher feedback – to improve upon last year's results!





# Summer Achievers: What's The Same?

- ✓ OST leads enrichment: program design, theme, activities, events, trips, enrichment supplies
- ✓ SDP leads academics: 3.5 hours of instruction in math and ELA, academic materials
- ✓ OST staff support SDP teachers in the classroom
- ✓ Academic-Enrichment Days: Monday – Thursday, Weeks 1-5
- ✓ Enrichment Only Days: Fridays, Week 6
- ✓ SDP Teacher Hours: 8am – 1pm (with two 30-minute teacher prep times)
- ✓ OST Staff Hours: 8am-5pm (student dismissal window 4:30-5pm)
- ✓ Program Hours: 8:30am-5pm, June 22 – July 31
- ✓ OST & SDP Site-Level Teams collaborate to create an integrated summer learning program experience for youth and families



# Summer Achievers 2026

## Your Guides

- Standard Operating Procedures - Online (updates coming soon)
- Site Director Toolkit - Online (updates coming soon)
- Summer 2026 Provider Implementation Timeline - Print and Online
- Day 1 Orientation Template - Print and Online
- Summer Achievers Site Launch Checklist 2026 - Print and Online
- Daily Schedule Template - Online
- Recruitment Calculator - Online (week of March 23)
- Collaboration Plan - Online (week of March 23)
- Newcomers Guidance - Upcoming Orientation
- These Slides (QR Code)

## Summer Achievers 2026 Sites

Allen Program @ Allen	Carnell Program @ Carnell*	Cramp Program @ Cramp	Ellwood Program @ Ellwood	Gideon Program @ Gideon	Hopkinson Program @ Hopkinson	Lea Program @ Lea	McClure Program @ Taylor	OEC Program @ OEC	Prince Hall Program @ Prince Hall	Spruance Program @ Spruance	Welsh Program @ Welsh
Anderson Program @ Anderson	Cassidy Program @ Cassidy	deBurgos Program @ deBurgos*	Farrell Program @ Farrell*	Gompers Program @ Cassidy	Howe Program @ Pennell	Locke/Martha Washington Program @ Locke	McDaniel Program @ McDaniel	Patterson Program @ Penrose	Rhoads Program @ Rhoads	Steel Program @ Steel	Willard Program @ Willard
Barry Program @ Barry	Cayuga Program @ Cayuga	Disston Program @ Forrest	Feltonville Arts and Sciences/Intermediate Program @ Feltonville A&S	Greenberg Program @ Greenberg	Hunter Program @ Hunter	Logan Program @ Logan	McKinley Program @ McKinley	Peirce Program @ Peirce	Richmond Program @ Richmond	Taggart Program @ Taggart*	Wright Program @ Wright
Bethune Program @ Kenderton	Childs Program @ Childs	Duckrey/Dunbar Program @ Duckrey	Finletter Program @ Lowell	Hamilton Program @ Hamilton	JB Kelly Program @ JB Kelly	Lowell Program @ Lowell*	Moffet Program @ Moffet	Pennell Program @ Pennell	Sharswood/Fell Program @ Sharswood	Vare Program @ Vare Washington	
Blaine/WD Kelley Program @ WD Kelley	Comegys Program @ Comegys	Edmonds Program @ Edmonds	Forrest Program @ Forrest	Hartranft Program @ Hartranft	JPA Program @ JPA*	Marshall Program @ Marshall	Morris Program @ Morris	Pollock Program @ Pollock	Solis-Cohen Program @ Solis-Cohen*	W Dick Program @ W Dick	
Blankenberg Program @ Blankenberg	Cooke Program @ Cooke	Elkin Program @ Elkin	Frank Program @ Frank	Heston Program @ Heston*	Key Program @ Key	Mayfair Program @ Mayfair*	Morton Program @ Morton*	Potter-Thomas Program @ Potter-Thomas	Southwark Program @ Key	Webster Program @ Webster	

<b>KEY</b>
EDEY
Relocated
Co-located
* = Newcomer Program

## EDEY Program Overview


- This program is a City of Philadelphia initiative led by Mayor Parker in collaboration with the Mayor's Office of Education, the Office of Children and Families, and the School District of Philadelphia.
- Keeps students safe, engaged, and learning beyond the school day/year. EDEY schools are open from 7:30 am – 6:00 pm
- Offers free before/after-school care, enrichment, and 2 months of camps (Winter, Spring, Summer)
- 40 schools total: 30 District, 10 Charters
- EDEY goals focus on increasing student attendance, sense of belonging, and supporting academic growth while supporting working families.

### EXTENDED DAY / EXTENDED YEAR PROGRAM

Across Philadelphia schools, EDEY closes the opportunity gap by creating equitable access to enriching experiences for students and families, supporting the city's vision to achieve economic opportunity for all residents.

#### EDEY PROGRAMMING

ENRICHMENT PROGRAMMING	ACADEMIC PROGRAMMING	COMMUNITY BUILDING	EXPERIENTIAL LEARNING
build skills and interests beyond the core curriculum	support core academic subjects and curriculum	build relationships and community among students and staff	expose students to the rich cultural resources of the city



**SDP and OCF are proud to collaborate with OST providers to include Newcomer families. This year, the following Summer Achievers sites will include Newcomer-specific academics for ELL students:**


- ✓ Carnell
- ✓ de Burgos
- ✓ Farrel
- ✓ Finletter @ Lowell
- ✓ Heston
- ✓ Juniata Park Academy
- ✓ Mayfair
- ✓ Morton
- ✓ Solis-Cohen
- ✓ Taggart

**Students are invited to enroll in these programs, and SDP team members will work closely with OST providers to ensure families have access to applications and support in the process. Stay tuned for more details!**



# Newcomer Sites

- **Integrated Newcomer-Summer Achievers Sites:**
  - 10 sites, **additional** 45 slots per site
  - @ Carnell, de Burgos, Farrell, Finletter @ Lowell, Heston, JPA, Mayfair, Morton, Solis-Cohen, and Taggart
- **Recruitment & Enrollment:**
  - SDP Office of Multilingual Services sending out an Interest Form to eligible Newcomer families
  - Regional Multilingual Managers will match families to their preferred site
  - Each Regional Multilingual Manager will collaborate with their assigned Newcomer OST Site Director to coordinate enrollment outreach at their site
- **Cityspan:**
  - Newcomer sites must create a separate “Newcomer Summer Achievers” activity in Cityspan to enroll and track attendance for Newcomer students
- **Orientation for Newcomer Sites:**
  - March 24, 11:00am (Virtual)



**This year, a number of sites are colocated with District-run ESY programs. These programs will operate independently, but will share space. Support for seamless collaboration planning for successful side-by-side operations will be available. Stay tuned for details.**

- ✓ **Dr. Ethel Allen**
- ✓ **deBurgos**
- ✓ **Farrell**
- ✓ **JB Kelly**
- ✓ **Juniata Park Academy**
- ✓ **Penrose**





# Summer Achievers 2026

## Collaboration Plans, Facilitron, Meals

### **Collaboration planning will be completed between March 24th- May 1st**

- Summer Achievers sites will receive support in collaboration planning from OCF/PHMC/MOE and the Office of Student Life & Innovation
- Programs that are collocated with ESY programs will receive support from the Office of Diverse Learners as well

### **Facilitron**

- Due May 1st

### **Meals & Clearances - TBD**

# Program Schedule Templates

- Pre-Approved Schedules!
- 4 Lunch Options:
  - 11am, 11:30am, 12:30pm, 1:00pm
- Breakfast in Classroom or Cafeteria Options
- Yellow areas can be edited by Providers
- Need to be submitted into SDP Site Collab Plans

12:30 PM Lunch (breakfast in cafeteria)	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
8:00 AM	SDP & OST Staff Arrive				OST staff arrive
8:00-8:30 AM	SDP Teacher Planning Break #1 & OST Staff prep				OST Staff prep
8:30 AM	Student Arrival (facilitated by OSI)				
8:30-8:50AM	Student breakfast and 15 minute Daily Morning Welcome (OST leads, SDP supports)				
8:50-8:55 AM	Students clean up from breakfast				
8:55-9:00 AM	Students transition to classrooms				
9:00 - 11:00AM	ELA Instruction facilitated by Teacher				
11:00 - 12:30 AM	Math Instruction facilitated by Teacher				
12:30 AM - 1:00 PM	Student Lunch facilitated by Provider (2nd Teacher prep; Teachers leave at 1pm)				
1:00- 4:30 PM	Structured Enrichment Activities facilitated by Provider				
8:00 AM	SDP & OST Staff Arrive				

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8:50-9:00 AM	clean up and transition to classroom for activities				
9:00 - 11:00 AM	ELA Instruction facilitated by Teacher				
11:00 - 11:30 AM	Student Lunch facilitated by Provider (Teacher Planning Break #2)				
11:30 AM - 1:00 PM	Math Instruction facilitated by Teacher (Teachers leave at 1pm)				
1:00 - 4:30 PM	Structured Enrichment Activities facilitated by Provider				
4:30-5:00 PM	Dismissal				



# Strengthening Collaboration to Support Students & Staff

- **Continued partnership with SDP's Office of Climate and Culture to offer training on SEL approaches and successful provider/teacher collaboration**
- **Developing training opportunities for OST Site Leads and SDP Point Teachers to plan and prepare TOGETHER prior to programming!**
  - Virtual Session date and time TBD
  - OST Site Leads and Point Teachers develop plans together and share themes and ideas
  - Begin plans for setup day and first day of camp
- **Will also offer follow up training to all Summer Achievers staff at City's Summer OST Conference on May 22nd at Howard Gittis Center (Temple U)**
  - OST Site Leads can share plans with teams
  - OST teams will receive content on best practices for SEL and collaborating with teachers



# Strengthening Student Support Opportunities

- **Continuing to offer IBHS services to qualifying students during summer**
- **Access to “on call” nursing support for non-emergent medical concerns**
- **Support in advising on medication administration**
  - First aid support
  - Other guidance for signs of illness, etc
- **Sites with >125 total (including colocated programs) will have a full time School Safety Officer**
  - Some sites with <125 students are assigned an officer based on need as determined by the Office of School Safety
- **Sites with >75 students will be assigned a Food Services employee to support with meals (150 combined breakfast and lunch served)**
  - Programs must maintain these numbers in order to retain the food services employee support
  - Current rosters must be consistently uploaded



# Enrolling to Match Teacher Ratios

- Grade Banded Classrooms: Rising 1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8 (*\*aligns with SDP building grades served*)
- Goal: 15-20 students per 1 SDP Teacher (*\*SDP leading academic time, OST supporting*)
- **Providers will receive a Student Recruitment Calculator!**
- As OST applications are received, enroll eligible youth on a first come-first serve basis to fill each assigned classroom (honoring SDP teacher-child ratios)
- Maintain a waitlist by grade-band to help fill classroom vacancies as they arise
- \*\* During Enrichment-Only Times, OST staff should be reassigned to comply with the required 1:12 or 1:15 OST staff-child ratios



# Early Enrollment Priorities:

**March 23**

DHS-Involved,  
Principal referred, &  
Newcomer Families

**April 6**


Returning &  
Host School  
Families

**April 13**

All other SDP  
students

**June 1**

Non-SDP,  
Philadelphia  
resident students





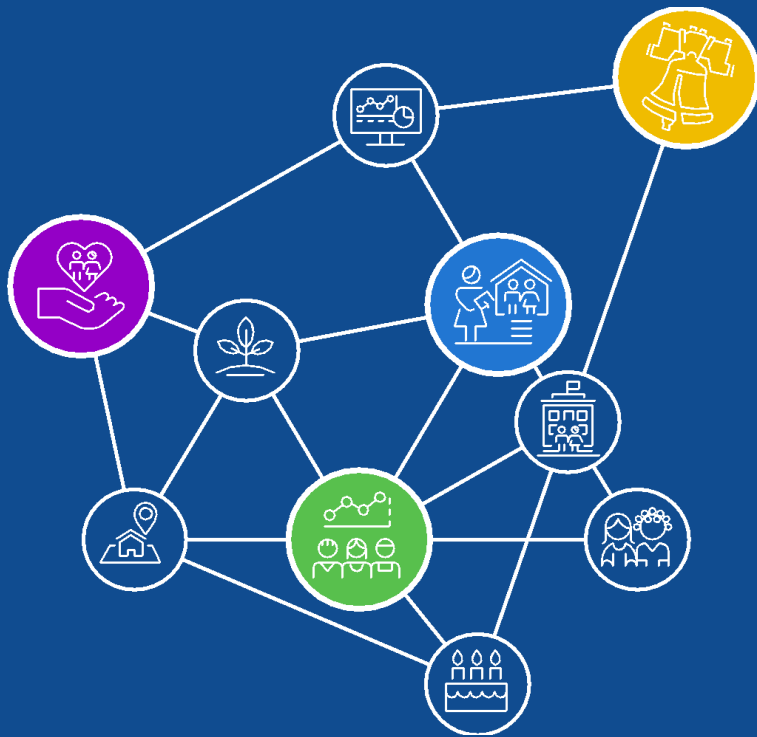
# The Application Process

## Paper

- Packets to Principals and CUAs March 23.
- Packets at Front Office by April 13

## Online

- Link in Locator by March 11 to open April 13.
- Track First Come-First Serve by Paper & Online



# Cityspan

## System improvements

Performance Management & Technology-  
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# Special Summer Achievers Cityspan Functionality

SIS-Integration Verification

Assignment of SDP Teachers in  
participant Record

Live attendance report for  
Teacher Leaders

\* Indicates Required Fields

### SDP INFORMATION

Linked to SDP record? ✘ Not Linked

[LINK TO SDP](#)

\* Indicates Required Fields

### SDP INFORMATION

Linked to SDP record? ✔ Linked

[UNLINK TO SDP](#)

First Name

Last Name

Preferred Name

Birthdate

School 24-25

Grade 24-25

Match Method: studentID (exact), studentFirstName (exact), studentLastName (exact), studentBirthdate (exact), studentSchool (exact), studentGrade (exact)



\* Indicates Required Fields

### SDP INFORMATION

Linked to SDP record? ✘ Not Linked

[LINK TO SDP](#)

Summer Achievers Teacher  
(Summer 25-26)

Cesar, julias



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Demo (DHS)

Demo (DHS)

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SDP ATTENDANCE REPORT

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# Gathering Youth Voice & Outcomes

**SAYO-Y**  
(youth voice)

**SAYO-S**  
(youth outcomes)

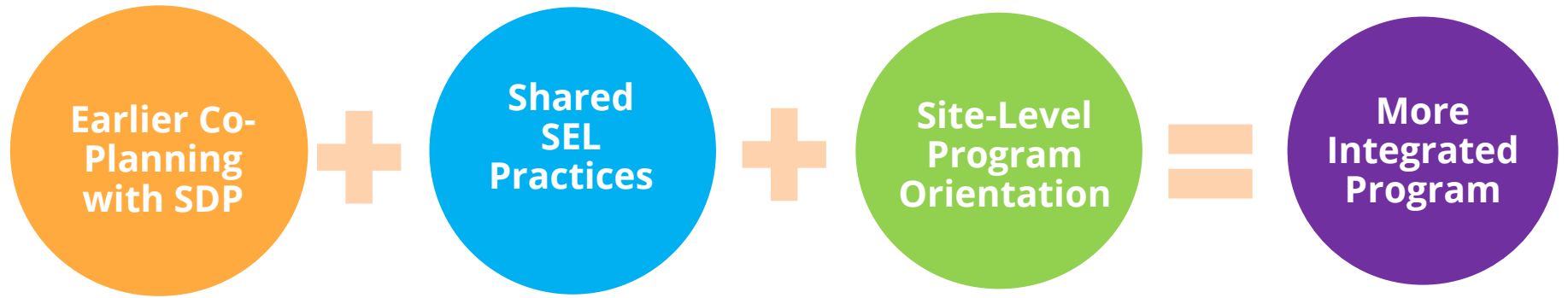
**Family  
Survey**  
(family voice)

**APTO**  
(program quality)

# What's Required with CPI?

	Summer Achievers 2026	Timeline
<b>SAYO-S</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 1<sup>st</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> Grade Youth</li> <li>• Separate PRE and POST Assessment Surveys, with set open and close dates</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• PRE Week 1 and 2 Link closes July 2nd</li> <li>• POST Week 6 and "7" Link closes Aug 7th</li> </ul>
<b>SAYO-Y</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 4<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> Grades Youth</li> <li>• Online or Paper Survey</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Week 5 and 6 Link closes July 31st</li> </ul>
<b>APTO</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• PHMC Program Coach schedules 1 APTO session</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Week 3 and 4</li> </ul>
<b>Family Survey</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Online or Paper Survey</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Week 6 and "7"</li> </ul>

# Co-Planning & Collaboration





# Shared SEL & Community Building

- **OST Team will lead a daily “Morning Welcome” with students, every day**
  - SEL-focused
  - SDP will support
- **More provider flexibility with how to run these**
  - Can happen anywhere – classroom, cafeteria, gym/auditorium...
- **Co-designing time with OST and SDP Site Leads (May 19, 26)**
  - How to build community and integrate SEL practices
  - What integrating enrichment and academics could look like at their site
- **Workshop on co-designed SEL practices for Summer Achievers OST Staff (May 22)**
- **Site-Level Program Orientation by OST Site Director for SDP teachers (June 18)**

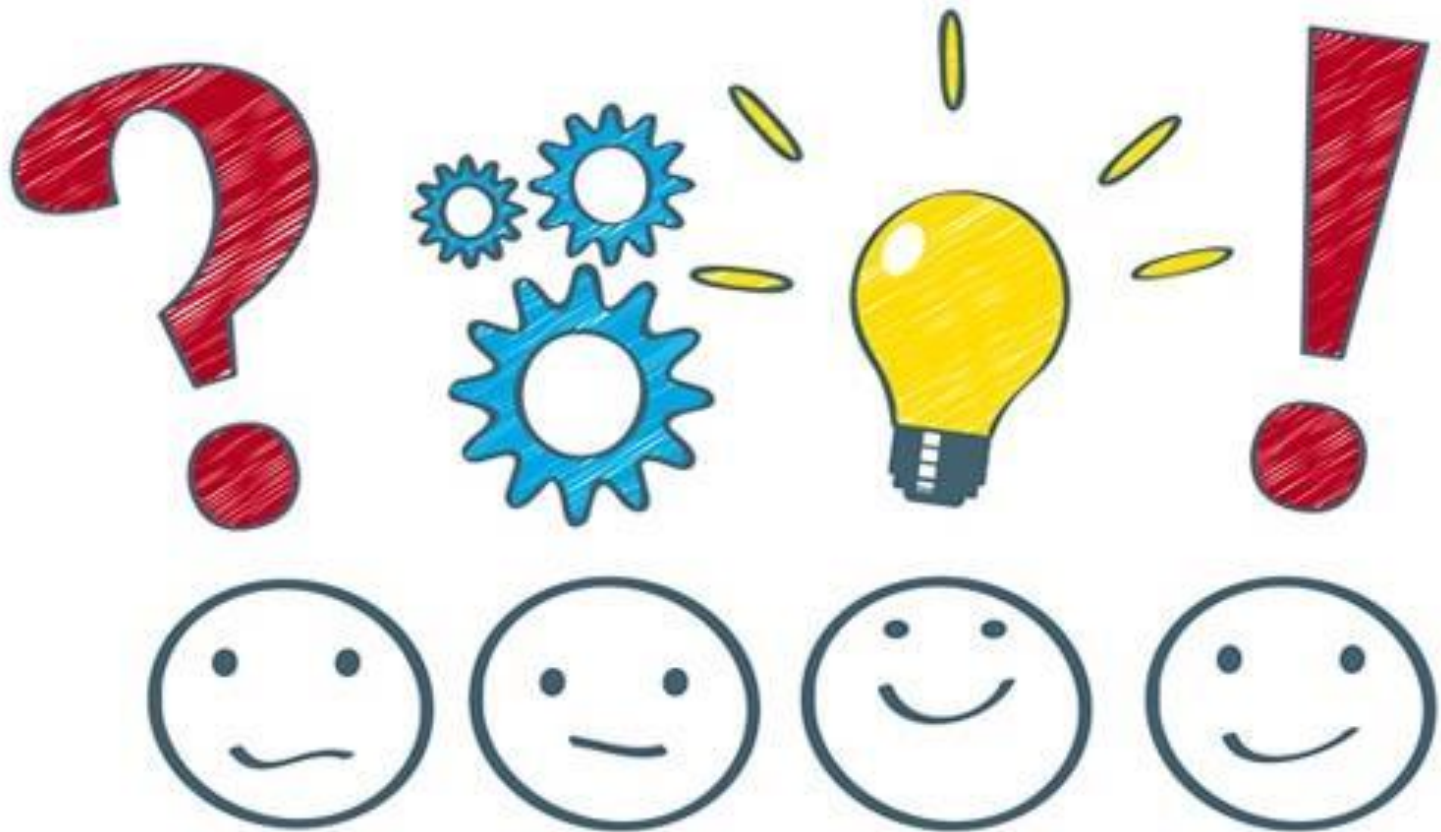


# Site-Level Orientation: June 18

- OST Site Director must provide a site-specific program orientation for their SDP site level staff (9-10:30am)
- All Site-Level OST Staff must be present by 9:00am and participate in this orientation session with their SDP team
- OST staff should be informed of their classroom support assignment BEFORE June 18
- The Program Orientation must include an overview of all required elements (see orientation checklist) – 9:00 - 9:45am
- The Program Orientation must also include time for each classroom teacher and their assigned OST support staff to meet, review their classroom rosters, and collaborate on how they'd like to support the academic instruction time – 9:45-10:30am
- The remainder of the day should be spent on classroom and program set up and prep

# Plus Matching T-Shirts 😊







## Open TA Sessions

- 15-minute TA sessions; time for 3 sessions
- As you walk around, look at the feedback from other groups
- Vote with your stickers (or marker) on the top issues to flag/highlight

**SOP**

**CitySpan  
Activities  
and Set-Up**

**Verification  
& Rostering**

**NIOST APAS**

**Collab  
Plans**

**Newcomers**

**Meet your  
CUA**

# Closing Remarks & Reminders



- March 18 SA Orientation - Meet your CUA & EL
- March 23 Early Enrollment Window for DHS, Principal, and Newcomer Referrals
- April 6 Returning families and host-school families may begin enrolling
- April 13 Open Enrollment Begins
- May 1 Collaboration Plans + Facilitron Requests Due
- May 19/26 SDP-OST Site-Level Team Co-Planning & SEL PD\*
- May 22 Summer OST Kick-Off Conference (& SEL Workshop!)
- June 1 Enrollment Opens for Non-SDP Students
- June 18 Site-Level All-Staff Orientation
- June 22 Summer Achievers Begins
- July 3 SDP Sites closed in observance of Independence Day
- July 31 Final Day of Programming
- August 4 On Site Cleanup Day

*\*Date TBD*



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