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# EXPELLED AND AT-RISK STUDENT SERVICES (EARSS) PROGRAM

The “Services to Expelled Students” grant program was enacted by the Colorado state legislature in 1997 and amended in 2000 to add services for students at-risk of expulsion. Funds are annually appropriated to the Colorado Department of Education for the purpose of making grants to school districts, alternative schools within school districts, charter schools, BOCES, non-profit, non-parochial schools, and facility schools. Grants are awarded on a competitive basis for a 4-year award period.

The FY13 state appropriation is \$7,493,560. For the 2012-13 school year, fifteen new grantees were awarded and forty continuation awards were made to grantees in years 2-4 for a total of 55 grantees.

Additional information can be found at: [http://www.cde.state.co.us/DropoutPrevention/p\\_EARSS.htm](http://www.cde.state.co.us/DropoutPrevention/p_EARSS.htm)

# BOARDS OF COOPERATIVE EDUCATION

**BOCES: Centennial****Year of 4-year grant: 1****Contact: Christine Muldoon****Phone: 970-352-7404 x 1180****FY13 Award Amount: \$131,025****Address:****2020 Clubhouse Drive****Greeley, CO 80634****Program Name: Innovation Connections Academy****Program Description:** Centennial BOCES' program will be utilized/offered at each member district.

Interventions described in this application will target 125 students and will be administered within the RTI model to reduce suspensions and expulsions and improve attendance, credit accumulation, graduation rate and parental involvement. Programming includes credit recovery opportunities, parent outreach, truancy monitoring, utilization of Discovery and mentoring, and Saturday School/ISS as alternatives to suspension.

**BOCES: San Juan****Year of 4-year grant: 3****Contact: Lauren Ellison****Phone: 970-247-3261****FY13 Award Amount: \$112,500****Address:****201 East 12th Street****Durango, CO 81301****Program Name: Southwest Student Support Initiative**

**Program Description:** This grant program will implement for 9th graders the CHECK AND CONNECT program, a comprehensive student engagement program that assigns to an at-risk student a trained adult "Monitor" who regularly checks on the educational progress of the student, then intervenes in a timely manner to reestablish and maintain the student's connection to school and learning. SJBOCES will also support and contract with three online learning centers to provide educational support to any expelled student in the program.

**BOCES: South Central****Year of 4-year grant: 4****Contact: Cynthia Seidel****Phone: 719-647-0023****FY13 Award Amount: \$133,471****Address:****323 S. Purcell Blvd****Pueblo West, CO 81007****Program Name: SC BOCES High School Proficiency Program**

**Program Description:** This project will serve expelled youth and those at risk of suspension and their families through case management by six Community Advocates serving ten schools across seven districts reaching 200 middle/high school students annually. This will reduce school absences, expulsions, and suspensions, and improve academics, social skills, and parent engagement.

# CHARTER SCHOOLS

**Charter:** ACE Community Challenge School  
**Year of 4-year grant:** 2  
**Contact:** Eloy Chavez  
**Phone:** 303-436-9588

**County:** Denver  
**FY13 Award Amount:** \$295,182  
**Address:**  
948 Santa Fe Drive  
Denver, CO 80204

**Program Name:** ACE Community Challenge School

**Program Description:** ACE Community Challenge School (ACE/CCS) will provide culturally and linguistically specific student re-engagement and transition services, including educational and vocational instruction, tutoring, family advocacy, and counseling services. Annually, the program will assist up to 90 Denver area high-risk students in grades 8-10 to decrease suspensions/expulsions and increase student success.

**Charter:** Boulder Preparatory High School  
**Year of 4-year grant:** 4  
**Contact:** Lili Adeli  
**Phone:** 720-480-3959

**County:** Boulder  
**FY13 Award Amount:** \$38,950  
**Address:**  
5075 Chaparral Court  
Boulder, CO 80301

**Program Name:** Student Retention Program

**Program Description:** Boulder Prep will re-engage 150 high school students who have been expelled or are at-risk of suspension/expulsion by providing case management, an after school homework lab, a sobriety support program and parent partnership activities. These programs will increase credit completion and parent participation while reducing substance use and dropout rates.

**Charter:** Charter School Institute

**Year of 4-year grant:** 1  
**Contact:** Terri Martinez-McGraw  
**Phone:** 719-248-8669

**County of Schools:** Pueblo, Fremont, Otero  
**FY13 Award Amount:** \$111,000  
**Address:**  
107 W. 11<sup>th</sup> Street  
Pueblo, CO 81003

**School Name:** GOAL Academy

**Program Description:** 120 previously expelled or suspended high school students will work toward a diploma in a high expectation, high support environment. A licensed therapist and skilled interventinist will engage students in social emotional skill building activities. Parent classes will focus on identifying existing strengths, improving communication and establishing appropriate roles.

**Charter:** Charter School Institute

**Year of 4-year grant:** 1  
**Contact:** David Rein  
**Phone:** 303-894-3160

**County of Schools:** Adams, Arapahoe, Jefferson  
**FY13 Award Amount:** \$155,752  
**Address:**  
925 S Moagara Street Suite 140  
Denver, CO 80224

**School Name:** New America School (Lowry, Denver, Lakewood)

**Program Description:** Three Colorado charter schools will establish guided learning programs for expelled students, In-school suspension programs, case management for the students most at-risk of expulsion and whole-school interventions such as Discovery-informed classes and Restorative Justice. These initiatives will serve 170 students ages 15-20.

**Charter:** Charter School Institute  
**Year of 4-year grant:** 1  
**Contact:** Carolyn Gery  
**Phone:** 719-575-9380

**County of Schools:** El Paso  
**FY13 Award Amount:** \$103,743  
**Address:**  
3115 Larkspur Avenue  
Colorado Springs, CO 80907

**School Name:** Scholars to Leaders

**Program Description:** Scholars to Leaders is a charter school serving a high percentage of students who are at-risk of future expulsion/suspension. This grant targets extreme at-risk factors leading to expulsion: student/family engagement, student mobility, attendance, and low academic achievement through tutoring, a before/after school program, a summer school, and parent outreach.

**Charter:** Denver Justice High School  
**Year of 4-year grant:** 4  
**Contact:** Mindy Logan  
**Phone:** 303-859-5196

**County:** Denver  
**FY13 Award Amount:** \$99,074  
**Address:**  
4760 Shoshone St  
Denver, CO 80211

**Program Name:** Justice High School

**Program Description:** Denver Justice High School (DJHS) is a charter school which serves truant and expelled students under Denver Public School System. DJHS enrolls 110 students, grades 9 through 12. By providing three intensive service components and two Family Advocates, JHS will increase grades, improve parent involvement, and reduce school absences.

**Charter:** Southwest Open School  
**Year of 4-year grant:** 4  
**Contact:** Judy Hite  
**Phone:** 970-565-1150

**County:** Montezuma  
**FY13 Award Amount:** \$51,500  
**Address:**  
PO Box DD  
Cortez, CO 81321

**Program Name:** Increasing Opportunities for Individual Success (IOFIS)

**Program Description:** The increasing Opportunities for Individual Success (IOFIS) program will provide support for 120 expelled and at-risk high school students at Southwest Open School to ensure that they reach graduation by offering basic skills remediation classes, credit recovery opportunities, and substance abuse education while fostering increased support from their parents.

## DISTRICTS AND SCHOOLS

**District:** Adams 12 Five Star Schools  
**Year of 4-year grant:** 2  
**Contact:** Teresa Andrade  
**Phone:** 720-972-6917

**County:** Adams  
**FY13 Award Amount:** \$239,065  
**Address:**  
1500 E. 128th Avenue  
Thornton, CO 80241

**Program Name:** Adams 12 Five Star Schools

**Program Description:** This plan supports 250 expelled/potentially expelled students, grades 8-12, via mentors who facilitate creation of student profiles and plans based on assessed needs and support students/families/schools through plan coordination. It includes parent classes, social-emotional skill training and Alternative to Expulsions (ATE) services. Alternative to Suspension (ATS) classes will be provided for Adams 12 and neighboring districts.

**District:** Adams County School District 50  
**Year of 4-year grant:** 4  
**Contact:** James Steward  
**Phone:** 303-428-2600

**County:** Adams  
**FY13 Award Amount:** \$90,000  
**Address:**  
7300 Lowell Blvd.  
Westminster, CO 80030

**Program Name:** Hidden Lake High School Online Services

**Program Description:** Adams 50 serves minority and disadvantaged youth at the secondary level. Hidden Lake High and Clear Lake Middle (grades 6-12) will provide an online venue for low achieving youth, returnees from expulsion, or drop-outs in an alternative school setting with the objective of improving academic achievement and connectedness with school.

**District:** Arapahoe County School District 6  
**Year of 4-year grant:** 1  
**Contact:** Karen Goodwin  
**Phone:**

**County:** Arapahoe  
**FY13 Award Amount:** \$271,766  
**Address:**  
5776 S Crocker Street  
Littleton, CO 80120

**Program Name:** Alternative Education

**Program Description:** Provide services to district alternative education programs serving 300 students, grades 6-12, using social and emotional and restorative approaches to address behavioral issues, with the goal of reducing truancy, suspensions and expulsions and increasing parent engagement, youth leadership, and academic achievement.

**District:** Aurora Public Schools  
**Year of 4-year grant:** 1  
**Contact:** Carol Moreno  
**Phone:** 303-344-8060 x29006

**County:** Arapahoe  
**FY13 Award Amount:** \$465,544  
**Address:**  
15701 E. 1st Avenue, Suite 217  
Aurora, CO 80011

**Program Name:** Early Intervention Program

**Program Description:** Program to develop a district-wide Systemic process of Multi-Tiered Systems of Support focused on the more intensive issues occurring in the RtI/PBIS continuum within the Secondary/Tertiary Prevention Tiers. This grant will support over 750 students at two elementary schools, a middle school and high school.

**District:** Boulder Valley School District  
**Year of 4-year grant:** 4  
**Contact:** Michele DeBerry  
**Phone:** 720-561-5252

**County:** Boulder  
**FY13 Award Amount:** \$99,969  
**Address:**  
6500 Arapahoe Road  
Boulder, CO 80303-1407

**Program Name:** Boulder Attendance Advocates

**Program Description:** The Boulder Valley School District will establish a district-wide system for truancy intervention that is responsive to extremely high rates of habitual truancy. Boulder Attendance Advocates will establish a network of school-resident outreach specialists, dedicated to improving attendance, academics, social/emotional functioning and parent involvement. Approximately 600 K-12 students will be served annually with intensive intervention.

**District: Canon City**  
**Year of 4-year grant: 4**  
**Contact: Robin Gooldy**  
**Phone: 719-276-5700**

**County: Fremont**  
**FY13 Award Amount: \$13,000**  
**Address:**  
**101 N. 14th Street**  
**Canon City, CO 81212**

**Program Name: Choice Points Service Learning Academy (Expansion Program)**

**Program Description:** This grant application seeks money to expand an existing program in Canon City for expelled and at-risk students to address the unique needs of 10 students with disabilities, grades 6-12, and provide mentoring for 10 truant students, grades K-12. Specialized instruction, intervention and support will reduce expulsion in these sub-groups.

**District: Delta County Joint School District 50**  
**Year of 4-year grant: 2**  
**Contact: Delaine Hudson**  
**Phone: 970-574-2753**

**County: Delta**  
**FY13 Award Amount: \$85,376**  
**Address:**  
**360 E. 8th Street**  
**Delta, CO 81416**

**Program Name: Opportunity School**

**Program Description:** Delta Opportunity School is an Alternative Education Campus located in Delta servicing 130 “at-risk” for not graduating students due to expulsion, repeated suspensions, and truancy. Grades served: 7-12. Objectives: graduation, post-secondary transition. Strategies: licensed professional counselor, academic instruction, small staff student ratio of 1 to 15, service learning, career exploration.

**District: Delta County School District**  
**Year of 4-year grant: 4**  
**Contact: Amy Miller**  
**Phone: 970-856-6193**

**County: Delta**  
**FY13 Award Amount: \$37,500**  
**Address:**  
**P.O. Box 547**  
**Cedaredge, CO 81413**

**Program Name: Surface Creek Vision LAUNCH Community Program - Alternative School**

**Program Description:** LAUNCH supports 18 at-risk learners in grades 9-12 through Individualized Learning Plans at Surface Creek Vision. Ability level classroom instruction is provided in cohort groups, not exceeding eight students. Direct core academic instruction, community engagement, service learning, credit and attendance recovery, and transition strategies are used to decrease at-risk behaviors.

**District: Denver Public Schools**  
**Year of 4-year grant: 2**  
**Contact: Aviva Katz**  
**Phone: 720-423-1231**

**County: Denver**  
**FY13 Award Amount: \$178,108**  
**Address:**  
**Suite 706, 900 Grant Street**  
**Denver, CO 80203**

**Program Name: DPS Transitions Program**

**Program Description:** Denver Public Schools will implement the Transition Liaison Program (TLP). TLP staff will work with expelled/at-risk of being expelled secondary school students district-wide. Three Transition Liaison positions will work with schools and partner agencies to return students from treatment/incarceration to the school setting that best fits students' needs.



**District: Denver Public Schools**  
**Year of 4-year grant: 1**  
**Contact: Amy McDiarmid**  
**Phone: 720-424-8459**

**County: Denver**  
**FY13 Award Amount: \$233,507**  
**Address:**  
**2727 Columbine Street**  
**Denver, CO 80205**

**Program Name: PREP Academy**

**Program Description:** Most PREP Academy students have incurred difficulty with the traditional education system. The majority were expelled. The Discovery Program character education will deliver skills to promote academic and social success. The curriculum will be delivered in a boot camp format, 6 hours a day, for 6 weeks.

**District: Douglas County School District**  
**Year of 4-year grant: 4**  
**Contact: Janet Laning-Krug**  
**Phone: 303-387-0700**

**Email: janet.laning@dcsdk12.org**

**Program Name: DCSD Bilateral Expulsion/Truancy Project**

**Program Description:** DCSD will take a bilateral approach to reducing truancy and expulsion rates. By July 2012, 1,136 habitually truant K-12 and 400 at-risk and expelled students will improve academically and social emotionally district-wide. This will be obtained through incorporation of truancy prevention processes, alternative education, expelled services expansion, PBIS and WrapAround programming.

**County: Douglas**  
**FY13 Award Amount: \$132,605**  
**Address:**  
**11722 N. Dransfeldt Road**  
**Parker, CO 80134**

**District: East Grand 2 School District**  
**Year of 4-year grant: 3**  
**Contact: Nancy Karas**  
**Phone: 970-887-2581**

**County: Grand**  
**FY13 Award Amount: \$68,508**  
**Address:**  
**P.O. Box 125 299 County Road 611**  
**Granby, CO 80446**

**Program Name: Support and Intervention Program (SIP)**

**Program Description:** The Support and Intervention Program (SIP) will provide “wrap-around services” for 25 Grand County students in grades 6-10 presenting “at-risk characteristics”. The SIP is staffed by an Intervention Specialist (1 FTE) and a Family Counselor (1 FTE). It will build a positive support team that helps address students’ academic, behavioral, and social needs in school and at home.

**District: Englewood Schools**  
**Year of 4-year grant: 2**  
**Contact: Diana Zakhem**  
**Phone: 303-806-2005**

**County: Arapahoe**  
**FY13 Award Amount: \$312,000**  
**Address:**  
**4101 S. Bannock Street**  
**Englewood, CO 80110**

**Program Name: Englewood Schools**

**Program Description:** Englewood Schools will implement an intensive intervention program to address the behavioral, academic, social and emotional needs of at-risk youth in grades 6-12. Through research-based educational, behavioral, and wrap-around case management service, Englewood will afford expelled and significantly at-risk students the opportunity to re-engage in their education.

**Private: Escuela Tlatelolco**  
**Year of 4-year grant: 1**  
**Contact: Nita Gonzales**  
**Phone: 303-964-8993**

**County: Denver**  
**FY13 Award Amount: \$180,293**  
**Address:**  
**2949 Federal Boulevard**  
**Denver, CO 80211**

**Program Name: Escuela Tlatelolco**

**Program Description:** Escuela Tlatelolco will provide educational services to 35 at-risk students in grades 709 at 2949 Federal Boulevard in Denver. Eighty-five percent (85%) will increase academic achievement and reduce delinquent behaviors. Strategies include: (1) intensive math and literacy instruction, (2) experience cultural education, (3) restorative justice discipline, and (4) family engagement.

**District: Fountain-Fort Carson School District 8**  
**Year of 4-year grant: 4**  
**Contact: Jason Miller**  
**Phone: 719-382-1550**

**County: El Paso**  
**FY13 Award Amount: \$49,699**  
**Address:**  
**301 E. Iowa**  
**Fountain, CO 80817**

**Program Name: Second Chance**

**Program Description:** The Second Chance program will provide a rigorous, aligned and seamless curriculum and whole-child support for the most at-risk middle/high school students in the Fountain and Hanover school districts. This program is an alternative to alternative education that ensures every student has the opportunity to graduate to pursue postsecondary education or workforce options.

**District: Fountain-Fort Carson School District 8**  
**Year of 4-year grant: 1**  
**Contact: Chris Trask**  
**Phone: 719-382-1572**

**County: El Paso**  
**FY13 Award Amount: \$101,440**  
**Address:**  
**10665 Jimmy Camp Road**  
**Fountain, CO 81007**

**Program Name: Middle School Student Support Program**

**Program Description:** The project will provide an interim step for at-risk middle school students prior to referral to an alternative educational setting. Students will be referred to the program as part of the RtI process. Programming includes utilization of Discovery, mentoring, parent outreach and educational support.

**District: Ignacio School District**  
**Year of 4-year grant: 4**  
**Contact: Norma Conley**  
**Phone: 970-749-7530**

**County: La Plata**  
**FY13 Award Amount: \$15,100**  
**Address:**  
**PO Box 460, 315 Ignacio Street**  
**Ignacio CO 81137**

**Program Name: Ignacio Academy**

**Program Description:** The Ignacio Academy will integrate and align services grades 9-12 for students in need of an Alternative Educational placement as a result of habitual discipline issues that may or do result in long term suspension or expulsion. Stakeholders will work together to develop individual learning and vocational plan options, utilizing online classes, vocational instruction, and counseling services.

**District:** Lake County School District  
**Year of 4-year grant:** 4  
**Contact:** Jamie Jeffery  
**Phone:** 719-486-6970

**County:** Lake  
**FY13 Award Amount:** \$29,400  
**Address:**  
107 Spruce Street  
Leadville, CO 80461

**Program Name:** Extended Learning

**Program Description:** LCSD will increase attendance and graduation rates at the high school by expanding alternative education programming for 50-60 students grades 9-12, by hiring a Truancy and Alternative Programs Coordinator to monitor and advise students enrolled in the alternative program and implement a system for tracking truant students.

**District:** Mapleton Public Schools  
**Year of 4-year grant:** 1  
**Contact:** Channing Puchino  
**Phone:** 303-853-1008

**County:** Adams  
**FY13 Award Amount:** \$185,690  
**Address:**  
591 E. 80th Avenue  
Denver, CO 80229

**Program Name:** NETS (Network for Expelled and Truant Students)

**Program Description:** To improve parent capacity, student attendance/ achievement and school safety/ discipline, the district will provide: A student re-entry Resource center; Alternatives to Suspension program; Love and Logic programs at 8 schools. The program will serve 80-110 participants annually in grades 6-12.

**District:** Mesa County Valley School District  
**Year of 4-year grant:** 4  
**Contact:** Catherine Haller  
**Phone:** 970-254-5351

**County:** Mesa  
**FY13 Award Amount:** \$71,089  
**Address:**  
930 Ute Avenue  
Grand Junction, CO 81501

**Program Name:** Prevention Services

**Program Description:** HS expelled/at-risk for expulsion students at TOC (100), will receive vocational counseling to increase graduation and post school options. Middle school suspended/at-risk for expulsion students (180) at Fruita and Bookcliff Middle schools will have an interventionist to increase positive behavioral/social/emotional skills. K-12 students from 2 districts (19,890) will benefit from PBIS.

**District:** Mesa County Valley School District  
**Year of 4-year grant:** 1  
**Contact:** Catherine Haller/John Pomaski  
**Phone:** 970-254-5488/970-254-7500

**County:** Mesa  
**FY13 Award Amount:** \$120,482  
**Address:**  
Basil T Knight Center  
2523 Patterson Road  
Grand Junction, CO 81505

**Program Name:** Prevention Services

**Program Description:** The program will serve 1200 students grades K-12 in 39 of our district schools. Attendance advocates support students with below 80% attendance and address barriers to attendance. Substance use suspensions are addressed through partnership with Colorado West Mental Health. This consists of evaluation, education and therapy for identified students with tutoring for skill deficits.

**District: North Conejos RE1J**  
**Year of 4-year grant: 2**  
**Contact: Dorrie Quintana**  
**Phone: 719-274-5174**

**County: Conejos**  
**FY13 Award Amount: \$122,311**  
**Address:**  
**8745 County Road 9 S**  
**Alamosa, CO 81101**

**Program Name: Family Voices, North and South Conejos County Schools**

**Program Description:** North and South Conejos School Districts will utilize the evidence-supported Hi-fidelity Wraparound model along with Boys Council and Girls Circles to serve approximately 122 youth each year to help decrease the suspensions, expulsions and disciplinary referrals while increasing school attendance, grades and parental participation.

**District: Park County School District 2**  
**Year of 4-year grant: 4**  
**Contact: Amy Bollinger**  
**Phone: 719-836-4418**

**County: Park**  
**FY13 Award Amount: \$54,000**  
**Address:**  
**PO Box 189, 640 Hathaway Street**  
**Fairplay, CO 80440**

**Program Name: Extended Studies Program Alternative School**

**Program Description:** The Extended Studies Program, in collaboration with local agencies, will provide academic and mental health services intervention to up to 30 per year at-risk and expelled students, grades 6-12, in Fairplay for surrounding school districts, in order to improve student academic achievement, student attitudes and behavior, and student/family relationships.

**District: Pueblo City Schools**  
**Year of 4-year grant: 1**  
**Contact: Cheryl Madrill**  
**Phone: 719-549-7188**

**County: Pueblo**  
**FY13 Award Amount: \$315,027**  
**Address:**  
**315 W 11<sup>th</sup> Street**  
**Pueblo, CO**

**Program Name: Pueblo City Schools Alternative Support Programs**

**Program Description:** This will provide a comprehensive program for students demonstrating a need for specific, targeted, research-based interventions. The reduction of truancy, behavior, and suspension and expulsion rates will have a significant impact on achievement for students in the district. The program will service 300 school age students per year.

**District: Salida School District**  
**Year of 4-year grant: 3**  
**Contact: Rob Tressler**  
**Phone: 719-530-5469**

**County: Chaffee**  
**FY13 Award Amount: \$60,000**  
**Address:**  
**310 E. 9th Street**  
**Salida CO 81201**

**Program Name: Salida Alternative School**

**Program Description:** Salida School District R32J will provide self paced, individualized education programming through comprehensive instructional and support services within an regional alternative school setting (Horizon Exploratory Academy) for 25-30 students in grades 9-12 that would address students at risk for suspension and enhance completion rates.

**District: Sangre de Cristo School District**  
**Year of 4-year grant: 4**  
**Contact: Mavi Apodaca**  
**Phone: 719-378-2321**

**County: Alamosa**  
**FY13 Award Amount: \$109,968**  
**Address:**  
**5401 Terry Street**  
**Mosca, CO 81146**

**Program Name: Mi Animo**

**Program Description:** Centennial School District will use evidence-based and In-School Suspension to serve 70-80 at-risk youth K-12. Programs will lower expulsion rates, improve grades/attendance, and lessen discipline problems. Strategies include: Intensive Case Management, mentoring, after school/summer programming, incentives, juvenile justice/community policing, and academic/family support.

**District: Sheridan School District 2**  
**Year of 4-year grant: 1**  
**Contact: Jackie Webb**  
**Phone: 720-833-6932**

**County: Arapahoe**  
**FY12 Award Amount: \$290,926**  
**Address:**  
**4000 S Lowell Blvd**  
**Denver, CO 80236**

**Program Name: Sheridan High School**

**Program Description:** Program will provide expansion of the current Student Outreach and Academic Recovery (SOAR) program piloted successfully in 2009-10 expanding to serve 200 students per year; Fortify the current SOAR program by increasing the level of direct instruction and rigor by adding onsite instructors including reading-writing, math and SPED; Fortify current SOAR program by increasing the wrap-around services including counseling, affective needs, and increased partnership with related organizations; Create and provide services to re-engage families; Provide and staff an alternative campus for expelled students who pose a threat to safety of students on the High School campus.

**District: Summit Re-1 School District**  
**Year of 4-year grant: 1**  
**Contact: Brett Tomlinson**  
**Phone: 970-368-1108**

**County: Summit**  
**FY13 Award Amount: \$25,000**  
**Address:**  
**PO Box 7, 150 School Road**  
**Frisco, CO 80443**

**Program Name: Snowy Peaks High School**

**Program Description:** Proposal to implement the Reconnecting Youth Curriculum (RY) for 25 students throughout the course of the school year. RY is an evidence based program with the goal of increasing school performance, decreasing drug involvement, and decreasing emotional distress.

**District: Weld RE-3J (Keenesburg RE-3J)**  
**Year of 4-year grant: 3**  
**Contact: Toby Karr**  
**Phone: 303.536.2107**

**County: Weld**  
**FY13 Award Amount: \$60,000**  
**Address:**  
**99 West Broadway**  
**Keenesburg, CO 80643**

**Program Name: Alternative Education Center**

**Program Description:** The Alternative Education Center (AEC) seeks funds to provide Weld County RE-3J expelled and at-risk students opportunities for success. The AEC will provide intense counseling, engagement through technology, and Latino Education Achievement to Graduation (LEAG) support for students expelled and at-risk of expulsion.

**District: Weld RE-5J**  
**Year of 4-year grant: 1**  
**Contact: Jason Seybert**  
**Phone: 970-587-6804**

**County: Weld**  
**FY13 Award Amount: \$70,513**  
**Address:**  
**110 S Centennial Drive Suite A**  
**Miliken, CO 80543**

**Program Name: Roosevelt High School**

**Program Description:** Plan to identify and intervene with at-risk students through a freshmen study skills course, credit recovery and Why Try? The district is also striving to provide an alternative on-line setting for at-risk students so they are provided the opportunity to finish school in a non-traditional setting.

**District: Weld Re-8 School District**  
**Year of 4-year grant: 4**  
**Contact: Scott Graham**  
**Phone: 303-857-3213**

**County: Weld**  
**FY13 Award Amount: \$30,150**  
**Address:**  
**301 Reynolds Street**  
**Fort Lupton, CO 80621**

**Program Name: Fort Lupton Expulsion Reduction (FLEXR)**

**Program Description:** The Fort Lupton Expulsion Reduction (FLEXR) program will minimize expulsions by focusing on 30 habitually truant students K-12 and 50 high-school students at risk of expulsion due to academic and behavioral issues. Services will also be provided to expelled students so they can return to school academically ready to learn.

## FACILITY SCHOOLS

**Facility: Denver Children's Home**  
**Year of 4-year grant: 3**  
**Contact: Debbie Huerta**  
**Phone: 303-399-4890**

**County: Denver**  
**FY13 Award Amount: \$122,250**  
**Address:**  
**1501 Albion Street**  
**Denver, CO 80220**

**Program Name: Student Success Center (SSC) of Bansbach Academy**

**Program Description:** Denver Children's Home's Student Success Center (SSC) will provide the knowledge, skills, and tools (credit recovery, GED preparation, and Life Skills/Transition programming) to 65 at-risk 5th – 12th grade youth to successfully transition to a less restrictive educational environment, post-secondary education, or the world of work while avoiding suspension and expulsion.

**Facility: El Pueblo Boys and Girls Ranch**  
**Year of 4-year grant: 3**  
**Contact: Elizabeth Riffle**  
**Phone: 719-404-1121**

**County: Pueblo**  
**FY13 Award Amount: \$75,000**  
**Address:**  
**1 El Pueblo Ranch Way**  
**Pueblo, CO 81006**

**Program Name: El Pueblo School**

**Program Description:** El Pueblo will utilize funds to increase its capacity to deliver a high quality continuum of care including wraparound services, intervention services, and vocational education to promote success, safety and permanency in the home, school and community.



**Facility: Family Crisis Center School**  
**Year of 4-year grant: 4**  
**Contact: Alisa Saliman**  
**Phone: 720-944-3765**

**County: Denver**  
**FY13 Award Amount: \$100,000**  
**Address:**  
**2929 W 10th Avenue**  
**Denver, CO 80204**

**Program Name: Family Crisis Center School**

**Program Description:** The Catalyst for Change Program in the Family Crisis Center School will provide various levels of intervention services for residential students who are at risk for suspension and expulsion. All students enrolled in the school program will benefit from the prevention programs that will address social skills, character education and behavior skills training. Sixty targeted students per year will receive six-months of wrap around support services from CASASTART case managers, to be based out of the Family Crisis Center School.

**Facility: Griffith Centers for Children, Inc.**  
**Year of 4-year grant: 4**  
**Contact: Kathy Stults**  
**Phone: 719-327 2008**

**County: El Paso**  
**FY13 Award Amount: \$99,690**  
**Address:**  
**17 N. Farragut Avenue**  
**Colorado Springs, CO 80909**

**Program Name: Expelled and At-Risk Student Services**

**Program Description:** Community-based support and resources, intensive, individualized case management, innovative programs and research-based curriculum will be utilized to improve student engagement and behavior, encourage parental involvement, and ensure optimal post-secondary outcomes for the 80 students in grades 5-12 in the Center's Larkspur and Colorado Springs schools.

**Facility: Jefferson Hills**  
**Year of 4-year grant: 3**  
**Contact: David Molineux**  
**Phone: 303-996-3882**

**County: Jefferson**  
**FY13 Award Amount: \$67,500**  
**Address:**  
**421 Zang Street**  
**Lakewood, CO 80228**

**Program Name: Jefferson Hills**

**Program Description:** The Jefferson Hills residential treatment facility will increase Aggression Replacement Training instruction, utilize the Key-train software for online vocational and career skill development, and enhance transitional support between the facility and a student's new placement.

**Facility: Reflections for Youth, Inc.**  
**Year of 4-year grant: 2**  
**Contact: Elisabeth Freys**  
**Phone: 970-344-1390**

**County: Larimer**  
**FY13 Award Amount: \$149,115**  
**Address:**  
**1000 South Lincoln Avenue, Suite 190**  
**Loveland, CO 80537**

**Program Name: Reflections for Youth, Inc.**

**Program Description:** This program will serve at least 70 youth ages 11-18 in an alternative school setting. Students enrolled in this day treatment school program will benefit from research-based academic and clinical services, behavior modification support, Discovery, Title One services, access to technology, enhanced parental engagement strategies, individualized interventions and transition planning.

**Facility: Savio House**  
**Year of 4-year grant: 2**  
**Contact: Johnathan Norlin**  
**Phone: 303-225-4060**

**County: Denver**  
**FY13 Award Amount: \$174,325**  
**Address:**  
**325 King Street**  
**Denver, CO 80219**

**Program Name: Savio House**

**Program Description:** Savio currently provides residential and day treatment programs for 115 students, grades 6-12. Savio is requesting funds for 20-30 Skills Trainers, a Math Teacher, and an Educational Counselor. These positions will improve student success by improving community skills, meeting individualized needs through pull-out services, tutoring, and smaller class sizes

**Facility: Shiloh Home**  
**Year of 4-year grant: 2**  
**Contact: Kevin Tracy**  
**Phone: 303-932-9599**

**County: Arapahoe**  
**FY13 Award Amount: \$225,055**  
**Address:**  
**6400 W. Coalmine Avenue**  
**Littleton, CO 80123**

**Program Name: Shiloh Home**

**Program Description:** Shiloh Home Inc. will utilize a PBIS model, small structured educational environment, social skills programming, on-line credit recovery, a literacy specialist, highly trained teachers, licensed therapists, a positive family engagement team, to serve approximately 100 students grade 3-12 in day treatment and residential setting across our four school campuses.

**Facility: Synergy Residential and Day Treatment School**  
**Year of 4-year grant: 2**  
**Contact: Kelly Farris**  
**Phone: 303-781-7875**

**County: Denver**  
**FY13 Award Amount: \$75,000**  
**Address:**  
**3738 W. Princeton Circle**  
**Denver, CO 80236**

**Program Name: Synergy Residential and Day Treatment Schools**

**Program Description:** Synergy School programs will provide access to online courses annually to approximately one hundred seventy 9-12th grade students in our day treatment and residential settings in order to afford our significantly at-risk students a genuine opportunity to re-engage in their education and earn a high school diploma.

**Facility: Tennyson Center for Children**  
**Year of 4-year grant: 3**  
**Contact: James Snyder**  
**Phone: 720-855-3414**

**County: Denver**  
**FY13 Award Amount: \$45,000**  
**Address:**  
**2950 Tennyson St**  
**Denver, CO 80212**

**Program Name: Tennyson Center for Children**

**Program Description:** This EARSS grant will implement: (1) Positive Behavior Interventions Support (PBIS) in the home; and (2) a school leadership program for ninety-two K-12 youth to increase positive behaviors, reduce destructive behaviors, enhance academic performance, and stay in school.



**Facility: Third Way Center**  
**Year of 4-year grant: 2**  
**Contact: Laurie Ditterline**  
**Phone: 303-780-9191 x676**

**County: Denver**  
**FY13 Award Amount: \$213,200**  
**Address:**  
**P.O. Box 61385**  
**Denver, CO 80206-8365**

**Program Name: Third Way Center**

**Program Description:** Successful Futures Project (SFP) will enhance the school performance, engagement, graduation rates, family/community involvement and vocational opportunities for 152 high school students at Third Way Center. These youth are considered the most “at-risk” in the state, with numerous suspensions, expulsions and up to 58 previous human service placements.

**Facility: Turning Point Waverly School**  
**Year of 4-year grant: 2**  
**Contact: Lisa Broeder**  
**Phone: 970-567-0940**

**County: Larimer**  
**FY13 Award Amount: \$240,062**  
**Address:**  
**10431 N. County Road 15, Street**  
**Waverly, CO**

**Program Name: Turning Point Waverly School**

**Program Description:** Waverly School's Connections program will provide educational support and transition services to suspended and expelled students. Additionally, the program will provide services for students at-risk of future suspension/expulsion and truancy. The Connections program will serve students from 18 school districts throughout Colorado.

**Facility: Youth Track Inc. of San Luis Valley Youth Center**  
**Year of 4-year grant: 4**  
**Contact: David Molineux**  
**Phone: 303-597 2228**

**County: Alamosa**  
**FY13 Award Amount: \$22,470**  
**Address:**  
**5 Mountain View Place**  
**Alamosa, CO 81101**

**Program Name: Intensive Intervention Program**

**Program Description:** Youthtrack will implement an Intensive Intervention Program (IIP) to address academic deficiencies, behavioral issues and parent involvement for students in grades 4th-12th across Colorado, but currently attending this facility school. Strategies include intensive academic tutoring, expanded parent contact, and integration of the Why Try? curriculum throughout each component.