

Metropolitan Nashville Public Schools Club MCM (Music City Miracle)

Program Overview

Club MCM (Music City Miracle) is an after school program that addresses academic and life skill needs for at-risk students in six middle and three elementary schools. Each site meets for 2Y2 hours Monday through Thursday during the regular school year. The average daily attendance is approximately 55 students in eight of the nine sites.

Philosophy

Club MCM provides a program based on a strong, hands-on academic curriculum in reading, writing, and math with enrichment opportunities, including healthy lifestyle and drug education, in an atmosphere that is safe, caring, and nurturing to participants.

Goals

1. To plan and implement after-school programs that meet the academic, health and enrichment needs of students in nine schools
2. To provide services and educational opportunities that meet life skill training needs of parents and other adult family members
3. To establish school-community partnerships that enrich the learning environment and encourage continued collaboration

Objectives

- . Provide a safe and enriching place for students in after school hours
- . Improve student academic achievement
- . Reduce student absenteeism in regular school
- . Reduce disruptive behavior in regular school
- . Reduce retentions and dropouts
- . Improve student life skills, healthy lifestyles and decision-making
- . Assist immigrants and refugees in adjusting to our schools where needs are identified.
- . Increase parent participation in the student's educational process
- . Improve academic and job readiness skills of parents
- . Increase community participation in schools

