



**To:** Regents Workgroup on Improving Outcomes for Boys and Young Men of Color  
**From:** Lester W. Young  
**Re:** Workgroup Agenda and Accompanying Documents  
**Date:** October 9, 2020

Colleagues,

Attached, please find the pertinent documents for our meeting on October 19<sup>th</sup>.

They include:

- a) The agenda – including the initial MBK COVID response (ATTACHMENT 1.1)
- b) Summary of MBK Grant allocations by District and Institutions of Higher Education (ATTACHMENTS 2.1 through 2.6)
- c) Additional Information (ATTACHMENT 3.1)

The focus of this meeting will be on the MBK COVID Response for school year 2020-2021.

Thank you for your time and commitment.

Regards,  
Lester



## AGENDA

### NEW YORK STATE EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

### Regents Workgroup on Improving Outcomes for Boys and Young Men of Color

October 19, 2020  
Via Zoom Platform

#### 1. Opening

Regent Young  
Anael Alston, Ed.D.

##### Introduction of SED MBK Staff

Sean Brown, Kimberly Hardaway, Karen Hymes, Doris Waiters

#### 2. Discussion Items

Update on Current MBK Grant Allocations

Challenge Grant **ATTACHMENT 2.1**

Family and Community Engagement **ATTACHMENT 2.2**

Exemplary School Models and Practices **ATTACHMENT 2.3**

MBK Fellows **ATTACHMENT 2.4**

Teacher Opportunity Corps II **ATTACHMENT 2.5**

MBK Native American Program **ATTACHMENT 2.6**

Grant Flexibility and Adjustments

MBK COVID Response (2020-2021)

MBK "Ask the Doctor w/Dr. Lynne Holden" (3-minute video)

MBK Symposium (Oct. 29 tentative date)

MBK College Essay Writing Masterclass (November 2, 5, 9)

MBK Mastermind (book study) – *The Fire Next Time* by J. Baldwin

MBK Mastermind (book study) – *When I Was Puerto Rican* by E. Santiago

MBK Mastermind (book study) – *Brooklyn Bred* by Attika J. Torrence

#### 3. Additional Information

Initial MBK COVID Response (April - June 2020) **ATTACHMENT 3.1**

MBK Fellows Village Meeting (April 23)

TOC II Virtual Summit (June 10)

MBK Fellows Weekly Mastermind (book study-May 7 through June 11)

MBK Fellows Induction Ceremony and Workshop (June 25)

## 2020-2021 My Brother's Keeper Challenge Grant (CG)

### ATTACHMENT 2.1

**Purpose:** The purpose of My Brother's Keeper Challenge Grant is to incentivize and support school districts to accept the My Brother's Keeper Challenge Grant and implement a coherent cradle-to-college strategy aimed at improving the life outcomes for boys and young men of color. The milestones for this Challenge Grant are:

- Getting a Healthy Start and Entering School Ready to Learn
- Reading at Grade Level by Third Grade
- Graduating from high school ready for college and career

**Funding level:** The annual statewide appropriation for MBK CG is \$7,000,000.

**Project Period:** The current funding cycle began January 13, 2020 and runs through June 30, 2022. The project's first year was initially January 13, 2020 through June 30, 2020, but was extended until April 30, 2021 due to COVID-19. The third and final year of the cycle ends June 30, 2022.

**Students Served:** Thirty-three districts across New York State were awarded a CG to improve outcomes for boys and young men of color. School districts and their partners seek to remove the conditions and circumstances that hinder boys and young men of color in school and, therefore, life. Each district focuses on identified milestones, strategies, and outcomes and use CG resources to support this initiative. The expectation is that measurable progress will be evidenced, and the young people served will achieve at higher heights.

**Examples of Program Activities and Supports:** Challenge projects have offered various supports and activities for students include but are not limited to:

- **Mentorship programs:** MBK students are engaged in a long-term face-to-face relationship with an adult, incorporating structured and unstructured activities, social emotional development and support
- **Tutoring services:** MBK students are provided with teachers for academic support with homework help, Regents preparation, and study skill development
- **Saturday Academies:** Provide wide access to hands-on learning for MBK students, youth are engaged in hands-on, in-depth learning by connecting to community experts as educators and mentors
- **MBK Male Academies:** Through Culturally and Linguistically Responsive Teaching (CLRT) MBK students learn about their own history, social justice, and can see themselves through the lens of the curriculum
- **MBK Symposium:** Selected individuals from the projects attend and participate annually

2020-2021 My Brother's Keeper Challenge Grant (CG)

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<b>MBK Challenge Grant: Round Two 2019-2022</b>		
<b>District</b>	<b>Annual Award</b>	<b>3-Year Projection</b>
Albany City School District	142,056	\$426,168
Buffalo City School District	369,035	\$1,107,105
Central Islip Union Free School District	76,730	\$230,190
Elmira City School District	69,201	\$207,603
Fallsburg Central School District	43,624	\$130,872
Hempstead Union Free School District	367,152	\$1,101,456
Kingston City School District	94,113	\$282,339
New York City Geographic District # 3	91,567	\$274,701
New York City Geographic District # 4	34,988	\$104,964
New York City Geographic District # 5	216,903	\$650,709
New York City Geographic District # 7	271,711	\$815,133
New York City Geographic District # 8	184,462	\$553,386
New York City Geographic District # 9	314,449	\$943,347
New York City Geographic District #10	383,761	\$1,151,283
New York City Geographic District #12	577,745	\$1,733,235
New York City Geographic District #13	33,106	\$99,318
New York City Geographic District #14	90,459	\$271,377
New York City Geographic District #16	41,410	\$124,230
New York City Geographic District #19	206,163	\$618,489
New York City Geographic District #23	73,076	\$219,228
New York City Geographic District #27	30,000	\$90,000
New York City Geographic District #31	36,981	\$110,943
Newark Central School District	88,356	\$265,068
Newburgh City School District	110,057	\$330,171
Peekskill City School District	45,728	\$137,184
Poughkeepsie City School District	57,686	\$173,058
Riverhead Central School District	90,127	\$270,381
Rochester City School District	1,322,900	\$3,968,700
Schenectady City School District	231,961	\$695,883
Syracuse City School District	500,572	\$1,501,716
Troy City School District	30,227	\$90,681
Utica City School District	65,104	\$195,312
Yonkers City School District	137,405	\$412,215
<b>State Totals</b>	<b>\$6,428,816</b>	<b>\$19,286,445</b>

## My Brother's Keeper Family and Community Engagement (FCEP)

### ATTACHMENT 2.2

**Purpose:** The purpose of the Family and Community Engagement Program is to increase the academic achievement and college and career readiness of boys and young men of color by developing and sustaining effective relationships with families and the community toward the goal of student success.

**Funding level:** The annual statewide appropriation for MBK Family and Community Engagement is \$6,000,000.

**Project Period:** The current funding cycle began September 1, 2016 and ran through August 31, 2020. The projects' fourth and final year has been extended until April 30, 2021 due to COVID-19.

**Students Served:** 45 school districts were awarded the Family and Community Engagement grant to serve students, teachers and families. The most recent data shows that over **190,000 students and 185,000 parents** were served through the FCEP program.

**Examples of Program Activities and Supports:** Program examples include professional development on cultural-responsiveness and awareness, implicit bias, and restorative justice, as well as home visits, attending MBK symposiums and academic parent/teacher teams. Other examples include mentoring, implementation of Boston Basics, summer and college readiness programs, and providing translation services. 586 activities were funded and conducted to engender confidence, trust, respect with families, communities, and school districts.

Family and Community Engagement Program (FCEP) 45 Districts Awarded Grants					
FCEP Grantees	2016-2017 Award	2017-2018 Award	2018-2019 Award	2019-2020 Award	District Total Grant Award
Binghamton City SD	\$149,972	\$149,972	\$149,972	\$149,972	\$599,888
Brentwood UFSD	\$150,000	\$150,000	\$150,000	\$150,000	\$600,000
Buffalo City CSD	\$127,500	\$127,500	\$127,500	\$127,500	\$510,000
Dunkirk City SD	\$150,000	\$150,000	\$150,000	\$150,000	\$600,000
East Ramapo CSD	\$150,000	\$150,000	\$150,000	\$150,000	\$600,000
Ellenville CSD	\$150,000	\$150,000	\$150,000	\$150,000	\$600,000
Fallsburg CSD	\$150,000	\$150,000	\$150,000	\$150,000	\$600,000
Freeport UFSD	\$150,000	\$150,000	\$150,000	\$150,000	\$600,000
Greenburgh CSD	\$141,467	\$141,467	\$141,467	\$141,467	\$565,868

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Hudson City SD	\$145,500	\$145,500	\$145,500	\$145,500	\$582,000
Ithaca City SD	\$150,000	\$150,000	\$150,000	\$150,000	\$600,000
Johnson City SD	\$150,000	\$150,000	\$150,000	\$150,000	\$600,000
Kingston City SD	\$150,000	\$150,000	\$150,000	\$150,000	\$600,000
Lawrence UFSD	\$150,000	\$150,000	\$150,000	\$150,000	\$600,000
Longwood CSD	\$150,000	\$150,000	\$150,000	\$150,000	\$600,000
Lyons CSD	\$150,000	\$150,000	\$150,000	\$150,000	\$600,000
Monticello CSD	\$150,000	\$150,000	\$150,000	\$150,000	\$600,000
Mount Vernon City SD	\$150,000	\$150,000	\$150,000	\$150,000	\$600,000
Newark CSD	\$150,000	\$150,000	\$150,000	\$150,000	\$600,000
Newburgh Enlarged City SD	\$150,000	\$150,000	\$150,000	\$150,000	\$600,000
Niagara Falls City SD	\$150,000	\$150,000	\$150,000	\$150,000	\$600,000
NYC Community District #5	\$90,000	\$90,000	\$90,000	\$90,000	\$360,000
NYC Community District #6	\$90,000	\$90,000	\$90,000	\$90,000	\$360,000
NYC Community District #7	\$90,000	\$90,000	\$90,000	\$90,000	\$360,000
NYC Community District #8	\$90,000	\$90,000	\$90,000	\$90,000	\$360,000
NYC Community District #9	\$150,000	\$150,000	\$150,000	\$150,000	\$600,000
NYC Community District #10	\$90,000	\$90,000	\$90,000	\$90,000	\$360,000
NYC Community District #11	\$90,000	\$90,000	\$90,000	\$90,000	\$360,000
NYC Community District #12	\$90,000	\$90,000	\$90,000	\$90,000	\$360,000

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NYC Community District #16	\$150,000	\$150,000	\$150,000	\$150,000	\$600,000
NYC Community District #17	\$150,000	\$150,000	\$150,000	\$150,000	\$600,000
NYC Community District #19	\$150,000	\$150,000	\$150,000	\$150,000	\$600,000
NYC Community District #23	\$90,000	\$90,000	\$90,000	\$90,000	\$360,000
NYC Community District #29	\$90,000	\$90,000	\$90,000	\$90,000	\$360,000
NYC Community District #32	\$90,000	\$90,000	\$90,000	\$90,000	\$360,000
Ossining UFSD	\$147,415	\$147,415	\$147,415	\$147,415	\$589,660
Peekskill City SD	\$150,000	\$150,000	\$150,000	\$150,000	\$600,000
Poughkeepsie City SD	\$139,502	\$139,502	\$139,502	\$139,502	\$558,008
Rochester City SD	\$104,877	\$104,877	\$104,877	\$104,877	\$419,508
Roosevelt UFSD	\$149,533	\$149,533	\$149,533	\$149,533	\$598,132
Schenectady City SD	\$149,975	\$149,975	\$149,975	\$149,975	\$599,900
Syracuse City SD	\$150,000	\$150,000	\$150,000	\$150,000	\$600,000
Uniondale UFSD	\$150,000	\$150,000	\$150,000	\$150,000	\$600,000
Westbury UFSD	\$150,000	\$150,000	\$150,000	\$150,000	\$600,000
Yonkers City SD	\$150,000	\$150,000	\$150,000	\$150,000	\$600,000
<b>Annual Award Totals</b>	<b>\$6,055,741</b>	<b>\$6,055,741</b>	<b>\$6,055,741</b>	<b>\$6,055,741</b>	
<b>Cumulative Award TOTAL</b>					<b>\$24,222,964</b>

## My Brother's Keeper Exemplary School Models and Practices (ESMP)

### ATTACHMENT 2.3

**Purpose:** The purpose of the My Brother's Keeper (MBK) Exemplary School Models and Practices (ESMP) grant is to close the achievement gap and increase the academic achievement and college and career readiness (CCR) of students with an emphasis on boys and young men of color. The primary objective of this program is to investigate, replicate, and expand educational programs and models that build academic identity and social capital for underachieving youth.

**Funding level:** The current annual appropriation for MBK ESMP is \$1,249,771. Appropriation for the entire 2018-2021 grant cycle is \$3,653,415.

**Project Period:** The current funding cycle began September 1, 2018 and runs through August 31, 2021. The project's second year has been extended from August 31, 2020 to April 30, 2021 due to COVID-19. The third and final year of the grant ends August 31, 2021.

**Students Served:** Five districts were awarded ESMP grants to replicate and expand exemplary educational programs and models that build academic identity and social capital for underachieving youths in five replication partner districts. The total number of students in all funded schools is approximately 5,020.

**Examples of Program Activities and Supports:** ESMP projects have offered various supports and activities for students including:

- **Restorative justice** w/parent engagement; Algebra: all 8<sup>th</sup> graders; double-accelerated math: gifted students
- **Mentoring in Medicine:** mentoring, counseling, student advisement, college readiness activities; career exploration
- **STEAM** (Science, Technology, Engineering, Art/design, Math) education utilizing robotics LEGO Mindstorms EV3 with *Gears of Fury* curriculum
- Selected individuals from the projects attended and participated in the annual **MBK Symposium**

ESMP Demonstration Site (Grantees) District: School	ESMP Replication Site Part District: School	2018-19 Award	2019-20 Award	2020-21 Award	TOTAL Award
Lawrence Union free School District Lawrence Middle/High School	Wyandanch UFSD Wyandanch MS/HS	\$250,000	\$250,000	\$250,000	\$750,000.
NYCDOE Community District #5, M670 Thurgood Marshall Academy: Learning/Social Change	NYCDOE Community District #10 JHS 80 Mosholu School	\$249,837	\$249,837	\$249,837	\$749,511
NYCDOE Community District #7 PS 359 Concourse Village School	NYCDOE Community District #30 PS 111 Jacob Blackwell	\$218,012	\$249,978	\$249,978	\$717,968
NYCDOE Community District #16 MS 35 Stephen Decatur MS	NYCDOE Community District #8 MS 301 Paul Dunbar	\$218,012	\$249,978	\$249,978	\$717,968
NYCDOE Community District #29 PS 156 Laurelton	NYCDOE Community District #10 PS 85 Great Expectations	\$218,012	\$249,978	\$249,978	\$717,968
<b>Award TOTALS</b>		<b>\$1,153,873</b>	<b>\$1,249,771</b>	<b>\$1,249,771</b>	<b>\$3,653,415</b>

## My Brother's Keeper Fellows Program (FP)

### ATTACHMENT 2.4

**Purpose:** The purpose of the My Brother's Keeper (MBK) Fellows Program is to provide rising 12<sup>th</sup> grade high school students, with an emphasis on boys and young men of color, with opportunities to gain authentic leadership experience(s) and develop service projects beneficial to the schools they attend and the communities they live in.

**Funding level:** The current annual appropriation for the MBK Fellows Program is \$428,400. Fellows Grants since 2018 total \$1,041,250.

**Project Period:** The current funding cycle for the Fellows Program began December 13, 2019 and runs through June 30, 2022. The 2020 project year has been extended until April 30, 2021.

**Students Served:** In 2018, all MBK Communities were allocated two Fellows. Since 2019, districts with less than 10,000 students continue to have two Fellows per year with districts with more than 10,000 students, permitted to have four Fellows per year. Since 2018, 175 Fellows have been inducted into the Fellows Program.

**Examples of Program Activities and Supports:** Activities for MBK Fellows Program include, but are not limited to:

- **Leadership training** including **Mastermind book studies**, mentoring, counseling, student advisement, and internships
- **Speaker training** culminating in their "Stand and Deliver" presentations during Caucus Weekend
- **Service-learning projects** beneficial to the schools they attend and the communities they live in, the culmination of their Fellows experience
- Selected students and adults from the projects attended and participated in the **MBK Symposium** in Albany, NY.

Fellows Programs	2018 Award	#	2019 Award	#	2020 Award	#	Fellows Programs	2018 Award	#	2019 Award	#	2020 Award	#
Albany	\$11,900	2	\$11,900	2	\$11,900	2	Brentwood			\$23,800	4	\$23,800	4
Dunkirk	\$11,900	2					Buffalo	\$11,900	2	\$23,800	4	\$23,800	4
East Ramapo	\$11,900	2	\$11,900	2	\$11,900	2	New Rochelle			\$23,800	4	\$23,800	4
Greenburgh			\$11,900	2	\$11,900	2	Newburgh	\$11,900	2	\$23,800	4	\$23,800	4
Hudson	\$11,900	2	\$11,900	2	\$11,900	2	NYC Bronx	\$11,900	2	\$23,800	4	\$23,800	4
Ithaca	\$11,900	2	\$11,900	2	\$11,900	2	NYC Brooklyn	\$11,900	2	\$23,800	4	\$23,800	4
Lyons	\$11,900	2	\$11,900	2	\$11,900	2	NYC Manhattan	\$11,900	2	\$23,800	4	\$23,800	4
Monticello					\$11,900	2	NYC Queens	\$11,900	2	\$23,800	4	\$23,800	4
Mt. Vernon	\$11,900	2	\$11,900	2	\$11,900	2	NYC Staten Island	\$11,900	2	\$23,800	4	\$23,800	4
Ossining	\$11,900	2	\$11,900	2	\$11,900	2	Rochester	\$11,900	2	\$23,800	4	\$23,800	4
Peekskill					\$11,900	2	Syracuse			\$17,850	3	\$23,800	4
Poughkeepsie	\$11,900	2	\$11,900	2	\$11,900	2	Yonkers	\$11,900	2	\$23,800	4	\$23,800	4
White Plains			\$11,900	2	\$11,900	2							
Subtotals	\$107,100	18	\$119,000	20	\$142,800	24	Subtotals	\$107,100	18	\$279,650	47	\$285,600	48
<b>Annual TOTALS</b>	<b>\$214,200</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>\$398,650</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>\$428,400</b>	<b>72</b>	<b>Cumulative TOTALS</b>	Fellows	<b>175</b>	Awards		<b>\$1,041,250</b>	

## My Brother's Keeper Teacher Opportunity Corps (TOC II)

### ATTACHMENT 2.5

**Purpose:** TOC II aims to increase the pipeline of diverse students to increase the participation rate of historically underrepresented and economically disadvantaged individuals in teaching careers and bolster the retention of highly qualified individuals who value equity and reflect the diversity inside and outside of our classrooms.

**Funding level:** The annual statewide appropriation for MBK TOC II is \$3,000,000. In 2019-20, the original Teacher Opportunity Corps funding of \$450,000 was combined with TOC II, for a new available funding of \$3,450,000.

**Project Period:** The current funding cycle began September 1, 2016 and runs through August 31, 2021. The project's fourth year has been extended from August 31, 2020 until April 30, 2021 due to COVID-19. The fifth and final year of the grant ends August 31, 2021.

**Students Served:** Sixteen colleges and universities were awarded TOC II grants to serve undergraduate and/or graduate students pursuing teaching careers. In 2017-2018, a total of 525 students participated in TOC II, even though the institutions were only required to serve 475 students. In 2018-2019, the last final report that we have on record, a total of 561 students participated in TOC II, again exceeding the target of serving 475 students. The data set below indicates the amount of dollars that each institution received or is expected to receive and the number of students they are contracted to serve. Of the 561 students enrolled for 2018-2019, 523 students, 110% of the target of 475 students, were from the first priority group identified in the Request for Proposals (individuals underrepresented in the field of teaching).

Since its inception (2017), 256 students have graduated from TOC II. The Department will commence a deep analysis of all the TOC II data after the 2019/2020 TOC II Final Reports are received from the field.

### **Examples of Program Activities and Supports:**

- **Academic and Financial Support-** TOC II provides an array of supports and resources including, but not limited to, tuition support, coursework and trainings on culturally responsive teaching, supplemental financial assistance for books and instructional materials, funds for test preparation and exam fees, laptops, travel assistance for retention and recruitment activities.
- **Training and Induction Support-** TOC II incorporates high quality support systems and trainings for pre-service and in-service teachers including mentoring, coaching, internships in TSI and CSI schools, in-person and virtual summits with national leaders in education, seminars and professional development on topics such as restorative practices, trauma-informed Instruction, social justice in education, differentiated instruction, and Incorporating technology in instruction.
- **Statewide Professional Development and Leadership Opportunities-** TOC II encourages participants to network and learn from state and national leaders in education and government, and provides opportunities for students to further develop leadership skills through participation in events such as the MBK Symposiums, TOC II Summits, and NYSABPRL Caucus weekend panels.

## My Brother's Keeper Teacher Opportunity Corps (TOC II)

### ATTACHMENT 2.5

TOC II Grantees	2016-2017 Award	# of Students	2017-2018 Award	# of Students	2018-2019 Award	# of Students	2019-2020 Award	# of Students	2020-2021 Award	# of Students
Clarkson University	\$33,023	5	\$33,023	7 (5)	\$33,023	5 (5)	\$33,023	5	\$33,023	5
CUNY Brooklyn College	\$97,500	15	\$97,500	15 (15)	\$97,500	16 (15)	\$97,500	15	\$97,500	15
CUNY Hunter College	\$106,095	16	\$106,095	24 (16)	\$106,095	24 (16)	\$106,095	16	\$106,095	16
CUNY Lehman College	\$315,265	50	\$315,265	50 (50)	\$315,265	50 (50)	\$315,265	50	\$315,265	50
CUNY Medgar Evers College	\$324,997	50	\$324,997	57 (50)	\$324,997	55 (50)	\$324,997	50	\$324,997	50
CUNY Queens College	\$323,889	50	\$323,889	55 (50)	\$323,889	57 (50)	\$323,889	50	\$323,889	50
Manhattan College	\$132,005	22	\$132,005	21 (22)	\$132,005	21 (22)	\$132,005	22	\$132,005	22
Metropolitan College	\$162,500	25	\$162,500	34 (25)	\$162,500	39 (25)	\$162,500	25	\$162,500	25
Monroe College	\$325,000	60	\$325,000	49 (60)	\$325,000	57 (60)	\$325,000	60	\$325,000	60
Mount Saint Mary College	\$39,000	6	\$39,000	6 (6)	\$39,000	7 (6)	\$39,000	6	\$39,000	6
Nazareth College	\$130,000	20	\$130,000	28 (20)	\$130,000	25 (20)	\$130,000	20	\$130,000	20
Sarah Lawrence College	\$103,334	16	\$103,334	17 (16)	\$103,334	16 (16)	\$103,334	16	\$103,334	16
SUNY Cortland	\$127,458	20	\$127,458	20 (20)	\$127,458	21 (20)	\$127,458	20	\$127,458	20
SUNY Old Westbury	\$324,934	50	\$324,934	62 (50)	\$324,934	84 (50)	\$324,934	50	\$324,934	50
SUNY Oswego	\$325,000	50	\$325,000	54 (50)	\$325,000	56 (50)	\$325,000	50	\$325,000	50
Teachers College	\$130,000	20	\$130,000	26 (20)	\$130,000	28 (20)	\$130,000	20	\$130,000	20
<b>TOTALS</b>	\$3,000,000	475	\$3,000,000	525(475)	\$3,000,000	561(475)	\$3,000,000	475	\$3,000,000	475
<b>Additional Students Served</b>				<b>50</b>		<b>86</b>		TBD		TBD

## My Brother's Keeper Native American Program (MBKNAP)

### ATTACHMENT 2.6

#### Purpose

The purpose of the Native American Program is to incentivize and support school districts to accept the My Brother's Keeper initiative and implement a coherent cradle-to-college/career strategy aimed at improving the life outcomes for disadvantaged youth, particularly Native American boys and young men.

#### Funding level

The current annual statewide appropriation for MBK Native American Program is **\$882,247**. The total funding awarded since 2018 is **\$2,511,004.84**.

#### Project Period

The current funding cycle began December 13, 2019 and will run through August 31, 2022. The projects' first year funding cycle has been extended until August 31, 2019 until April 30, 2021 due to COVID-19.

#### Students Served

In 2019, **11 school districts** were awarded the Native American Program grant to serve **3,204** students. In the previous grant cycle the same 11 school districts served a total of **3204** students.

#### Examples of Program Activities and Supports

Program examples include mentoring, student leadership programs, vocational and technical education programs, as well as programs aimed at promoting job readiness, job placement and job retention. Other examples include attending the MBK symposiums, MBK NAP College, Trade and Career fairs, and activities aimed at promoting and strengthening cultural awareness and education.

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School District	Total # of Native American Students in 2017-2018	Annual Award	Total # of Native American Students in 2018-19	2019-2020 Award	2020-2021 Award	District Totals
Akron CSD	186	\$38,688.00	140	\$38,550.09	\$38,550.09	\$115,788.18
Center Moriches UFSD	77	\$16,016.00	83	\$22,854.70	\$22,854.70	\$61,725.40
Gowanda CSD	362	\$75,296.00	246	\$67,738.02	\$67,738.02	\$210,772.04
Lafayette CSD	163	\$33,904.00	133	\$36,622.59	\$36,622.59	\$107,149.18
Lafayette CSD for Onondaga Nation School	128	\$26,624.00	103	\$28,361.85	\$28,361.85	\$83,347.70
<b>Lafayette CSD Total</b>	<b>291</b>	<b>\$60,528.00</b>	<b>236</b>	<b>\$64,984.44</b>	<b>\$64,984.44</b>	<b>\$190,496.88</b>
Evans-Brant CSD (Lakeshore)	354	\$73,632.00	330	\$90,868.08	\$90,868.08	\$255,368.16
Massena CSD	229	\$47,632.00	231	\$63,607.65	\$63,607.65	\$174,847.30
Niagara-Wheatfield CSD	333	\$69,264.00	104	\$28,637.21	\$28,637.21	\$126,538.42
Niagara-Wheatfield CSD for Tuscarora Nation School	83	\$17,264.00	96	\$26,434.35	\$26,434.35	\$70,132.70
<b>Niagara-Wheatfield CSD Total</b>	<b>416</b>	<b>\$86,528.00</b>	<b>200</b>	<b>\$55,071.56</b>	<b>\$55,071.56</b>	<b>\$196,671.12</b>
Salamanca City CSD	434	\$90,272.00	574	\$158,055.38	\$158,055.38	\$406,382.76
Salmon River CSD	632	\$131,456.00	530	\$145,939.64	\$145,939.64	\$423,335.28
Salmon River CSD for St. Regis Mohawk School	311	\$64,688.00	380	\$104,635.97	\$104,635.97	\$273,959.94
<b>Salmon River Total</b>	<b>943</b>	<b>\$196,144.00</b>	<b>910</b>	<b>\$250,575.61</b>	<b>\$250,575.61</b>	<b>\$697,295.22</b>
Silver Creek CSD	180	\$37,440.00	130	\$35,796.52	\$35,796.52	\$109,033.04
Southampton UFSD	117	\$24,336.00	124	\$34,144.37	\$34,144.37	\$92,624.74
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>3,589</b>	<b>\$746,512.00</b>	<b>3,204</b>	<b>\$882,246.42</b>	<b>\$882,246.42</b>	
<b>Cumulative TOTALS</b>	<b>Students</b>	<b>6,793</b>		<b>Awards</b>		<b>\$2,511,004.84</b>

\* The district totals in bold include both the district and Nation school's total number of Native American students



## **Initial MBK COVID Response Summary of Events**

### **MBK Fellows Village Meeting**

**April 23, 2020**

In collaboration with the Partnership for After School Education (PASE), a virtual MBK Village Meeting via ZOOM was held and intended for the 2018, 2019, and incoming 2020 MBK Fellows (and the adults who support them). The focus of the village meeting was on the *Needs, Deeds and Impact* of the MBK Fellows. MBK Fellows shared one of the following: how the COVID-19 public health crisis has impacted his community service project, a need that he has observed or encountered during the public health crisis, or something powerfully positive that he has experienced or done during this crisis.

### **TOC II Virtual Summit**

**June 10, 2020**

MBK Teacher Opportunity Corps II presented: All Eyes on Equity During COVID-19. The purpose of this virtual summit was to provide training and support to our MBK TOC II funded programs, hear and understand insights that have been learned from TOC II participants, past and present, and ensure that the future teachers who emerge from TOC II have a clear understanding on how to identify and address equity in the classroom. The keynote was delivered by Dr. Pedro Noguera, one of the nation's top experts in education and social inequality as well as, the incoming Dean of the Rossier School of Education at the University of Southern California.

### **MBK Fellows Mastermind (book study) Calls**

**May 7, 2020 – June 11, 2020**

MBK Fellows, their mentors and/or school district representative participated via conference call in a five-week mastermind series (book study and discussion) on the book *Madd Truth* by Dr. Alfonso Wyatt with the NYSED team. Each week, MBK Fellows shared meaningful aspects of the book and how they are applying these tools in their everyday life.

### **MBK Fellows: Advice to Action Induction Ceremony and Workshop**

**June 25, 2020**

While we had expected to have an MBK Symposium and induct the 2020 class of Fellows in April, the global pandemic made that impossible. This virtual meeting was to celebrate the accomplishments of the MBK Fellows publicly and to induct the 2020 MBK Fellows virtually. This culminating ceremony followed the MBK Fellows Mastermind "Advice to Action" series and featured Dr. Alfonso Wyatt as the keynote speaker.