



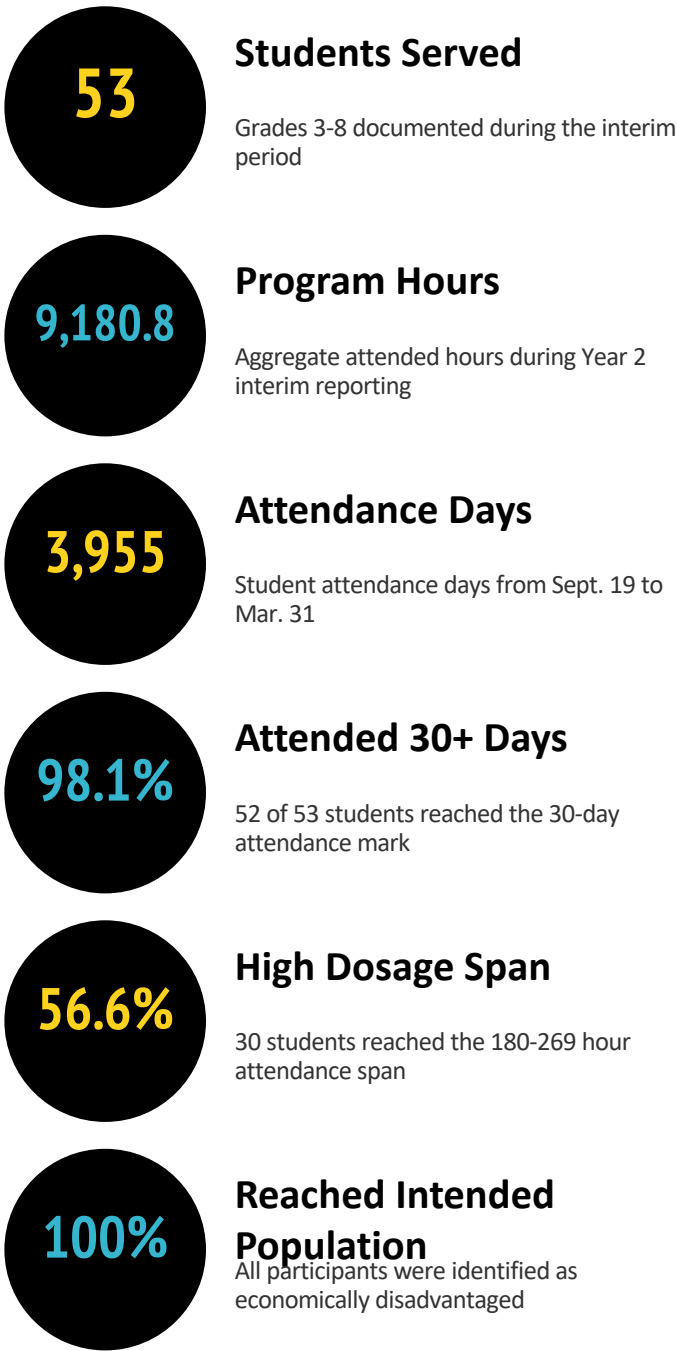
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Civic Learning & Engagement Program Year 2 Mid-Year / Interim Snapshot | 2025-2026

Reporting Period: September 19, 2025 - March 31, 2026

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By the Numbers



Program Highlights

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Civic Learning in Action
Voting, campaign learning, student council, letter writing, civic duties, civic health, community benefit, economics, citizenship, and immigration.

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Whole-Family Literacy
Family Literacy Night, Financial Literacy Night, Developing a Love of Books, bilingual calendars, advisory board meetings, and pickup/sign-out touchpoints.

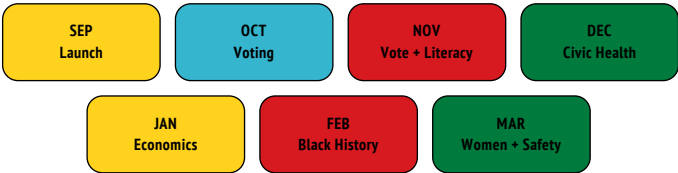
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Academic & SEL Support
Daily homework assistance, SEL routines, reflection, enrichment, student belonging, and student voice through a structured afterschool model.

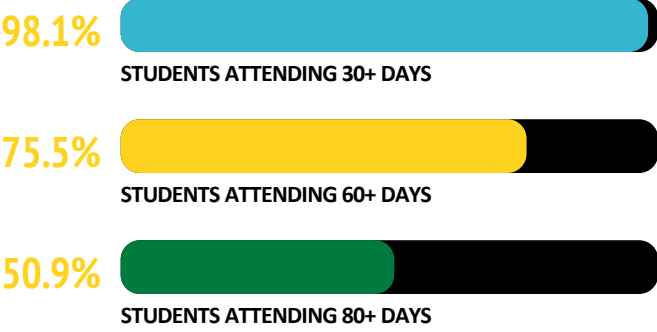
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Enrichment, Culture & Safety
Black History programming, music and dance sessions, guest speakers, themed celebrations, CPR/Stop the Bleed, and community-centered learning.

Year 2 Learning Journey



Attendance & Retention Snapshot



Voices From Students and Families

Families noticed stronger class discussion participation and improved homework completion.

Families also asked for more engaging enrichment and independent-work support - a clear path for continuous improvement.

Source: Year 2 Interim Local Evaluation Report, September 19, 2025 - March 31, 2026, produced by N.I.N.E.



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