



## Nonviolence/Ethical Leadership

1. **Purpose:**

The purpose of the Institute for Community Leadership (ICL) contract is to provide trainings to school staff and students on non-violence curriculum and civic engagement. This year ICL provided classes (outdoors) on site with COVID-19 mitigations in place which resulted in smaller numbers for school-based outreach and in-person classes. They moved to providing on-line seminars and small group workshops throughout the year.

2. **Description of services provided:**

ICL conducted statewide leadership and non-violence programs via coordination of student exchanges, trainings, civic engagement and speaking opportunities for students.

3. **Criteria for receiving services and/or grants:**

All districts and schools that have an interest in participating are accepted. There are no specific criteria for participation.

**Beneficiaries in 2020–21 School Year:**

<b>Number of School Districts:</b>	7
<b>Number of Schools:</b>	21
<b>Number of Students:</b>	143
<b>Number of Educators:</b>	49
<b>Other:</b> Student Contact	2,346

**Number of OSPI staff associated with this funding (FTEs):** 0

**Number of contractors/other staff associated with this funding:** 0

<b>FY 2021 Funding:</b>	<b>State Appropriation:</b>	\$375,000
	<b>Federal Appropriation:</b>	\$0
	<b>Other fund sources:</b>	\$0
	<b>TOTAL (FY21)</b>	<b>\$375,000</b>

4. **Are federal or other funds contingent on state funding?**

No

Yes, please explain.

5. **State funding history:**

<b>Fiscal Year</b>	<b>Amount Funded</b>	<b>Actual Expenditures</b>
FY21	\$375,000	\$375,000
FY20	\$375,000	\$375,000
FY19	\$300,000	\$300,000
FY18	\$300,000	\$300,000
FY17	\$210,000	\$210,000
FY16	\$210,000	\$210,000
FY15	\$135,000	\$135,000
FY14	\$135,000	\$135,000
FY10-FY13	\$50,000	\$196,856
FY09	\$271,000	\$271,000
FY08	\$271,000	\$271,000

6. **Number of beneficiaries (e.g., school districts, schools, students, educators, other) history:**

<b>Fiscal Year</b>	<b>Number of School Districts</b>	<b>Number of Schools</b>
FY 2020	7	28
FY 2019	5	10
FY 2018	3	8
FY 2017	3	8
FY 2016	3	8
FY 2015	3	8
FY 2014	3	8
FY 2010–FY 2013	3	8
FY 2009	3	8

7. **Programmatic changes since inception (if any):**

No programmatic curricular changes have occurred. The only change has been in the amount of funding that has been allocated to support ICL. ICL pivoted to providing their on-site classes outdoors with Public Health conforming COVID-19 mitigations in place, adding on-line sessions and home-based and outdoors civic engagement activities throughout the year.

8. **Evaluations of program/major findings:**  
ICL has successfully met all contract requirements. Students and school leadership have reported that the opportunities that have been provided have built confidence in students to take a lead in their schools and communities to address equity issues, to support of non-violence solutions to local and world problems, and to participate with other students in meaningful civic engagement and cultural leadership exchanges. ICL published a book on cultural recipe exchange that took place this past year which highlights the personal transformation and leadership growth of participants.
9. **Major challenges faced by the program:**  
This program has existed since 1995, and has been supported by the state legislature for 22 years. They need continued legislative support to provide the programs that have been instituted in the districts and schools they serve.
10. **Future opportunities:**  
The future holds great promise for ICL as they are working across states to expand the opportunities for students to participate in non-violence leadership and democracy education opportunities. Washington students that participate in their programs have the opportunity to work with students in other school districts within the state as well as with students in other states. ICL is expanding these types of opportunities for Washington students. They have continued to provide services to students, districts, and schools throughout the COVID-19 pandemic.
11. **Statutory and/or budget language:**  
ESSB 5092, Sec. 1518 (9) - \$375,000 of the general fund-state appropriation for fiscal year 2020 and \$375,000 of the general fund-state appropriation for fiscal year 2021 are provided solely for a nonviolence and ethical leadership training and professional development program provided by the institute for community leadership.
12. **Other relevant information:**  
N/A
13. **Schools/districts receiving assistance:**  
See [OSPI's 2021 Grantee List](#).
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