

Abstract of Bids/Proposals

1. In School Youth Program Proposal – Madison Community Unit School District #12

Eligible youth enrolled as students in our year round Madison Community Unit School District (CUSD) #12 WIOA Youth Program will be provided necessary supports for success by addressing career and educational needs delivered in a program culture of high expectation and rigor. Our performance driven program for youth will motivate each to become life-long learners, value the supports for success, deem the training and education received and our program relevant to their personal discovery of the deeper connection between academic success and real life success. Eligible youth will be placed in age-appropriate, ability-appropriate, and experience-appropriate employment linked to one of the fourteen elements required by WIOA.

2. Out of School Youth Program Proposal –MERS Missouri Goodwill Industries

MERS Goodwill proposes to serve 20 youth residing in Madison County and 20-25 youth in Bond County into our WIOA Youth Out of School program. WIOA Youth services will be provided at convenient, accessible locations within each county where we already have the capacity to coordinate with the school districts, as necessary, to deliver services. MERS Goodwill's WIOA services adopt a holistic approach to help ensure that youth acquire the necessary life skills, education, work experience, and career development that lead to a sustainable, long term career. Services are tailored to provide a pathway to post-secondary educational opportunities, with an emphasis on long term quality outcomes, in order to facilitate access to the world of work for participants.

3. Out of School Youth Program – Lewis and Clark Community College(LCCC)

LCCC proposes to enroll 20 eligible youth in a comprehensive ten day orientation into the program prior to the beginning of the fall and spring semesters. At least 10 students will enroll in each semester to determine which career pathway they will participate in. Career pathway options allow for students to transition to college while preparing to pass their high school equivalency and include integrated Automotive Technology, Construction, Welding, Computer Networking/IT or Truck Driving or a Bridge to College program that includes college level English and Career Development. Once students complete their first semester of supported academics, they will be encouraged to continue to a second semester of college or work. The program will help ensure that students have support navigating all of the college systems necessary to be successful. Most of the programs also provide the young person's ability to secure a credential beyond the GED.