

# OUR IMPACT

## Quarterly Highlights May 2022-August 2022



### C2C LEADERSHIP

June 2022 Meeting Update

#### IN ATTENDANCE:

Muncie BY5, Heart of Indiana United Way, YMCA of Muncie, Muncie Community Schools, Chamber of Commerce/DAC, Open Door, Whitley Community Council

#### ACCOMPLISHED THIS MONTH:

- Explored research on how poverty changes the brain
- Updated and discussed CAN progress
- Shared Results Based Accountability and Promise Neighborhoods resources
- Scheduled 2023 Cradle to Career Leader Meetings
- Shared and explored Read by 4th (Reading Campaign in Philadelphia, PA)
- Shared information about Harlem Children's Zone and the link to the MCS Education Summit on September 16th
- Explored the possibility of attending StriveTogether's Annual Convening in Chicago, IL
- Presented the Academies of Nashville Site Visit opportunity
- Shared access to the C2C resource portal
- Updated information about the C2C communications plan



#### NEXT STEPS

- All 10 CANs will continue to meet with their ecosystems
- Next C2C leadership meeting on August 16th
- Continued coordination for C2C communication plan
- Continued data tracking via C2C data dashboard



### HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION

May & July 2022 Meeting Update

#### IN ATTENDANCE:

Muncie Community Schools, Project Leadership, Boys and Girls Clubs of Muncie, Muncie Area Career Center, GEAR Up

#### ACCOMPLISHED THIS MONTH:

- Identified Contributing Indicators and Voted on Strategies
  - Attendance
    - MCS-wide communication plan
    - Hire a student assistant coordinator
    - Incentives
  - MCHS disaggregated data for student populations
    - Leveraging afterschool programming in neighborhoods
    - Targeted approaches using student data
  - MCHS students on track to graduate
    - 8th and 9th grade transition plan
    - Use of advisory period
    - Pathways counseling for undecided freshmen
  - MCHS Seniors' post grad plans (diploma strength)
    - Bridge to postsecondary services
    - Career experiences (intern opportunities) and connection to employers



#### NEXT STEPS

- Implement strategies for 2022-2023 school year
- Student surveys
- Evaluate progress
- Continuous improvement
- Continued data tracking
- Schedule next CAN meeting



### KINDERGARTEN READINESS

June 2022 Meeting Update

#### IN ATTENDANCE:

Muncie BY5, Ball State University, YMCA of Muncie, Mitchell Early Learning Center, South View Elementary, Yorktown Community Schools, New Beginnings, Skybound Education, East Washington Academy, INAEYC, Muncie Area Career Center, Huffer Memorial Children's Center

#### ACCOMPLISHED THIS MONTH:

- Explored six StriveTogether Network communities and focused on specific strategies related to kindergarten readiness
- Reviewed meeting one notes
- Updated and shared CAN progress
- Explored and reviewed the current kindergarten readiness data
- Shared the new proposed Indiana DOE GPS Indicators; the state is going to be looking at kindergarten readiness and prek-2 literacy progress
- Dissected the Essential Skills Checklist Mean Scores
- Discussed the story behind the data



#### NEXT STEPS

- Schedule next CAN meeting
- Set Big Goal
- Complete survey via SurveyMonkey/MURAL
- Brainstorm Contributing Indicators
- Identify barriers to the Early Childhood Education pipeline



### POSTSECONDARY SUCCESS

May 2022 Meeting Update

#### IN ATTENDANCE:

Ivy Tech, The Community Foundation of Muncie and Delaware County, Whitley Community Council, Shafer Leadership Academy, The Excel Center, Future of Work, Web of Support, Muncie Area Career Center

#### ACCOMPLISHED THIS MONTH:

- Reviewed meeting three notes
- Shared Indiana Commissioner for Higher Education's Goal 2025
- Voted on Contributing Indicators
  - Barrier Busting (basic needs, opportunity youth, justice involved)
  - Career Training and Connection to work/industry/employers
  - Student Motivation and Persistence
  - College Preparedness and Planning
- Brainstormed Strategies



#### NEXT STEPS

- Complete SurveyMonkey survey to narrow down the top strategies
- Schedule next CAN meeting
- Identify evidence-based strategies to meet goal
- Develop strategies to work on collectively
- Implement strategies

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## Quarterly Highlights *Cont.* May 2022-August 2022



### MIDDLE GRADE MATH

*May & June 2022 Meeting Update*

#### IN ATTENDANCE:

Innovation Connector, City of Muncie, Fellowship of Christian Athletes, Muncie Area Youth for Christ, US Architects, Muncie Community Schools, Techwise Academy, Boys and Girls Clubs of Muncie, Yorktown Community Schools

#### ACCOMPLISHED THIS MONTH:

- Reviewed meeting two notes
- Updated and shared CAN progress
- Identified Core Indicator
- Shared the new proposed Indiana DOE GPS Indicators
- Discussed the Big Goal
- Reviewed additional data
- Identified Contributing Indicators
  - Middle Grade Attendance
  - Percentage of students with basic math skills
- Input on specific strategies



#### NEXT STEPS

- Schedule next CAN meeting
- Vote on specific strategies
- Implement strategies
- Evaluate progress
- Continuous improvement
- Continued data tracking



### FAMILY & COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

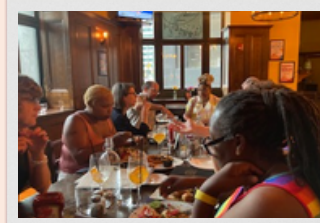
*June 2022 Meeting Update*

#### IN ATTENDANCE:

YMCA of Muncie, Habitat for Humanity, Cornerstone Center for the Arts, Ross Community Center, Whitely Community Council, Indiana Youth Institute, Parent Leader, Boys and Girls Clubs of Muncie, Ball State University, Muncie Community Schools

#### ACCOMPLISHED THIS MONTH:

- Reviewed previous CAN notes
- Reviewed action-oriented, information-gathering taskforces focused on establishing baseline data and information
- Identified 4 taskforces
  - Data and Research
  - Communications
  - Asset Mapping/Ecosystems
  - Started identifying community and neighborhood leaders



#### NEXT STEPS

- Schedule next CAN meeting
- Schedule taskforce meetings
- Schedule Steering Committee meeting
- Continued research of Family and Community Engagement promising practices

## WANT TO JOIN THE WORK OF OUR COLLABORATIVE ACTION NETWORKS?

Reach out to a CAN Leader today to learn more about how to get involved. There is a role for everyone!



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