

FY 2024 NYS Budget Wins

Statewide Coalition	Portfolio	The Asks	Wins
Network for Youth Success	Healthy Learning Environments	• Increase the per student rate and overall funds for out of school time • Consolidate funding streams to streamline contracts for providers. • Remove administrative barriers. • Establish an out of school time task force	• \$55M for Empire State After School (maintained level) • \$33M for Advantage After School (maintained level) • Consolidates Empire State After School Program from NYSED, and Advantage from OTDA to OCFS (new) • \$216M for extended learning time grants (maintained level) • \$24.3M for extended school day (maintained level)
Healthy School Meals for All	Healthy Learning Environments	Advancing universal eligibility for school meals through the Community Eligibility Provision.	• \$134.6M allocated for school meals will expand access to free school breakfast and lunch through a new state subsidy for the Community Eligibility Provision (CEP). Many schools are eligible for CEP but do not receive full federal reimbursement for all meals served; New York's investment will close that gap in CEP funding.
New York Grown for New York Kids	Healthy Learning Environments	• Maintain funding for Farm to School Incentive • Increase funding for Farm to School Grants • Increase the Small Purchase Threshold to make it easier for schools to purchase local food	• No change in funding for Farm to School Incentive • Increased the Small Purchase Threshold to \$100k • Small Purchase Threshold law changed to allow schools to purchase food from food hubs and other intermediaries

New York State Community Schools Network	Healthy Learning Environments		• \$250M for community schools aid – (maintained level from LY) • \$250,000 for grants to school districts to allow community schools to expand mental health services (maintained level) • \$1.2M for community schools regional technical assistance centers (maintained level)
Schuyler Center for Analysis and Advocacy	Crosswalks all portfolios!	Expand the Child Care Tax Credit to include babies and toddlers 0-3	• Expansion of the Empire State Child Tax Credit to include babies and toddlers under age four. This means that the child tax credit will reach
Good Food Purchasing Coalition	Equitable Communities	Pass the Good Food Bill. The bill lifts barriers for local municipalities to procure from food suppliers that reflect community values: environmental sustainability, local economies, animal welfare, racial equity, nutrition, and fair labor practices. Through this bill, we aim to build an inclusive and transparent approach to food procurement and democratize local food decision-making for our public institutions.	Good Food Bill (S.6955/A.7264) was reintroduced to the house • The Senate Procurement & Contracts Committee (chaired by Sen. Cooney from Rochester) passed the bill unanimously. That means the bill now moves to the Senate floor, where it may or may not be voted on. In the Assembly, the bill passed Local Governments Committee and moved on to the Ways and Means Committee for another vote there.
Safe Streets for all Coalition	Equitable Communities	Safe Streets Coalition is looking to pass a series of bills that: • Allows larger cities (with pop over 1M) to lower speed limits • create complete streets • advance vehicle safety • support those personally impacted, and • protect vulnerable road users by requiring drivers to pass cyclists at a safe distance of a min of 3 feet	• Sammy's law, which would allow municipalities to lower their speed limits without home rule wasn't included in the final budget bill • Safe Street for All Coalition is hitting the ground running between now and June 8th looking to reintroduce legislation, and push to move the rest of the bills through both the Senate/ Assembly
Kids Can't Wait	Building Foundations		

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Mental Health Alliance
(NYSIEMH) and Early Childhood
Learning Council (ECLC)**

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