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MISSION

The mission of Center for Success Network is to empower youth and families to live successful lives.

VISION

Our vision is to vitalize the community’s affiliation with literacy, thereby inspiring families to relate with literacy as a fundamental necessity and encourage parents to generate themselves as primary stakeholders engaged in their children’s success.

HISTORY

On March 21st, 2013, brothers DJ and Ryan Ikeler bid on and purchased an abandoned building in Pontiac that would become the very first Center for Success site.
Program Highlights

**Summer 2018 Field Trips:** Detroit Riverwalk, Detroit Institute of Art, Volunteering at Gleaners, Ghesquiere Park

**School Year 2018–19 Field Trips:** Rochester Cider Mill, Jimmy Johns Baseball Stadium, Boll Family YMCA

Our collaboratively rich programs ignite a passion for education that inspires students to thrive academically. We provide safe spaces and intentional learning structures where students connect with dedicated mentors for guided, specified literacy interventions. We pave the way for community contribution towards children’s lifelong love of learning through reading.
Year in Review

Program Year 2018–2019
Number of Students: 153

Summer 2018
Number of Students: 68

Program Year 2018–2019
F/P Data Average Growth*: 3.5

Summer 2018
F/P Data Average Growth: N/A

Program Year 2018–2019
DIBELs Data Average Growth*: 99%

Summer 2018
DIBELs Data Average Growth: 28%

*Fountas and Pinnell Running Records (F/P Data)
This assessment helps to determine a student’s independent and instructional reading levels. The assessment is given in a one-on-one situation which also allows assessors to observe student reading behaviors, engage in comprehension conversations that go beyond retelling, and make informed decisions that connect the results of the assessment to the instruction we are developing for each student.

*DIBELS
The Dynamic Indicators of Basic Early Literacy Skills (DIBELS) are a set of procedures and measures for assessing the acquisition of early literacy skills from kindergarten through sixth grade. They are designed to be short (one minute) fluency measures used to regularly monitor the development of early literacy and early reading skills.
Financial Statements

Total Assets:
$96,506.27 as of December 31, 2018

Total Liabilities & Equity:
$96,506.27 as of December 31, 2018

2018 Statement of Functional Expenses
$295,031 as of December 31, 2018
GET INVOLVED

Interested in becoming a CFSN Mentor?
Click [HERE](#) to complete the CFSN Literacy Mentoring Interest Form

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