



Afterschool in Selbyville

Academic improvement, school connectedness and health all part of programmatic effort in elementary school

ISSUE

200

bags of heroin distributed to classmates by a 4-year-old preschooler.

50%

of students at Phillip C. Showell Elementary are living in poverty and need safe, quality, affordable afterschool programs.

13

year-old student ingested heroin.

4-H Afterschool/Summer Program now offered through a grant from the DE Department of Education 21st Century Community Learning Centers.

RESPONSE



4-H Afterschool Program created after discussions with the school principal and staff in accordance with the 21st CCLC grant goals and objectives.



Specific Target Areas:

- ◆ Academic improvement
- ◆ Increased school connectedness
- ◆ Health and nutrition
- ◆ Increasing capacity of participants to be productive adults
- ◆ Drug and alcohol prevention

IMPACT



96% of respondents agreed they make better food choices.



87% of respondents agreed they understand the effects of drugs and alcohol.



2016-2017 Phillip C. Showell Afterschool Program



87% of respondents agreed they have assets that will help them in their future.



96% of respondents agreed they participate in math and science activities more often.