

# CDE Expanded Learning Monthly



## Important Dates

### Tuesday, April 30: Expenditure Reports Due

- Third Quarter Expenditure Reports are due Tuesday, April 30. For more information [click here](#).



## Resource Corner\*

### California School Dashboard

- The Dashboard provides parents and educators with meaningful information such as suspension rates, graduation rates, English learner progress and more. This information is intended to look at the progress of the schools and districts and identify focus areas to improve student learning. This data is also used by the California System of Support to provide differentiated support to school districts and county schools. To access the Dashboard, [click here](#).

### Science Technology Engineering Art and Mathletics Hubs

- The Expanded Learning Division of the California Department of Education is pleased to announce that we now have 16 Science Technology Engineering Art and Mathletics (STEAM) Hubs across the state! The STEAM Hubs help expanded learning programs strategically integrate STEAM learning opportunities in their programs and create opportunities for peer learning through Communities of Practice. To learn more, contact your System of Support for Expanded Learning Lead, by [clicking here](#).

### School Climate Reports

- The National School Climate Center has released two reports on School Climate, titled: *Connecting Communities of Courage: Building Inclusive, Safe and Engaging Schools* and *Creating Communities of Courage: Lessons from the Field*. To download the reports, [click here](#).

## Policy Analysis for California Education Publications

- The Policy Analysis for California Education is a research center lab that works to bridge the gap between research and policy. They have a number of publications focused on a variety of topics, including: the Dashboard, Absenteeism, Special Education, Continuous Improvement and more. To learn more, [click here](#).

## What's New & Current Events

### April 12, 2019: Call for Presenters Proposal is Due for Regions 6 & 7 Conference

- Regions 6 & 7 are co-hosting an Expanded Learning Programs Summer Conference focused on: Learn Lead Love. This conference is being held on Thursday, August 1, 2019 from 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. in Turlock, CA. To submit a proposal to present, [click here](#).

### April 22–26, 2019: After School Professionals Appreciation Week

- Community partners, afterschool programs, youth and child development workers and individuals have declared the last full week of April each year as a time to recognize and appreciate expanded learning staff. To learn more, [click here](#).

### April 30–May 3, 2019: Best of Out-of-School-Time Conference

- The Best of Out-of-School Time Conference is a four-day conference held in Palm Springs, California. This conference provides networking and team building opportunities for more than 2,500 out of school time professionals with the opportunity to attend more than 150 workshops. To learn more or to register, [click here](#).

### New Bills introduced that will impact Expanded Learning

- [AB 1725](#)—Introduced by Assembly member Wendy Carrillo, this bill would increase ASES funding by \$112.8 million annually to align with the minimum wage increase.
- [AB 1085](#)—Introduced by Assembly member Kevin McCarty, this bill is requesting to utilize funds from the cannabis revenue (Proposition 64) to put towards substance abuse prevention in expanded learning programs

- [AB 413](#)—Introduced by Assembly member Sawyer Jones, this bill would replace “high-risk” and “at-risk” with “high-promise” and “at-promise.”
- [SB 346](#)—introduced by Senate member Hanna-Beth Jackson, this bill is requesting to reinstate the Distinguished After School Health Recognition Program.

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