

Starting a UPK program (Becoming a UPK Provider)

If you are interested in starting a UPK program in your school, please contact the school district where your school is located. The UPK program is an allocational grant offered to public school districts only. To participate in the UPK program, a community-based organization must contract with the local public school district. School districts must then select community-based organizations that it contracts with through a competitive process. You must contact the school district directly to learn about any possible opportunities to contract with them and what the process is. You may visit our [UPK directory](#) page to see if your school district has a UPK program.