The UpRiver Panthers Program is located within St. Maries Joint School District and serves students from kindergarten through eighth grade. During the 2021-22 school year, the program operated Monday through Friday until 6:00 p.m., serving approximately 60 students through academic support, enrichment activities (e.g., arts/crafts, STEM, music, cooking), and physical activities. All data provided here are based on surveys completed in the Spring of 2022 by 16 family members of participating students.

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### Addressing COVID-19 Learning Loss: Family Perceptions

Did students in the program catch up on learning missed due to COVID-19?

- **Agree** 69%
- **Disagree** 6%
- **I Don't Know** 25%

### In the words of an UpRiver Panthers parent...

“...I notice [the program] really helps [my student] to participate with the other kids and it also provides a benefit to our family, meeting a childcare need. I wish it ran all summer, as we have no childcare options in our area, and I know my son is safe, happy, and kept busy with educational activities whenever he is here. A huge shoutout to UpRiver Afterschool Program, I'm so grateful we have this program available to our community.”

### Most families agree that...

- ...attending this program helped their child **succeed academically** → 81%
- ...their child has **made new friends** in this program → 100%
- ...attending this program **provided new learning opportunities** for their child → 100%
- ...their child **enjoys attending** the program → 100%

**100% Overall Family Satisfaction with the UpRiver Program**