SUMMER OF INNOVATION GRANTEE ORIENTATION

Welcome!
THINGS TO KNOW

• This webinar is being recorded
• Slide deck and recording will be available after the training
• You’re welcome to unmute and ask questions at any time or use the chat box

On the call today: ION and UEPC and All Summer of Innovation Grantees
OUR MISSION: TO BUILD, ADVOCATE FOR AND LEAD A STRONG OUT-OF-SCHOOL COMMUNITY. ION PROVIDES TOOLS AND RESOURCES TO INCREASE ACCESS TO QUALITY YOUTH PROGRAMS.

INCREASE AWARENESS AND ACCESS

ORGANIZE POLICY AND PARTNERSHIPS

NURTURE QUALITY AND PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT
TODAY WE’RE GOING TO COVER

• Award Purpose & Grantees
• Evaluation Priorities & Timeline
• Award Requirements
• Resources & Opportunities
Reduce barriers to participation in quality programming to ensure access for all.

Address unfinished learning with an emphasis on children who were most impacted by the pandemic.

Increase programmatic quality and expand or enhance social and emotional learning offered.
TO GET STARTED

WELCOME TO THE ION LEARNING ACADEMY

Quality professional development programs target many specific outcomes, including increased staff knowledge about youth development, use of effective strategies for activity programming, and implementation of methods for promoting positive relationships with youth.

ION believes that quality professional development focuses on the long-term sustainability of the out-of-school time workforce by increasing providers’ marketable skills to increase public support for the youth development field.

The ION Learning Academy provides an interactive learning environment that allows you to access interactive and unique training opportunities.

The ION Training Calendar has moved to the Learning Academy.

Registration for the ION Learning Academy is **FREE** and there continue to be many **FREE** trainings available.

CLICK BELOW TO LOGIN OR REGISTER

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Idaho's Directory of Out-of-School Programs

CONNECTING YOUTH TO COMMUNITIES

To get started, select from one of the options below.

- **Find a program**
  - Search our Idaho Directory of out-of-school programs to locate a program near you.
  - *Be sure to check out the advanced search options*

- **Register a program**
  - Have an out-of-school program that you want searchable in the database? Create an account.
  - It's **FAST** and **FREE**

- **Register a partnership**
  - Have a resource to share with out-of-school programs? Create an account.
  - It's **FAST** and **FREE**

- **Provider log in**
  - Already have your program registered and want to make sure it's up to date? Use our easy web tools to update your information.
IMPORTANT TO DOS

Summer of Innovation Training Requirements

**OPTION I and II** - approximately 2 hours of training in ION Learning Academy and Idaho Building Block for OST Quality reflection

**OPTION III** - 1.5 hours of training in Learning Academy
One TA Check-in per summer of programming and Idaho Building Block for OST Quality reflection
Final & end of year one reports due-with budget actuals

Final Report Option II
& III
and Option I Progress Report
September 15, 2023

Final Report Option I

September 15, 2024
WE NEED TO SPEND LESS IN ONE CATEGORY AND MORE IN ANOTHER WITH OUR AWARD, WHAT SHOULD WE DO?

If you identify a need in your programming to spend more or less in any of the categories you proposed, a 10% difference of the original, you must

a. notify tgosselin@jannus.org

b. submit a Budget Amendment form for approval.
RESOURCES & OPPORTUNITIES
Summer Learning Resources

Idaho Out-of-School Network - Summer Activity Guides

Planning for summer just got a whole lot easier! ION heard your concerns about how to maintain engagement throughout the summer and have developed a suite of fun and engaging activities.

https://idahooutofschool.org/summer-learning/
THINK MAKE CREATE LABS

STEM Learning made easy with the Think Make Create (TMC) Labs- get connected to one of 28 labs statewide on ION's website
POWER UP and GROW
September 20-21, 2023
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