

How can the STEM Alliance
achieve these
recommendations?

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School Year Services

- Publicity of the program to all District families
- Registration improvements
- Payment plans for families
- Hiring of diverse staff
- Team leadership structures
- Robust programmatic partnerships
- Easy, advanced budgeting & ordering of supplies to support programs

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Summer Services

- Programming that involves student choice, tiered learning experiences and exciting, innovative curriculum
- Staff development and support for creative program development
- Project-based programs that integrate summer experiences with embedded learning
- Co-Op program pride, enthusiasm and joy-filled learning
- Continuous Quality Improvement of the program with an annual presentation of goal achievement & next step target goals

The Wallace Foundation estimates that a high-quality five week program costs between

\$1,100 - \$2,800

per student.

**The Need for Expanded & Enhanced Summer
Learning Opportunities in New York State
New York State Afterschool Network
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COST

The STEM Alliance program budget for Co-Op would spend approximately:

\$1,150/student for six weeks for the elementary program

\$1,500/student for six weeks for the middle school program

Overall cost to the District per student is less following some tuition revenue that is collected from all participating families



COOP

SUMMER

BECAUSE SUMMER MATTERS



A STEM ALLIANCE PROGRAM