



SAN FRANCISCO BEACON INITIATIVE

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Mission: "To promote youth and family centers in public schools that become beacons of activity for the surrounding neighborhood." Beacons were established in 1994.

Collaborative Partners: San Francisco Unified School District (SFUSD), Department of Children, Youth, and Their Families (DCYF), & Private funders (led by the Haas, Jr. Fund)

8 neighborhoods

17 schools

\$6 million in services

Over 10,000 youth and adults served annually

- Programs for youth, families, and neighborhood residents in collaboration with 100+ CBOs
- Open during school, after school, evenings, some weekends & summer

BEACON LEAD AGENCIES: Aspiranet, Bayview YMCA, Buchanan YMCA, Mission Neighborhood Center, Real Options for City Kids, Richmond District Neighborhood Center, Telegraph Hill Neighborhood Center, Urban Services YMCA

EDUCATION	CAREER DEVELOPMENT	ARTS & RECREATION
Project-based learning clubs, math and literacy skill development, STEM programming, homework support, multi-lingual academic programming, English language development, credit recovery	Spark Program, Youth Cares, Youth Employment Coordination, Mayor's Youth Employment Program (MYEEP)	Visual arts (silk screening, sculpture, graffiti), dance (hip hop, salsa), chess, intramural sports, skateboard clubs, cheerleading, DJ'ing, guitar/ukulele, poetry, WritersCorps
LEADERSHIP	HEALTH	TECHNOLOGY
Leadership class, youth councils, identity-based clubs, transition programs for middle school students.	Bike clubs, boys/girls talking circles, cooking classes, gardening classes, case management	Technology labs, digital film making, music-making, flash programming, newsletter publications, game design

ADULT PROGRAMMING	COMMUNITY PROGRAMS/EVENTS
Parent educational workshops, ESL classes, computer classes, family dinners, martial arts classes, career workshops, yoga, grandparent support groups, ballroom dance classes, job training programs, family field trips	Community film festival, violence prevention collaborative, community councils, food pantry, community BBQs, service learning projects, Real World Program, Unity events

GOVERNANCE	BEACON PROGRAM SITES
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<p align="center">BEACON STEERING COMMITTEE</p> <p align="center">CHAIR: Maria Su – DCYF Lorne Needle – United Way Kevin Truitt, Jeannie Pon, & Hayin Kim – SFUSD Nancy Lee – Haas, Jr. Fund Curt Yagi & Gina Fromer – Lead Agencies Sandra Naughton & Sherrice Dorsey – DCYF Takija Gardner & Megan Agee – Beacon Directors Ericka Lovrin – SFUSD Principal Lisa Villarreal – SF Foundation Ye Sil Kim & Dante Calloway – Beacon alumni</p>	<p>BAYVIEW BEACON CENTER - Burton HS & Martin Luther King Jr. MS</p> <p>MISSION BEACON CENTER - Everett MS</p> <p>NORTH BEACH-CHINATOWN BEACON CENTER - Francisco MS</p> <p>OMI/EXCELSIOR BEACON CENTER - Balboa HS, Denman MS & Leadership HS (housed in same bldg)</p> <p>RICHMOND VILLAGE BEACON CENTER - Washington HS, Presidio MS & Roosevelt MS</p> <p>SUNSET NEIGHBORHOOD BEACON CENTER - A.P. Giannini MS, Francis Scott Key ES, Sunset ES, Ulloa ES., Robert Louis Stevenson ES</p> <p>VISITACION VALLEY BEACON CENTER- Visitacion Valley MS</p> <p>WESTERN ADDITION BEACON CENTER - John Muir ES & Buchanan YMCA</p>
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