21DC Definitions

- **Center/Site** – A center/site supported with 21st CCLC funds is the physical location where grant-funded services and activities are provided to participating students and adults. A center/site is characterized by defined hours of operation, a dedicated staff that plans, facilitates, and supervises program activities. The terms are used interchangeably.

- **Feeder School** – A school from which 21st CCLC participants are drawn.

- **Grantee** – Fiscal agent of a 21st CCLC grant

- **21DC** – NC state based collection system for 21st CCLC data

- **Home Base / PowerSchool** – North Carolina’s information system that contains all NC public school attendees’ data

- **CA** – Confidentiality Agreement; required before data entry can occur in 21DC

- **NCDPI** – North Carolina Department of Public Instruction


- **Regular Attendees** – Students who have attended a 21st CCLC program for at least 30 days (do not have to be consecutive) during the reporting period.

- **State-level data** – Information about DPI’s 21st CCLC activities

- **Student-level data** – Student-specific 21st CCLC data (Privacy Act-protected)

- **Teacher Survey** – Administered toward the end of the school year, this survey asks (public) feeder school teachers to report on academic and social behavior of 21st CCLC students identified as “regular attendees.” One teacher survey is completed for each student identified as a regular attendee.