

Top 50 Recipients of Foundation Grants for Adolescents, circa 2005

Recipient Organization	State	Dollar Amount	No. of Grants
1. National Governors Association Center for Best Practices	DC	\$20,329,231	2
2. Manhattan Center for Living	NY	19,973,188	1
3. Wabash College	IN	12,500,000	1
4. University of Pennsylvania	PA	8,887,056	8
5. Birthright Israel North America	NY	8,513,750	4
6. New Mexico Military Institute Foundation	NM	8,159,615	1
7. American Youth Foundation	MO	8,019,055	2
8. Youth Villages	TN	7,218,500	8
9. University of California	CA	6,718,179	21
10. Highline School District No. 401	WA	5,620,200	1
11. Indiana Youth Institute	IN	5,158,000	4
12. Junior Achievement Worldwide	CO	5,012,400	52
13. Ursuline Academy of Dallas Foundation	TX	5,000,000	1
14. Science Service	DC	4,850,000	8
15. City Year	MA	4,008,000	25
16. Philadelphia Youth Network	PA	3,840,500	5
17. University of Illinois at Chicago	IL	3,710,017	2
18. Johns Hopkins University	MD	3,434,087	7
19. Young Womens Leadership Foundation	NY	3,269,980	6
20. ACHIEVE, Inc. - A Resource Center on Standards, Assessments, Accountability and Technology	DC	3,098,910	2
21. Our Piece of the Pie	CT	3,088,750	8
22. Kennewick School District	WA	3,079,800	1
23. Bourgade Catholic High School	AZ	3,000,000	1
24. Boys and Girls Clubs of Greater Memphis	TN	3,000,000	2
25. Ohio Department of Education	OH	2,750,000	1
26. National Academy Foundation	NY	2,735,000	14
27. Junior Achievement of Central Indiana	IN	2,688,000	7
28. Horatio Alger Association of Distinguished Americans	VA	2,574,204	21
29. Editorial Projects in Education	MD	2,534,757	1
30. Peddie School	NJ	2,500,000	1
31. Young Life	CO	2,499,078	24
32. Grand Valley State University	MI	2,496,000	1
33. Stanford University	CA	2,419,024	6
34. Public/Private Ventures	PA	2,281,037	11
35. Better World Fund	DC	2,200,000	1
36. Leadership Enterprise for a Diverse America (LEDA)	NY	2,140,000	5
37. Bellingham School District No. 501	WA	2,131,800	1
38. Advanced Placement Strategies	TX	2,114,060	1
39. College Summit	DC	1,881,161	16
40. Texas Education Agency	TX	1,864,060	1
41. Youth Service America	DC	1,850,836	5
42. National Foundation for Teaching Entrepreneurship	NY	1,834,500	23
43. Marriott Foundation for People with Disabilities	DC	1,812,000	2
44. Youth Radio	CA	1,808,000	11
45. Oregon Department of Education	OR	1,750,766	1
46. MPR Associates	CA	1,750,000	1
47. Pueblo Nuevo Development	CA	1,750,000	2
48. Saint Benedicts Preparatory School	NJ	1,732,500	9
49. Homeboy Industries	CA	1,725,000	12
50. Junior Achievement, National	CO	1,720,526	16
Total		\$215,031,527	367

Source: The Foundation Center, 2007. Based on all grants of \$10,000 or more awarded by a national sample of 1,154 larger U.S. foundations. Figures represent only grants awarded to groups that could be identified as serving specific populations or grants whose descriptions specified a benefit for a specific population. These figures do not reflect all giving benefiting these groups. In addition, grants may benefit multiple population groups, e.g., a grant for homeless children, and would therefore be counted more than once. For community foundations, only discretionary grants are included. Grants to individuals are not included in the file.

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