

ANNUAL REPORT 2023-2024



CITIZENS ACADEMY EAST & CITIZENS LEADERSHIP ACADEMY EAST

12523 Woodside Avenue, Cleveland, Ohio 44108

Citizens Academy East (CAE) and Citizens Leadership Academy East (CLAE), co-located on the same campus in the Glenville community of Cleveland, offer students a K-8 education focused on academic excellence and responsible citizenship.

CAE serves scholars in grades K-4, and CLAE serves scholars in grades 5-8. CAE emphasizes the seven virtues of responsibility, respect, perseverance, honesty, generosity, courage, and loyalty, vital to producing civic-minded learners. A hands-on approach to learning is essential to the curriculum at CLAE. Students are asked to examine the “essential questions” while exploring issues that affect the community, thereby prompting civic engagement and leadership.

Ohio Revised Code (ORC) 3314.03(D)(2) specifies that the sponsor of the school must “monitor and evaluate the academic and fiscal performance and the organization and operation of the community school on at least an annual basis.”

Buckeye Community Hope Foundation (BCHF) relies on multiple sources of data to evaluate the community school’s performance including academic performance on national normed tests and academic scores published by the Department of Education & Workforce on the Local Report Card. In addition, BCHF conducts multiple onsite visits to the school throughout the year to ensure compliance with all Rule and Law, as well as, the sponsorship contract. Performance results for the school will be available for the 2022-2023 school year on the BCHF website www.bchf.org after November 30.

All community school sponsors are required to submit a written report of the evaluation results of the school’s academic, financial, and organization performance as well as the school’s legal compliance to the Ohio Department of Education and make the report available to parents of students enrolled in the community school. As such, an Annual Report regarding the performance of this school and other schools under the sponsorship of Buckeye Community Hope Foundation will be posted on our website www.buckeyehope.org, no later than November 30, 2022.

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OUR STUDENTS ARE FROM

Cleveland	84%	Garfield Heights	< 1%
East Cleveland	7%	Mentor	< 1%
Euclid	4%	Shaker Heights	< 1%
Cleveland Heights	2%	Warrensville Heights	< 1%
South Euclid	1%	Willoughby	< 1%

OUR STUDENT COMMUNITY

African American	98%
Multiracial	1%
White, Non-Hispanic	< 1%
American Indian or Alaskan Native	< 1%
Free or Reduced Lunch	100%
Exceptional Learners	11%
English as a New Language Scholars	0%
Total Enrollment	480

2023-2024 FINANCIALS

REVENUE

State	\$5,910,284
Intergovernmental	\$4,670,325
Tax Distribution	\$876,372
Philanthropic	\$-
Other Revenue	\$620,484

TOTAL REVENUE \$12,077,465

EXPENSES

Salaries & Benefits	\$4,962,384
Purchased Services	\$4,820,644
Supplies & Materials	\$355,220
Equipment	\$-
Other	\$69,210

TOTAL EXPENSES \$10,207,458

