



## Help Shape the Future of Youth Development in Maryland

The Maryland Out of School Time (MOST) Network was founded in 2007 as part of the C.S. Mott-funded Statewide Afterschool Network. Since then, we've come a long way—developing a statewide Quality Standards Framework, advocating for increased public funding, building the Maryland Coalition for Community Schools, launching STEM learning initiatives, and serving as a vital hub for OST professionals across the state.

We're proud to now serve as Maryland's affiliate of the National Afterschool Association and an active partner in the National Coalition for Community Schools' regional network.

With just two years to go before we celebrate our 21st year, we're taking time to reflect. What should be our North Star for the next two decades? What will it take to truly advance equity, impact, and sustainability across Maryland's youth-serving ecosystem?

In this moment of rapid change and uncertainty, especially as national policies continue to shift, it's more important than ever that we build strategies rooted in community voice and collective action.

That's where you come in.

### **We want to hear from YOU.**

Your insights—your pain points, your bright spots, and your ideas—will help shape our next chapter. What challenges are you facing? Where do you see opportunity? How can MOST show up in ways that matter most to you and the young people you serve.

### **Join a Listening Session:**

- **May 2** – *Community Schools Focus*
- **May 9** – *Baltimore City Focus*
- **June 5** – *Statewide (Open to All)*

 **Register here:**

<https://bit.ly/listen-MOST>

### **Can't make it to a session?**

Take 10 minutes to complete our online survey:

 <https://bit.ly/FUTUREMOST>

*Let's imagine the future together—and work to make it brighter for young people and the organizations that serve them.*