GRANT WRITING + TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE SOLUTIONS

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WHY GRANTS?

For schools, grants are not just extra funding—they are essential lifelines that fuel innovation, expand access, and sustain growth. Grants like the Charter Schools Program (CSP) is one of the most competitive and impactful funding opportunities, designed to help schools launch, replicate, and scale models that meet the diverse needs of students.

At Chisley Consulting Group (CCG), we go beyond writing winning applications. We partner with schools to build a clear grant strategy, craft compelling narratives grounded in data and best practices, and provide expert post-award support to ensure every dollar drives measurable impact.

OUR SOLUTION

At Chisley Consulting Group, LLC., we know this work because we've done this work. We specialize in driving transformative success for organizations. Our expertise lies in crafting and delivering high-impact programs, creating detailed reports and narratives to pursue and win funding opportunities, and developing scalable systems and processes tailored to your needs.

Since 2023, we've helped clients secure over \$100M in grant funding to implement strategic, innovative academic programing and school expansion. Our school improvement, authorizing and education advocacy background gives us a unique lens and competitive edge.

WHY WORK WITH US?

1. Proven Track Record

Over the past two years, we've helped secure over \$100M in federal and state funding to move strategic initiatives forward for schools and education nonprofits.

2. Deep Sector Knowledge

As strategy, improvement, and change-management experts, we know what funders look for and which evidence-based practices <u>actually</u> yield results.

3. Tailored Approach

We recognize and appreciate the unique value your school provides to the community. We customize our strategy to elevate your strengths and mitigate challenges.



MEET DR. CHISLEY BACKGROUND

- Recognized for Excellence in Teaching:
 Began career in the classroom, quickly
 distinguished as a high-impact educator and
 nominated for Teacher of the Year early on.
- Proven Turnaround Leader: Drove academic transformation as an Academic Coach & Data Director, elevating schools from D to B ratings across multiple state accountability measures.
- Executive Leadership in School Improvement: Served as Vice President of School Improvement for Ohio's largest charter authorizer, helping the organization achieve recognition as an "Exemplary" sponsor.



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POST-AWARD SUPPORT & TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE

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PROJECT MANAGEMENT

Turning a grant proposal into action requires careful coordination and disciplined execution. CCG helps schools move from vision to reality with structured project management.

- Develop and oversee detailed grant implementation roadmaps
- Track progress on deliverables, timelines, and budget alignment
- Coordinate across leadership teams, boards, and vendors
- Ensure compliance with federal and state requirements

GRANT REPORTING

Federal funding comes with detailed reporting requirements, and accuracy is critical. CCG ensures schools stay ahead of deadlines with clear systems and expert oversight.

- Prepare and submit accurate, timely reports to authorizers,
 IDOE, and the U.S. Department of Education
- Monitor expenditures to ensure federal compliance (EDGAR, 2 CFR Part 200)
- Provide templates and systems to streamline data collection and reporting

PROGRAM EVALUATION

Sustained growth requires evidence of impact. CCG partners with schools to measure outcomes and ensure grant-funded initiatives are making a difference.

- Establish key performance indicators (KPIs) aligned with CSP goals
- Create dashboards to monitor progress and impact
- Conduct mid- and end-of-grant evaluations to assess effectiveness
- Deliver evidence-based recommendations for continuous improvement

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Strong implementation depends on strong people, and CCG provides professional learning opportunities that equip leaders, teachers, and boards with the skills to succeed. Our training focuses on compliance, instructional quality, and leadership development while offering coaching and sustainability planning to ensure long-term impact.

PROVEN RESULTS:

- Trusted Advisor to Schools: Guided more than 35 schools in designing and executing school improvement plans, strengthening implementation practices, and aligning resources to student success.
- Expert in Grant Strategy & Writing: Secured millions in federal and philanthropic funding by developing competitive applications that align school visions with funder priorities.
- Comprehensive Post-Award Support:
 Partnered with schools beyond the award
 letter, offering project management,
 compliance guidance, and program
 evaluation to ensure lasting impact and
 sustainability.

