

# Fun in the Sun 2011

## Areas of Impact



1. **Education & Reading** – Fun in the Sun (FITS) will deliver targeted reading instruction to children who will participate in reading skills enrichment curricula and a variety of science related activities.
2. **Safe Environment** – FITS will provide a safe and nurturing environment for children during the summer time.
3. **Support Network** – FITS will deliver programming designed to increase children’s sense of belonging with their peer groups, their positive relationships with family and other adults, and overall knowledge and sense of belongingness with the larger community.
4. **Positive Identity and Character Development** – FITS will deliver programming designed to enhance children’s ability to make positive choices, self-esteem and confidence, self-discipline, positive values, and sense of a hopeful future.
5. **Enrichment** – FITS will deliver focused, structured enrichment activities in areas such as arts, sports, and stimulating field trips.
6. **Interpersonal Skills** – Children will learn social skills, peaceful conflict resolution, and how to create positive peer relationships.
7. **Healthy/Safe Lifestyle** – Children will participate in awareness, prevention curriculum promoting a safe and healthy lifestyle, addressing substance abuse and domestic violence.
8. **Basic Needs** – Children will receive daily meals and snacks, summer clothing, health/dental screenings, and school supplies.
9. **Family Education & Support** – FITS will provide participants’ parents with two workshops on improving positive discipline and financial literacy. FITS will also provide referrals to the families for other needed community resources, including help with accessing services.
10. **Career and Mentor Focus**- FITS will deliver programs addressing college and career paths. Guest speakers, service delivery partners, and Lunch Bunch volunteers will engage students in activities and discussions of college and career options.

