

**Isaac Coleman Community Innovation Grants  
Application Summary Sheet**

<b>APPLICANT</b>	<b>BUNCOMBE COUNTY SCHOOLS</b>
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<b>PROJECT</b>	<b>Deaverview: Residents, Schools, and Community in Relationship</b>
Place	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Focusing on Deaverview residents and Buncombe County Schools Erwin district</li> <li>• Johnston Elementary School as a temporary space, Working toward creation of a permanent community center, potentially to be co-located in a Habitat for Humanity community</li> </ul>
Shared Aspiration	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Creation of a permanent community center for community building, academic supports and summer programming</li> </ul>
Partners	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <u>Buncombe County Schools</u>: coordination, Family Outreach Coordinator</li> <li>• <u>Habitat for Humanity</u>: possible construction of community center on property accessible to Deaverview residents</li> <li>• <u>Green Opportunities</u>: construction training</li> <li>• <u>Read to Succeed</u>: summer reading program</li> <li>• <u>Biltmore Church</u>: community activity leadership</li> <li>• <u>United Way</u>: Enka Homework Diner, Resource Coordinator for Erwin Middle, parent outreach, Hands On volunteer matching</li> <li>• <u>Children First</u>: Student support specialist at Johnston Elementary, Parent Outreach Coordinator</li> <li>• <u>LEAF &amp; arts resources</u>: stories and narrative</li> <li>• <u>Asheville Housing Authority</u>: transportation, development of community center</li> </ul>
Approach	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Will create Family Outreach Coordinator position at Buncombe County Schools and hire member of the community, use school as temporary community center space and offer programming while working to identify a permanent community center</li> </ul>
Outcomes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Increased volunteerism in schools, decreased school discipline, adult training and employment, increased capacity of community leaders</li> </ul>
Support	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Requests local government support for creation of a common community space between Buncombe County and Asheville City governments; Financial support services from On-Track and/or Self-Help Credit Union; Leadership Training from partners to be identified</li> </ul>
Other	No additional information provided