

**California Department of Developmental Services
Social RecRec Grants (Grants for Community Integration for Children and Adolescents)
2023-24 Awarded Projects**

Projects below are shown alphabetically by "Grant Applicant"

Grant Recipient	Project Name	Grant Amount	Regional Center	Project Type(s)	Language Priorities	Population Focus	Region
2e4Me Academy Inc.	Inclusive Afterschool Talent Development Club	\$70,000	RCOC	Community Engagement and Friendship Outreach, Education and Training, Increased Access to Programs that are Culturally and Linguistically Sensitive	None Identified	None Identified	None Identified
A Better Life Together (ABLT)	Vendorization Assistant	\$50,000	SDRC	Vendorization Assistant	None Identified	None Identified	Southern Region
AbilityFirst Long Beach Center	Ability First Long Beach Center Pilot Afterschool Social Recreation Program	\$240,000	HRC	Community Engagement and Friendship Outreach, Financial Assistance	None Identified	None Identified	Los Angeles
AbilityPath	Adaptive Adventures Program	\$70,000	GGRC	Community Connector, Community Engagement and Friendship Outreach, Education and Training, Financial Assistance, Transportation ,Vendorization Assistant	None Identified	None Identified	Northern Region
Aceing Autism	Adaptive Tennis Programming	\$24,493	ACRC	Community Engagement and Friendship Outreach, Education & Training; Financial Assistance; Increased Access to programs that are culturally and Linguistically Sensitive.	None Identified	All Ethnicities	Northern Region
Aceing Autism	Adaptive Tennis Programming	\$5,000	GGRC	Community Engagement and Friendship Outreach, Education and Training, Financial Assistance, Increased Access to Programs that are Culturally and Linguistically Sensitive	None Identified	None Identified	Northern Region
Aceing Autism	Adaptive Tennis Program	\$24,493	HRC	Community Engagement and Friendship Outreach, Education and Training, Financial Assistance, Increased Access to Programs that are Culturally and Linguistically Sensitive	None Identified	None Identified	Los Angeles
Aceing Autism	Adaptive Tennis Programming	\$24,493	SARC	Community Engagement and Friendship Outreach, Education and Training, Financial Assistance, Increased Access to programs that are Culturally and Linguistically Sensitive	None Identified	None Identified	(East & South) Bay Area
Aceing Autism	Adaptive Tennis Programming	\$24,493	SDRC	Community Engagement and Friendship Outreach, Education and Training, Financial Assistance, Increased Access to Programs that are Culturally and Linguistically Sensitive	None Identified	None Identified	Southern Region
Aceing Autism	Adaptive Tennis Programmin	\$15,000	WRC	Community Engagement and Friendship Outreach, Education and Training, Financial Assistance, Increased Access to Programs that are Culturally and Linguistically Sensitive	None Identified	None Identified	Los Angeles
Aceing Autism	Adaptive Tennis Programmin	\$24,493	NLACRC	Community Engagement and Friendship Outreach, Education and Training, Financial Assistance, Increased Access to Programs that are Culturally and Linguistically Sensitive	None Identified	None Identified	Los Angeles
Alameda Boys & Girls Club	Alameda Boys & Girls Club's Saturday Program	\$39,909	RCEB	Community Connector, Community Engagement and Friendship Outreach, Increased Access to Programs that are Culturally and Linguistically Sensitive , Setting Modification	English	None Identified	(East & South) Bay Area

America Youth Soccer Organization	Very Important Player (VIP) Program	\$50,000	WRC	Community Connector, Community Engagement and Friendship Outreach, Education and Training, Financial Assistance, Increased Access to Programs that are Culturally and Linguistically Sensitive	None Identified	All Ethnicities	Los Angeles
Art Abilities	Blend and Bond	\$22,100	SARC	Community Engagement and Friendship Outreach	None Identified	None Identified	(East & South) Bay Area
Autism Peer 1 on 1	Friends of Neurodivergent	\$25,000	RCOC	Community Engagement and Friendship Outreach	None Identified	None Identified	Southern Region
Autism Peer 1 on 1	Peers for Angels	\$18,300	SGPRC	Community Connector, Community Engagement and Friendship Outreach	Chinese Mandarin	Chinese Manadrin	Los Angeles
Autism Society Inland Empire	Increasing Community Opportunities in the Inland Empire ICO-IE	\$98,000	IRC	Community Connector, Education and Training, Increased Access to Programs that are Culturally and Linguistically Sensitive , Vendorization Assistant	English, Spanish	None Identified	Southern Region
Be Exceptional	Encompass the Community	\$67,600	RCEB	Increased Access to Programs that are Culturally and Linguistically Sensitive , Setting Modification	English	None Identified	(East & South) Bay Area
Behavior Highway and Paws 4 Success	"The PACK - Pawsitively Advancing Community Kids" Our Animal Assisted Social Skills Program	\$43,000	IRC	Community Connector, Community Engagement and Friendship Outreach, Education and Training	English, Spanish, Chinese, Vietnamese	None Identified	Southern Region
Best Buddies International, Inc.	Best Buddies Inclusion Project	\$66,246	CVRC	Community Engagement and Friendship Outreach	Arabic, English, French, Haitian Creole, Hmong, Polish, Portugeuse, Somali, Spanish	American Indian, Asian, Black, Middle Eastern, Hispanic, Mixed Race	Central Region
Best Buddies International, Inc.	Best Buddies Inclusion Project	\$66,246	SDRC	Community Engagement and Friendship Outreach	Arabic, English, Haitian Creole, Hmong, Polish, Portuguese, Somali, Spanish (written materials)	All Ethnicities	Southern Region
Best S.T.E.P. Forward	Sports and Recreations with BSF	\$275,460	SDRC	Community Connector, Community Engagement and Friendship Outreach, Education and Training, Financial Assistance, Increased Access to Programs that are Culturally and Linguistically Sensitive , Setting Modification , Transportation, Vendorization Assistant	English, Spanish	Hispanic	Southern Region
Boys and Girls Club of Greater Anaheim-Cypress	Project Learn	\$115,500	RCOC	Community Engagement and Friendship Outreach, Education and Training	None Identified	None Identified	Southern Region
BuildAbility	1. Community Engagement and Friendship Outreach, 2. Vendorization Assistance	\$175,658	NLACRC	Community Engagement and Friendship Outreach	English, Spanish	None Identified	Los Angeles
Cameron Park Community Services District	Project High Five	\$99,995	ACRC	Community Engagement and Friendship Outreach, Education & Training	English, Spanish	Hispanic and African American	Northern Region
Camp Taylor, Inc	Family First Friday's Community Day Events	\$123,628	VMRC	Community Engagement and Friendship Outreach, Setting Modification	Spanish, English	None Identified	Central Region
Caring Center	Caring Corner Indoor Fun Yard	\$98,000	KRC	Community Engagement and Friendship Outreach, Setting Modification	All Languages	None Identified	None Identified
Central Coast YMCA	Community Integration and Social Rec	\$75,000	SARC	Community Engagement	English, Spanish	Hispanic	(East & South) Bay Area
Chasing 7 Dreams	E-KAAMP (Equity- Kids and Adults with the Ability to Make Progress)	\$75,000	IRC	Community Connector, Community Engagement and Friendship Outreach, Education and Training, Financial Assistance, Increased Access to Programs that are Culturally and Linguistically Sensitive	English, Spanish, ASL	Hispanic	Southern Region
Chisholm, Divinity & Stepnes Inc.	Chisholm, Divinity & Stepnes Inc.	\$34,550	SCLARC	Community Connector	None Identified	None Identified	Los Angeles

City of La Verne	Community integration and Friendship Building through Inclusive Family Activities	\$23,750	SGPRC	Community Engagement and Friendship Outreach, Education and Training, Financial Assistance	None Identified	None Identified	Los Angeles
City of Lynnwood	City of Lynnwood	\$128,756	SCLARC	Community Connector, Community Engagement and Friendship Outreach, Education and Training, Increased Access to Programs that are Culturally and Linguistically Sensitive	English, Spanish	African American, Hispanic	Los Angeles
City of Pomona	Inclusive Pomona	\$194,790	SGPRC	Education and Training	Spanish, English	Hispanic/Latino, Asian, African American/Balck	Los Angeles , Southern Region
City of Redding - Recreation Division	Recreation Inclusion & Connection Program	\$25,000	FNRC	Financial Assistance, Community Connector, Education and Training	English Language Learners English Language Learners	All Ethnicities	Northern Region
City of San Bernardino	Pillar Project	\$156,000	IRC	Community Connector, Community Engagement and Friendship Outreach, Education and Training, Financial Assistance, Setting Modification	ASL, Multilingual	All Ethnicities	Southern Region
City of Suisun	Suisun City I/DD Youth Inclusion Project	\$19,000	NBRC	Community Engagement and Friendship Outreach, Education and Training	English	None Identified	Northern Region
City of Sunnyvale Department of Library and Recreation Services	After School Recreation Program for All	\$46,663	SARC	Community Engagement and Friendship Outreach, Financial Assistance, Transportation	English, Spanish	Hispanic	(East & South) Bay Area
Community Health Councils, Inc.	Supporting small businesses and non-profit CBOs' vendorization through organizational	\$45,036	NLACRC	Vendorization Assistant	English, Spanish	Latinos	Southern Region
Community Interventions	Love In Action	\$130,680	KRC	Community Engagement and Friendship Outreach, Education and Training	English & Spanish	None Identified	None Identified
Compass SLS/ILS	Social Wellness Training and Social Rec Provider Technical Assistance	\$52,250	ACRC	Community Engagement, Education & Training; Vendorization Assistant and Friendship Outreach	English, Spanish	None Identified	Northern Region
Compass SLS/ILS	Social Wellness Training and Social Rec Provider Technical Assistance Project	\$71,900	FNRC	Community Engagement and Friendship Outreach, Education and Training, Vendorization Assistance	Spanish	Hispanics	Northern Region, (East & South) Bay Area
Corona/Norco YMCA	YMCA Day Camp/Vendorization	\$99,000	IRC	Financial Assistance, Vendorization Assistant	English	All Ethnicities	Southern Region
CPAD	CPAD Social Rec Project	\$65,000	ELARC	Community Engagement, Education and Training, Increased Access to programs that are Culturally and Linguistically Sensitive and Friendship Outreach	Chinese speaking	Chinese American	Los Angeles
Creative Expression Space	Creative Expression Sessions	\$10,176	VMRC	Community Connector, Education and Training, Increased Access to Programs that are Culturally and Linguistically Sensitive	None Identified	None Identified	Central Region
DeMeo Teen Club, Inc. DBA Chop's Teen Club	Working with Teens with IDD: Staff Education Program	\$23,441	NBRC	Education and Training	English	None Identified	Northern Region
Desert Recreation District	Recreation 4 all - Coachella Valley Inclusion Revolution	\$68,219	IRC	Community Engagement and Friendship Outreach, Education and Training, Financial Assistance, Increased Access to Programs that are Culturally and Linguistically Sensitive	Multilingual	All Ethnicities	Southern Region
Disabled Individuals Needing Opportunities	DINOS Friends	\$100,000	VMRC	Community Engagement and Friendship Outreach, Transportation	None Identified	None Identified	Central Region
EPU	Let's Be Friends	\$77,613	CVRC	Community Engagement and Friendship Outreach, Education and Training, Increased Access to Programs that are Culturally and Linguistically Sensitive , Vendorization Assistant	Spanish, Hmong, Armenian, Russian	Hispanic, Asian, White, Multiracial	Central Region

FFDY (Foundation for Disabled Youths)	Social Recreation afternoon and weekend program	\$58,440	SGPRC	Community Connector, Community Engagement and Friendship Outreach, Education and Training, Financial Assistance, Increased Access to Programs that are Culturally and Linguistically Sensitive , Transportation	Catonese, Madarin, English	API (Asian and Pacific Islander)	Los Angeles
Free 2 Be Me Dance	Expanding Accessibility of Services	\$20,000	WRC	Community Engagement and Friendship Outreach, Education and Training, Increased Access to Programs that are Culturally and Linguistically Sensitive	English/Spanish	Hispanic	Los Angeles
Friendship Circle of Los Angeles	inclusive Awareness Publicity Campaign	\$54,500	WRC	Community Connector, Community Engagement and Friendship Outreach, Education and Training, Increased Access to Programs that are Culturally and Linguistically Sensitive	English, Spanish, Farsi, French, Hebrew	English, Hispanic, Farsi, French, and Hebrew	Los Angeles
Generation After School Program	Friends & Guides: Building Inclusive Communities for Kids	\$90,600	SDRC	Community Connectors, Community Engagement and Friendship Outreach, Financial Assistance, Increased Access to Programs that are Culturally and Linguistically Sensitive, Transportation	English, Spanish	Latinos	Southern Region
Girl Scouts	Forward Motion- Be a Friend First	\$47,000	IRC	Education and Training, Financial Assistance, Increased Access to Programs that are Culturally and Linguistically Sensitive	Multilingual, ASL	None Identified	Southern Region
Golden Heart Ranch	Golden Heart Ranch Social Living Club	\$148,280	NLACRC	Community Engagement and Friendship Outreach	English	None Identified	Los Angeles
Healed Women Heal	H.E.A.L. (Heal, Empowered, Accepted, Loved)	\$73,380	SGPRC	Community Engagement and Friendship Outreach, Education and Training, Increased Access to Programs that are Culturally and Linguistically Sensitive	Spanish, English	Hispanic	Los Angeles
Hmong Youth and Parents United	Youth Circles Mentorship Program	\$75,000	ACRC	Community Engagement and Friendship Outreach, Education & Training	Hmong	Hmong	Northern Region
Hope Services	Community Engagement and Friendship Outreach	\$24,000	SARC	Community Connector, Community Engagement and Friendship Outreach	English, Spanish		(East & South) Bay Area
Ideas Therapy, LLC	Barrio Logan Yoga-Mindfulness Group	\$1,590	SDRC	Community Connector, Community Engagement and Friendship Outreach, Education and Training, Increased Access to Programs that are Culturally and Linguistically Sensitive	English, Spanish, Vietnamese, Somali	Multicultural	Southern Region
Jay Nolan Community Services	Deaf Plus Adolescent and Community Outreach	\$142,520	NLACRC	Education and Training	English	None Identified	Los Angeles
Jerry and Paula Baker Foundation	Transportation to Camp Tuolumne Trails	\$13,408	VMRC	Transportation	English, Spanish	None Identified	Central Region
Jump for Joi	Social Recreational Grant	\$40,000	WRC	Community Engagement and Friendship Outreach, Education and Training, Increased Access to Programs that are Culturally and Linguistically Sensitive	English and Spanish	ALL Ethnicities	Los Angeles
Clue fit 2 flex fitness	Clue fit 2 flex fitness	\$64,800	KRC	Community Engagement and Friendship Outreach, Education and Training	None Identified	None Identified	None Identified
Lifestastic Learning	Skills Training Development Program	\$16,919	SGPRC	Education and Training	None Identified	None Identified	Los Angeles
Los Angeles Music and Art School	Tuition-Free Music Ensembles Program	\$75,000	ELARC	Financial Assistance, Increased Access to programs that are Culturally and Linguistically Sensitive, Setting Modification, Community Engagement and Friendship Outreach	Spanish	Latinos	Los Angeles
Los Olivos Dance Gallery	Push for Inclusion	\$98,450	TCRC	Community Engagement and Friendship Outreach, Education and Training	English, Spanish	ALL Ethnicities	Central Region
Love to Learn Consulting	Infinite Languages of Learning	\$226,600	RCOC	Community Engagement and Friendship Outreach, Education and Training, Financial Assistance	Spanish, English and Vietnamese	Spanish, English and Vietnamese	Southern Region

Mariposa Safe Families	A Special Collaboration	\$86,000	CVRC	Community Connector, Community Engagement and Friendship Outreach, Education and Training, Increased Access to Programs that are Culturally and Linguistically Sensitive , Transportation	Spanish, Sign Language	Hispanic	Central Region
Monarch Behavior Services, Inc.	Enhanced Community Integration	\$99,700	NLACRC	Community Engagement and Friendship Outreach	English, Spanish	None Identified	Los Angeles
Muscle Mechanics Training Center	MMTC (Muscle Mechanics Training Center)	\$50,000	VMRC	Education and Training	None Identified	None Identified	Central Region
Music Tree	Music Tree 2023	\$9,460	SGPRC	Community Engagement and Friendship Outreach, Education and Training, Increased Access to Programs that are Culturally and Linguistically Sensitive	None Identified	Hispanic, API, Chinese	Los Angeles , Southern Region
Our Village	PEERS Enrichment Friendship Activities (PEFA)	\$8,800	HRC	Community Connector, Community Engagement and Friendship Outreach, Education and Training	Spanish, Chinese	Hispanic and Chinese	Los Angeles , Southern Region
Paradise Rec & Parks *	Friends in the Field	\$60,450	FNRC	Community Engagement and Friendship Outreach	Spanish	BIPOC	Northern Region
Project Commotion	Creative Movement for Connection	\$53,095	GGRC	Education and Training, Financial Assistance, Increased Access to Programs that are Culturally and Linguistically Sensitive	English, Spanish	Latinx, children of color	Northern Region
Redwood Parks Conservancy	Experience Nature Project	\$194,030	RCRC	Transportation , Financial Assistance, Community Engagement and Friendship Outreach	Multilingual, ASL	ALL Ethnicities	Northern Region
San Francisco Recreation and Park Department	SFRPD's Therapeutic Recreation and Inclusion Services	\$65,000	GGRC	Education and Training, Increased Access to Programs that are Culturally and Linguistically Sensitive , Transportation	English, Spanish, Chinese, ASL	38% White, 34% Asian, 6% Black, 15% Hispanic or Latino, 5% Two or More Races, 1% American Indian or Alaska Native, 1%	Northern Region
San Joaquin River Parkway and Conservation Trust, Inc.	River Camp Inclusion Program	\$112,400	CVRC	Education and Training, Increased Access to Programs that are Culturally and Linguistically Sensitive	Spanish, Hmong, English, ASL	Hispanic, White, Asian, Black	Central Region
Santa Cruz County Department of Parks, Open Space, and Cultural Services	Belonging in Santa Cruz County, Resources for Recreation	\$94,000	SARC	Community Connector, Community Engagement and Friendship Outreach, Education and Training, and Setting Modification	None Identified	None Identified	(East & South) Bay Area
SEEDS Social Emotional Education and Development of Self LLC	SEEDS Engagement Series	\$53,000	GGRC	Community Engagement and Friendship Outreach, Increased Access to Programs that are Culturally and Linguistically Sensitive	Non-english Speakers	None Identified	Northern Region
Self Determined Futures LLC	Community Commitment to Social Solidarity and Promoting Engaging in Friendships	\$50,000	HRC	Education and Training, Financial Assistance	Spanish, Creole	African American, Hispanic	Los Angeles
Self Determined Futures LLC	Community Commitment to Social Soidarity and Promoting Engaging in Friendships	\$50,000	IRC	Education and Training, Financial Assistance	Multilingual	African-American, Hispanic	Southern Region
Self Determined Futures LLC	Community Commitment to Social Solidarity and Promoting Engaging in Healthy Friendships	\$50,000	TCRC	Education and Training, Financial Assistance	Spanish or language preferred by participant	African-American or Hispanic	Central Region
ShareWell DBA Cayton Children's Museum	Sensory Sunday Program	\$60,000	WRC	Community Engagement and Friendship Outreach, Education and Training, Setting Modification	None Identified	All Ethnicities	Los Angeles
Shasta Gravity Adventures	Gravity Groms Developmental Program	\$30,000	FNRC	Community Connector, Community Engagement and Friendship Outreach, Education and Training, Transportation	None Identified	Tribal	Northern Region
Special Care	Chaos Clubs Kids Programs and First Annual Special Needs Conference	\$79,189	NBRC	Community Engagement and Friendship Outreach, Education and Training	Spanish, English	None Identified	Northern Region
Special Needs Network: Joe Patton Academy Camp	Special Needs Network: Joe Patton Academy Camp	\$100,000	SCLARC	Community Engagement and Friendship Outreach	None Identified	None Identified	Los Angeles
Spectacular Services	Community Engagement and Friendship Outreach	\$79,000	TCRC	Community Engagement and Friendship Outreach	English	All Ethnicities	Central Region

Suffer County Parent Network DBA Family SOUP	Family Social Friendship Project	\$7,500	ACRC	Community Connector,Community Engagement and Friendship Outreach	English, Spanish		Northern Region
The Adapted Athlete	Stronger Together	\$183,595	CVRC	Community Engagement and Friendship Outreach, Education and Training, Increased Access to Programs that are Culturally and Linguistically Sensitive , Setting Modification	Spanish	Hispanic	Central Region
The Friendship Circle- Bay Area	Children's Programming	\$50,000	SARC	Community Engagement and Friendship Outreach	English, Spanish, Hebrew	Hispanic, Jewish	(East & South) Bay Area
Tulare County General Services Agency, Parks Division	Mooney Grove Park, Setting Modification, Playground Equipment	\$450,000	CVRC	Setting Modification	None identified	None Identified	Central Region
Understanding Needed Integration LLC	UNI Socializing	\$19,320	ELARC	Community Connector	Bilingual Spanish	African American, Latino	Los Angeles
Understanding Needed Integration LLC	UNI Socializing	\$40,000	HRC	Community Connector, Community Engagement and Friendship Outreach, Education and Training, Financial Assistance, Increased Access to Programs that are Culturally and Linguistically Sensitive	Spanish	African American, Hispanic	Los Angeles
Understanding Needed Integration LLC	Understanding Needed Integration, LLC	\$40,000	SCLARC	Community Connector, Community Engagement and Friendship Outreach, Education and Training, Financial Assistance, Increased Access to Programs that are Culturally and Linguistically Sensitive	English, Spanish	African American, Hispanic	Los Angeles
Unlimited Possibilities	UP to Us Club	\$50,000	RCOC	Community Engagement and Friendship Outreach	English, Spanish, ASL	None Identified	Southern Region
WeEMBRACE	WeEMBRACE Social Recreational programs	\$31,400	ACRC	Community Engagement and Friendship Outreach	English, Spanish, Hindi, Punjabi	Asian Indian, Hispanic, African American, White	Northern Region
Winners Edge International, LLC	Open Arms Inclusion Program	\$50,400	SGPRC	Community Connector, Community Engagement and Friendship Outreach, Education and Training, Financial Assistance, Increased Access to Programs that are Culturally and Linguistically Sensitive , Setting Modification , Transportation	None Identified	Hispanic, Chinese, Middle Eastern, Indian	Los Angeles
Woodcraft Rangers	Out of School Time Inclusion and Enhancement Project	\$250,000	ELARC	Education and Training,Financial Assistance, Setting Modification	English, Spanish	Latino African American, Asian, White	Los Angeles
Woodcraft Rangers	Out-of-School Time Inclusion and Enhacement Project	\$490,000	FDLRC	Education and Training, Financial Assistance, Setting Modification	English, Spanish	Hispanic, African American, Asian	Los Angeles
YMCA of San Diego County	YMCA's Inclusive Initiative	\$95,812	SDRC	Community Engagement and Friendship Outreach, Education and Training, Transportation	English, Spanish, 130+ via Interpreters as needed	None Identified	Southern Region
YMCA of Superior California	Adaptive Aquatics Program	\$147,000	ACRC	Community Engagement and Friendship Outreach	English, Spanish	Multiracial program but specifically targets the Hispanic communities	Northern Region
YMCA of West San Gabriel Valley	YKIDS-swim lessons and teaching all children-skills that save lives	\$32,000	ELARC	Community Engagement and Friendship Outreach	Deaf and Hard of Hearing	None Identified	Los Angeles
Young Men's Christian Association of Orange County	Socail Redreational community Integration of Children and Adolescents with Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities	\$171,999	RCOC	Community Engagement and Friendship Outreach	English, Spanish, Vietnamese	English, Spanish and Vietnamese	Southern Region