## CYFAR SUPPORTS FAMILIES

The vision of the **USDA National Institute of Food and Agriculture's (NIFA) Children, Youth and Families at Risk (CYFAR)** grant program is a nation of strong, resilient families and communities in which children and young people lead positive, secure and happy lives while developing the skills, knowledge and competencies necessary for fulfilling, contributing adult lives. CYFAR is administered by the **Division of Youth and 4-H** in the **Institute of Youth, Family and Community**.

THROUGH CYFAR, NIFA HAS INVESTED APPROXIMATELY



\$21 MILLION



30 PROJECTS

BETWEEN 2001 AND 2019 WITH THE GOAL OF ENSURING
THAT FAMILIES REMAIN STRONG AND HEALTHY



## THESE PROJECTS INTEGRATE RESEARCH AND EDUCATION TO:

• Improve the well-being of families



 Provide educational programming to parents regarding parenting, supporting science literacy and navigating K-12 education



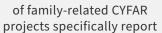
 Deliver educational programming to grandparents who are head of household and parenting education for teenagers 33% of family-related CYFAR

projects specifically report



IMPROVED EFFECTIVENESS AND HAPPINESS AMONG PARENTS

33%





IMPROVED FAMILY LIFE ENGAGEMENT AND DECREASED FAMILY CONFLICTS

23%

of family-related CYFAR projects specifically report



IMPROVED HAPPINESS, CONFIDENCE AND TRUST AMONG YOUTHS

13%

of family-related CYFAR projects specifically report



ACADEMIC TEST SCORES AND/OR SCHOOL PERFORMANCE AMONG YOUTHS

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