

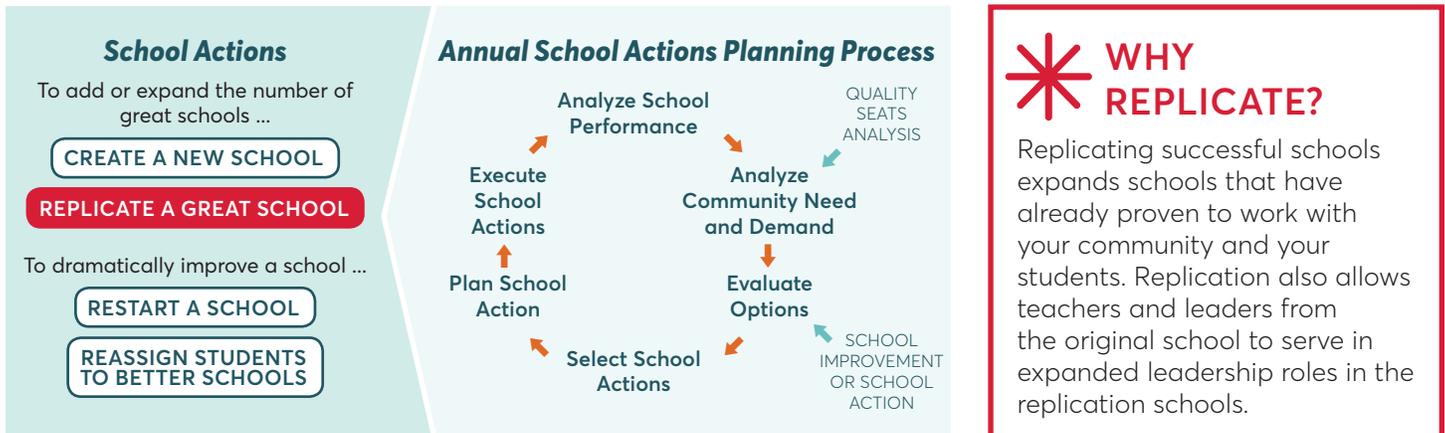
Replicate a Great School

LEVERAGING OUR STRONGEST LEADERS



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Replicating a great school means relying on one of your strongest existing assets: your leaders. With the right support and codification of one of your high-performing school models, your most entrepreneurial leaders can open additional high-performing campuses across your district. The Center for School Actions encourages the replication of existing high performing schools in your district.



Benefits of Replication



PROVEN MODEL

Replication of successful schools ensures the new school will serve students well and meet the needs of the community. A known school model, school leader, and school demand in a district reduces the number of unknowns while immediately increasing access to great schools.



INCREASED RESOURCES

New replication schools must be partner-managed, allowing the school to be eligible for both the School Action Fund and the Charter School Fund.



IMPROVE RETENTION

Serving on the founding team of a replication school may be the challenge some of your top teacher and leader talent are looking for. Replicating schools is a great opportunity to support retention among your top performing teachers and leaders.

Key Elements

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The model must be replicated as a Texas Partnership.

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The entrepreneurial leader or identified model must currently operate A or B rated campuses.

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The partner must manage the school leadership, instructional staff, academic programming, and budget.

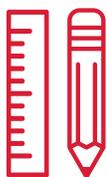
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The district must be committed to support the leader with the identification of a second campus within 24 months.

Funding Available to Replicate Successful Schools

All districts that choose to replicate successful school models through partner-managed models are eligible to apply for both the School Action Fund and the Charter School Fund. Districts must apply on behalf of the schools that are seeking to replicate.

SCHOOL ACTION FUND



PLANNING GRANTS

Amount \$300,000
Grant Term 1 year



IMPLEMENTATION GRANTS

Amount \$500K – \$2M
Grant Term 2 years

CHARTER SCHOOL FUND

Eligibility	Must be a Texas Partnership School
Amount	\$600K – \$800K
Grant Term	2 years

All grant recipients will be matched with a TEA vetted technical assistance provider throughout the term of the grant.

Spotlight: SAN ANTONIO ISD AND YOUNG WOMEN'S LEADERSHIP ACADEMY

The Young Women's Leadership Academy is part of the Young Women's Preparatory Network, a nonprofit organization that partners with public school districts to operate the largest network of all-girls', public, college-preparatory schools in the nation. All YWPN schools feature a STEM-focused curriculum, and a majority of students are economically disadvantaged.

After partnering successfully with the San Antonio Independent School District on its first campus, it will replicate to open a second campus, expanding its reach to young women in San Antonio in the 2019-2020 school year.

Replicating with a Texas Partnership

To replicate as a Texas Partnership, the existing exemplary school will need to develop a nonprofit organization to operate the additional schools and codify the existing model. The creation of the nonprofit will help ensure any additional schools operate with fidelity to the existing model. The Center for School Actions offers fellowships and funding opportunities to support current leaders with planning and execution of a replication as a Texas Partnership.

Find Out More

Read more about replicating a successful school, other school actions, and how to apply for financial support at www.centerforschoolactions.org

Read more about Texas Partnerships and partner-managed schools at www.txpartnerships.org

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