

The Future of Place-Based Evaluation: How Five Organizations and a Funder Collaborate to Measure Effectiveness



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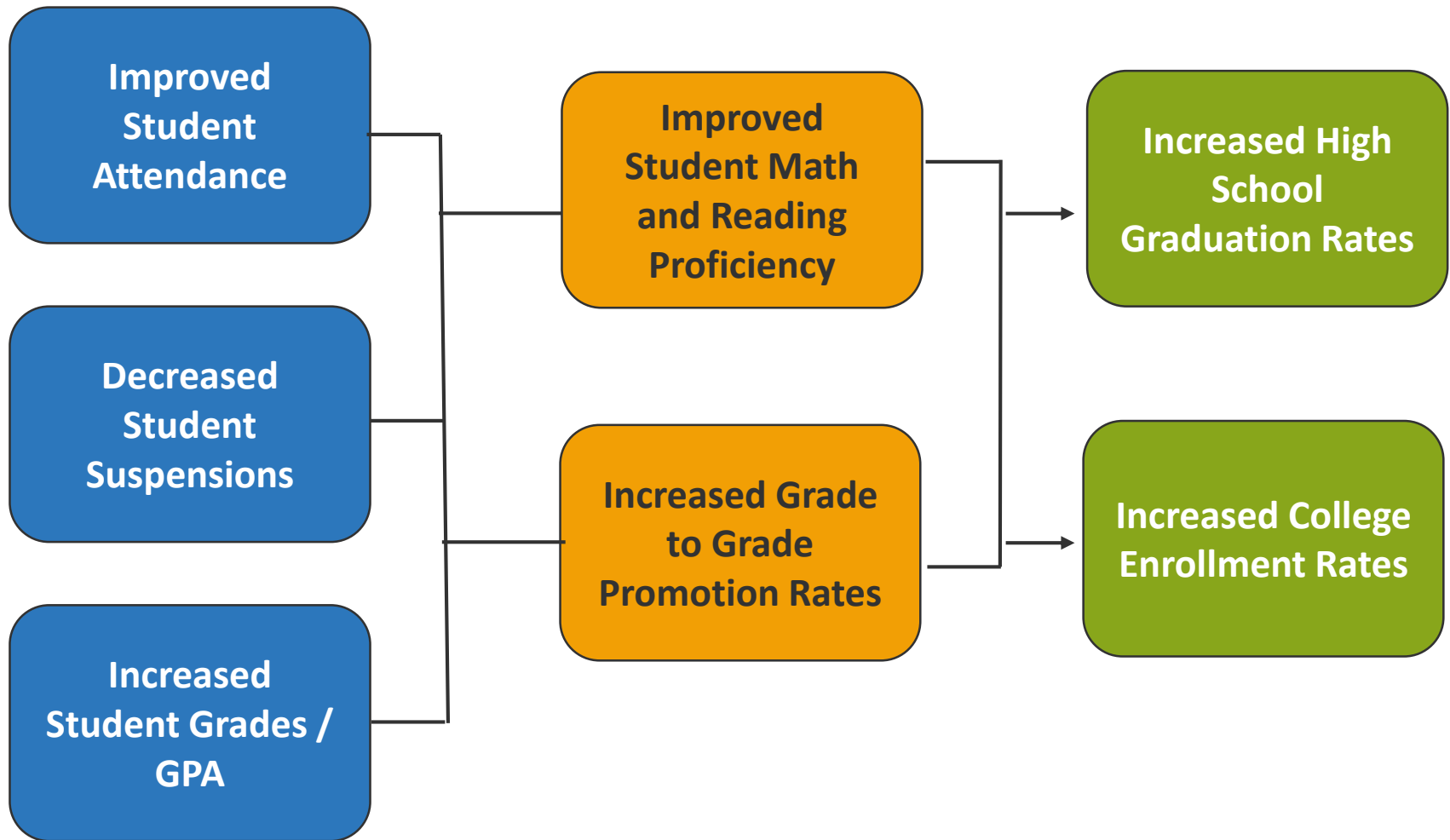
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What is involved in the youthCONNECT evaluation work?

- **Measuring student level change experienced by students within each program/organization**
- **Measuring school level change (using data from multiple sources)**
- **Determining if combinations of programming result in better outcomes**
- **Determining how many students experiencing positive outcomes at the individual level lead to whole school change**

Our Central Questions

- **Why did each organization agree to participate in youthCONNECT (and why continue to participate)?**
- **What did it take to trust VPP and the other partner organizations? And why is that trust important?**
- **What is difficult about the collaborative process or what are challenges related to participating in youthCONNECT?**
- **What benefit do you get from participating in youthCONNECT? Have you seen benefits as an individual? How does your organization benefit?**