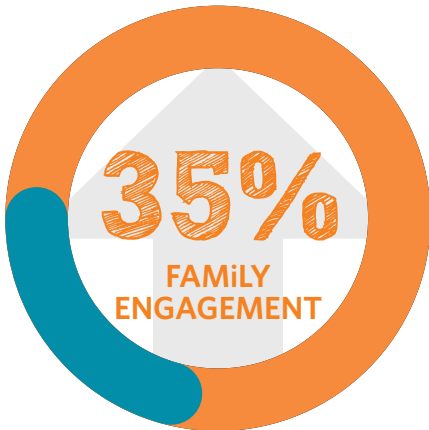




WRiTE BRAiN IMPACT ON 21st CCLC Schenectady N.Y.

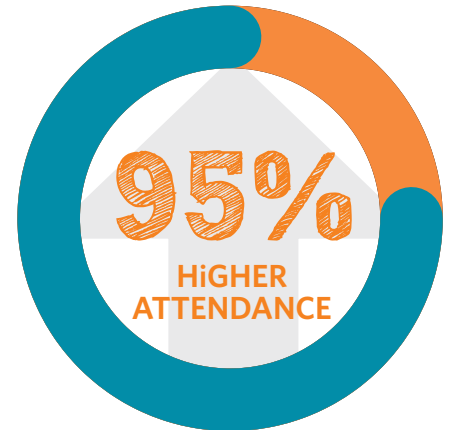
Data collected and analyzed by **Simone Miranda**
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Sites that participated in WRiTE BRAiN saw a 35% increase in parent involvement during Family Literacy Events



In only 90 hours, 38% of students participating in the WRiTE BRAiN program achieved half a year's growth in literacy



A 95% (or greater) attendance rate was achieved by 40% of students participating in WRiTE BRAiN for 90 or more hours



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Simone Miranda holds the position of **Community Learning Center Project Manager at Schenectady City School District (SCSD)**. She oversees programs in five school buildings/sites that serves grade levels 3-12 for afterschool and summer programs. Simone recently successfully implemented the WRiTE BRAiN BOOKS project-based learning program in the 21st Century Afterschool Program where students wrote and published their own books.



In connection with the WRiTE BRAiN program, Simone will be hosting the 2nd Author's Event for 21st CCLC's Elementary and Middle Schools. The Author's Event will comprise students' published books. Her favorite part of her job she states, "is being able to provide unique and engaging opportunities for students and families." As an **nys Power of 3:00 Ambassador**, she would like to spread awareness and showcase the impact that afterschool and summer programs have in students' academic success.

