I, David Simon, the parent of a 4th grader at Arcola ES in Wheaton, MD, strongly encourage Montgomery County to continue funding the Linkages Program and the position of Program Coordinator for Linkages. My son has benefited tremendously from after school STEM and other program offerings and looks forward to attending each week. We would be disappointed if the program was cut in the next school year and he wasn't able to take advantage of the outstanding learning opportunities of Linkages. Thank you for your consideration.

David Simon