



Henderson K-12 Inclusion School

Innovation Renewal Request

Boston School Committee

June 19, 2019

Mission

The mission of the Dr. William Henderson K-12 Inclusion School is to serve students with diverse ethnic, linguistic, socio-economic and ability backgrounds from early childhood through and beyond Grade 12 in an inclusive setting that offers meaningful access to rigorous, well-rounded curriculum and ensures a pathway to postgraduate success for every student.



“Better Together”



6 Principles of Inclusion

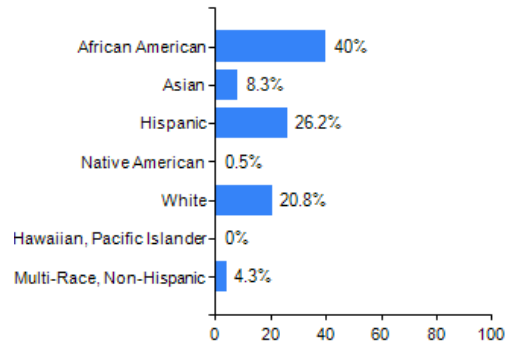
- We will plan and instruct using the Universal Design for Learning (UDL) framework.
- We will personalize learning for every student.
- Our K-5 and core content area classrooms will be co-taught, taught with additional adult support for students, or taught by dual-certified teachers; our specialized service providers will deliver student services in the classroom to the extent possible.
- We will integrate technology and the arts into classroom learning experiences and extended learning opportunities.
- Our students will be fully included in all activities at the Henderson K-12 from their arrival in a K0 classroom until they transition beyond our walls to college, career, or the community.
- A fully-inclusive education starts when students leave their homes in the morning, and must continue until each student is safely home at night.



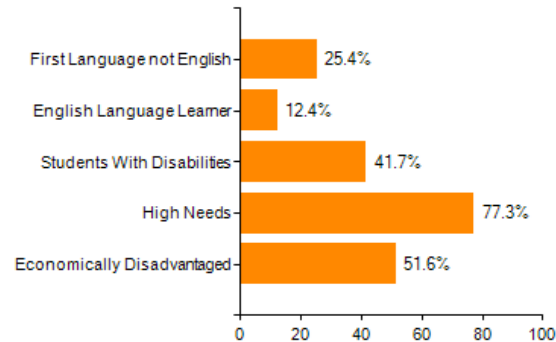
Student Demographics

- We have a total of 850 students learning at 2 campuses. K0 through Grade 1 at our 1669 Dorchester Avenue location and Grades 2-12 and transition at our 18 Croftland Ave location.

Student Race and Ethnicity



Selected Populations



Current Autonomies

- A. Curriculum, Instruction, and Assessment
- B. Staffing
- C. Professional Development
- D. District Policies and Procedures

We are NOT asking for any additional autonomies



Successes K-12

Decreased suspension rate from 20.5% to 5.2 %

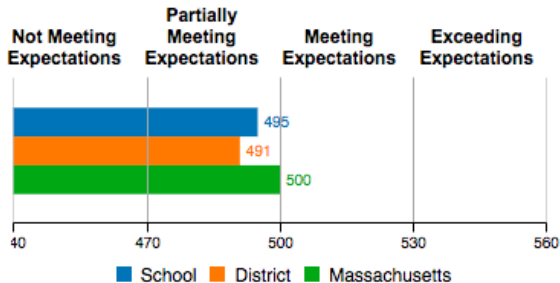
Increased attendance rate from 90.2% to 93.5%

Increased Graduation rate from 63.2 to 81.1% in 3 years

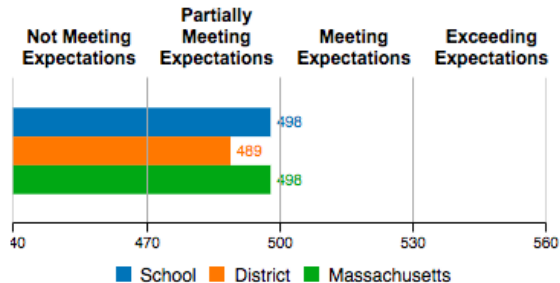
2018 Student Achievement

Next Generation MCAS ([Average Scaled Score](#))

English language arts - Grades 3-8



Mathematics - Grades 3-8



Our ask today...

Please renew our Innovation Plan for the next 5 years



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<https://docs.google.com/document/d/1db92GxEsCI1OwkW9jtfBQKb4L0fuu6B9/edit>



Thank you!

