



Academia Margarita Muñiz
Margarita Muñiz Academy

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Memorandum

To: Jeri Robinson, Chair of the Boston Public Schools School Committee
From: Dania Vázquez, Margarita Muñiz Academy Head of School
Re: Innovation Plan for School Years 2023-2027
Date: March 15, 2022

The Muñiz Academy is requesting approval of our Innovation Plan for SY 2023 to 2027. This plan represents the third cycle of innovation for Muñiz Academy:

- Cycle 1, 2012 – Establishing the first Dual Language High School in Boston and New England
- Cycle 2, 2018 - Expanding to Grades 7-12
- Cycle 3, 2023 - Implementation of the Muñiz Portrait of the Scholar and City as Campus Model

This Innovation Plan was constructed with staff, students, families, and community partners. Equity is a cornerstone reflected in the plan that ensures that every student in our community has access to college and career opportunities, graduates with a plan, and is supported post graduation. The expected outcome of this Innovation Plan is that we will have designed and implemented our Portrait of the Scholar and City as Campus model that re-imagines learning and teaching with a place-based community model.

The approval of the Muñiz Academy's Innovation Proposal ensures the continued actualization of the school's vision and mission, and creates district-wide opportunities for more Boston students and families interested in a dual language secondary school program. The proposal advances key district objectives regarding closing opportunity and achievement gaps, and applying culturally and linguistically sustaining practices.