Office of Opportunity and Achievement Gaps

Brief Update

OAG Task Force

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BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS

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Office of Opportunity and Achievement Gaps: Strategic Priorities

Strategic Priorities	
Professional Development/Capacity Building: Culturally Sustaining Practices	District and Schools: ensure race, culture, and perceived ability are not barriers
	Create metrics to measure CSP for support and accountability
	Work with ASSET team to ensure all students are provided the rigor to become independent learners
Programming: Targeted curriculum/programming for population who have been historically marginalized	e.g. Systematic curriculum for boys and young men of color, mentoring, tutoring, etc.
Systematic Oversight: Implementation of Opportunity and Achievement Gap Policy	Coordinate and oversee implementation plan with SMART goals for each central office department under theory of targeted universalism; help provide systematic achievement gap lens
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Office of OAG: Major Output Since 1/16

Capacity Building	Programming	Systematic Oversight
Work with ASSET Team: Building framework for professional development across the district grounded with culturally sustaining practices Affinity Groups and COSEBOC PLC 30 school leaders creating strategic plan for boys of color (QSP)	Success Mentors My Brother's Keeper national initiative for chronically absent students Exam School Initiative Reforming our tutoring programming for ISEE test to a more equitable model	Opportunity and Achievement Gap Policy Crafting of the Opportunity and Achievement Gaps policy in collaboration with OAG task force Equity Professional Learning Network Equity Plan for district in collaboration with Office of Equity and Human Capital, focused on cultural proficiency

Office of OAG Strategic Next Steps

Capacity Building	Programming	Systematic Oversight
Continued Collaboration with ASSET Team Professional development for district leaders at all levels Possible <u>I3 grant</u>	Curriculum for Boys and Young Men of Color: An updated 10-Boys Continue Scaling Success Mentors initiative	Implementation Plan for Opportunity and Achievement Gap Policy Systematic focus on Opportunity and Achievement Gaps (SMART Goals with District Departments)
Focus Schools for Cultural Proficiency Deeper levels of supports for schools who identify CP as a priority OAG Mini-Grants Best practices and innovation from practitioners	Boys Advisory Committee: Partnership with Sociedad Latina Excellence for All: EFA Ramping up rigor for all students: pilot starting in 4th grade Exam School Initiative and ISSE Access: Continuing to reform	Continue building out cultural proficiency measures for schools and the district CLPS Rubric, School-wide tool (with Annenberg), Teacher/Principal rubrics