

Highlights & Updates



Year-to-Date Metrics

- **District**
 - **Total enrollment 13,775; multilingual 5,457; special education 2,643**
 - **Attendance rate through April 28th: 89.4%**
 - **Last day of school: June 14th**
 - **First day of school for 23-24 School Year is August 28th**
- **Family Experience Questionnaire feedback**
 - **83% of caregivers rate their school at good/excellent in communications (4,559)**
 - **89.5% of caregivers report that their student likes to participate in school and school activities**
 - **79.2% of caregivers indicate that their student has a at least one trusted adult at school to discuss concerns with**
 - **86% of caregivers agree/strongly agree they are involved in determining the services their child receives at school**
 - **87% of caregivers say that teachers and staff are working to build positive relationships with them**
- **School Quality Review Indicator 4: Positive Learning Environment (School Culture) – Maintain a culture of mutual trust and positive attitudes that equitably supports the academic and personal growth of students and adults**
 - **Detailed report will be presented to the LAE at June 2023 meeting**
 - **“Proficient” rating: Behind the approach to culture building and aligns family outreach and student learning experiences to the desired outcomes, resulting in the majority of stakeholders embodying the desired school culture**
 - **“Well developed” rating: Building approach and strategically align family outreach and student learning experiences to the desired outcomes, resulting in the vast majority of the stakeholders embodying the desired school culture**
 - **Currently of the 30 schools that have received their report, 4 have been rated “well developed” and 24 have been rated “proficient”**


- PreK and K registration is open for 2023-24 school year
- Families can make virtual or in-person appointments using Calendly
- PreK at the Rollins
- K-8 at FRC
- Secondary at LHS

PK-K REGISTRATION OPENS

Las inscripciones de PK-K abren

May 1st for School Year 2023-24


el 1ro de mayo para el año escolar 2023-24




STEP PASO
Prepare Required Documentation
Preparar la documentación requerida

Required documentation for student registration
Documentos requeridos para la inscripción

- Lead Test Results (PK/Kinder) and Stereopsis (For Kinder ONLY)
Resultados de la prueba del plomo (PK/Kinder) y examen de Estereopsis (Kinder SOLAMENTE)
- Child's original birth certificate
Certificado de nacimiento original
- Proof of Residency
Prueba de dirección
- Child's Health Record - Including Immunizations
Récord médico, que incluya las vacunas
- Legal custody papers - if applicable
Papeles de custodia legal - si aplica
- IEP or IAP - if applicable
PEI o PIA - si aplica





STEP PASO
Fill out the Online Preregistration form
Completar el formulario de preinscripción en línea



STEP PASO
Schedule an Appointment with an Enrollment Liaison
Programar una cita con un personal de inscripción


<http://bit.ly/3KkVrO8>

Students must be 4 or 5 years old on or before september 1st to qualify
Estudiantes deben cumplir los 4 o 5 años en o antes del 1ro de septiembre para calificar

Pre-Kindergarten
Call 978-722-8194 to schedule an appointment
Llame al 978-722-8194 para programar una cita

Kindergarten
Call 978-975-5900 to schedule a appointment
Llame al 978-975-5900 para programar una cita

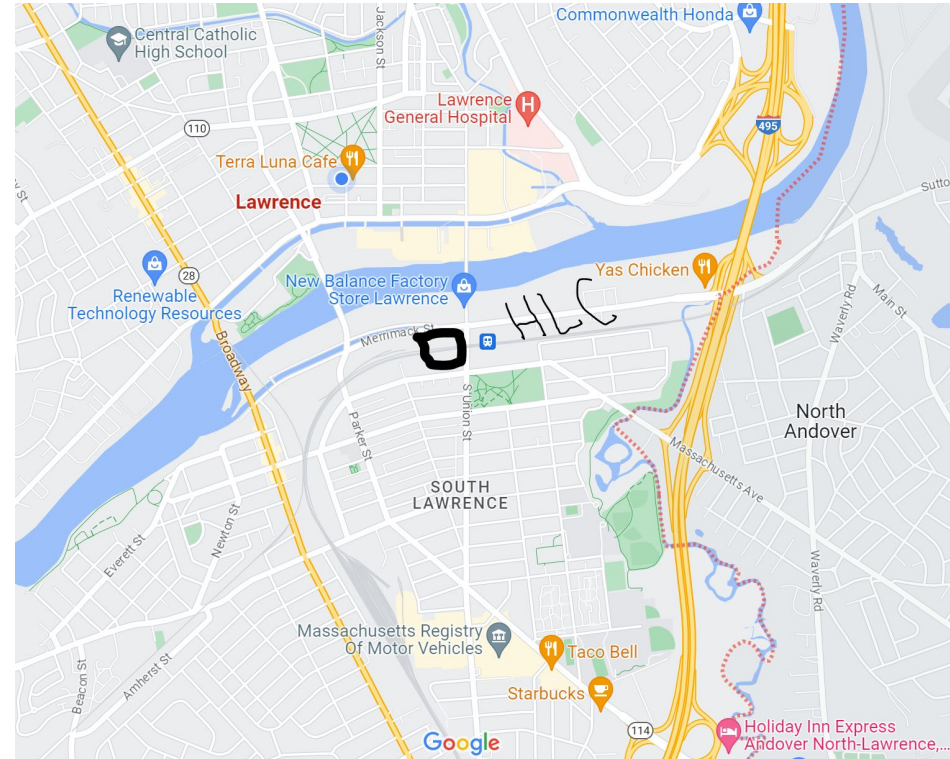


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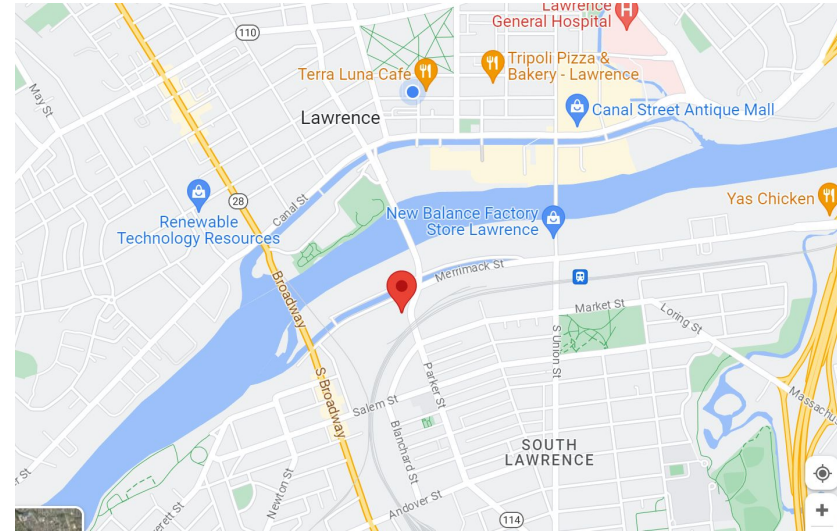
Early Intervention Screening Team (EIST) 451 Howard St, Lawrence, MA 01841 (978) 722-8194 LPS.PreKEnrollmentTeam@lawrence.k12.ma.us
Family Resource Center 237 Essex St., 4th Fl, Lawrence, MA 01840 (978) 975-5900 @LPS4Families

School Site Changes Next Year

- The High School Learning Center will move to the swing space at 1 Parker St (324 students). It is currently located at LHS Campus. Building design aligns well with HLC programmatic structure.
- ENLACE & International programs will merge and move to LHS Campus (455 students). They are currently located at the North Common Education Complex (NCEC, a.k.a the old high school) at 233 Haverhill St. This improves access for our recently arrived students to all elective and extracurricular opportunities available at LHS Campus.
- The Leahy School will be moving to the NCEC 1st and 2nd floors (389 students). They are currently located at the Parker Street swing space. NCEC location is less than a mile from regular Leahy location and has served as bus shuttle location for Leahy students this year, so families are very familiar with the site. Classrooms are larger and more traditional.



1 Parker Street: New location for HLC



Teaching & Learning

Strategic Literacy

- **Science of Reading Modules** offered to all Prek-2 educators through HILL for Literacy; SY24 will expand to include grades 3-5
- Created a **District Literacy Leadership Team** focused on action planning and cohesion
- **Early results:** Science of Reading professional development is resulting in higher growth on early literacy formative assessment (DIBELS - see appendix)

Focus on Pedagogy

- Designed and launched **LLCC (Lawrence Leadership Consultancy Cohorts)** to improve pedagogy districtwide; 26 schools participated. Products created by schools:
 - Instructional vision statements
 - Targeted instructional priorities and “look for” documents
 - Coaching and development plan to support educator growth

Co-Teaching Initiative (Sped & ML)

- **Increased co-teaching classrooms** from 18 in SY22 to 44 in SY23; Will increase by 18 to a total of 62 co-teaching classrooms in SY24
- **High Quality Professional Learning (HQPL)** sessions offered to all co-teaching teams
- **Monthly learning walks** of co-teaching classrooms

Students with Disabilities Co-Teaching High Quality Professional Learning 2022-23

- LPS Co-teacher teams had 10+ in-person High Quality Professional Learning (HQPL) sessions with Dr. Tammy Barron with a focus on:
 - Co-teaching pedagogy
 - Co-teaching and inclusion
 - Shared Accountability
- Monthly Observation/Learning Walks for teaching teams as well as a debrief with Dr. Tammy Barron
- Opportunities for Learning Walks with School Administrators with Dr. Tammy Barron
- Professional Development with Administration with Tammy Barron across schools with a focus on:
 - Sustaining effectiveness and needed supports
 - Alignment with UDL & MTSS
 - How to develop and implement Specialized Design Instruction and how it differs from accommodations and modifications.

LPS Co-Teaching Students with Disabilities & Multilingual Students 2023-24



2021-2022

18 LPS Co-Teaching Teams (SWD/ML)

2022-2023

44 LPS Co-teaching Teams K-12 - located in 19 schools (SWD/ML)

2023-2024

18 LPS Schools have requested to add 1 or more SWD/ML teams.

2023-2024

LPS has K-12 co-teaching throughout the district (SWD/ML)

Diversity in the Workplace

LPS Recruitment Strategies

- **Promote Paraprofessionals** with BA to teaching positions through ER license
- **Partnerships with Post-Secondary Institutions** to diversify Educator Pipeline
 - 29 Para/Teachers enrolled in Licensure Programs at Regis College, Merrimack College, and UMass Lowell.
 - UMass Lowell, Fall 2023: 15 Scholarships for Graduating Seniors, 20 Scholarships to Para/Teachers for BEd/MEd.
 - UMass Boston, 2023-2028: 50 Scholarships for MSW - Adjustment School Counselors & Psychologists.



Current LPS Workforce: % Latinx/Hispanic		
	2018	2023
Administrators (incl. District Leadership)	28%	37%
Paraprofessionals	62%	80%
Principals	9.4%	28%
Teachers (incl. BBE & LTS)	12%	19%

Operational Updates

- Bleacher replacement at North Common Education Complex
- Repaired/replaced playgrounds at Hennessey, South Lawrence East, LFPA, Arlington & Wetherbee
- Completion of HVAC system at Frost complex
- Full boiler replacement at Tarbox School
- Concrete repairs at LHS campus, South Lawrence East & Wetherbee Schools
- Roof replacement at Bruce
- Replacements & refinishing of gym floors at Arlington & Parthum complexes
- Paving at LHS Campus, Breen & Hennessey Schools
- Staff restroom added at SES Annex
- Planning for programmatic site changes for 2023-24
- MSBA School Construction Projects:
 - Henry K. Oliver is currently under construction roughly 20% complete, new K-8 school expected to open SY 2025-26
 - Francis M. Leahy building demolition in process and groundbreaking ceremony on May 15th, new K-8 school expected to open SY 2025-26
 - [2447 - Lawrence Oliver School Drone Flight 3/29/23 \(vimeo.com\)](#)

