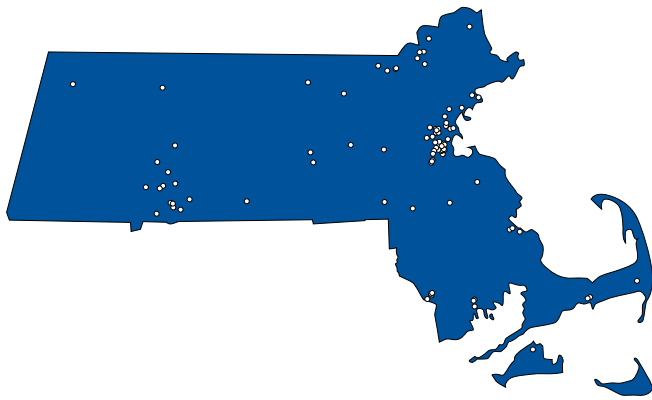


MISSION OF THE MASSACHUSETTS CHARTER PUBLIC SCHOOL ASSOCIATION

Our mission is to create and protect the conditions that will enable the public charter sector to thrive, so that the charter sector contributes toward the goal of **all Massachusetts children having equitable access to high-quality public schools.**

74 CHARTER SCHOOLS ACROSS THE COMMONWEALTH







40,000+ KIDS ATTENDING CHARTER SCHOOLS



■ WHITE: 37% ■ LATINX: 31% ■ AFRICAN AMERICAN: 27% ■ OTHER: 5%

GREATER AUTONOMY WITH HIGHER ACCOUNTABILITY

Charters are public, tuition-free, and open to all. They have more flexibility around:

-  budgeting
-  length of school day/year
-  staffing
-  curriculum

STUDENTS ARE LEARNING MORE DURING THE SCHOOL YEAR

13 EXTRA MONTHS

of learning per year gained in math and
12 extra months in reading*

In exchange for these autonomies, charter schools must meet strict standards and be reassessed for renewal every five years.

DIVERSE MODELS TO SERVE KIDS' UNIQUE NEEDS

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Alternative Essential Expeditionary Learning International Baccalaureate | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Language Immersion Montessori Performing Arts/Music STEM |
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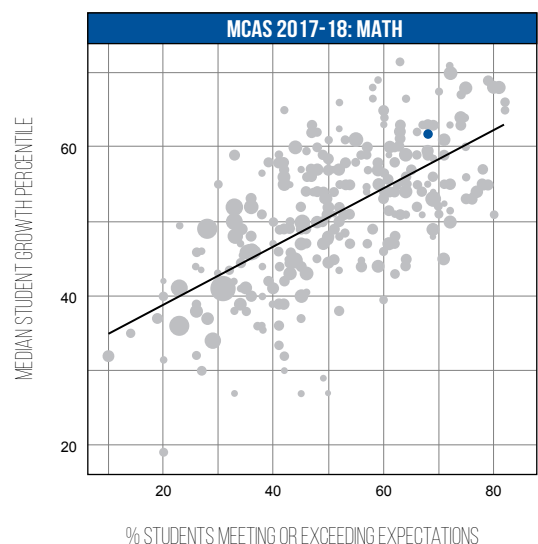
COLLEGE PERSISTENCE IS UP, BUT AIMING FOR 100%

73%

 of Boston charter high school graduates who enroll in college graduate within 6 years.†

We also partner with Bottom Line to support low-income, first generation college students attending MA state universities.

PERFORMANCE SNAPSHOT AND DISTRICT COLLABORATION



BLUE DOT = CHARTER PUBLIC SCHOOLS IN LAWRENCE
GRAY DOTS = ALL PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICTS IN MASSACHUSETTS

Under receivership, charter schools were invited to work within Lawrence Public Schools.

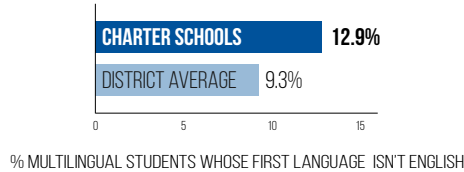
* Based on the Stanford University's Center for Research on Education Outcomes studies; data compare Boston charters to Boston district schools

† Based on the Boston Opportunity Agenda's February 2018 Report Card

WE TAKE FEEDBACK TO HEART AND WE ARE FOCUSED ON CONTINUOUS IMPROVEMENT

MULTILINGUAL STUDENTS WHOSE FIRST LANGUAGE ISN'T ENGLISH ‡

We serve **more** multilingual students whose first language isn't English than the district average.



SPECIAL EDUCATION STUDENTS

We serve **more** special education students than we did 10 years ago.

2,824 STUDENTS THEN vs. 6,078 STUDENTS NOW

DECLINE IN SUSPENSIONS

Out-of-school suspensions for students with 1+ suspensions declined more than

31 PERCENT

from 2012-13 to 2016-17.

CHARTER PUBLIC TEACHERS ARE LIFELONG LEARNERS












For example, at Community Charter School of Cambridge, teachers receive **8 HOURS OF PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT** each month.

3,000+ TEACHERS ENGAGED IN CONSTANT COLLABORATION

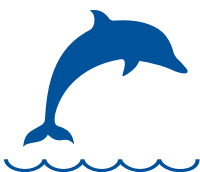
FIFTY-THREE PERCENT of teachers receive over 6 hours of planning time each week

EDUCATION GOES BEYOND THE CLASSROOM WALLS

The arts and athletics are fundamental to our students' self-discovery and development. Below are some of the many, many programs our charter schools offer:

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|  basketball |  theatre |  soccer |
|  dance |  volleyball |  choir |
|  cheerleading |  track & field |  baseball |

KIDS ARE SAVING THE WORLD: ONE CAUSE AT A TIME



Sturgis Charter Public School students partnered with the Woods Hole Oceanographic Institution to present the International Fund for Animal Welfare with their **dolphin rescue carrier invention**.

‡ Formerly referred to as English Language Learners

STUDENTS ARE ALSO TEACHERS

Students and teachers from the Francis W. Parker Charter Essential School in Devens led engaging discussions and activities around Restorative Practices for charter schools across the Commonwealth.



NATIONAL TEACHER OF THE YEAR RECIPIENT

★ Sydney Chaffee, Humanities Teacher at Codman Academy Charter Public School in Dorchester, was named National Teacher of the Year in 2017-18! ★

16 CHARTERS MADE MA'S TOP 100 PUBLIC HIGH SCHOOLS

- Advanced Math and Science Academy (#2)
- Mystic Valley Regional (#3)
- Boston Collegiate (#21)
- KIPP Academy Lynn (#26)
- Berkshire Arts & Technology (#34)
- Foxborough Regional (#39)
- Salem Academy (#40)
- Pioneer Charter School of Science (#53)
- Prospect Hill Academy (#59)
- Boston Preparatory (#63)
- Community Charter School of Cambridge (#64)
- Rising Tide (#67)
- Global Learning (#72)
- Hampden Charter School of Science (#80)
- Academy of the Pacific Rim (#84)
- SABIS International (#92)