

# Families and Education Levy Investments at Denny International Middle School 2015-16



## Denny International Middle School

**Principal:** Jeff Clark

**Location:**  
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Seattle, WA 98126

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**School Website:**  
<http://dennymys.seattleschools.org/>

## Funding:

2015-16 Award: \$795,550

First year of funding: 2012

### Levy Performance Measures

- Missing fewer than five days each semester
- Passing core courses each semester
- Achieving growth targets on state and district assessments in math and reading
- Making gains on state assessment for English language acquisition
- Meeting grade-level standards on state assessments in math and reading

### Levy-Funded Community Partners

- City Year
- Communities in Schools
- El Centro de la Raza
- Seattle Parks and Recreation
- University Tutors for Seattle Schools
- Neighborcare Health

### Levy-Funded Key Strategies

- Seattle Parks and Recreation Community Learning Center provides extended day and extended year academic and enrichment activities.
- Diplomas Now staff (partnership between City Year, Communities in Schools, and John Hopkins University) provide case management, social/emotional support for students in need, and implement an early warning system to identify struggling students.
- Math teachers provide six additional math classes during the day.
- Math coach coordinates common planning, interim assessments, data review, and leadership for math department.
- Big 5 Academy program provides an alternative to out-of-school suspension and promotes Denny's college and career readiness strategies.
- El Centro de la Raza and University Tutors provide academic tutoring.
- A Somali-speaking Volunteer Coordinator engages families in strategies to promote attendance and passing core courses.
- School based health center services focus on treating and preventing health issues that interfere with academic achievement, including immunizations, chronic disease management, reproductive health care, oral health, and behavioral health counseling.

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