

Families and Education Levy Investments at West Seattle High School 2015-16



West Seattle High School

Principal: Ruth Medsker

Location:

3000 California Ave. SW
Seattle, WA 98116

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School Website:

<http://westseattlehs.seattleschools.org/>

Funding:

2015-16 Award: \$609,995

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
- Meeting grade-level standards on state assessments in math and reading
- On-time promotion to 10th grade

Levy-Funded Community Partners

- Asian Counseling and Referral Service
- Neighborcare Health
- University Tutors for Seattle Schools
- YMCA

Levy-Funded Key Strategies

- High School Graduation Success Coordinator works with students, families, and teachers to identify barriers and develop action plans to improve grades and earn credits.
- Career Center Specialist provides intensified case management support to students identified with significant barriers to post-secondary success.
- YMCA implements after-school enrichment and service activities and supports a caseload of focus students.
- Asian Counseling and Referral Service Care Coordinator provides behavioral health care screening and care coordination to 9th graders.
- University Tutors provides academic tutoring for focus students.
- 9th grade counselor provides and manages social/emotional support services for 9th graders and their families.
- Parent Coordinator works to maximize 9th grade parent involvement.
- 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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