

Families and Education Levy Investments at Mercer Middle School 2016-17



Mercer Middle School

Principal: Chris Carter

Location:

1600 S. Columbian Way
Seattle, WA 98108

(206) 252-8005

School Website:

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

Funding:

2016-17 Award: \$ 940,768

First year of funding: 2012

- Middle School Innovation
- Health
- Summer

Levy Performance Measures

- Missing fewer than five days each semester
- Achieving growth targets on the state assessment in math and reading
- Meeting standard on the state assessment in math and reading

Levy Goals

All of Seattle's children will ...

- Enter kindergarten prepared to succeed
- Achieve academically and the achievement gap will be reduced
- Graduate from high school prepared for college or career

Levy-Funded Community Partners

- Neighborcare Health
- University Tutors for Seattle Schools
- Seattle Parks and Recreation

Levy-Funded Key Strategies

- Seattle Parks and Recreation provides after school academic and enrichment opportunities including a 4H STEM program, tutoring, and college and career readiness activities
- University Tutors support struggling students in math both during and after school
- Case Management for a select group of students to aid in the removal of barriers to school success and to increase attendance, passing core classes, and skill building.
- Additional math classes for students who are not at standard
- 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
- Seattle Parks and Recreation operates on-site summer learning program to provide additional academic and enrichment opportunities

