



# Oral Exit Review Report

## Engagement Review for Clayton County School District

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# Meet the External Engagement Review Team

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# Words we heard...

- Compassion
- Rigor
- Dedicated
- Progressive
- Innovative
- Supportive
- Committed
- Collaborative
- Growing
- Transforming
- Engaging
- Family
- Data-driven
- Improving
- Intentional
- “Package”





# Quotes

- “This district provides professional development for anything you need or want.”
- “We find their interest, we find their passion, and we foster it.”
- “We are on the road to success – we hold our heads high.”
- “Striving to be a district of excellence.”
- “When it comes to data, whether it be discipline or academic, everyone is transparent.”
- “This school is my family away from home.”
- “You are a valuable part of this class.”
- “We are resource rich with a plethora of program options.”



**“It’s all of us, we are Clayton strong.”**



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# Accreditation

An international protocol for institutions committed to systematic and sustainable improvement

- Builds capacity of the institution to improve and sustain student learning
- Stimulates and improves effectiveness and efficiency throughout the institution.





# A diagnostic to stimulate and guide continuous improvement with a focus on three (3) domains:

- Leadership Capacity
- Learning Capacity
- Resource Capacity



# The Role of the Engagement Review Team

- Gather first-hand evidence and information pertinent to evaluating an institution's performance against the research-based AdvancED Performance Standards.
- Using the Standards, assess the quality of learning environments to gain valuable insights and target improvements in teaching and learning.
- Provide valuable feedback to institutions that helps to focus and guide each institution's improvement journey.







# Findings

# Team Findings:

## Powerful Practices:

- Professional Learning
- Organizational Effectiveness
- Alignment of Standards and Practices





# Team Findings:

## Improvement Priority:

- Formalized Structure for Student Advocacy Process





Interviews	Number
Board of Education	8
Superintendent	1
Administrators	107
Instructional Staff	231
Support Staff	52
Students	224
Parents & Community	27
<b>Total</b>	<b>650</b>



# Recommendation

The AdvancED Engagement Review Team hereby recommends the Clayton County School District for Accreditation on this 21st day of March, 2018.



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# Special Thanks...



- Clayton County Board of Education
- Dr. Morcease Beasley, Superintendent
- Dr. Monika Wiley, Director of Fine Arts/School Choice
- Information Technology Department
- Jerry “Buddy” Kelly, CCPS Driver

Thank you **ALL** for allowing us to experience your continuous improvement **JOURNEY!**

