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Supports for ELL and Students with Disabilities
Site Accessibility: Functionally Accessible
Special Education Services: This school will provide students with disabilities the supports and services indicated on their IEPs.

ELL Programs: ESL Transitional Bilingual Program: Spanish

## School Life

Total Students (grades 6-8): 470
Grades (2015-2016): 6-8
Uniform/Dress Code Enforced: Yes
Academic Portfolio Required: No
Community Service: Yes; 10 hours required for graduation
Extended Day Program Offered: Yes; Specialized High School Program and Supports/Extensions for all Core Subjects
Summer Session Offered: Yes; DOE Summer School
Weekend Program Offered: Yes; Saturday Academy

## Academic Opportunities

Regents Classes: Earth Science, Integrated Algebra
Language Classes: Spanish

## School Performance

|  | What \% of Middle School Students... |  |  |  |  |  | How <br> Satisfied Are Students With the School? |
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|  | Passed English Class? | Passed <br> Math <br> Class? | Passed Social Studies Class? | Passed Science Class? | Were Proficient on the State English Test? | Were <br> Proficient on the State Math Test? |  |
| This School's Performance in 2012-2013 | 99\% | 94\% | 99\% | 100\% | 6\% | 13\% | 7.9 |
| Average for Similar Schools | 86\% | 83\% | 86\% | 85\% | 7\% | 6\% | 7.4 |

Quality Review Score: Proficient (2011-2012)

## About Our School

Our middle school was established to promote and nurture a culture of high expectations that enables our students to succeed in their school lives and beyond. We provide a Common Core Learning Standards-aligned curriculum to best prepare all of our students for college and career readiness. Our school community is focused on the implementation of a rigorous curriculum, differentiated to meet the diverse needs and strengths of our students. We celebrate a learning environment that is designed to foster and motivate our students through four essential beliefs: belonging, mastery, independence, and generosity. We value parents as our partners as we work together to achieve the mission and vision that we share for our school. Structures for frequent, clear, welcoming, and respectful communication enhance our home-school connections.

## Extracurricular Activities and Clubs

Student Government/Student Council, After-school Academic Enrichment Program, Career Fair/Skills Development, Chess, Young Runners, Aiming High, Achieve 3000, Expert 21
Special Programs: Partnership with Good Shepherd Services, Community Service, Curriculum-related Field Trips
CHAMPS Sports - Boys: Basketball, Fitness Club, Track \& Field
CHAMPS Sports - Girls: Basketball, Fitness Club, Track \& Field
CHAMPS Sports - Co-ed: Cheerleading, Step

## Admissions Priorities and Programs

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- For X447L:

1. Priority to students and residents of Districts 9 and 10 who sign in at an event
2. Then to students and residents of Districts 9 and 10

- For X447M: Open to students and residents of Districts 9 and 10
- For X447U: Open to students residing in the zone

| Program Name | Code | Program Focus | Admissions Method | 2014 <br> Seats | $2014$ <br> Applicants |
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| The Community Service Academy | X447L | Service Learning | Limited Unscreened | 30 | 259 |
| Selection Criteria: Students who apply to this program will be randomly selected within the priority groups listed above. |  |  |  |  |  |
| Spanish Bilingual Program | X447M | Bilingualism | Screened: Language | 30 | 207 |
| Selection Criteria: Priority is given to the following students: <br> - English Language Learners (ELLs) <br> - Heritage Language Speakers of the target language <br> - Participants of Elementary level Dual Language and Transitional Bilingual Education programs in the target language |  |  |  |  |  |
| The Creston Academy for Responsibility and Excellence (C.A.R.E.) | X447U | Service Learning | Unscreened | 92 | 149 |

