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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**

		How						
	Passed English Class?	Passed Math Class?	Passed Social Studies Class?	Passed Science Class?	Were Proficient on the State English Test?	Were Proficient on the State Math Test?	Satisfied Are Students With the School?	
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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Excellence (C.A.R.E.)

- For X447L:
  - 1. Priority to students and residents of Districts 9 and 10 who sign in at an event

**Selection Criteria:** Students who apply to this program will be randomly selected.

- 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 Seats	2014 Applicants				
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:  • English Language Learners (ELLs)  • Heritage Language Speakers of the target language  • Participants of Elementary level Dual Language and Transitional Bilingual Education programs in the target language									
The Creston Academy for Responsibility and	X447U	Service Learning	Unscreened	92	149				