

All of our students, regardless of their zip code, deserve the tools and time to learn.

- The chances your child has for success should not depend on winning a charter lottery, affording private school, or living in the right zip code.
- If we're serious about every child's future, let's get serious about doing what works. This means resourcing all schools so students have more one-on-one attention, inviting classrooms, and a well-rounded curriculum.
- All students deserve learning opportunities that begin by age 4, safe schools, classes small enough for one-on-one attention and modern [tools/textbooks.]
- All schools should provide community support services like nutrition, health, and after school programs for students who need it.
- Resourced public schools that are desirable places to be and learn are our best bet for setting every student in America off toward a great future.

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- As _____, we set high expectations for all students. Students must learn writing, critical thinking, and problem-solving skills through reading, math, history, and science. We encourage creativity through a well-rounded education that includes arts, PE, and music.
- Basic skills are part of the equation but as _____ we also inspire students' natural curiosity and desire to learn. Of all the things we teach our kids, the most important is love of learning.
- School is a place where discovery[childhood] happens.
- No bubble test can measure a kid's curiosity. So much happens at school that shapes our children's tomorrows, and therefore we must instill a love of learning, foster creativity, and teach critical thinking skills.

As _____, we are deeply committed to the success of every student.

Students are at the center of everything we do.

Ensure every student has a caring, qualified, committed teacher.

- Ask educators why they work in schools and most will respond instantly: they believe in children.
- Education isn't just a job, it's a calling. As a _____, I strive to connect with each child, discover his passions, and unlock her potential.
- We must ensure each educator has the resources, mentoring, and support every professional needs.
- We must create a learning environment with class sizes that enable teachers to connect one-on-one with each student.
- As trusted professionals, educators are best equipped to make school and classroom decisions to ensure student success
- We support approaches that ensure anyone who becomes a teacher enters the classroom ready to reach, teach, and inspire.