

OPENING CALENDAR

March 21, 2013

PUBLIC SESSION

PERFORMANCES

Invocation

Francisco González, Board Member

Presentation of the Colors

Admiral William F. Halsey, Jr. Leadership Academy JROTC

Pledge of Allegiance

Nelsy Louis, 8th grade student
Robert Morris School No.18

Star Spangled Banner by Francis Scott Key

Robert Morris School No.18 Band

Pledge of Ethics

Hailee Wouters-VanSlyke 8th grade student
Robert Morris School No.18

Core Beliefs – Video

PERFORMANCES

“It’s A Melody” words and music by John Jacobson and Kirby Shaw

Performed by: Robert Morris School No. 18 Kindergarten Chorus

“Sing A Song For Nature” words and music by Mark Burrows

Performed by Robert Morris School No. 18 Kindergarten chorus

“Dance Mix”

Performed by: Kamar Thomas, 5th grade student
Shamar Thomas, 1st grade student
Robert Morris School No.18

“Dance Mix”

Performed by: Johanna Otero, 1st grade student
Robert Morris School No.18

“Every Day We're Moving”

Performed by: 3rd grade students of Terence C. Reilly School No. 7
Who performed on the Dr. Oz Show with First Lady Michelle Obama

“Move Your Body”

Performed by: 5th grade students of Terence C. Reilly School No. 7
Dance Inspired by Michelle Obama’s Just Move National Campaign

PRESENTATIONS:

STUDENT EXCELLENCE

2nd Place in the 2013 ACTFL Video contest in the Popular Category for the video titled *Be Careful What You Say*. This video contest was part of the national public awareness campaign, *Discover Languages...Discover the World!* sponsored by the American Council on the Teaching of Foreign Languages.

Yonaida Brito	12 th grade student, Elizabeth High School
Cindy Gomes	12 th grade student, Elizabeth High School
Luisa Goytia	11 th grade student, Elizabeth High School
Angie Padilla	12 th grade student, Elizabeth High School
Josue Robles	12 th grade student, Elizabeth High School
Eileen Urbina	12 th grade student, Elizabeth High School
Victoria Villalta	11 th grade student, Elizabeth High School
Jonathan Yakubov	12 th grade student, Elizabeth High School

Helping Hand Awards: Robert Morris School 18

8th Grade Students

Alexandre Garcia
Cristof Garcia
Destiny Howard
Nelsy Louis
Alejandro Pasco
Nathalie Perez
Yolit Rios
Paola Torres
Hailee VanSlyke
Diana Varela

STARS OF EXCELLENCE:

Robert Morris School No. 18

In Recognition of Dedication to Healthy Eating:

Tomasso Guarino, Cook

In Recognition of Exemplary Staff “Whooo’s” Who of School No. 18:

Mr. Ali Abdul-Malik
Mrs. Annette Furnback
Mr. Dmitri Kotchtcheev
Mrs. Sonia Marques
Ms. Jeannette Martinez
Mrs. Margherita Martino-Avella
Mrs. Linda Moszczyński-Soldo
Mr. John Parello
Mrs. Giselle Scarfone-Sanzone
Mrs. Lucia Seitzinger
Mrs. Carol Sokolosky

PRESENTATIONS (continued):

Robert Morris School No. 18

In Recognition of Parental Involvement:

Mrs. Dina Echevarria
Mr. Alex Echevarria
Mrs. Evelyn Voltolin
Mr. David Voltolin
Mrs. Jessica Martinez
Miss Johanna Rozo
Mrs. Sara Liscano
Mrs. Kristi Capindica
Mrs. Mariela DeJesus

COMMUNITY EXCELLENCE:

In Recognition of Donation to Robert Morris School No. 18: (Resolution 10g – 12-183)

Damon Marks, Founder of Traveling Guitar Foundation

In Recognition of Community Involvement:

Evelina Martinez

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YPersonnel Report
Leaves of Absence, etc.
Elizabeth, NJ;
March 21, 2013**BOARD OF EDUCATION**

The Superintendent of Schools recommends approval of the following recommendations.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE

Recommended: That the following requests for leave of absence be granted, **with pay**, as below written. **Subject to correction of errors**

Instructional DepartmentCertified Staff

Anne Marie Abercrombie, Teacher-Fifth Grade (No. 1165), School No. 3 – effective January 16, 2013 through January 31, 2013.

Kilsys Almonte, Teacher-Learning/Language Disabilities (No. 1274), School No. 14 – effective April 8, 2013 through May 31, 2013.

Latesha Nakia Barnes, School Nurse (No. 3648), School No. 18 – effective November 26, 2012 through March 14, 2012.

Kathleen Darby, Teacher-Tutor Interventionist K-5 (No. 2893), School No. 2 – effective January 8, 2013 through February 13, 2013.

Kate Di Fonzo, Teacher-Music (No. 996), School No. 29 – effective March 11, 2013 through April 30, 2013.

Kimberly Girgis, Social Worker (Schools) (No. 3358), Admiral William F. Halsey, Jr. Leadership Academy – effective April 15, 2013 through April 30, 2013.

Philip Gomez, Principal (No. 3304), School No. 12 – effective March 4, 2013 through March 28, 2013.

Elise J. Gorner, Teacher-Fourth Grade (No. 65), School No. 27 – effective January 8, 2013 through February 8, 2013.

Linda Gruss, Teacher-Fourth Grade (No. 2205), School No. 1 – effective February 11, 2013 through April 1, 2013.

Carolyn Kalos, School Nurse (No. 2449), ECC School No. 50 – effective January 24, 2013 through January 31, 2013.

Armenia I. Liranzo, Teacher-Pre Kindergarten (No. 136), School No. 5 Annex A – effective January 29, 2013 through February 25, 2013.

Silvia Martins-Neno, School Psychologist (No. 2116), Division of Early Childhood – effective March 29, 2013 through June 7, 2013.

Giustina Joanna Mazza-Miraldo, Teacher-Pre-Kindergarten (No. 1130), School No. 1 – effective April 8, 2013 through April 30, 2013.

Kimberly Lynn Pantano, Teacher-Fifth Grade (No. 332), School No. 7 – effective April 22, 2013 through June 10, 2013.

Jessica Rivera, Teacher-First Grade (No. 2404), School No. 20 – effective February 4, 2013 through February 15, 2013 (2/15/13 -1/4 day paid).

Raquel Rosa, Teacher-Bilingual Self Contained (No. 4123), School No. 19 – effective March 12, 2013 through May 27, 2013.

Brendee Solomon, Teacher-Fifth Grade (No. 3615), School No. 29 – effective March 22, 2013 through March 27, 2013.

Support Staff: Administrative Secretary I-12 Months

Anna Sompel, Administrative Secretary I-12 Months (No. 1653), Admiral William F. Halsey, Jr. Leadership Academy – effective February 22, 2013 through April 15, 2013.

Support Staff: Child Development Associate

Deborah A. Clayton, Child Development Associate (No. 2080), ECC School No. 51 – effective February 6, 2013 through March 8, 2013.

Support Staff: Assistants

Jorge E. Torres, Assistant-Personal (No. 4541), Admiral William F. Halsey, Jr. Leadership Academy – effective February 15, 2013 through March 18, 2013.

Carla Twyne, Assistant-Learning/Language Disabilities (No. 3673), School No. 13 – effective January 2, 2013 through March 15, 2013.

Business Office**Support Staff: Staffing Assistant**

Geraldine Verna De Fonseca, Staffing Assistant (No. 733), Human Resources- 94 Mitchell Building – effective February 13, 2013 through March 6, 2013.

Custodians

Zunilda Cepeda, Custodian (Head) (No. 4177), School No. 20 – effective February 1, 2013 through March 21, 2013.

Josue Coello, Custodian (Head) (No. 2732), ECC School No. 51 – effective January 8, 2013 through February 18, 2013.

Maria M. Ramirez, Custodian (No. 4431), School No. 5A Annex – effective February 22, 2013 through March 11, 2013.

Security Guards

Maryse Desir, Security Guard (No. 3041), School No. 28 – effective February 18, 2013 through April 9, 2013.

Food Service

Elisa Lima, Food Service Worker 2 Hour (No. 3836), School No. 30 – effective January 22, 2013 through February 11, 2013.

Josephine Robinson, Food Service Worker 2 Hour (No. 1465), School No. 20 – effective February 18, 2013 through April 15, 2013.

Truck Driver/Utility Person

Johnny Adams, Truck Driver/Utility Person (No. 1510), 95 Warehouse – effective February 11, 2013 through April 30, 2013.

Multipurpose Bus Attendant

Maria L. Ramos, Multipurpose Bus Attendant (No. 3382), School No. 6 – effective February 13, 2013 through February 25, 2013.

Celeste M. Tejada, Multipurpose Bus Attendant (No. 3948), 95 Warehouse – effective January 24, 2013 through March 18, 2013.

Recommended: That the following requests for leave of absence be granted, **without pay**, as below written.

Instructional Department

Certified Staff

Anne Marie Abercrombie, Teacher-Fifth Grade (No. 1165), School No. 3 – effective February 1, 2013 through April 12, 2013.

Tina Anapolsky, Early Childhood Consultant (No. 2883), Division of Early Childhood Education – effective April 29, 2013 through May 3, 2013.

Lateesha Nakia Barnes, School Nurse (No. 3648), School No. 18 – effective December 15, 2012 through March 5, 2013.

Kathleen Darby, Teacher-Tutor Interventionist K-5 (No. 2893), School No. 2 – effective February 14, 2013 through May 31, 2013.

Kate Difonzo, Teacher-Music (No. 996), School No. 29 – effective May 1, 2013 through June 30, 2013.

Kimberly Girgis, Social Worker (Schools) (No. 3358), Admiral William F. Halsey, Jr. Leadership Academy –effective May 1, 2013 through June 12, 2013.

Carolyn Kalos, School Nurse (No. 2449), ECC School No. 50 – effective February 1, 2013 through June 30, 2013.

Giustina Joanna Mazza-Miraldo, Teacher-Pre-Kindergarten (No. 1130), School No. 1 – effective May 1, 2013 through June 30, 2013.

Silvia Martins-Neno, School Psychologist, (No. 2116), Division of Early Childhood – effective June 10, 2013 through June 30, 2013.

Daniela McDonnell, Teacher-Resource Center (No. 1362), School No. 12 – effective March 4, 2013 through March 8, 2013.

Kimberly Lynn Pantano, Teacher-Fifth Grade (No. 332), School No. 7 – effective June 11, 2013 through June 30, 2013.

Jessica Rivera, Teacher-First Grade (No. 2404), School No. 20 – effective February 15, 2013 through February 27, 2013 (2/15/13 = 3/4 day not paid).

Raquel Rosa, Teacher-Bilingual Self Contained (No. 4123), School No. 19 – effective May 28, 2013 through June 30, 2013.

Brendee Solomon, Teacher-Fifth Grade (No. 3615), School No. 29 – effective March 28, 2013 through June 14, 2013.

Support Staff: Child Development Associates

Lillian Alvarado, Child Development Associate, (No. 2657), School No. 23 – effective February 25, 2013 through March 1, 2013.

Support Staff: Assistants

Samaiyah Simpson, Assistant-Personal (No. 1973), School No. 6 – effective March 1, 2013 through May 10, 2013.

Carla Twyne, Assistant-Learning/Language Disabilities (No. 3673), School No. 13 – effective March 18, 2013 through March 29, 2013.

Business Office

Custodians

Zunilda Cepeda, Custodian (Head) (No. 4177), School No. 20 – effective March 22, 2013 through June 30, 2013.

Security Guards

Luis Manco, Security Guard (No. 3756), School No. 1 – effective February 20, 2013 through February 22, 2013.

Multipurpose Bus Attendant

Maria L. Ramos, Multipurpose Bus Attendant (No. 3382), School No. 6 – effective February 26, 2013 through March 22, 2013.

Celeste M. Tegada, Multipurpose Bus Attendant (No. 3948), 95 Warehouse - effective March 19, 2013 through March 22, 2013.

Food Service

Martha Arias, General Worker 6 Hours (No. 4145), School No. 18 – effective February 11, 2013 through February 22, 2013.

RESCIND OF A LEAVE OF ABSENCE

Recommended: That the following request for rescind of a leave of absence be granted, as below written.

Business OfficeBus Driver/Utility Person

Delia C. Margolles, Bus Driver/Utility Person (No. 3290), 95 Warehouse – effective February 1, 2013 through March 4, 2013.

EXTENSIONS OF LEAVES OF ABSENCE

Recommended: That the following requests for extension of leave of absence be granted, as below written.

Instructional DepartmentCertified Staff

Rosa Bustamante, Teacher-Bilingual In Class Support (No. 2851), School No. 16, presently on leave of absence - extension from March 1, 2013 through March 20, 2013.

Carmela Melillo, Teacher-Sixth Grade (No. 802), School No. 1, presently on leave of absence - extension from, February 8, 2013 through February 14, 2013.

Eric Price, Teacher-Seventh & Eighth Grade (Social Studies) (No. 1106), School No. 12, presently on leave of absence - extension from March 1, 2013 through April 5, 2013.

Melissa Spatucci, Library/Media Specialist (No. 4029), Thomas A. Edison Career & Technical Academy, presently on leave of absence - extension from February 19, 2013 through March 15, 2013.

Stephanie Torres, Teacher-Instructional Coach (No. 2915), Division of Elementary Education, presently on leave of absence - extension from March 1, 2013 through March 31, 2013.

Support Staff: Administrative Secretary I-12

Vanessa Camacho, Administrative Secretary I-12 (No. 1564), Division of Elementary Education, presently on leave of absence - extension from March 16, 2013 through April 30, 2013.

Support Staff: Assistants

Eleanor Pribish, Assistant-Personal (No. 1135), School No. 30, presently on leave of absence - extension from February 18, 2013 through February 22, 2013.

Support Staff: Attendance Liaison

Olga Fajardo, Attendance Liaison (No. 2261), Division of Special Services, presently on leave of absence - extension from February 25, 2013 through March 13, 2013.

Business OfficeFood Service

Sonia Gomez, General Worker 6 Hours (No. 446), ECC School No. 52, presently on leave of absence - extension from February 25, 2013 through March 8, 2013.

CHANGE IN DATE OF LEAVES OF ABSENCE

Recommended: That the following change in date of leave of absence be granted, as below written.

Instructional DepartmentCertified Staff

<u>Name</u>		<u>From</u>	<u>To</u>
Providence Gonzalez	Bus Driver/Utility Person (No. 1376)	2/7/13-3/7/13 (medical w/o/p)	2/7/13-3/1/13 (medical w/o/p)

RETURNING FROM LEAVE OF ABSENCE

Recommended: That the following assignment of personnel returning from leave of absence be granted, as below written.

Instructional DepartmentCertified Staff

<u>Name</u>	<u>Assignment</u>	<u>Salary</u>	<u>Date</u>
Kilsys Almonte	Teacher-Learning/Language Disabilities (No. 1274) School No. 14 Account No. 15-204-100-101-14-00	\$79,293	6/10/13
Tina Anapolsky	Early Childhood Consultant (No. 2883) Division of Early Childhood Education Account No. 20-218-200-173-00-02	\$103,754	5/6/13

Rosa Bustamante	Teacher-Bilingual In Class Support (No. 2851) School No. 16 Account No. 15-243-100-101-16-00	\$79,293	3/21/13
Gladys Castellanos	Principal (No. 3607) Office of the Assistant Superintendent of Schools Account No. 11-000-230-104-00-00	\$136,510	3/1/13
Daniel Catena	Teacher-Resource Center (No. 3212) School No. 27 Account No. 15-213-100-101-27-00	\$75,567	2/18/13
Kathleen Darby	Teacher-Tutor Interventionist K-5 (No. 2893) School No. 2 Account No. 15-120-100-101-02-00-23	\$76,524	6/1/13
Philip Gomez	Principal (No. 3304) School No. 12 Account No. 15-000-240-103-12-00	\$134,750	4/2/13
Elise J. Gorner	Teacher-Fourth Grade (Team) (No. 65) School No. 27 Account No. 15-120-100-101-27-00	\$97,384	2/11/13
Kimberly Grigis	Social Worker (Schools) (No. 3358) Admiral William F. Halsey, Jr. Leadership Academy Account No. 15-000-211-100-83-00-25	\$67,257	6/13/13
Linda Gruss	Teacher-Fourth Grade (No. 2205) School No. 1 Account No. 15-120-100-101-01-00	\$97,384	4/2/13
Daniela McDonnell	Teacher-Resource Center (No. 1362) School No. 12 Account No. 15-213-100-101-12-00	\$71,700	3/11/13

Carmela Melillo	Teacher-Sixth Grade (No. 802) School No. 1 Account No. 15-130-100-101-01-00	\$70,811	2/15/13
Eric A. Price	Teacher-Seventh & Eighth Grade (No. 1106) School No. 12 Account No. 15-130-100-101-12-00	\$75,567	4/8/13
Brendee Solomon	Teacher-Fifth Grade (No. 3615) School No. 29 Account No. 15-120-100-101-29-00	\$63,249	6/17/13
Jessica Rivera	Teacher-First Grade (No. 2404) School No. 20 Account No. 15-120-100-101-20-00	\$67,814	2/28/13
Melissa Spatucci	Library/Media Specialist (No. 4029) Thomas A. Edison Career and Technical Academy Account No. 15-000-222-100-87-00	\$67,319	3/18/13

Support Staff: Administrative Secretary I-12 Months

<u>Name</u>	<u>Assignment</u>	<u>Salary</u>	<u>Date</u>
Vanessa Camacho	Administrative Secretary I- 12 Months (No. 1564) Division of Elementary Education Account No. 11-000-221-05-00-00	\$31,837	5/1/13

Support Staff: Child Development Associates

<u>Name</u>	<u>Assignment</u>	<u>Salary</u>	<u>Date</u>
Lillian Alvarado	Child Development Associate (No. 2657) School No. 23 Account No. 20-218-100-106-23-02	\$36,751	3/4/13

Deborah A. Clayton	Child Development Associate (No. 2080) School No. 51 Account No. 20-218-100-106-51-02	\$36,751	3/11/13
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Support Staff: Assistants

<u>Name</u>	<u>Assignment</u>	<u>Salary</u>	<u>Date</u>
Eleanor Pribish	Assistant-Personal (No. 1135) School No. 30 Account No. 11-000-217-106-00-00	\$42,988	2/25/13
Samaiyah Simpson	Assistant-Personal (No. 1973) School No. 6 Account No. 11-000-217-106-00-00	\$42,472	5/13/13
Jorge E. Torres	Assistant-Personal (No. 4541) Admiral William F. Halsey, Jr. Leadership Academy Account No. 11-000-217-106-00-00	\$39,564	3/19/13

Business OfficeSupport Staff: Staffing Assistant

<u>Name</u>	<u>Assignment</u>	<u>Salary</u>	<u>Date</u>
Geraldine Verna De Fonseca	Staffing Assistant (No. 733) Human Resources 94- Mitchell Building Account No. 11-000-251-104-00-00	\$74,263	3/7/13

Custodians

<u>Name</u>	<u>Assignment</u>	<u>Salary</u>	<u>Date</u>
Josue Coello	Custodian (No. 2732) ECC School No. 51 Account No. 11-000-260-110-51-00	\$66,443	2/19/13
Lina Diaz	Custodian (No. 697) Plant & Property Account No. 11-000-260-110-26-00	\$58,607	2/4/13

Security Guards

<u>Name</u>	<u>Assignment</u>	<u>Salary</u>	<u>Date</u>
Maryse Desir	Security Guard (No. 3041) School No. 28 Account No. 15-000-260-110-28-30	\$36,922	4/10/13
Luis Manco	Security Guard (No. 3756) School No. 1 Account No. 15-000-260-110-01-30	\$32,590	2/25/13

Food Service

<u>Name</u>	<u>Assignment</u>	<u>Salary</u>	<u>Date</u>
Martha Arias	General Worker 6 Hours (No. 4145) School No. 18 Account No. 50-910-310-110-18-00-30	\$10,686	2/25/13
Ana Calas	General Worker 6 Hours (No. 2393) School No. 29 Account No. 50-910-310-110-29-00-30	\$12,810	2/25/13
Sonia Gomez	General Worker 6 Hours (No. 446) ECC School No. 52 Account No. 50-910-310-110-52-00-30	\$14,383	3/11/13
Elisa Lima	Food Service Worker 2 Hours (No. 3836) School No. 30 Account No. 20-218-262-107-30-50-02	\$5,751	2/12/13
Josephine Robinson	Food Service Worker 2 Hours (No. 1465) School No. 20 Account No. 11-000-260-110-20-00-02	\$5,751	4/16/13

Transportation Department

<u>Name</u>	<u>Assignment</u>	<u>Salary</u>	<u>Date</u>
Providence Gonzalez	Bus Drive/Utility Person (No. 1376) 95 Warehouse Account No. 11-000-270-161-00-00	\$61,745	3/4/13

Celeste M. Tejada	Multipurpose Bus Attendant (No. 3948) 95 Warehouse Account No. 11-000-270-161-00-52-47	\$26,039	3/25/13
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RESCIND OF RETIREMENTS

Recommended: That the following Rescind of retirement be made, as below written.

Business Office

Food Service

Gloria C. Penuela, Food Service Worker 2 Hour (No. 2141), ECC School No. 51 – effective February 1, 2013.

RETIREMENTS

Recommended: That the following notices of retirement be accepted, as below written.

Instructional Department

Certified Staff

Patricia Haydu, Coop. Health Occupations (No. 3399), Thomas A. Edison Career & Technical Academy – effective July 1, 2013.

Valerie J. Jones, Teacher-Fifth Grade, Dr. Antonia Pantoja School No. 27 – effective February 1, 2013.

Joseph Londino, Teacher-Learning Language Disabilities (No. 1), John E. Dwyer Technology Academy – effective April 1, 2013.

Augusto Ortiz, Teacher-Bilingual Mathematics (No. 4176), John E. Dwyer Technology Academy – effective July 1, 2013.

Barbara Rosenberg, Teacher-Pre-Kindergarten (No. 474), School No. 5 – effective July 1, 2013.

Nancy Simon, Teacher-Second Grade (No. 1037), School No. 23 – effective July 1, 2013 – effective July 1, 2013.

Karen Meri Skolnick, Teacher-First Grade (No. 3757), School No. 15 – effective July 1, 2013 (9 years).

William Sullivan, Teacher-Mathematics (No. 1311), Thomas Jefferson Arts Academy – effective July 1, 2013.

Business Office

Custodian

Elizabeth Contreras, Custodian (No. 4100), School No. 16 – effective August 1, 2013.

Sadie R. Moises, Custodian (No. 2171), Elizabeth High School (L) – effective July 1, 2013.

Food Service

Elsa Fajardo, General Worker 6 Hours (No. 1028), John E. Dwyer Technology Academy – effective March 1, 2013.

Lolita Perez, Cook Manager I (No. 3454), School No. 23 – effective September 1, 2012.

Antonia Rivetti, General Worker 6 Hours (No. 2904), School No. 3 – effective April 1, 2013.

Bus Driver/Utility Person

Jean Coop, Bus Driver/Utility Person (No. 499), 95 Warehouse – effective March 1, 2013.

Delia C. Margolles, Bus Driver/Utility Person (No. 3290), 95 Warehouse – effective February 1, 2013.

RESIGNATIONS

Recommended: That the following notices of resignation be accepted, as below written.

Instructional Department

Certified Staff

Denise Kuokor Joachim, Social Worker (Schools) (No. 4516), School No. 25 –effective April 15, 2013.

Tania Mongioi, Supervisor of Special Services (No. 3022), Division of Special Services – effective March 25, 2013 (release from contract).

Tiffany Servidio, Teacher-Second Grade (No. 1474), School No. 12, effective May 6, 2013.

Alana Vasquez, Teacher-Third Grade (Team) (No. 2773), School No. 4, effective April 19, 2013.

REAPPOINTMENTS

Recommended: That the following reappointments of personnel be granted, as below written, September 1, 2012 through June 30, 2013. **Subject to correction of errors**

Instructional DepartmentCertified Staff

<u>Name</u>	<u>Assignment</u>	<u>Salary</u>	<u>Date</u>
Giorgina Bialous	Teacher-Mathematics (Sixth Grade) (No. 3714) School No. 28 Account No. 15-130-100-101-28-00	\$65,791	3/25/13- 6/30/13

APPOINTMENTS

Recommended: That the following appointments of personnel be approved, from September 1, 2012 through June 30, 2013, as below written.

Subject to correction of errors

Instructional DepartmentCertified Staff

Afton Athena Johnson, graduate of Rider University, NJ (BA 2005). Teacher-Music (No. 3865), Ronald Regan Academy School No. 30. Certification: Teacher of Music (standard). Salary: \$67,814, effective March 25, 2013 through June 30, 2013.
Account No. 15-120-100-101-30-00-20

Nilda Vazquez Linger, graduate of Seton Hall University, NJ (MA 2010). School Psychologist (No. 2776), Division of Special Services. Certification: School Psychologist (Standard). Salary: \$78,430, effective March 25, 2013 through June 30, 2013.
Account No. 11-000-219-104-00-00-01

Maria Petros Litos, graduate of Montclair University, NJ (BA 2012). Teacher- Language Arts (No. 970), John E. Dwyer Technology Academy. Certification: Teacher of English CEAS (advance standing). Salary: \$57,343, effective February 25, 2013 through June 30, 2013.
Account No. 15-140-100-101-82-00

Tizianna Petrarolia, graduate of The University of North Carolina at Wilmington, NC (BA 2009). Teacher-Career & Technical Education (No. 115), John E. Dwyer Technology Academy. Certification: Teacher of Television Broadcasting CE (alternate route). Salary: \$57,343, effective March 25, 2013 through June 30, 2013.
Account No. 15-140-100-101-82-00

TRANSFERS

Recommended: That the following transfers of personnel be approve, as below written.

Instructional DepartmentCertified Staff

<u>Name</u>	<u>From</u>	<u>To</u>	<u>Date</u>
William Stanley Bowser, Jr.	Teacher-Resource Center (No. 1753) Thomas Jefferson Arts Academy	Teacher-Resource Center (No. 4436) Thomas A. Edison Career and Technical Academy Account No. 15-213-100-101-87-00	12/1/12
Chad Donahue	Teacher-Second Grade (No. 3417) School No. 28	Teacher-Tutor Interventionist K-5 (No. 2574) School No. 30 Account No. 15-120-100-101-30-00-23	4/18/13
Maria Do Rosario Gomes	Teacher-Bilingual Self-Contained (No. 1209) School No. 20	Teacher-Bilingual In Class Support (No. 91) Thomas A. Edison Career & Technical Academy Salary: \$57,343 Account No. 15-243-100-101-87-00	3/25/13
Carol Howell	Teacher-Music (Vocal) (No. 4088) School No. 28	Teacher-Music (No. 411) School No. 1 Account No. 15-120-100-101-01-00-20	3/25/13
Tracy D. Jones	Teacher-Fifth Grade (No. 3816) School No. 13	Teacher-Fifth Grade (No. 377) School No. 12 Account No. 15-120-100-101-12-00	9/1/11
Marta Ortega	Teacher-Music (Vocal) (No. 3865) School No. 30	Teacher-Music (Vocal) (No. 4088) School No. 28 Account No. 15-120-100-101-28-00-20	3/26/13
Manilia Point Du Jour	Teacher-ESL in Class Support (No. 39) School No. 1	Teacher-ESL in Class Support (No. 1723) School No. 23 Account No. 15-244-100-101-23-00	2/25/13

William J. Samartine	Teacher-Physical Education (No. 909) Thomas A. Edison Career And Technical Academy	Teacher-Physical Education (No. 909) School No. 22 @ 31 Salary: \$88,537 Account No. 15-130-100-101-22-00-20	9/1/12
Joseph Wiatr	Teacher-Resource Center (No. 4436) Thomas A. Edison Career & Technical Academy	Teacher-Resource Center (No. 263) School No. 13 Salary: \$87,600 Account No. 15-213-100-101-13-00	2/25/13

Support Staff: Assistant

<u>Name</u>	<u>From</u>	<u>To</u>	<u>Date</u>
Vanessa Diaz	Assistant-Personal (No. 2007) Thomas Jefferson Arts Academy	Assistant-Personal (No. 2007) Alexander Hamilton Preparatory Academy Account No. 11-000-217-106-00-00	3/5/13

Business OfficeCustodians

<u>Name</u>	<u>From</u>	<u>To</u>	<u>Date</u>
Luis Castillo	Custodian (Head) (No. 3255) Elizabeth High School (L)	Custodian (No. 3727) School No. 30 Salary: \$60,470 Account No. 11-000-260-110-30-00	3/22/13
Rolando Escalona	Custodian (No. 2750) School No. 3	Custodian (No. 3881) School No. 7 Account No. 11-000-260-110-07-00	3/1/13
Alfonso Lopez	Custodian (Head) (No. 3541) School No. 5	Custodian (Head) (No. 1841) School No. 25 Account No. 11-000-260-110-25-00	3/1/13
Rosa M. Martins	Custodian (Head) (No. 4137) School No. 16	Custodian (Head) (No. 3635) School No. 18 Account No. 11-000-260-110-18-00	3/1/13

Marvin Pagan	Custodian (No. 3260) School No. 21 @ 31	Custodian (No. 4189) School No. 1 Account No. 20-218-200-110-01-02	12/17/12
Norma Ramos	Custodian (No. 4189) School No. 1	Custodian (No. 3260) School No. 21 @ 31 Account No. 11-000-260-110-21-00	3/1/13
Federico Reyes	Custodian (Head) (No. 3727) School No. 30	Custodian (Head) (No. 3255) Elizabeth High School (L) Account No. 11-000-260-110-88-00	3/1/13
Melanie Shyka	Custodian (Head) (No. 3635) School No. 18	Custodian (Head) (No. 4137) School No. 16 Account No. 11-000-260-110-16-00	3/1/13
Luis Solano	Custodian (Head) (No. 1841) School No. 25	Custodian (Head) (No. 1733) ECC School No. 50 Account No. 20-218-200-110-50-02	3/1/13
Nelson Vilela	Custodian (No. 3881) School No. 7	Custodian (No. 2750) School No. 3 Account No. 11-000-260-110-03-00	3/1/13

Food Service

<u>Name</u>	<u>From</u>	<u>To</u>	<u>Date</u>
Martha Arias	General Worker 6 Hours (No. 4145) School No. 18	General Worker 6 Hours (No. 4187) Alexander Hamilton Preparatory Academy Annex Account No. 50-910-310-110-80-00-30	3/22/13
Sandra Mieses	Food Service Worker 2 Hours (No. 3933) School No. 16	Food Service Worker 2 Hours (No. 3933) School No. 28 Account No. 11-000-260-110-28-00-02	3/22/13

Rosa Julia Rodriguez-Velez	General Worker 6 Hours (No. 4187) Alexander Hamilton Preparatory Academy Annex	Food Service Worker 3.5 Hours (No. 2986) Alexander Hamilton Preparatory Academy Annex Salary: \$ 6,151 Account No. 50-910-310-110-80-00-30	3/22/13
Silvia Sanchez	Food Service Worker 2 Hours (No. 1873) School No. 16	Food Service Worker 2 Hours (No. 767) School No. 1 Account No. 11-000-260-110-01-00-02	3/22/13

CHANGES OF SALARIES

Recommended: That the following changes in salary be made in accordance with the salary policy due to additional professional training verified, to be in effect as below written.

Instructional Department

Certified Staff

<u>Name</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Salary</u>
Joann Holmes	Teacher-First Grade (No. 1589) School No. 12	\$85,588 + \$2000 2012-2013 school year effective: 9/1/12

Business Office

Custodians

<u>Name</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Salary</u>
Jose Luis Solis	Custodian (No. 2322) Alexander Hamilton Preparatory Academy Annex	\$51,309 instead of \$50,542 effective: 11/28/12
Joaquina Venancio	Custodian (No. 985) School No. 27	\$54,425 instead of \$53,557 effective: 9/17/12

ADJUSTMENT OF SALARY

Recommended: That the salary of the following personnel be adjusted, as below written.

Instructional Department**Certified Staff**

<u>Name</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Salary</u>
Edward H. Allen	Teacher-Music (No. 2627) School No. 19	\$67,369 instead of \$66,827 effective: 9/1/12
Lauren Czarnecki	Instructional Coach (LAL)- 11 Months Thomas A Edison Career Technical Academy	\$\$68,313 instead of \$62,103 effective: 7/1/11 to 6/30/12
Danielle Freeman	Reading Specialist (No. 2033) Division of Elementary Education	From: TEAP Step 7 \$74,356 To: PSYP Step 7 \$75,447 2012-2013 school year effective: 9/1/12
Johannah Rogers	Reading Specialist (No. 2076) Division of Elementary Education	From: TEAP Step 7a \$76,035 To: PSYP Step 7a \$77,151 2011-2012 school year effective: 9/1/11 From: TEAP Step 8 \$79,293 To: PSYP Step 8 \$80,457 2012-2013 school year effective: 9/1/12
Mary Victor Soliman	Teacher-Mathematics (No. 4086) John E. Dwyer Technology Academy	\$57,843 instead of \$57,343 effective: 3/25/13
Minerva Spagnuolo	Teacher-Instructional Coach (LAL) (No. 4048) Division of Elementary Education	\$73,433 instead of \$70,864 2011-2012 school year effective: 9/1/11 \$75,657 instead of \$73,922 2012-2013 school year effective: 9/1/12

Support Staff: Administrative Secretary II-12 Months

<u>Name</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Salary</u>
Susan Amorim Cortico	Administrative Secretary 11-12 Months (No. 2621) School No. 16	\$35,057 instead of \$31,837 2011-2012 school year effective: 7/1/11 – 3/11/12 Administrative Secretary I-12

EMPLOYEE ACCOUNT NUMBER CHANGES

Recommended: That the following corrections need to be made to assign personnel to the correct program, effective dates and correct account numbers are indicated on the attached page.

Effective Date: Fiscal Year 2012-2013

<u>Name</u>	<u>Account-From:</u>	<u>Account-To:</u>
Joseph Pangiochi	20-253-200-100-00-03	20-255-200-100-00-03
Christine Rappa	20-253-200-100-00-03	20-255-200-100-00-03

ADDITIONAL SERVICES**Merck Institute for Science Education (MISE)**

Recommended: That the following teacher attend The Academy for Leadership in Science Instruction sponsored by the **Merck Institute for Science Education (MISE)** to be held July 16-20, 2012 (Monday through Friday at the Princeton Marriott, 100 College Road East, Princeton, NJ.

Stipend for teachers: \$250.00 per overnight stay for four nights not to exceed \$1,000.00 per person.
Account No. 20-233-200-100-00-06

Melissa Barto

Division of Bilingual / ESL Education

Recommended: That the following personnel be employed to participate in the High School Evening Registration at the Welcome Center from March 12, 14 & 19, 2013 from 4:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.

Teachers: Salary: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 9 hours per person. Total: \$391.95
Account No. 11-000-218-104-00-83

Monika Grzegorzek

Substitute:

Janine Greco

Secretary: Salary: \$22.51 per hour not to exceed 9 hours per person. Total: \$205.59

Account No. 11-000-240-105-94-83-67

Noelle Anderson

Substitute:

Myrtha Duran

Nurses: Salary: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 9 hours per person. Total: \$391.95

Account No. 11-000-213-104-00-83-67

Zenaida Downey

Guidance Counselors: Salary: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 9 hours per person. Total: \$1,175.85

Account No. 11-000-218-104-00-83

Linda H. Bean

Natasha Morrissey

Annabelle Seabra Sollaccio

Substitutes:

Stephanie Theresa Gardner

Dayna Gil-Morais

Wendy L. Maravi

Junior Seminar Planning**Recommended:** That the following personnel be employed for the planning of the Junior Seminar from February 15, 2013 to March 22, 2013, after school hours until 6:00 p.m.Guidance Counselors: Salary: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 40 hours per person. Total: \$1,742.00

Account No. 11-000-218-104-00-83

Wendy L. Maravi

Recommended: That the following personnel be employed to participate in the Junior Seminar to prepare Elizabeth Public School Juniors for College/University application process on Saturday, March 23, 2013 from 7:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.Guidance Counselors: Salary: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 5.5 hours per person. Total: \$1,437.18

Account No. 11-000-218-104-00-83

David J. Destro

Valerie Hendon

Wendy L. Maravi

Fadi Ramos

Aimee Anne Saluccio

Janice M. Sutton

Teachers: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 5.5 hours per person. Total: \$1,437.18

Account No. 11-000-218-104-00-83

Ayesha Shaheen Ali
John Petrosky

Jeffrey Koch
Steven Sabet

Ellen Korn
Mona Wanis

Secretaries: Salary: \$22.51 per hour not to exceed 5.5 hours per person. Total: \$123.81

Account No. 11-000-240-105-94-83-67

Glorylyz K. Figueroa

World Languages Textbook Selection Committee

Recommended: That the following personnel be employed to review World Languages textbook series for Latin and Spanish, from March 22, 2013 through April 12, 2013, Monday through Friday after school hours until 6:00 p.m., Saturdays 9:00 p.m. to 1:00 p.m.

Teachers: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 20 hours per person. Total: \$3,484.00

Account No. 11-140-100-101-94-19-67

Spanish

Digna Cedeno

Olmes Colonia

Judith Vargas

Latin

Concepcion Fernandez-Vilaseca

Curriculum Writing, Benchmarks, Midterms, Finals for ESL EB 11 and BDE 11

Recommended: That the following personnel be employed for the curriculum writing benchmarks, midterms finals for ESL EB 11 and BDE 11, from March 22, 2013 through June 30, 2013, Monday through Friday after school hours, Saturday 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon.

Teachers: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 90 hours per person. Total: \$7,839.00

Account No. 11-140-100-101-94-20-67

Monika Grzegorzek

Joanna Miles

Division of Early Childhood Education

Recommended: That the following personnel be employed to register applicants for preschool registration, Monday through Friday from 3:05 p.m. to 9:00 p.m., and Saturdays from 9:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m., February 19, 2013 through March 22, 2013 at Francis C. Smith ECC School No. 50; Donald Stewart ECC School No. 51; and Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. ECC School No. 52, as written below.

Teachers: Salary: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 40 hours per person. Total: \$1,742.00
Account No. 20-218-200-176-00-02

Olga Lambert

Social Workers and LDTC's: Salary: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 40 hours per person. Total: \$3,484.00
Account No. 20-218-200-104-00-00

Michael Mc Mahon Gorkia Stivers

Recommended: That the following personnel be employed to provide High/Scope and Early Learning Scale Training (ELS) training for Pre-kindergarten teachers and assistants, Monday through Friday, March 11, 2013 through April 10, 2013 from 3:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. at the Frances C. Smith Center for Early Childhood Education School No. 50, as written below.

Teachers: Salary: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 12 hours per person. Total: \$1,567.80
Account No. 20-218-200-176-00-02

Marianne Barish Marianne Thouret Heidi Banic

Division of Elementary Education

Recommended: That the following personnel be employed for Planning and Intervention Program for Struggling Readers grades 1-2, for the Summer of 2013. Hours are Monday to Friday Afterschool or Saturdays 8:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m., March 22, 2013 through June 22, 2013.

Teachers: Salary: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 15 hours per person. Total: \$1,306.50
Account No. 20-253-100-100-00-03

Gina Candelmo-Acocella Kathleen Kranick

Teachers: Salary: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 15 hours per person. Total: \$1,306.50
Account No. 20-253-200-100-00-03

Jodi Bonacci Jennifer Berkin

Recommended: That the following personnel be employed as Language Arts Benchmark Grades from February 22, 2013 through June 30, 2013, Monday through Friday, from 4:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. and or Saturdays 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

Teachers: Salary: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 12 hours per person. Total: \$6,793.80
 Account No. 11-120-100-101-94-14-61

Ann Marie Calzolari	Liliana C. Dias	Evelina Despaigne
Ann Marie Dolan	Chad Donahue	Lauerin H. Gareis
Alison Gibson	Barbara Hanley	Kalinna Caridad Johnson
Carol Kowalski	Rebecca S. Orellana	Grecia M. Owsiany
Claudia Taborda		

Mathematics Curriculum Benchmarks K-8

Recommended: That the following personnel be employed to work on the Mathematics Curriculum Benchmarks K-8, March 22, 2013 through June 30, 2013 Monday through Friday, after school hours until 7:00 p.m. and/or Saturdays 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

Teachers: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 40 hours per person. Total: \$3,484.00
 Account No. 11-120-100-101-94-12-61

Maristelle Magliano Ani Zurnaci

Recommended: That the following personnel be employed to work on the Mathematics Curriculum Benchmarks K-8 for the Promotion/Retention Program, March 22, 2013 through June 30, 2013 Monday through Friday, after school hours until 7:00 p.m. and/or Saturdays 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

Teachers: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 30 hours per person. Total: \$3,919.50
 Account No. 11-120-100-101-94-12-61

Wayne Scott Donadio Maria Gabriela Iannacone Mariestelle Magliano

Language Arts Literacy Curriculum K-8 for Promotion/Retention Program

Recommended: That the following personnel be employed to work on the Language Arts Literacy Curriculum K-8 for the Promotion/Retention Program, March 22, 2013 through June 30, 2013 Monday through Friday, after schools hours until 7:00 p.m. and/ or Saturdays 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

Teachers: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 30 hours per person. Total: \$3,919.50
 Account No. 11-120-100-101-94-14-61

Chad Donahue Barbara Hanley Grecia M. Owsiany

Division of Secondary Education

Recommended: That the following be employed to revise the high school occupational curriculum guides, from February 22, 2013 through June 14, 2013 Monday through Friday after school hours until 6:00 p.m. and Saturdays 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

Teachers: Salary: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 60 hours per person. Total: \$31,356.00
Account No. 20-362-200-100-00-00

Amanda Camp-Colon
Rousenord Jerome
Hector Munoz
Dilbag Singh

Faeli Dussan
Nicole Lomoine
Mary Rivera
Ronald Ussher

Marcy Fox
Dennis McSorley
Angelica Rodriguez
Kathleen Wolfe

Substitute:

Eileen Mulroy

Division of Special Services

Recommended: That the following personnel be employed to provide emergency care/healthcare management on an as needed basis beyond the school day from March 22, 2013 through June 30, 2013, after school hours at \$43.55 per hour.

Name	Location	Account:
Suzanne Crincoli	School No. 5A Annex	11-421-213-104-05-83
Henrietta Udeh	School No. 7	11-421-213-104-07-83
Nanette Sayani	School No. 14	11-421-213-104-14-83
Mary Louise Arnaud	School No. 18	11-421-213-104-18-83
Naida Huseinovic	School No. 19	11-421-213-104-19-83
Barbara Lentine	School No. 29	11-421-213-104-29-83
Denean Gainey	ECC School No. 51	11-421-213-104-51-83
Davann Stisi	ECC School No. 52	11-421-213-104-52-83
Leila Bethea	Halsey Finance Academy	11-421-213-104-86-83
Jill Sofia	Hamilton Annex Academy	11-421-213-104-80-83

RTTT -3 Grant Curriculum Writing

Recommended: That the following personnel be hired to write and revise language arts and mathematics curriculum as per the specification on the Race To Top-3 Grant, Monday through Friday 4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. and Saturdays, 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. February 25, 2013 through June 30, 2013.

Teachers: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 25 hours per person. Total: \$9,798.75
 Account No. 20-291-200-100-100-00-00

Andrea M. Alcott
 Rachel Richer
 Joshua Singer

Pache W. Barcliffe
 Jennifer Schiff
 Elena Stoicovici

Justine Kate Mc Conkey
 Shawn Renee Shumbris
 Elaine Wilds

Division of Staff Development

Winter/Spring 2013 Institute for Teaching and Learning

Recommended: That the following personnel be employed in the **Winter/Spring 2013 Institute for Teaching and Learning** from February 15, 2013 to June 30, 2013 to provide professional development training for district teachers. Hours will be based on workshops provided not to exceed hours shown.

Administrators: Salary: \$49.44 per hour not to exceed 20 hours per person. Total: \$988.80
 Account No. 20-271-200-100-00-00

Gina Dalton

Teachers: Salary: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 20 hours per person. Total: \$4,355.00
 Account No. 20-271-100-100-00-00-01

Samuel Bernstein
 Kristie Lynn Jorgensen

Eunice Yamile Couselo
 Gerard Spiga

Lucila Hernandez

Teachers: Salary: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 12 hours per person. Total: \$522.60
 Account No. 20-271-100-100-00-00-01

Chad Donahue

Teachers: Salary: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 6 hours per person. Total: \$261.30
 Account No. 20-271-100-100-00-00-01

Lauerin H. Gareis

Winter/Spring 2013 Institute for Teaching and Learning

Recommended: That the following personnel be employed in the **Winter/Spring 2013 Institute for Teaching and Learning** from March 1, 2013 to June 30, 2013 to provide professional development training for district teachers. Hours will be based on workshops provided not to exceed 12 hours.

Teachers: Salary: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 12 hours per person. Total: \$1,045.20
Account No. 20-271-100-100-00-01

Michael Mc Mahon

Common Core Standards for World Languages

Recommended: That the following personnel be employed to write curriculum guides, pacing guides and benchmark assessments to **Common Core Standards for World Languages**, from March 22, 2013 through May 11, 2013, Monday through Friday after school hours until 6:00 p.m. Saturdays 9:00 a.m. to 12: 00 p.m.

Teachers: Salary: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 15 hours per person. Total: \$653.25
Account No. 20-291-200-100-00-00

Portuguese

Nelma S. Lopes-Moreira

Teachers: Salary: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 85 hours per person. Total: \$7,403.50
Account No. 20-291-200-100-00-00

Italian

Guido Morsella

French

Dalia M. Elrakaybie

Teachers: Salary: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 30 hours per person. Total: \$1,306.50
Account No. 20-291-200-100-00-00

Spanish (Gifted & Talented)

Leonardo Lazo

Teachers: Salary: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 65 hours per person. Total: \$8,492.25
Account No. 20-291-200-100-00-00

Spanish

Ana M. Cayado-Leyva

Mariela Rubiano

Elizabeth Velasco

Terence C. Reilly School No. 7

New G & T Testing Dates

Recommended: That the following personnel be employed to plan, supervise and correct the Gifted and Talented entrance examination on the following dates: April 20, 2013 from 8:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. and April 9, 10, 11, 24 and May 1, 2013 from 4:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. at Terence C. Reilly School No. 7.

Administrators: Salary: \$49.44 per hour not to exceed 27 hours per person. Total: \$1,334.88
Account No. 15-000-240-103-07-83

Jennifer Cedeno

Substitutes:

Robyn Azriel Andreia Milano

Teachers: Salary: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 27 hours per person. Total: \$4,703.40
Account No. 15-120-100-101-07-83

Lauren Delgado Francesca Ferrera Yao-Hsuan Huang
Virginia Szmitkowski

Substitutes:

Ruby Bordoloi Vanessa Clarke Maria Labrador
Katia R. Teixeira Diane Matos Claudia Taborda

Guidance Counselors: Salary: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 27 hours per person. Total: \$2,351.70
Account No. 15-000-218-104-07-83

Rosaria Scaff Christine Lillis-Flaherty

Christopher Columbus School No. 15

Lunch Time NJASK Tutorial Program

Recommended: That the following personnel be employed for the Lunch Time NJASK Tutorial Program, February 11, 2013 through May 1, 2013 from 12:05 p.m. 12:35 p.m. and 12:50 p.m. to 1:20 p.m.

Teachers: Salary: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 26 hours per person. Total: \$6,794.00
Account No. 20-234-100-100-00-00-01

Ewelina Bernatowicz Neicy Della Corte Brittany Komack
Amy Rios Yashima Thomas-Jones Ruth Young

Substitutes:

Christine Lucia Barbara Mandella-Canta Anna Santana
Amy Uetz Nilaja Watkins

Alexander Hamilton Preparatory Academy**Recommendation-Mega Math**

Recommended: That the following students from Alexander Hamilton Preparatory Academy and one teacher be authorized to participate in the Mega Math Moody's challenge on Saturday, March 2, 2013, from 6:30 a.m. until 7:30 p.m., at Alexander Hamilton Preparatory Academy, at a cost of \$60.00.

Administrators: Salary: \$49.44 per hour not to exceed 12 hours per person. Total: \$593.28
Account No. 15-000-240-103-80-83

George E. Mikros

Substitutes:

Valerie Delceg

Mari Celi Sanchez

Teachers: Salary: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 12 hours per person. Total: \$522.60
Account No. 15-140-100-101-80-83

Komila Sehgal

Thomas A. Edison Career & Technical Academy

Recommended: That the following personnel be employed to provide catering services for Middle States Accreditation Evaluation Dinner at John E. Dwyer Technology Academy on February 12, 2013, from 3:05 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.

Teachers: Salary: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 6 hours per person. Total: \$261.30
Account No. 11-000-221-890-94-80-65

Paul Conte

Recommended: That the following personnel be employed to provide catering services for The National Honor Society Dinner at John E. Dwyer Technology Academy on January 31, 2013, from 3:05 p.m. to 10:00 p.m.

Teachers: Salary: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 7 hours per person. Total: \$304.85
Account No. 15-140-100-101-82-83

Paul Conte

RACE TO THE TOP GRANT PROGRAM

Recommended: That the following personnel be employed to develop English as a Second Language Curriculum Maps as per the recommendations of consultants reviewing curricula. Activities as prescribed in the grant, from February 22, 2013 through June 30, 2013, Monday through Friday after school hours, Saturdays 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

Teachers: Salary: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 60 hours per person. Total: \$13,065.00
Account No. 20-291-200-100-00-00

Nancy Carrero-Munoz	Liliana C. Dias	Tammy Freeman
Irene Melachrinos	Rebecca S. Orellana	

Recommended: That the following personnel be employed to complete Race to the Top Grant Related Activities, February 22, 2013 through June 1, 2013.

Teachers: Salary: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 40 hours per person. Total: \$10,452.00
Account No. 20-291-200-100-00-00

Science Teachers:

Nicole L. Di Stefano	Deanna Higgins	Rubina Saghir
Commie L. Sanchez		

Instructional Coach:

Sara Goldblatt	Carol R. Savona
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RACE TO THE TOP 3 GRANT PROGRAM

Recommended: That the following personnel be hired to write and revise **Drawing/Painting Levels I-IV Grades 9-12 Curriculum Guides** from February 22, 2013 through June 1, 2013, Monday through Friday after school hours until 6:00 p.m., and Saturdays 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

Teachers: Salary: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 100 hours per person. Total: \$4,355.00
Account No. 20-291-200-100-00-00

Ana G. Pinero

Recommended: That the following personnel be hired to write and revise **General Art Grades 3-5 Curriculum Guides** from February 22, 2013 through June 1, 2013, Monday through Friday after school hours until 6:00 p.m., and Saturdays 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

Teachers: Salary: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 66 hours per person. Total: \$2,874.30
Account No. 20-291-200-100-00-00

William Glynn

Recommended: That the following personnel be hired to write and revise **General Art Grades K-2 Curriculum Guides** from February 22, 2013 through June 1, 2013, Monday through Friday after school hours until 6:00 p.m., and Saturdays 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

Teachers: Salary: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 66 hours per person. Total: \$2,874.30
Account No. 20-291-200-100-00-00

Susan Rodriguez

Recommended: That the following personnel be hired to write and revise **General Art Grades 6-8 Curriculum Guides** from February 22, 2013 through June 1, 2013, Monday through Friday after school hours until 6:00 p.m., and Saturdays 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

Teachers: Salary: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 66 hours per person. Total: \$2,874.30
Account No. 20-291-200-100-00-00

Timothy Dunn

SATURDAY INTENSIFICATION PROGRAM

Recommended: That the following personnel be employed in the Title I Saturday Intensification Program for grades K-8, November 17, 2012, December 1, 8, 15, 2012, January 5, 12, 19, 26, 2013, February 2, 9, 16, 23, 2013 from 9:00 a.m. through 12:00 p.m.

Winfield Scott School No. 2

Teachers: Salary: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 45 hours per person. Total: \$1,959.75
Account No. 11-421-100-101-02-88

Substitutes:

Lauerin H. Gareis

Nicholas S. LaCorte Peterstown School No. 3

Recommended: That the following personnel be employed in the Title I Saturday Intensification Program for grades K-8, October 20 & 27, 2012, November 3 & 17, 2012, December 1, 8, 15, 2012, January 5, 12, 19, 26, 2013, February 2, 9, 16, 23, 2013 from 9:00 a.m. through 12:00 p.m.

Teachers: Salary: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 45 hours per person. Total: \$1,959.75
Account No. 11-421-100-101-03-88

Substitute:

Justine Kate Mc Conkey

Nicholas S. LaCorte Peterstown School No. 3

Recommended: That the following personnel be employed in the Title I Saturday Intensification Program for grades K-8, March 2, 2013 from 9:00 a.m. through 12:00 p.m.

Administrators: Salary: \$49.44 per hour not to exceed 3 hours per person. Total: \$148.32
Account No. 11-421-240-103-03-88

Jennifer A. Campel

Substitutes:

Valerie Dunn

Thomas O'Donnell

Avis Roper

Teachers: Salary: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 3 hours per person. Total: \$1,959.75
Account No. 11-421-100-101-03-88

Jelsie I. Basso
Neda Ogbevire

Ann Marie Dolan
Amy Quinn

James Leonard
Shirley Traverzo

Substitutes:

Marilyn Buda
Marissa J. Flacon
Guneet Monga
Joseph Troiano

Erika Correa
Giuliano Farina
Camille M. Sandberg
Justine Kate Mc Conkey

Claude Dallemmand
Harry Huber, III
Rebecca A. Wurman

Secretary: Salary: \$22.51 per hour not to exceed 3 hours per person. Total: \$67.53
Account No. 11-421-240-105-03-88

Zina Guarraci Pagan

Nurse: Salary: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 3 hours per person. Total: \$130.65
 Account No. 11-421-213-104-03-88

Christine Prettyman

Substitute:
 Althea Hollis

Joseph Battin School No. 4

Recommended: That the following personnel be employed in the Title I Saturday Intensification Program for grades K-8, March 9, 16 & 23, 2013 from 9:00 a.m. through 12:00 p.m.

Administrators: Salary: \$49.44 per hour not to exceed 12 hours per person. Total: \$593.28
 Account No. 11-421-240-103-04-88

Bartolomeo Candelino

Substitute:
 Avis Roper

Teachers: Salary: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 12 hours per person. Total: \$3,135.60
 Account No. 11-421-100-101-04-88

George Ciggelakis
 Ines Pontoreiro

Ellen DeCapua
 Laura Vendemia

Jessica Jourdain
 Veronica Vega

Substitutes:

Barbara Ashley
 Maria E. Sanchez

Karen Ottaviano
 Elizabeth Ann B. Weslock

Maria Riggi

Mabel G. Holmes School No. 5

Recommended: That the following personnel be employed in the Title I Saturday Intensification Program for grades K-8, March 2, 2013 from 9:00 a.m. through 12:00 p.m.

Administrators: Salary: \$49.44 per hour not to exceed 3 hours per person. Total: \$148.32
 Account No. 15-000-240-103-05-83

Manuel E. Gonzalez

Substitutes:

Sandra Michelle Evaristo

Linda M. Paterno

Alina M. Stewart

Teachers: Salary: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 3 hours per person. Total: \$1,045.20
Account No. 11-421-100-101-05-88

Annemarie Calzolari	Lauren Lillian Casso	Larry Gene Fritcher
Christine M. Hazuda	Rodrigo Dauba Lipon	Ellen M. Martinez
Benson Onyeugbo	Eric Roguski	

Substitutes:

Christopher Clarity	Jessica L. Gallico	Theresa F. Mazza
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Secretary: Salary: \$22.51 per hour not to exceed 3 hours per person. Total: \$67.53
Account No. 11-421-240-105-05-88

Cynthia L. Koester

Substitute:

Antoinette Omizegba

Elmora School No. 12

Recommended: That the following personnel be employed to work the **Saturday Intensification Program** Grades 3-8 from, January 26, 2013, February 2, 9, & 23, 2013 & March 2, 9 & 16, 2013, time 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

Administrators: Salary: \$49.44 per hour not to exceed 45 hours per person. Total: \$2,966.40
Account No. 11-421-100-101-12-88

Substitute:

Theodore Panagopoulos

Elmora School No. 12

Recommended: That the following personnel be employed in the Title I Saturday Intensification Program for grades K-8, March 2, 9, 16 & 23, 2013 from 9:00 a.m. through 12:00 p.m.

Administrators: Salary: \$49.44 per hour not to exceed 12 hours per person. Total: \$593.28
Account No. 11-421-240-103-12-88

Gladys Castellanos

Substitute:

Melissa Kulick	Valerie Dunn
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Teachers: Salary: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 3 hours per person. Total: \$1,045.20
Account No. 11-421-100-101-12-88

Karina Acosta	Joel Arisso	Joseph Catena
Doris Rich Farrell	Joann Holmes	Thais Porter

Substitutes:

Sharon Calixto	Marta Floyd	Tracy D. Jones
Antionetta Murphy	Maria Isabel Lojo	Eric Price
Ilna Sekiewicz	Cary Stone	Barbara Weber
Jennifer Weber	Kia Whitley	John Zecchino

Teachers: Salary: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 3 hours per person. Total: \$1,045.20
Account No. 11-421-100-101-12-88

October 20, 27, November 3, 17, December 1, 8, 15, 2012, January 5, 12, 19, 26,
February 2, 9, 16 and 23, 2013.

Substitutes

Nicole C. Carlson	Magdalena M. Zaremba
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Secretary: Salary: \$22.51 per hour not to exceed 3 hours per person. Total: \$67.53
Account No. 11-421-240-105-12-88

Mattia Arcieri

Substitutes:

Gloria P. Caicedo-Pena

Nurse: Salary: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 3 hours per person. Total: \$130.65
Account No. 11-421-213-104-12-88

Nancy Applegate

Benjamin Franklin School No. 13

Recommended: That the following personnel be employed in the Title I Saturday Intensification Program for grades K-8, March 2, 2013 through March 9, 2013, from 9:00 a.m. through 12:00 p.m. (make ups days for the program).

Administrators: Salary: \$49.44 per hour not to exceed 6 hours per person. Total: \$296.64
Account No. 11-421-240-103-13-88

Yalitza Torres

Substitutes:

Sandra Michelle Evaristo Michael Robel Valerie Delceg

Teachers: Salary: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 6 hours per person. Total: \$1,567.80
Account No. 11-421-100-101-13-88

Rahshen R. Barber Nancy Frigoletto Micheal Hinterstein
Jean-Louis Kong Mariestelle Magliano Carmela Mellilo

Substitutes:

Melissa Ivelis Agosto Sarah Brown Nancy Carrero-Munoz
Mary Ann Davies Kristi Godfrey Barbara Hanley
Ismael Hislop Jeannette Martinez Vivian Mary Martinez
Leann Fernanda Pontoriero Romeo Ascencao Simoes

Secretary: Salary: \$22.51 per hour not to exceed 6 hours per person. Total: \$135.06
Account No. 11-421-240-105-13-88

Giacomina Magliano

Substitute:

Isabel Castaneda

Nurses: Salary: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 6 hours per person. Total: \$261.30
Account No. 11-421-213-104-13-88

Teresa F. Leib

Christopher Columbus School No. 15

Recommended: That the following personnel be employed in the Title I Saturday Intensification Program for grades K-8, February 16 & 23, 2013 through March 2, 9, 16 & 23, 2013, from 9:00 a.m. through 12:00 p.m.

Teachers: Salary: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 18 hours per person. Total: \$783.90
Account No. 11-421-100-101-15-88

Alexandre Fernandes

Substitutes:

Andrea Marie Alcott Jeannine Alfano Jeanine Allen
Sonya F. Ameli Alexandra Barnat Christopher Justin Beaty
Ewelina Bernatowicz Lidia Berrocal Lauren M. Bianco
Terri Bradley Debra Brower Shawnette Latrice Cruz
Pamela Davis-Sanders Neicy Della Corte Ivette L. Figueroa
Angie Garcia Daria Griffith Theoharoula Halkias

Michelle N. Harris	Roberta Honig	William Kmec
Brittany Komack	Amanda N. Lamorte	Christine Lucia
Jamie Mahoney	Christine Mandela	Barbara Mandela-Canta
Janine Manno	Coral Ann Mauch	Johane E. Meneses
Anne Messinger	Diana Oviedo-Cruz	Claudia P. Plata Matamoros
Anitha Raghavendra	Colleen Reynolds	Amy Vergara Rios
Anna M. Santana	Mary Eva Sasala	Erica Saullo
Catherine Simon	Karen Meri Skolnick	Yashima Thomas-Jones
Amy Uetz	Angela D. Vaughn	Gisselle Velazquez
Nilaja Watkins	Jennifer Whitford	Ruth Young

John Marshall School No. 20

Recommended: That the following personnel be employed in the Title I Saturday Intensification Program for grades K-8, March 2, 9, 16 and 23, 2013, from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

Administrators: Salary: \$49.44 per hour not to exceed 12 hours per person. Total: \$593.28
Account No. 11-421-240-103-20-88

Lyle J. Moseley

Teachers: Salary: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 12 hours per person. Total: \$3,135.60
Account No. 11-421-100-101-20-88

Deborah AnnBlow	Diane Borchers	Shondell Diquan Davis
Anthony Galindo	Brenda McClinton	Gail Smith

Substitutes:

Teresa Alvarez	Susan Bell	Jodi Berkowitz
Mary Berry	Jill Crisci	Mebelin Duran-Perez
Carol Firetto	Maria Gomes	Marc Henkel
Christine Kroyer	Jacob Kulic	Tammy Law
Nancy Martinez	Theresa Mazza	Andrea Parker
Nicole Hidalgo	Jossie Suero-Abreu	

Secretary: Salary: \$22.51 per hour not to exceed 12 hours per person. Total: \$270.12
Account No. 11-421-240-105-20-88

Tanya Holmes-Staggers

Substitute:

Agnes Barone

Dr. Antonia Pantoja School No. 27

Recommended: That the following personnel be employed in the Title I Saturday Intensification Program for grades K-8, March 2, 9, 16 and 23, 2013, from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

Administrators: Salary: \$49.44 per hour not to exceed 3 hours per person. Total: \$148.32
Account No. 11-421-240-103-27-88

Carlos M. Lucio

Substitutes:

Antonio DiFonzo Erna LeTemps

Teachers: Salary: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 3 hours per person. Total: \$1,045.20
Account No. 11-421-100-101-27-88

Susan Cameli	Jacqueline Gaston	Diana Garcia
Susan E. Greene	Dana Malcom	Diana D. Medeiros
Lina M. Ruiz	Sonia Michelle Salermo	

Substitutes:

Jacqueline Borys Mary Carson Julie Anne Mc Aloon

Secretary: Salary: \$22.51 per hour not to exceed 3 hours per person. Total: \$67.53
Account No. 11-421-240-105-27-88

Kimberly Naranjo

Substitute:

Julieta Buitrago Donna Marie Heilman Elaine Rodriguez
Catherine Russo

Nurse: Salary: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 3 hours per person. Total: \$130.65
Account No. 11-421-213-104-27-88

Ruth Perez

Substitute:

Naida Huseinovic

Juan Pablo Duarte-Jose Julian Marti School No. 28

Recommended: That the following personnel be employed in the Title I Saturday Intensification Program for grades K-8, March 2, 9, 16 and 23, 2013, from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

Administrators: Salary: \$49.44 per hour not to exceed 9 hours per person. Total: \$444.96
Account No. 11-421-240-103-28-88

Sulisnet Jimenez

Substitutes:

Nancy Georgette Joan Tomek

Teachers: Salary: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 9 hours per person. Total: \$2,351.70
Account No. 11-421-100-101-28-88

Lauren Arenal
Isabel Sousa

Joao De Oliveira
Tina Zagha

Timothy Dunn
Stefanie M. Zeik

Substitutes:

Alexandre Anichtchenko
Carol Howell
Denise A. Renda

Straubel Cetoute
Nersi C. Medina
Charles Rosen

Saturia Figueroa
Barbara Nut-Fahoury
Elizabeth McLaughlin

Secretary: Salary: \$22.51 per hour not to exceed 9 hours per person. Total: \$270.12
Account No. 11-421-240-105-28-88

Maria Almeida

Substitute:

Joanne M. Rugani Yessenia Torres

Nurse: Salary: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 9 hours per person. Total: \$391.95
Account No. 11-421-213-104-28-88

Tonya McDowell

Ronald Reagan Academy School No. 30

Recommended: That the following personnel be employed for the Saturday Program for the 2012-2013 school year on Saturday starting March 2, 2012 through March 9, 2013, 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

Administrators: Salary: \$49.44 per hour not to exceed 6 hours per person. Total: \$296.64
Account No. 11-421-240-103-30-88

James Mondesir

Substitutes:

Arlene F. Campbell Evelyn Rodriguez-Salcedo Avis Roper

Teachers: Salary: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 6 hours per person. Total: \$1,567.80
Account No. 11-421-100-101-30-88

Cory Banta Keturah Latrice Childs Bertha Rosa George
Vanessa Hernandez Cecilia Kayiwa Hildauro Rosado

Substitutes:

Susan Barat	Vanessa Beibide-Zanetich	Shawn Black
Diane Bliss	Luann Breese	Shannon P. Brennan
Susan Brostoski	Utika Chaney-Wilson	Paulo J. Costa
Evelina Despaigne	Liliana C. Dias	Fernando Fajardo
Meredith Foreman	Stephanie Gautieri	Ruth N. Gonzalez
Alyson Elizabeth Gianchilgia	Sonja Gibson	Maryanne Simler Graham
Susan Griffin	Lauren Herrmann	Elizabeth Howard
Ariadne Jaffe	Christine Kwiatak	Morgan A. Leavitt
Wendy Livingston	Rafael Lopez	Brenda Lynch
Milena Maya	Sarah McGlone	Marta Ortega
Colleen L. Perez	Ophelia Pruden	Susan L. Relles
Rosa Elizabeth Rocio	Debra Rubilla	Annette Sammarco
Diane Seested	Patricia Smutek	Dolores Stapinski
Mary Karam Swann	Luz Torres	Ann M. Tramuta
Kim Veneziano	Maria E. Villar	

Secretary: Salary: \$22.51 per hour not to exceed 6 hours per person. Total: \$135.06
Account No. 11-421-240-105-30-88

Anita Tolbert

Substitute:

Milagros Omar

Nurse: Salary: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 6 hours per person. Total: \$261.30
Account No. 11-421-213-104-30-88

Naimah Boone-Koon

Substitute:

Karen Sheridan

Victor Mravlag School No. 21 & William F. Halloran School No. 22 @ Monsignor João S. Antão School No. 31

Recommended: That the following personnel be employed for the Saturday Program for the 2012-2013 school year on Saturday starting March 2, 2012 through March 23, 2013, 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

Administrators: Salary: \$49.44 per hour not to exceed 12 hours per person. Total: \$593.28
Account No. 11-421-240-103-22-88

Michael Webb

Substitutes:

Chichui Seo Alfaro Yvonne McGovern

Teachers: Salary: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 12 hours per person. Total: \$4,180.80
Account No. 11-421-100-101-22-88

Zulay Aponte
Phillip Orsini
Erin Surgue

Karolina Dlugosz
Robin Pier
Desiree Villano

Michelle Marte
Shana Richard

Substitutes:

Marguerite Jensen
Doris Ramirez
Karen Salemmé

Yazmin Lopez
Kathleen Riccio
Gloria Salerno

Jessica A. Mayo
Lizette Roig
Angel J. Santiago

Secretary: Salary: \$22.51 per hour not to exceed 12 hours per person. Total: \$270.12
Account No. 11-421-240-105-22-88

Isabel B. Diaz

Substitutes:

Vanessa Maritza Camacho Glorylyz K. Figueroa

Nurse: Salary: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 12 hours per person. Total: \$522.60
Account No. 11-421-213-104-22-88

Donna M. Jones

TITLE I-SATURDAY ENRICHMENT PROGRAM**Juan Pablo Duarte-Jose Julian Marti School No. 28**

Recommended: That the following personnel be employed in the Title I- Saturday Enrichment Program, from March 23, 2013 through May 25, 2013 from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

Administrators: Salary: \$49.44 per hour not to exceed 27 hours per person. Total: \$1,334.88
Account No. 20-234-200-100-28-00

Sulisnet Jimenez

SATURDAY ATTENDANCE AND DETENTION PROGRAM**Elizabeth High School**

Recommended: That the following personnel be employed to work the Saturday Attendance and Saturday Detention Program as a Substitute at Elizabeth high School from February 1, 2013 through June 15, 2013, from 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Teachers: Salary: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 80 hours per person. Total: \$3,484.00
Account No. 15-140-100-101-82-83

Substitutes:

Julienne Burns

Hector Munoz

Thomas Jefferson Arts Academy

Recommended: That the following personnel be employed to facilitate the Saturday Attendance Program/Detention Program on Saturdays, 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., December 7, 2012 through June 15, 2013.

Guidance Counselor: Salary: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 80 hours per person. Total: \$3,484.00
Account No. 15-000-218-104-84-83

Yvonne Jocelyn Brown

PLATO CREDIT RECOVERY PROGRAM

Recommended: That the following personnel be employed as a substitute during the Title I Plato Credit Recovery Program- extended learning day sessions, Saturdays 8:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. and weekdays, 4:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m., October 1, 2012 through June 15, 2013.

Teachers: Salary: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 125 hours per person.

Account No. 20-234-100-100-82-00

Account No. 20-234-100-100-83-00

Account No. 20-234-100-100-84-00

Account No. 20-234-100-100-87-00

Substitute:

Jason J. George

IB CURRICULUM ENHANCEMENT PROGRAM

Dr. Orlando Edreira Academy School No. 26

Recommended: That the following personnel be employed to enhance curricula in grades 6-8 for **Physical Education** at a rate of \$43.55 for International Baccalaureate Middle Year Program as listed below from March 22, 2013 through June 22, 2013, from 4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. Monday through Friday. Not to exceed 25 hours per teacher.

Teachers: Salary: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 25 hours per person. Total: \$2,177.50

Account No. 20-271-100-100-26-00

Lori Abry

Rocco Casso

Recommended: That the following personnel be employed to enhance curricula in grades 6-8 for **Technology** at a rate of \$43.55 for International Baccalaureate Middle Year Program as listed below from March 22, 2013 through June 22, 2013, from 4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. Monday through Friday. Not to exceed 18 hours for one and 30 hours for the second teacher.

Teachers: Salary: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 18 hours per person. Total: \$783.90

Account No. 20-271-100-100-26-00

Paul W. Ruffin

Teachers: Salary: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 30 hours per person. Total: \$1,306.50

Account No. 20-271-100-100-26-00

William F. Clark

Recommended: That the following personnel be employed to enhance curricula in grades 6-8 for **LEADS-Language Arts** at a rate of \$43.55 for International Baccalaureate Middle Year Program as listed below from March 22, 2013 through June 22, 2013, from 4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. Monday through Friday. Not to exceed 20 hours per teacher.

Teachers: Salary: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 20 hours per person. Total: \$2,613.00
Account No. 20-271-100-100-26-00

Nicholas DeMarco

Joan M. Gibb

Michelle Mc Guire

Recommended: That the following personnel be employed to enhance curricula in grades 6-8 for **LEADS-Social Studies** at a rate of \$43.55 for International Baccalaureate Middle Year Program as listed below from March 22, 2013 through June 22, 2013, from 4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. Monday through Friday. Not to exceed 30 hours per teacher.

Teachers: Salary: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 30 hours per person. Total: \$2,613.00
Account No. 20-271-100-100-26-00

Justin Childs

Megan E. Shanahan

Recommended: That the following personnel be employed to enhance curricula in grades 6-8 for **Science and Math** at a rate of \$43.55 for International Baccalaureate Middle Year Program as listed below from March 22, 2013 through June 22, 2013, from 4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. Monday through Friday. Not to exceed 15 hours per teacher.

Teachers: Salary: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 15 hours per person. Total: \$1,306.50
Account No. 20-271-100-100-26-00

(Science)

Dallis Deneen Johnson

(Math)

Patricia Mahon

ALTERNATIVE HIGH SCHOOL ASSESSMENT (AHSA) PROGRAM

Admiral William F. Halsey, Jr. Leadership Academy

Recommended: That the following personnel be employed as substitutes for the AHSA Program at Admiral William F. Halsey, Jr. Leadership Academy, January 14, 2013 through January 31, 2013, from 2:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m., Monday through Fridays, and Saturdays, January 14, 2013 through January 31, 2013, from 8:15 a.m. to 12:15 p.m.

Teachers: Salary: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 30 hours per person. Total: \$3,919.50
Account No. 15-140-100-101-83-83

Abha Poddar

Manuel Rodriguez

Mona Wanis

Alexander Hamilton Preparatory Academy

Recommended: That the following personnel be employed to work the AHSA Process (Alternative High School Assessment) at Alexander Hamilton Preparatory Academy, outside regular school hours Monday-Friday from 4:15 p.m. through 6:15 p.m. from January 14, 2013 through January 31, 2013.

Administrators: Salary: \$49.44 per hour not to exceed 30 hours per person. Total: \$1,483.20
Account No. 15-000-240-103-80-83

George E. Mikros

Substitute:

Mari Celi Sanchez

Teachers: Salary: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 30 hours per person. Total: \$6,532.30
Account No. 15-140-100-101-80-83

Name	Subject
Eduardo Bastidas	Bilingual Mathematics
Lauren Czarnecki	English
Ebrahim Haddad	Mathematics
Paul Reines	Bilingual-ESL

Elizabeth High School

Recommended: That the following personnel be employed to work in the Alternative High School Assessment Program at Elizabeth High School from January 14, 2012 through January 31, 2013 Monday through Friday 4:15 p.m. to 6:15 p.m.

Teachers: Salary: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 30 hours per person. Total: \$1,306.50
Account No. 15-140-100-101-89-83

Jillian Busch

John E. Dwyer Technology Academy

Recommended: That the following personnel be employed to work outside school hours as needed, as **Administrator** from March 21, 2013 through April 11, 2013, Monday to Friday 4:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m., Saturdays 8:15 a.m. to 12:45 p.m.

Administrators: Salary: \$49.44 per hour not to exceed 30 hours per person. Total: \$1,483.20
Account No. 15-000-240-103-83-83

Jacques Gonzales

Substitutes:

Wilnes Jilus

Christopher R. Van Vliet

Recommended: That the following personnel be employed to work outside school hours as needed, March 21, 2013 through April 11, 2013, Monday to Friday 2:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. or 4:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m., Saturdays 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Teachers: Salary: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 40 hours per person. Total: \$1,742.00
Account No. 15-140-100-101-82-83

Maria Caballero

Teachers: Salary: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 30 hours per person. Total: \$6,532.50
Account No. 15-140-100-101-82-83

Rashpal Kaur
Kathy SpiritoAlfredo Leyva
Julio Tamayo

Shernett Ossai

Substitutes:

Edgir Jean

Edwige Nonez

Recommended: That the following personnel be employed to work outside school hours as needed, as **Facilitator**, March 18, 2013 through April 11, 2013, Monday to Friday 2:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m., Saturdays 8:15 a.m. to 12:45 p.m.

Facilitator: Salary: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 70 hours per person. Total: \$3,048.50
Account No. 15-140-100-101-82-83

Jessy Mathew

AFTER SCHOOL ACADEMIC PROGRAM

Recommended: That the following personnel be employed in the **After School Academic Program Grades K-8**, October 2, 2012 through May 30, 2013, Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays. **(Subject to funding and sufficient and continuing enrollment.)**

Recommended: Hours for After School Program:

Instructional Time: Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday
3:50 pm-4:50 pm (Instructional Time)
Administrators' Hours: 4:15 pm-5:15 pm
Nurses Hours: 3:50 pm-4:50 pm

George Washington School No. 1

Teachers: Salary: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 94 hours per person. Total: \$8,187.40
Account No. 11-421-100-101-01-83 (January 4, 2013 – May 30, 2013)

Substitutes:

Wayne Donadio Diane Wilson

Winfield Scott School No. 2

Teachers: Salary: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 94 hours per person. Total: \$4,093.70
Account No. 11-421-100-101-02-83 (February 1, 2013 – May 30, 2013)

Substitutes:

Bonnie Ward

Nicholas S. LaCorte Peterstown School No. 3

Teachers: Salary: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 75 hours per person. Total: \$3,266.25
Account No. 11-421-100-101-03-83 (November 7, 2012 – May 30, 2013)

Substitute:

Claude Dallemand

Toussaint Louverture-Marquis de Lafayette School No. 6

Teachers: Salary: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 94 hours per person. Total: \$4,093.70
Account No. 11-421-100-101-06-83 (January 16, 2013 – May 30, 2013)

Substitutes:

Lisa Barone Papa

Elmora School No. 12

Administrators: Salary: \$49.44 per hour not to exceed 94 hours per person. Total: \$4,647.36
Account No. 11-421-240-103-12-83 (March 5, 2013 – May 30, 2013)

Gladys Castellanos

Substitutes:

Valerie Dunn Melissa Kulick

Abraham Lincoln School No. 14

Teachers: Salary: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 57 hours per person. Total: \$7,447.05
 Account No. 11-421-100-101-14-83 (February 26, 2013 – May 30, 2013)

Substitutes:

Vincent M. Caldarulo Denise J. Morson Phyllis Riccardi

Madison Monroe School No. 16

Teachers: Salary: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 94 hours per person. Total: \$135,092.10
 Account No. 11-421-100-101-16-83 (January 1, 2013 – May 30, 2013)

Substitutes:

Susan B. Ackerman	Lauren E. Beato	Maritza Benton
Patricia A. Bittner	Joseph Catena	Maryann Christian
Antonio Manuel DaCruz	Nulfa Daza	Debra Lynn Delgado
Frank Di Giovanni	Elizabeth Dos Reis	Gayle Gesualdi
Michelle Harrington	Carol Jennings	Suzanne Kamienski
Keith Kukla	Jennifer Ann Kurywczak	Sonia I. Landaverde
Miriam Levenson	Meghan Renee Linck	Basil S. Magro
Marissa Lynne Micera	Kristina Mitovski	Nancy Mulhall-Guillen
Raymond John Muller, Jr.	Natalie M. Quesada	Isabel A. Rodriguez
Sandra Elena Roldan-Arango	Rosanne Rosenbaum	Marianne Sasala
Ana Serra	Phylliss Taub	Adriano Zambrano

Robert Morris School No. 18

Teachers: Salary: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 94 hours per person. Total: \$4,093.70
 Account No. 11-421-100-101-18-83 (February 14, 2013 – May 30, 2013)

Monica D. Rijo

Teachers: Salary: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 94 hours per person. Total: \$49,124.40
 Account No. 11-421-100-101-18-83 (January 2, 2013 – May 30, 2013)

Substitutes:

Lindsey Fitzgerald Ashley Vandemark

Dr. Orlando Edreira Academy School No. 26

Teachers: Salary: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 94 hours per person. Total: \$4,093.70
 Account No. 11-421-100-101-26-83 (January 15, 2013 – May 30, 2013)

Substitutes:
 Robin Murphy

Juan Pablo Duarte-Jose Julian Marti School No. 28

Teachers: Salary: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 94 hours per person. Total: \$4,093.70
 Account No. 11-421-100-101-28-83 (January 15, 2013 – May 30, 2013)

Substitutes:
 Elizabeth Rose McLaughlin

Dr. Albert Einstein Academy School No. 29

Teachers: Salary: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 94 hours per person. Total: \$4,093.70
 Account No. 11-421-100-101-29-83 (February 1, 2013 – May 30, 2013)

Substitute:
 John A. Markowitz

AFTER SCHOOL VISUAL & PERFORMING ARTS PROGRAM

Recommended: That the following personnel be employed in the **After School Visual & Performing Arts Program Grades K-8**, on Mondays and Fridays from October 1, 2012 through May 31, 2013. (Subject to funding and sufficient and continuing enrollment.)

After School Arts Institute:

Instructional Time:	Monday and Friday
	3:50 pm-4:50 pm
Planning Time:	4:50 pm-5:20 pm (not to exceed 1/2 hour per week)
Administrators' Hours:	4:15 pm-5:15 pm
Nurses Hours:	3:50 pm-4:50 pm
Secretaries:	4:05 pm-5:05 pm

Winfield Scott School No. 2

Administrator: Salary: \$49.44 per hour not to exceed 57 hours per person. Total: \$2,818.08
Account No. 11-421-240-103-02-85 (October 1, 2012 – May 31, 2013)

Substitutes:

Frederick Flowers, Jr. Lawrence Roodenburg

Teachers: Salary: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 57 hours per person. Total: \$2,482.35
Account No. 11-421-100-101-02-85 (October 1, 2012 – May 31, 2013)

Substitutes:

Bonnie Marie Ward

Toussaint Loverture-Marquis de Lafayette School No. 6

Teachers: Salary: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 73.5 hours per person. Total: \$3,201.00
Account No. 11-421-100-101-06-85 (October 2, 2012 – May 30, 2013)

Substitutes:

Diana L. Caldwell

Elmora School No. 12

Administrator: Salary: \$49.44 per hour not to exceed 57 hours per person. Total: \$2,818.08
Account No. 11-421-240-103-12-85 (March 1, 2013 – May 31, 2013)

Gladys Castellanos

Substitutes:

Melissa Kulick

Teachers: Salary: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 73.5 hours per person. Total: \$3,201.00
Account No. 11-421-100-101-12-85 (February 1, 2013 – May 30, 2013)

Substitutes:

Catarina Amorim

Robert Morris School No. 18

Teacher: Salary: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 73.5 hours per person. Total: \$50,953.37
Account No. 11-421-100-101-18-85 (February 1, 2013 – May 31, 2013)

Substitutes:

Patricia Keating

Teacher: Salary: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 73.5 hours per person. Total: \$50,953.37
Account No. 11-421-100-101-18-85 (October 1, 2012 – May 31, 2013)

Substitutes:

Monica D. Rijo

Nurse: Salary: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 94 hours per person. Total: \$2,482.35
Account No. 11-421-213-104-18-85 (December 1, 2012 – May 30, 2013)

Mary Louise Arnaud, RN

Dr. Albert Einstein School No. 29

Teacher: Salary: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 73.5 hours per person. Total: \$44,813.00
Account No. 11-421-100-101-29-85

Substitutes:

Cathy Bundy (October 1, 2012 – May 31, 2013)

Substitute:

John Markowitz (February 1, 2013 – May 31, 2013)

Ronald Regan School No. 30

Administrator: Salary: \$49.44 per hour not to exceed 94 hours per person. Total: \$4,647.36
Account No. 11-421-100-101-30-83 (February 1, 2013 – May 31, 2013)

Substitutes:

James Mondesir

TITLE II & III NO CHILD LEFT BEHIND

Recommended: That the following personnel be employed to facilitate Title III projects beyond the regular day from October 19, 2012 through June 30, 2013, from 7:15 a.m. to 8:15 a.m. and after work hours.

Teachers: Salary: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 500 hours per person. Total: \$43,550.00
Account No. 20-241-100-100-94-01

Yolanda Aguiles

BREAKFAST/LUNCH PROGRAM FOR THE 2012-2013 SCHOOL YEAR

Recommended: That the following personnel be employed in the Breakfast/Lunch Program for the 2012-2013 school year.

Winfield Scott School No. 2**Breakfast and Lunch**

Teachers: Salary: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 50 hours per person.
Account No. 50-910-310-100-02-84 (effective: 2/1/13 to 6/21/13)

Substitute:
Christina Di Nuzzo

Nicholas S. LaCorte Peterstown School No. 3**Lunch**

Teachers: Salary: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 84 hours per person.
Account No. 50-910-310-100-03-84 (effective: 11/7/12 to 6/21/13)

Substitute:
Geraldine Calhoun

Elmora School No. 12**Lunch**

Teachers: Salary: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 80 hours per person.
Account No. 50-910-310-100-12-84 (effective: 2/1/13 to 6/21/13)

Substitute:
Lauren Clark Depp Daniela Mc Donnell

Dr. Antonia Pantoja School No. 27**Breakfast**

Teachers: Salary: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 45 hours per person. Total:
 Account No. 50-910-310-100-27-84 (effective: 12/14/12 to 6/21/13)

Substitutes:

Amanda L. Abdill	Rosa Arias	Meghan Marie Flanagan
Judith Gomez	Melissa Stephanie Hartwell	Kelly Hillier
Steven M. Lake	Mary Larson	Patricia Mc Carthy
Timothy C. Nichols	Rachel Nissim	Elizabeth G. Orgella

Lunch

Teachers: Salary: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 90 hours per person.
 Account No. 50-910-310-100-27-84 (effective: 12/14/12 to 6/21/13)

Substitutes:

Amanda L. Abdill	Rosa Arias	Meghan Marie Flanagan
Judith Gomez	Melissa Stephanie Hartwell	Kelly Hillier
Steven M. Lake	Mary Larson	Patricia Mc Carthy
Timothy C. Nichols	Rachel Nissim	Elizabeth G. Orgella

Dr. Albert Einstein Academy School No. 29

Recommended: That the following personnel be employed to serve on the Dr. Albert Einstein Academy Lunch Program from, February 1, 2013 to June 30, 2013 First Lunch (Grades 1-4 10:40 a.m. to 11:39 a.m.) Second Lunch Grades 5-8 11:40 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.)

Lunch

Teachers: Salary: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 180 hours per person.
 Account No. 50-910-310-100-29-84

Substitute:

John Markowitz

DETENTION PROGRAM**Admiral William F. Halsey, Jr. Leadership Academy**

Recommended: That the following personnel be employed to monitor the Halsey Leadership Academy and Halsey Academy of Finance students assigned after school detention from February 22, 2013 through June 21, 2013, from 4:00 p.n. to 5:00 p.m.

Teachers: Salary: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 79 hours per person. Total: \$13,761.80
Account No. 15-140-100-101-83-83

Daniel R. Aronowitz	Jacqueline Delatour	Duane Markowski
Craig Matthews		

Substitutes:

Norma D. Diaz	Lissykuty George	Patrick Hart
Rosemarie Hubbard		

DISTRICT BUS PROGRAM**Elmora School No. 12**

Recommended: That the following personnel be employed at Elmora School No. 12 for the supervision of autistic Children after 3:45 p.m. awaiting bus pickup, September 7, 2012 through November 30, 2012

Teachers: Salary: \$43.55 per hour not to exceed 53 hours per person. Total: \$6,924.45
Account No. 15-120-100-101-12-83

Colleen Tobin Carroll	Debra Marie McCann	Patricia Viola
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Assistants: Salary: \$22.23 per hour not to exceed 53 hours per person. Total: \$7,069.14
Account No. 15-190-100-106-12-83

Ana A. Arias	Brigid Bani	George Del Risco
Angelica J. Felicio	Diadina Montano	Jovica Pecic

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Tuitions Report
Elizabeth, N.J.
March 21, 2013

The Superintendent of Schools recommends approval of the following:

1. That tuition be paid for students for the 2012-2013 school year, as filed in the office of the School Business Administrator/Board Secretary.
2. That payment of tuition for students, as filed in the office of the School Business Administrator/Board Secretary, be and is hereby rescinded.

1. Excellence News
2. 2012 Progress Targets



“The more that you read, the more things you will know. The more that you learn, the more places you’ll go.” - Dr. Seuss

Terence C. Reilly Students Appear on Dr. Oz Show With First Lady Michelle Obama

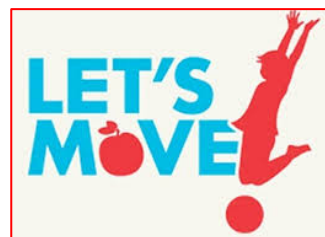


Twelve students from **Terence C. Reilly School No. 7** were invited to appear on the Dr. Oz Show with First Lady Michelle Obama to demonstrate a “Jammin’ Minute” session they do in school to keep active. The school, which achieved the Alliance for a Healthier Generation initiative’s coveted Gold status in 2012, was selected for their diligent efforts in health education and participation in extensive wellness activities.

Let’s Move! is a comprehensive initiative launched by the First Lady, dedicated to solving the challenge of childhood obesity within a generation. U.S. Secretary of Education Arne Duncan appeared alongside the First Lady, to discuss the *Let’s Move!* initiative and how schools can sign up to promote greater physical activity.

The students led by Sabrina Ferreira taught Mrs. Obama and Dr. Oz the choreography to their “Jammin-Minute” dance. The third grade students discussed how they integrate physical fitness into their academics throughout the school day with great results for students’ minds and bodies.

For more photos and information on School 7’s appearance on Dr. Oz, please visit www.epsnj.org





Elizabeth Public Schools Celebrates “Read Across America”

Throughout Elizabeth Public Schools you could see people wearing red and white striped hats – a sign that Dr. Seuss and the Read Across America activities are in full force. Students, from March 1 through March 8, participated in the district-wide effort to recognize Read Across America Week, and the birthday on March 2, of the most celebrated children’s author and illustrator, Dr. Seuss.

Read Across America Day was initiated by the National Education Association (NEA) in 1997 to promote the importance and enjoyment of reading to children in the United States. The day of recognition has over the years expanded to a week-long celebration of reading. This year, Elizabeth Public Schools is recognizing Read Across America with a flurry of activities encouraging the value of literacy.

Students from all district schools enjoyed listening to guest readers, including Superintendent of Schools Pablo Muñoz; Board President Tony Monteiro; Board Members Paul Perreira, Anthony Padlo, Francisco González, Charlene Bathelus, and John Donoso; and School No. 26 Namesake Dr. Orlando Edreira, among others, reading all-time favorites by Seuss like *The Cat in the Hat*, *Green Eggs and Ham*, and *Horton Hears a Who*.

Students are also joining in activities including Crazy Socks and Wacky Hat days, Grinch day, and Pajamas day-- all celebrating the life and career of the beloved author.



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**For more pictures on
"Read Across America"
please
visit www.epsnj.org**

Read Me a Story Day

The wonderful works of Dr. Theodore Seuss Geisel inspired Mrs. Pereira's third grade class at [Robert Morris School No. 18](#) to mimic his style of writing in their own class book titled, *Oh, The Things You'll Learn at School*. The children came up with the idea of writing the book to honor Dr. Seuss's creative works on his birthday. The project took two weeks to finish and was completed during Writer's Workshop. The children also made illustrations for each page. Once the book was complete, Mrs. Pereira helped them with binding the book.



Superintendent Pablo Muñoz read to Mrs. Pereira's class as a guest reader. He read *No Excuses! How What You Say Can Get In Your Way* by Dr. Wayne W. Dyer. The book validates how excuses can actually become words that prevent children from reaching their goals. It also teaches children that by following a few simple ideas and eliminating excuses anything is possible. Mr. Muñoz answered children's questions and was given a copy of the book students had written.

Three Hamilton Students Compete in National Math Competition

Three students from [Alexander Hamilton Preparatory Academy](#) are testing their math skills on a very new venture.

Students Jose Felipe Araujo, Nelson Marques, and Katherine Cabrera, along with Hamilton Mathematics Coach Harry Kelada and teacher Komila Sehgal, spent part of a March weekend competing in a nation-wide mathematics competition, entitled Moody's Mega Math Challenge. These students downloaded a problem which they had 12 hours to solve. Ultimately, they uploaded the solution to a panel of judges.

The best five papers will be chosen, and the teams of students attached to those papers will present their work in person. The winners come away with \$115,000. All participants receive a letter of recognition for their hard work. Mrs. Sehgal credits Hamilton's AVID program for reinforcing her students' good study habits, and encouraging post-secondary education.



Madison-Monroe School No. 16 Reading Initiative

In an effort to encourage independent student reading, **Madison-Monroe School No. 16** launched a 3rd marking period school-wide community project. Each grade level received a specific color construction paper for students to add circles to a bookworm for each book they read. The bookworm can be seen winding through the hallway of School No. 16.



The students are recording:

Title, Author, Picture/Synopsis, Student Name and Room No. on the circle to be added to the "School No. 16 Bookworm"

As a cross-curricular project, the progress for each grade level is recorded and charts are being created by Mrs. Bittner and her grade 7 and 8 math classes using Microsoft Excel. A prize will be awarded to the grade level with the greatest number of books read by the close of the third marking period.



Luncheon Celebrating Black History Month at Ronald Reagan Academy School No. 30



Terence C. Reilly Awarded Grant to Design & Build Mosaic Mural



Terence C. Reilly School No. 7 was awarded a grant from the New Jersey State Council on the Arts and Arts Horizons to work with professional artist in residence, DeBorah Goletz, to help design and build a mosaic mural. The project utilizes input from the entire school community from the collection of materials, to learning about the art form, to the installation of the final product.

The goal for the Artist in Residence program is to engage and foster all of the students' imaginations and creative abilities by creating an indoor mosaic that exemplifies the school district's motto, *Think-Learn-Achieve-Care*. Unlike traditional mediums, the mosaic method incorporates tactile components making it accessible and engaging to varying learning styles and abilities. The challenge was for students to involve themselves in an in-depth, collaborative approach to learning, regarding the fundamentals of:

the tools, materials, history and the concepts that are involved in the creation of a mosaic.

Hamilton Annex Students Write to *The Girl Who Changed Pakistan*

At Alexander Hamilton Preparatory Academy, Mrs. Pereira's ninth grade Language Arts class focused on people of all ages throughout history who have risked their lives to promote education.

Students read *The Girl Who Changed Pakistan*. This article, from *Newsweek*, was about Malala Yousafza, a fifteen-year-old girl from Pakistan, who was shot by the Taliban. She was a target of the Taliban because she was an inspiration and the leader of a movement to promote education for girls. After threats to her life, she was transferred to the United Kingdom where she is currently recovering from her injuries.

After much discussion about this article, students wrote a letter to Malala to thank her for her courage in standing up against ignorance and helping so many girls get the opportunity for an education. These letters were mailed to the hospital in England where she has been recovering.



Celebrating Dr. Seuss's Birthday

In celebration of Dr. Seuss's Birthday and Read Across America, **Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Early Childhood Center School No. 52** has been participating in many fun activities. Some of these activities include Crazy Hat Day, Green Day, a Green Eggs and Ham breakfast, Crazy Sock Day, Reading with Parents, a visit from the Cat in the Hat and finally a school inspired event called *Suessville!* This was a great opportunity to encourage reading.



Honor Roll Pajama Party

On February 21, **Robert Morris School No. 18** held a special winter celebration. Scholars from grades K-8 enjoyed cake and hot chocolate topped with marshmallows, whipped cream, and chocolate chips. Certificates were presented to students who felt a heartwarming sense of accomplishment.



Valentine Cards for Seniors

As part of **Ronald Reagan Academy School No. 30** year-long program of service learning projects, students in Mrs. Lynch's second grade class created Valentine's Day cards for a very special purpose. The beautiful cards with Valentine's Day wishes were collected and then delivered to the Elizabeth Senior Center. The students were excited to extend their wishes for a wonderful holiday to senior citizens in Elizabeth.

The children had a lot of fun designing their cards and learned about the importance of serving their community.

Students Read To The Little Ones



In honor of "Read Across America" Week, upper class students from [Benjamin Franklin School No. 13](#) took time out to read to the children of [Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Early Childhood Center School No. 52](#).

Students from School 13 went to each classroom and read from a selection of classic Dr. Seuss books. The younger students enjoyed the stories and interaction with the older students.



NJ Forensics State Championship Tournament

The [Elizabeth High School](#) Forensics team, under the direction of Brian Rodriguez, competed at the 2013 NJ Forensics State Championship Tournament at Basking Ridge High School, against 34 schools and 500 contestants across the state. The Elizabeth High School team took 5th place in Overall Speech.

Congratulations to Quarterfinalists, Semifinalists, Finalists, and State Champion as follows:

- ✚ The team of Melanie Rua and Adrian Orozco Quarterfinalized in Novice Public Forum Debate.
- ✚ The team of Francisco Esteves and Nicole Pinto were ranked among the top 12 Varsity Public Forum Debate teams in the State.
- ✚ In Improvisational Acting, Arturo Esquivel Semifinalist, with Finalists Isaac Jimenez taking 3rd and Aaron Millado taking 2nd place.
- ✚ In Impromptu Speech, finalist Charlie Vaca took 5th place.
- ✚ In Dramatic Interpretation, finalist Diana Lazo took 5th place.
- ✚ In Duo Interpretation, finalist team of David Figueiredo and Aaron Millado took 3rd Place
- ✚ In Humorous Interpretation, Aaron Millado and Isaac Jimenez Semifinalist, with Finalist Arturo Esquivel becoming the NJ State Champion in 1st place.
- ✚ Arturo Esquivel will be recognized later this Spring at the Annual NJ Governor's Awards in Arts Education at the State Capital to receive an award and scholarship for his accomplishments.



The team is preparing for Districts that will be on March 22-23 at Summit High School!

St. Jude's Math-A-Thon

Students and team members of **Victor Mravlag School No. 21** and **William F. Halloran School No. 22 @ 31** participated in St. Jude Children's Research Hospital's Math-A-Thon. Second grade teacher Mrs. Sutera coordinated the event to help children who have diseases like cancer, AIDS, sickle cell disease, and other illnesses.

Math students from grades K through 8 found sponsors to donate money for every problem solved, which resulted in completing approximately 200 math problems. Children raising \$35.00 or more received a t-shirt. Children raising \$75.00 or more received a backpack and a t-shirt.

After a concerted effort by the entire learning community, the school raised a total of \$6,479.65 for St. Jude's. St. Jude Children's Research Hospital's mission is not only to find cures for cancer and other deadly diseases, but also to help families that do not have the means to cover their stay at St. Jude Children's Hospital.



Saving Lives One Penny at a Time



George Washington School No. 1 joins 27,000 schools nationwide in the *Pennies for Patients Program*. This will help people who are sick with blood cancers like leukemia, lymphoma and myeloma. Every four minutes, another child or adult will be diagnosed with a blood cancer.

KIDS HELPING KIDS is a program where students develop a sense of compassion, empathy and respect for childhood cancer patients. At the conclusion of the Pennies for Patients Fundraising, School No. 1 collected \$2,827.09. Congratulations to the third grade students from Mrs. English's classroom who took the lead with a donation of \$314.92.

School 28 Students Pair Up for Reading

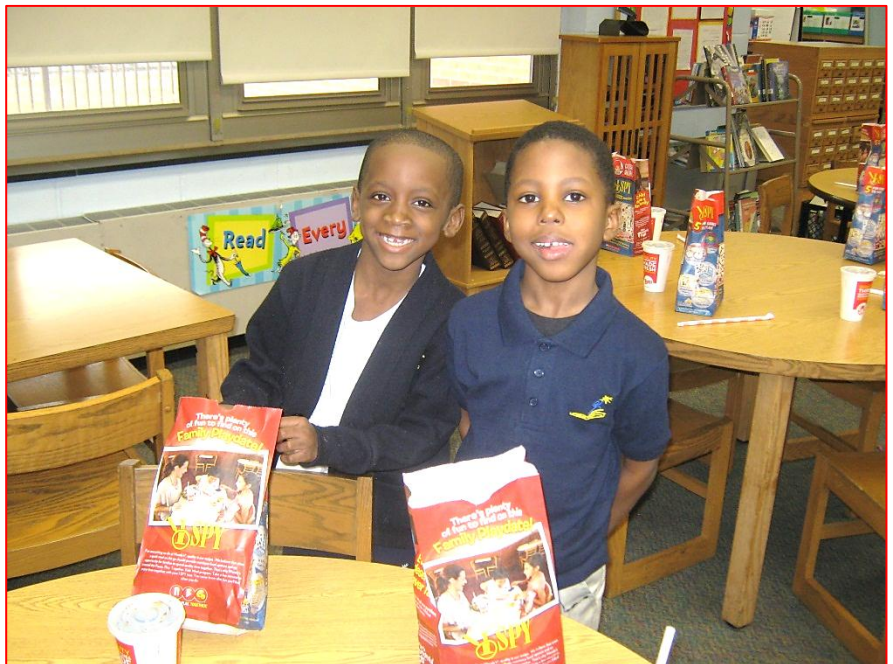


Ms. Lauren Arenal's 7th grade students and Ms. Stefanie Zeik's Pre-Kindergarten students from [Juan Pablo Duarte – José Julián Martí School No. 28](#) paired up on March 1, for the annual "Reading Across Grades" event. This event gave students the opportunity to bond with younger students and the chance to give back to their community by reading to their younger peers. Ms. Arenal's students read Dr. Seuss classics to Ms. Zeik's students in honor of Dr. Seuss's birthday celebration during *Read Across America Week*.

"Butler Bucks"

Students at [Nicholas Murray Butler School No. 23](#) participated in a school-wide positive behavioral reinforcement program where students can earn "Butler Bucks" daily for exhibiting positive and pro-social behaviors as well as outstanding character throughout the school day. Fifteen students are randomly chosen at the end of each month and the winners receive a reward.

This month's prize was food, donated by Wendy's restaurant, which students enjoyed as a reward for showing positive peer leadership and outstanding character.



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Hamilton West JazzFest '13

Both **Elizabeth High School's** Upper and Lower Academy Jazz bands earned Superior ratings earlier this month at the Hamilton West High School Jazz Festival. In addition to the two bands' overall achievements, several of the bands members earned individual accolades.



Special awards went to:

- ✦ **Outstanding soloist** - Regina Arias - Piano (Lower Academy)
- ✦ **Outstanding soloist** - Sandra Hidalgo - Vibes (Upper Academy)
- ✦ **Outstanding section award** - Trumpets:
 - Christian Villa (Upper Academy)
 - Wyatt Franco (Upper Academy)
 - Cameo Steed (Upper Academy)
 - Brian Orozco (Upper Academy)
 - Erick Bonilla (Upper Academy)

Congratulations to the Upper & Lower Academy Jazz bands for earning Superior ratings at the Hamilton West Jazz Festival.

Record Number of Elizabeth High School Scholars Honored

By Students Jeffrey Florez, Briana Velasquez, and Daniel Restrepo



An unprecedented number of Superintendent's and Principal's Scholars at the **Elizabeth High School** Upper and Lower Academies were honored at breakfast in January 2013 in recognition of their scholastic dedication. A total of 230 out of 550 students at the Upper Academy, and 105 out of 217 students at the Lower Academy, earned Superintendent's or Principal's Honors in the first marking period. Elizabeth High School Principal Cummings and Vice Principal O'Donnell spoke and distributed certificates.

"I am excited that this is the largest group to achieve the Honor Roll that we've ever seen at Elizabeth High School," said Mr. Cummings. "It was impressive to see nearly one half of students earn this honor." The 335 students appreciated the encouragement, as well as the sumptuous breakfasts served by the dedicated kitchen members.

100th Day of School in First Grade



Mrs. Greenstein's and Ms. Gaeta's first grade classes were very excited to celebrate the 100th day of school at [Winfield Scott School No. 2](#). One activity encouraged students to dress up as a 100 year-old person. Students wore outfits that symbolized how they would appear 100 years from now. Some students wore wigs, grayed their hair, and wore oversized glasses. All the students had a great day celebrating the 100th day of school.

Fish Prints at School No. 16



What do fish prints, Mah Jongg, and dumplings have in common? They were all part of the Chinese New Year celebration in Mrs. Phyllis Taub's fifth grade classroom in [Madison-Monroe School No. 16](#). The Year of the Snake was welcomed with a wonderful fish print activity, as fish symbolize prosperity in Chinese culture. Students learned the ancient Chinese game of Mah Jongg in class. They learned the meanings of each tile and probability as players discussed the odds of winning. Students also learned to write and read the Chinese numbers from one to ten by painting them with ink just as children do in China.

The event was extra-special with a classroom Chinese luncheon where students wore traditional handmade hats and ate food graciously provided by the Zheng family. Students especially enjoyed cracking open their fortune cookies and comparing fortunes.

Student Honored by Art Educators of NJ

Robert Morris School No. 18 participated in the Union County Youth Art Month art exhibit in Liberty Hall. Over seventy entries from throughout Union County were received and only six were selected to represent Union County at the State House in Trenton.

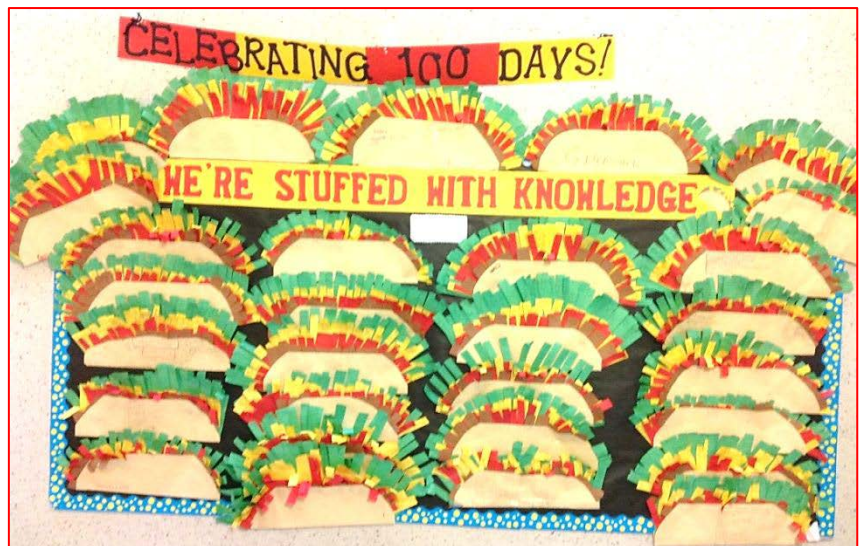
One of the six artworks selected was from Yolit Rios, an eighth grade student at School No. 18. Her watercolor landscape painting portrays a boat on sand dunes. Yolit Rios and her art teacher Miss Jeannette Martinez attended the opening ceremony at the State House on March 1, 2013 where Yolit was honored with a certificate presented by the Art Educators of New Jersey.



Stuffed With Knowledge

Victor Mravlag School No. 21 and **William F. Halloran School No. 22 @ 31** are *Stuffed with Knowledge*.

To celebrate 100 Days of School, students in Mrs. Lisa Rafoa's 3rd grade class created a multi-layer taco that displayed 100 things the children have learned this year. Students wrote about concepts learned in all 5 academic subjects to demonstrate they are stuffed with knowledge.



Green Eggs and Ham

On March 1, **Toussaint L'Ouverture-Marquis de Lafayette School No. 6** students celebrated Read Across America in a variety of ways.

First, students were treated to a Green Eggs and Ham breakfast with a special visit and reading from the Cat in the Hat. After that treat, they were taken to the auditorium for a screening of the *Green Eggs and Ham* movie.

Students and team members work hard to foster the joy of reading through this program and others throughout the year.



Tony Award Winning Poet, Lemon Andersen, Visits School No. 7



Poet, playwright and Tony Award winning performer Lemon Andersen visited [Terence C. Reilly School No. 7](#) to deliver a special screening of his documentary *Lemon*. The film chronicles the poet's life as he goes back to his earliest memories to remember, reflect and attempt to understand the many challenges he has faced and to plan for his future.

Eighth grade student Allison Zembery discussed her experience, "Lemon Andersen is a strong man. He faced and still faces many challenges in his life. I really liked how he said he didn't want us to pity him and how he wanted his story to be more of a lesson to us. I loved having him visit our school and I think it was very valuable and taught students a lot about dreams. Giving up is not an option and Lemon helped me realize that."

Mrs. Luzardo's School 16's Scholars

Fourth grade bilingual students from [Madison-Monroe School No. 16 Annex](#), received their scholar certificates for doing such a great job during the second marking period.

*Congratulations on showing
Excellence in Academics!*



Animals in Danger of Extinction



Students from Miss Lorena Piloto's 1st grade bilingual class, from [Winfield Scott School No. 2](#), completed Project Based Learning (PBL) projects for the second marking period. "Animals in Danger of Extinction" was the topic given to the students. Students have been learning about animals, how animals are important to the communities and how animal communities work together to survive. Students were each given a wild animal to research, explore and share with their classmates. These first graders created interesting and detailed posters.

While presenting his project, student Bernardo Ayala stated, "My favorite part of this project was drawing the pictures and cutting the bamboo for the panda."

Branching off into "Twig World"

On February 19, *Twig World* visited [Dr. Antonia Pantoja School No. 27](#) to meet teachers and students who have integrated learning, using Twig in their classrooms.

Twig World is an award winning site comprised of thousands of films, images and additional materials to support teaching and learning across the science and math curriculums. The film crew spent all day in Mrs. Connie Sanchez's science classroom learning about how the integration of their short-films and resources help captivate students and support learning. They also recorded Mrs. George's math class. They interviewed 8th grade students, Paloma Martinez, Leevens Gaston and George Lainez, and Mrs. Sanchez, to further develop training videos and practices that contribute to effective math and science instruction.



During the visit, teachers and students were reminded that while Science discovers fundamental information about how the universe works, technology can be used for the practical application of that information.

Rah!... Rah!... Rah!... School 13 Is Ready For Superah!

Kindergarten and first grade bilingual students, of [Benjamin Franklin School No. 13](#), attended a pep rally for the Supera Test. They sang a chant to the rhythm of the “Chicken Dance” (Pajaritos a Volar). The chant reinforced the importance of doing well on the test. The teachers and students have worked hard to prepare for the Supera. The team is confident that they will do well and will pass the SUPERA.

The students were excited at the pep rally. It certainly helped set the tone for a successful Supera experience.



School No. 3 Celebrates Black History Heritage

Even though it was raining outside on February 2nd, nothing could dampen the spirit in the gymnasium at [Nicholas S. LaCorte-Peterstown School No. 3](#) that day. “A Look at the African Influence on Music From Our Roots to Rap” was the theme of the assembly, which combined efforts of team members and students, produced in honor of African American History Month.

A song from Senegal, spirituals, and hand jives were all part of the rousing performances that brought the crowd together singing and clapping along with the performers. There were poetry readings and a tribute to the King of Pop, as well as solos and a dance number.



This assembly highlighted the evolution of African American music, and showcased the talent of many of the students at School No. 3. This African American History Month came alive for everyone who attended this inspiring assembly.

Grab Your Hat and Read with the Cat

Students and team members of the [Frances C. Smith Early Childhood Center School No. 50](#) enjoyed special visitors for the kickoff event of Dr. Seuss Week.

Board member, John Donoso, a School 50 parent, joined other parents in reading to their children during *Grab Your Hat and Read With the Cat Day*.

Community members were joined by Child Development Associate Preparation students from [Thomas A. Edison Career and Technical Academy](#). Edison students intern as classroom assistants at the preschool throughout the school year. The Edison students were led by Jocelyn Castellanos, dressed as the Cat in the Hat. The high school students, many of whom wore striped top hats and red bow ties to honor the Cat, circulated throughout the school helping wherever needed. Groups of Edison students read in many of the pre-school classrooms throughout the day.



Celebrate New Jersey through Reading!

Fourth grade students at [Victor Mravlag School No. 21](#) and [William F. Halloran School No. 22 @ 31](#) participated in *Celebrate New Jersey through Reading*. Since the fourth grade LEADS curriculum focuses on New Jersey, students learned about their home state through the core novel *Nicky Fifth Garden State Adventure*.



In the novel, the two main characters, Nicky & T-Bone, visit "hot spots" in New Jersey. Among these were DeLorenzo's Tomato Pie pizzeria and the state's capital, Trenton. The novel's content came to life as 4th graders experienced both places first hand! They visited the State Museum and enjoyed DeLorenzo's pizza. Following the class trip, students were honored to welcome the author, Lisa Funari-Willever on March 6, 2013. During her presentation, Mrs. Willever demonstrated the process of writing, editing and publishing a book, as well as sharing her personal inspirations behind the Nicky Fifth's Series. She inscribed and autographed books for the students as well as entertained their questions. It was truly an experience the students will always remember.

Honoring Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.

Students of Mrs. Brooke Jayne's homeroom, at [Dr. Antonia Pantoja School No. 27](#), celebrated the accomplishments of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Students read books about Dr. King and discussed his powerful and inspirational life and learned how Dr. King believed that all people should be treated equally. They concluded the lesson by creating their own portraits of Dr. King and developing their own dreams based on his "I Have a Dream" speech.



Residents as Teachers in Elizabeth Programs

Students of the Nursing Program at [Thomas A. Edison Career & Technical Academy](#) were visited by Resident Physicians from Trinitas Regional Medical Center, who gave lectures for the *Residents as Teachers in Elizabeth*.

Topics included:

- Accident Prevention
- Obesity
- Psychological Issues-emphasis on Bullying
- Cardiovascular Risk Factors
- Drug Abuse
- Sexually Transmitted Diseases



Special thanks to the following :

Dr. Julio DePena Fernandez (Drug abuse and Alcohol)
Dr. Alina Basnet (Co-secretary) (Sexually Transmitted Diseases)
Dr. Deon Ford (Public Relations)
Patricia Haydu RN,MA
Eileen Mulroy RN, MSN

Shared Reading Brings Joy

The theme for Read Across America at [Mabel G. Holmes School No. 5](#) was *Promoting Reading And The Love Of It*. All activities were coordinated by Library/Media Specialist Ms. Klimerman.

Students from the eighth grade teamed with Pre-K through third grade students for shared reading. The older students read a Dr. Seuss book and then held a discussion about the story with the children. It was a great experience for all involved. The older students were thrilled to share this experience with their new younger friends.



Spaghetti Dinner



[Robert Morris School No. 18](#) Parent Teacher League hosted a spaghetti dinner for students and their families. It was a great opportunity for students to spend quality time with their parents and School 18 learning community.

Councilman Carlos Cedeño joined students, parents, and team members for dinner and visited with the parents as well.

A raffle for a basket of goodies, including a Jets teddy bear, was one highlight of the night. School No. 18 looks forward to more fun this Spring with a Carnival, Zumba Night, and more.

Black History Month Show



Ronald Reagan Academy School No. 30's celebration of Black History Month culminated with a show that paid special tribute to several African American colleges. Among the colleges honored were Spellman College, Temple University and Xavier University.

Students informed the enthusiastic audience about each university and displayed their talents with performances including dances, a skit about Harriet Tubman, and a thrilling step routine. The Elementary Choir and the award-winning Jazz Band performed as well.

Making a Difference, One School at a Time

By Students Adriana Luis, Genesis Obando & Milton Hunter Jr.

On January 22, the Lower Academy of **Elizabeth High School** hosted a special guest who spoke about the effects of technology in today's society and how to stay safe. Sgt. Tom Rich is a certified police officer in the state of New Jersey. Not only does he help to keep the state safe, but he also visits schools and informs students about the consequences and dangers of the Internet.

"I decided I wanted to do a presentation on sexting. It's a huge thing, a major issue with the rise of social media! I want to create teachable moments," Sgt. Rich said.

In his presentation, Sgt. Rich discussed texting, cell phones, and social networks like Facebook, Instagram, Twitter, and Tumblr. He said that research shows that 75 billion text messages are sent per month in the United States, about 2 ½ billion per day. He added that once a message is posted on the Internet, it can never be deleted. Over 70% of high school students surveyed have stated that they have spoken to someone they do not know on the Internet.



Other safety issues include "sexting" and cyber-bullying. Sgt. Rich showed a video entitled, *Sexting isn't sexy*. Sgt. Rich said, "Before pressing send or forward, think about the consequences, both legal and personal. Once you post it, it stays online forever and it can ruin someone's life. If you wouldn't say it in person, don't say it online," said Sgt. Rich.

NJ High School Consumer Bowl

For the fourth year in a row, **Thomas A. Edison Career & Technical Academy** competed in the annual New Jersey High School Consumer Bowl at Governor Livingston High School in Berkeley Heights. The NJ Division of Consumer Affairs hosts the event in an effort to encourage interest in consumer rights. Students commit to a two-month period of preparation for the first of potentially three levels of competition culminating in a statewide championship.

AVID students Anthony Anozier, Raeschone Robinson, Gabriella Diaz, Kevin Angulo, and Kevin Paz competed against Linden, Jonathan Dayton, & Governor Livingston High Schools in a game show format. Knowledge of important and current consumer issues was tested. The competition included three rounds of open ended and multiple-choice questions.

Thomas A. Edison Academy dominated round one and eventually took 3rd place in the competition. Students who were led by AVID Teacher Michelle Raimondi enjoyed an award ceremony and received certificates of recognition for their efforts.



Bilingual Magnet Program

As a culminating activity for the second marking period, fourth grade students, from **Madison-Monroe School No. 16**, in Ms. Llano and Mrs. Luzardo's classes, created their own *Cinderella* stories.

Although it took a lot of hard work to put together, students were very excited and the outcome was unbelievable. Not only did they learn how to create a PowerPoint slideshow to present their stories, but they also were able to record them as narrators.

Congratulations to all the students for such an accomplishment!



February Celebrations

Students in Mrs. Perez's second grade class at **Ronald Reagan Academy School No. 30** have been very busy. During the month of February, students celebrated many events.

Students celebrated Black History Month by learning about many famous African Americans. One of the activities involved a reader's theatre about Ruby Bridges.

On February 25, the students also celebrated the 100th day of School. The students took part in many activities to coincide with the Core Curriculum Content Standards.



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National Wear Red Day at Joseph Battin School No.4

On February 1, **Joseph Battin School No. 4** team members participated in the 10th Annual National Wear Red Day. Each year, on the first Friday in February, many organizations "Go Red" to help raise crucial awareness and significant funds in the fight against heart disease and stroke in women.

The event is sponsored by the American Heart Association. Everyone who participated received a "red dress" pin. Special thanks to school nurse Eileen Paternostro for coordinating this wonderful event.



Mardi Gras at Dr. Antonia Pantoja School No. 27



On Fat Tuesday (*Mardi Gras*), Mrs. Reguinho and Mrs. Greco's ESL first grade class at [Dr. Antonia Pantoja School No. 27](#) celebrated Mardi Gras in their classroom. Reading books about New Orleans, Louisiana and trumpeter Louis Armstrong created quite an interesting lesson in Social Studies. A highlight was making beaded necklaces and masks for Mardi Gras. Can you recognize anyone?

Superintendent Scholars' Breakfast



On Feb. 22, [Toussaint L'Ouverture-Marquis de Lafayette School No. 6](#) celebrated student success and achievement by hosting the Superintendent Scholars' Breakfast. This program recognizes student academic excellence in a variety of areas. Students and proud parents/guardians were treated to a well-deserved breakfast served by school Principal Mingoia and Vice Principal Mondesir.

Students Attend Crossroads

Thomas Jefferson Arts Academy students attended a fantastic performance of Shakespeare's Twelfth Night at the State Theater of New Jersey's CROSSROADS Theater in New Brunswick, New Jersey.

The experience included “a talk” back with the actors. Students were able to ask questions and reflect on the preparation required for such a piece.



Dr. Seuss & Math

In honor of Dr. Seuss's birthday, Mrs. Smeraglia's 5th Grade Math class and Mrs. Rafoa's 3rd grade class, from **Victor Mravlag School No. 21** and **William F. Halloran School No. 22 @ 31**, collaboratively worked on a project using the book, *One Fish, Two Fish, Red Fish, Blue Fish*. The 3rd grade students were given a 5th grade partner to act as a buddy and math mentor.

Each child was given a cup filled with colored goldfish. They were asked to tally the colors, create a bar graph based on their findings, and write the fractional amount of each color. They were also given the task of creating a number story, along with an illustration, that incorporated fish.



The children enjoyed celebrating Dr. Seuss's birthday by incorporating math into literature. Both classes had a wonderful time and enjoyed working together. The 5th grade students will treasure this experience of being teacher/mentor for the day!

What an outstanding tribute to Dr. Seuss!

Special Hats

George Washington School No. 1 celebrated Read Across America in many ways. Students from Room 121 made special Dr. Seuss hats and read stories to celebrate his birthday.



Dr. Seuss Celebration

Students at Donald Stewart Early Childhood Center School No. 51 celebrated Read Across America Week commemorating some of Dr. Seuss' wonderful books. Students participated in various activities that fostered cognitive, language, and social and emotional development. The celebration began with a guest reader, the Cat in the Hat who read stories to the students in the classroom. Students were treated to green eggs and ham for breakfast and were encouraged to wear green in honor of Dr. Seuss' book *Green Eggs and Ham*. Team members and students wore silly socks and crazy hats in honor of Dr. Seuss' books *Fox in Socks* and *The Cat in the Hat*. The celebration ended by wearing pajamas for Reading Under the Stars while parents read stories to the students in the classroom.

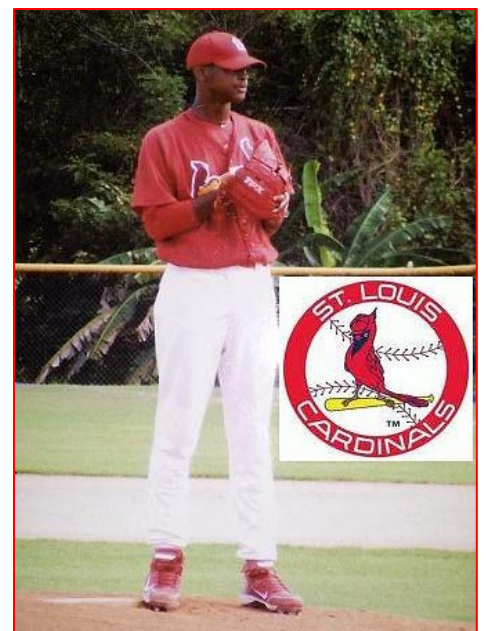


Former Student Signs with The St. Louis Cardinals

Eighteen year old Alex Reyes, son of Hamilton Security Guard Tomas Reyes, and Halsey Security Guard Dignora Reyes, has become the St. Louis Cardinals' latest pitching phenomenon.

Alex was a student at Alexander Hamilton Preparatory Academy until he returned to his native Dominican Republic to intensively train in baseball. During his first game, he was observed by a Cardinals' talent scout as he hit a home run and two doubles. He was made an offer the following day and became a St. Louis Cardinal.

Everyone at Hamilton Preparatory Academy wishes him the best of luck in the major leagues!



Pre-Kindergarten Scientists and Artists

Pre-kindergarten students at **Terence C. Reilly School No. 7** performed a scientific experiment studying the effects of liquids exposed to freezing temperatures. Students created colorful ice marbles by mixing food color with water, putting the liquid inside balloons and placing the balloons outside.

Teachers Mrs. Andrade and Mrs. Bastos then brought the balloons indoors, exposing them to room temperature and melting the ice marbles to their original liquid state. As students rolled their balloons on the paper spread across their classroom floor, colors began to appear, creating the most beautiful designs.

“I learned you make normal water frozen by putting it outside on special days that are really cold. My favorite part was painting with the ice marbles,” exclaimed Guiseppe Quaglia. Students were better able to understand the states of matter as the science experiment unfolded.



Cat in the Hat Visits School No. 12



Elmora School No. 12 celebrated Dr. Seuss' birthday with many fun activities! Mrs. Calixto's kindergarten class and their 8th grade buddies read books to each other. The kindergarteners were excited to show off their reading skills to their buddies. Ms. Lojo and Ms. dePeralta's first grade class read Dr. Seuss' famous title: *And to Think That I Saw It On Mulberry Street*. After reading the book, the children had to imagine they were walking home on Mulberry Street. To top off the celebration, the Cat in the Hat surprised the Pre-K to 2nd grade students at School 12. The children were excited to see one of their favorite characters come to life! Happy Birthday Dr. Seuss!!

Grandparents Luncheon

Recognizing the importance of family member's involvement in a child's education, **Dr. Orlando Edreira Academy School No. 26** held their annual outreach to the grandparents that participate in caring for and educating the students at School 26. This event, coordinated by Parent Liaison Dency Rivera, is an event that brings parents, teachers, and staff members together. All members of School No. 26 participate in the development of this event with the school PTA.



Some 60 grandparents arrived at the school, were treated to lunch, and viewed a presentation by their grandchildren and musical numbers by the Jazz Ensemble, under the direction of Dr. Siebenhuhner.



King and Queen of Hearts

In honor of Valentine's Day, students at **Dr. Albert Einstein Academy School No. 29** were selected for the annual King and Queen of Hearts. During the month of February, homeroom teachers nominate students to be the king and queen for their grade level. Students are nominated based on their good character. Students then voted in their class. The queens for this year are Ashley Saavedra, Sofia Pillacela, Adriana Murcia, Kateri Mainato, Bruna DeOliveira, Ariana Porquin, Jessebel Lara, Destiny Morales, Apryl Solano, Paola Ruiz Sanchez, Sarahlee Rotestan, and Leonella Palamino. The kings for this year are Mathias Rojas, Alexis Olivero, Andres Marin, Justin Heredia, Guillermo Cordero, Yarutine Merlo Perez, Kristian Pinto, Miguel Encarnacion, Samuel Reyes, Denny Goncalves, Yadiel Alvarez, and Harold Carias. All the kings and queens are invited to have their picture taken and take part in a small celebration.



Congratulations to all the Kings and Queens of School 29 the 2012-2013 school year!

Summer Musical Theatre Conservatory



Thomas Jefferson Academy students Senior Wilson Rios, Senior Wakeem Jones and Freshman Gabriela Gomez were accepted to Paper Mill Playhouse's prestigious Summer Musical Theatre Conservatory. They will begin a rigorous five-week program designed to enhance performance skills, while instilling the technique, discipline and professionalism needed to excel in the performing arts. The end of the month is devoted to rehearsals for the *New Voices* concert, performed annually on the Paper Mill Playhouse stage. Taking part in the Conservatory is a remarkable opportunity, providing experience and exposure that simply can't be obtained anywhere else. Participation is a great honor...a chance for students to demonstrate their talent on a grand scale.



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YSuperintendent's Report
March 21, 2013**CONSIDERATIONS**

1. Request from Christopher R. Van Vliet, Principal of John E. Dwyer Technology Academy for 20 Key Club students from various high schools, Frank O. Mazza and Christina DiNuzzo to attend the 2013 N.J. Key Club District Convention at the Ocean Place Resort & Spa in Long Branch, NJ from April 5-7, 2013, at a cost not to exceed \$5,770.00 to be charged to Account No. 11-422-100-610-94-00-61.
2. Request from Stephen J. Williams, Principal of Admiral William F. Halsey, Jr. Leadership Academy for 34 MCJROTC students, MSGT. Robert Geraldts and two (2) chaperones to attend a drill competition at Reading High School, Reading, Pennsylvania from March 22-23, 2013, at a cost not to exceed \$6,278.57 to be charged to Account Nos. 15-000-270-512-83-00-03 (\$2,650.00) and 15-401-100-800-83-00-03 (\$3,628.57).
3. Request from Michael Cummings, Principal of Elizabeth High School for 16 students and teachers Gerard Boruch and Michelle Kang to attend and participate in the Princeton Moot Court Competition at Princeton University, Princeton, NJ from April 19-20, 2013, at a cost not to exceed \$3,258.50, to be charged to Account No. 15-401-100-800-89-00.
4. Request from Jeffrey Roszkowski, Principal of Thomas A. Edison Career & Technical Academy for 96 students, and teachers Patrick McGee, Paul Conte, Ronald Ussher, Lil Chaika, Penelope Hudeen and Roger Osgood to attend the N.J. Skills USA State Conference in Somerset, NJ from April 19-20, 2013, at a cost not to exceed \$14,969.00 to be charged to Account Nos. 15-190-100-800-87-00-10 (\$8,925.00); 20-362-100-800-00-00 (\$6,044.00).
5. Request from Stephen J. Williams, Principal of Admiral William F. Halsey, Jr. Leadership Academy for 42 MCJROTC students and teachers MSGT. Robert L. Geraldts and three (3) chaperones to attend a drill competition at Bridgeton High School, Bridgeton, New Jersey from April 26-27, 2013 at a cost not to exceed \$6,315.80 to be charged to Account Nos. 15-401-100-800-83-00 (\$3,765.80) and 15-000-270-512-83-00-03 (\$2,550.00).

6. Request from Howard Teitelbaum, Principal of Dr. Orlando Edreira Academy School No. 26 for the following teachers William Clark, Ellen Gabriel, Ralph Marciano, David Reeseg and himself to attend a workshop to receive required training for the implementation of the International Baccalaureate's Primary Years Program and Middle Years Program for the 2013-2014 school year in Keystone, CO from June 30, 2013 to July 3, 2013 at a cost not to exceed \$7,966.60 to be charged to Account Nos. 11-000-221-580-954-00-61 (\$2,500.00); 15-000-223-580-26-00 (\$1,416.60) and 20-271-200-320-00-26-00 (\$4,050.00). **Pending approval of the Executive County Superintendent.*

7. Request from Howard Teitelbaum, Principal of Dr. Orlando Edreira Academy School No. 26 for teachers Alisa Brennan, Chrysoula Campbell, Sean McLean, Christine Murphy and Thomas Siebenhuhner to attend a workshop for required training for the implementation of the International Baccalaureate's Middle Years Program for the 2013-2014 school year in Austin, TX from July 7, 2013 to July 10, 2013 at a cost not to exceed \$8,032.80, to be charged to Account Nos. 15-000-223-580-26-00 (\$4,057.80) and 20-271-200-320-26-00 (\$3,975.00). **Pending approval of the Executive County Superintendent.*

USE OF FACILITIES

1. Request from A Helping Hand for use of Joseph Battin School No. 4 gymnasium for youth community programs Tuesdays and Thursdays beginning April 2, 2013 through June 20, 2013 from 5:30 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. and on Saturdays beginning April 20, 2013 through June 22, 2013 from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m., be approved. Requested: Waiver of fees. Recommendation: Waiver of facility fees.
2. Request from Councilman Carlos Cedeño for use of Robert Morris School No. 18 cafeteria for English and Spanish Community classes on Mondays beginning April 8, 2013 through May 20, 2013 from 6:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m., be approved. Requested: Waiver of fees. Recommendation: Waiver of facility fees.

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Supplemental Superintendent's Report
March 21, 2013

USE OF FACILITIES -CONSIDERATIONS

1. Request from Iglesia Christiana Campamento de Jehova for use of Robert Morris School No. 18 classrooms for church services on Fridays for the month of April, beginning April 5, 2013 from 7:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m., be approved. Total cost for facility, custodial, and security will be \$1,512.00.

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Superintendent's Report
March 21, 2013

FIELD TRIP CONSIDERATIONS

Field trips are approved as filed in the Office of School Business Administrator/Board Secretary.

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March 21, 2013**HARASSMENT, INTIMIDATION AND BULLYING (HIB) INVESTIGATIVE REPORT**

<u>File Number</u>	<u>Investigation Results</u>	<u>Actions Taken</u>
13-0031	Allegation Unsubstantiated	Contacted Parents, Conflict Resolution, Skill Development
13-0032a	HIB	Contacted Parents, Parent Conferences, Suspension, Counseling, Monitoring
13-0032b	No Conclusive Findings- Will Monitor	Contacted Parents, Parent Conferences, Suspension, Counseling, Monitoring
13-0033a	HIB	Contacted Parents, Parent Conference, Counseling, Behavioral Intervention, Skill Development, Monitoring
13-0033b	Allegation Unsubstantiated	Contacted Parents, Parent Conference, Counseling, Behavioral Intervention, Skill Development, Monitoring
13-0034	HIB	Contacted Parents, Parent Conference, Suspension, Seats Changed, Wellness Program Counseling, Referral to Mobile Crisis Unit, Behavior Modification Plan, Monitoring
13-0035	No Conclusive Findings- Will Monitor	Contacted Parents, Recommended Social Skills Group, Skill Development, Monitoring
13-0036a	HIB	Contacted Parents, Mandatory Character Education Classes After School, Limited Privileges
13-0036b	No Conclusive Findings- Will Monitor	Contacted Parents, Limited Privileges, Adult Escort to Bathroom, Monitoring

13-0037	HIB	Contacted Parents, Skill Development, Behavioral Intervention, Monitoring
13-0038	HIB	Contacted Parents, Suspension
13-0039	No Conclusive Findings-Will Monitor	Contacted Parents, Monitoring
13-0040	Allegation Unsubstantiated	Contacted Parents, Monitoring
13-0041	Allegation Unsubstantiated	Contacted Parents, Behavior Intervention Plan, Monitoring
13-0042	HIB	Contacted Parents, Behavioral Intervention, Support Services
13-0043	HIB	Contacted Parents, Suspension
13-0044a	HIB	Contacted Parents, Suspension, Counseling, Skill Development, Monitoring
13-0044b	Allegation Unsubstantiated	Contacted Parents, Counseling, Skill Development, Monitoring
13-0045	HIB	Contacted Parents, Parent Conference, Detention, Positive Behavior Plan, Skill Development, Behavioral Intervention
13-0046	HIB	Contacted Parents, Suspension, Conflict Resolution
13-0047	No Conclusive Findings-Will Monitor	Contacted Parents, Parent Conferences, Behavioral Intervention, Temporary Loss of Privileges, Skill Development, Monitoring
13-0048	Allegation Unsubstantiated	Contacted Parents, Monitoring
13-0049	Allegation Unsubstantiated	Contacted Parents, Parent Conferences, Counseling, Skill Development
13-0050	HIB	Contacted Parents, Suspension, Behavioral Intervention, Referred to I&RS
13-0051	HIB	Contacted Parents, Skill Development, Monitoring

13-0052	HIB	Contacted Parents, Counseling, Monitoring
13-0053	HIB	Contacted Parents, Counseling, Monitoring
13-0054	HIB	Contacted Parents, Seats Changed, Skill Development, Monitoring
13-0055	HIB	Contacted Parents, Suspension, On Waiting List for Trinitas Hospital, In Trinitas Group Program, Recommended to Wellness Program in School, Skill Development
13-0056	HIB	Contacted Parents, Suspension, Counseling, Skill Development, Recommended Outside Treatment, Monitoring
13-0057	No Conclusive Findings-Will Monitor	Contacted Parents, Alleged Offender Temporarily Removed from School Pending Investigation, Supportive Services, Letter of Reprimand, Sensitivity Training, Professional Development, Stringent Monitoring by Administration, Supervisor and Coaches, Further Administrative Action as may be Required by HR
13-0058	No Conclusive Findings-Will Monitor	Contacted Parents, Behavioral Intervention, Counseling, Monitoring
13-0059	HIB	Contacted Parents, Suspension, Parent Conferences, Change of Schedules, Monitoring
13-0060	No Conclusive Findings-Will Monitor	Contacted Parents, Intervention Plan, Behavioral Strategies, Personal Assistant Assigned, Counseling, Recommended to Outside Counseling, Group Counseling out of School, Speech Evaluation, Monitoring
13-0061	Allegation Unsubstantiated	Contacted Parents, Recommended Outside Treatment
13-0062	No Conclusive Findings-Will Monitor	Contacted Parents, Suspension, Behavioral Intervention, Monitoring
13-0063	No Conclusive Findings-Will Monitor	Contacted Parents, Skill Development, Monitoring
13-0064	Allegation Unsubstantiated	Contacted Parents, Behavioral Intervention, Monitoring

13-0065	No Conclusive Findings-Will Monitor	Contacted Parents, Special Team Meeting, Changed Seats on Bus, Separated Students in Class, Counseling, Skill Development, Monitoring
13-0066	No Conclusive Findings-Will Monitor	Contacted Parents, Changed Seats on Bus, Changed Seats in Class, Counseling, Skill Development, Monitoring
13-0067	HIB	Contacted Parents, Verbal Warning, Counseling, Monitoring
13-0068	No Conclusive Findings-Will Monitor	Contacted Parents, Letter of Reprimand, Professional Development, Supportive Services, Other Administrative Action as may be Required by Human Resources, Monitoring
13-0069	No Conclusive Findings-Will Monitor	Contacted Parents, Skill Development, Conflict Resolution, Monitoring
13-0070	No Conclusive Findings-Will Monitor	Contacted Parents, Parent Conference, Skill Development Group, Counseling, Recommended Alleged Victim to Trinitas, Monitoring
13-0071	Allegation Unsubstantiated	Contacted Parents, Suspension, Recommended to Anger Management
13-0072	No Conclusive Findings-Will Monitor	Contacted Parents, Behavioral Intervention, Warning of Greater Consequence on Next Event, Monitoring
13-0073	HIB	Contacted Parents, Parent Conference, Counseling, Skill Development, Behavioral Intervention
13-0074	HIB	Contacted Parents, Parent Conference, Suspension, Skill Development, Recommended to Outside Treatment, Behavioral Intervention, Counseling
13-0075	HIB	Contacted Parents, Parent Conference, Suspension, Counseling, Behavioral Intervention, Recommended to Outside Counseling
13-0076	No Conclusive Findings-Will Monitor	Contacted Parents, Detention, Monitoring

13-0077	No Conclusive Findings- Will Monitor	Contacted Parents, Counseling, Monitoring
13-0078a	HIB	Contacted Parents, Suspension, Detention, Enrolled in After School Character Education Program, Skill Development
13-0078b	No Conclusive Findings- Will Monitor	Contacted Parents, Detention, Monitoring
13-0079	No Conclusive Findings- Will Monitor	Contacted Parents, Counseling, Monitoring
13-0080	Allegation Unsubstantiated	Contacted Parents, Behavioral Intervention
13-0081	Allegation Unsubstantiated	Contacted Parents, Recommended to Trinitas Outpatient Counseling Program, Suspension

ELIZABETH BOARD OF EDUCATION:

The Superintendent of Schools recommends approval of the following recommendations.

AUTHORIZATION TO MAKE APPLICATION

Recommended: That the Elizabeth Board of Education be authorized to make application for the National School Change Award, sponsored by the National Principals Leadership Institute, which recognizes significant school improvement.

Recommended: That the Elizabeth Board of Education be authorized to make application for juniors to participate in the Governor's School and for schools to nominate appropriate candidates.

Recommended: That the Elizabeth Board of Education be authorized to make application to the New Jersey Department of Education for the 21st Century Community Learning Centers Continuation Grant Program for the period September 1, 2013 through August 31, 2014, for an amount not to exceed \$535,000.00.

Recommended: That the Elizabeth Board of Education be authorized to make application for approval to operate summer school for the summer of 2013.

Recommended: That the Elizabeth Board of Education be authorized to make application for an amendment to the Carl D. Perkins Career and Technical Education Act of 2006 Grant for the 2012-2013 school year (FY13) that will change the use of approved funds in the amount of \$10,600.00.

AUTHORIZATION TO PARTICIPATE

Recommended: That the Elizabeth Board of Education authorize preschool teachers to participate in the TSEEQ (Teacher Survey of Early Education Quality) study conducted by NIEER (National Institute for Early Education Research).

Recommended: That the Elizabeth Board of Education authorize Thomas Jefferson Arts Academy to participate in the 2013 New Jersey Student Health Survey (NJSHS) being conducted by the New Jersey Department of Education, in collaboration with the Department of Human Services and the Department of Health.

Recommended: That the students of John E. Dwyer Technology Academy, Thomas A. Edison Career and Technical Academy, Elizabeth High School, Admiral William F. Halsey, Jr. Leadership Academy, Halsey Academy of Finance, Alexander Hamilton Preparatory Academy and Thomas Jefferson Arts Academy participate in the 2013 Public Service Announcement (PSA) Contest.

AUTHORIZATION TO ENTER INTO PARTNERSHIP

Recommended: That the Elizabeth Board of Education be authorized to enter into partnership with The New Jersey Chamber of Commerce Foundation to provide and deploy the LearnDoEarn Student Achievement System for the 2012-2013 Academic Year, at no cost to the Board.

AUTHORIZATION TO ACCEPT FUNDS

Recommended: That the Elizabeth Board of Education be authorized to accept funds from the New Jersey Department of Education, 21st Century Community Learning Centers – IDEA Supplemental Funds, in the amount of \$34,482.00 for the grant period of September 1, 2012 through August 31, 2013.

AUTHORIZATION TO ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT

Recommended: That the Elizabeth Board of Education be authorized to approve agreements from the Union County Educational Services Commission for the non-public schools in the Elizabeth School District participating in the Non-Public School Technology Initiative Program for the 2012-2013 school year.

AUTHORIZATION FOR RESEARCH

Recommended: That Amy Watkins, school psychologist at George Washington School No. 1 and Ronald Reagan Academy School No. 30 and doctoral student at the Graduate School of Applied and Professional Psychology at Rutgers University be given authorization to conduct research for graduate study.

BUDGETS

Recommended: That the budget for the 21st Century Community Learning Centers – IDEA Supplemental Funds, in the amount of \$34,482.00 for the grant period of September 1, 2012 through August 31, 2013, be approved as filed in the Office of the School Business Administrator/Board Secretary.

Recommended also: That the School Business Administrator/Board Secretary be authorized to make payments in accordance with said budget.

AUTHORIZATION FOR PARTICIPATION IN THE PROVISIONAL TEACHER PROGRAM AND AGREEMENT FOR DISBURSEMENTS AND REIMBURSEMENTS

That **Caitlin Caulfield**, Fifth Grade Teacher, Ronald Reagan Academy School No. 30, be authorized to participate in the Provisional Teacher Program and that the teacher, Caitlin Caulfield, and the Board of Education comply with the guidelines for Training and Supervising Provisional Teachers, and

Further, that the teacher and the Board enter into an Agreement for the Board to disburse the sum of \$550.00 on behalf of said teacher, and the teacher to reimburse said \$550.00 by payroll deduction from March 15, 2013 through November 15, 2013, and that the President of the Board of Education and the School Business Administrator/Board Secretary be authorized to execute said Agreement on behalf of the Board.

That **Isaias Flowers**, Resource Center Teacher, Thomas A. Edison Career and Technical Academy, be authorized to participate in the Provisional Teacher Program and that the teacher, Isaias Flowers, and the Board of Education comply with the guidelines for Training and Supervising Provisional Teachers, and

Further, that the teacher and the Board enter into an Agreement for the Board to disburse the sum of \$550.00 on behalf of said teacher, and the teacher to reimburse said \$550.00 by payroll deduction from March 15, 2013 through November 15, 2013, and that the President of the Board of Education and the School Business Administrator/Board Secretary be authorized to execute said Agreement on behalf of the Board.

That **Amelia Gilmore**, Autism Teacher, Ronald Reagan Academy School No. 30, be authorized to participate in the Provisional Teacher Program and that the teacher, Amelia Gilmore, and the Board of Education comply with the guidelines for Training and Supervising Provisional Teachers, and

Further, that the teacher and the Board enter into an Agreement for the Board to disburse the sum of \$550.00 on behalf of said teacher, and the teacher to reimburse said \$550.00 by payroll deduction from March 15, 2013 through November 15, 2013, and that the President of the Board of Education and the School Business Administrator/Board Secretary be authorized to execute said Agreement on behalf of the Board.

That **Rebecca Kornblum**, Sixth, Seventh, Eighth Grade Science Teacher, Toussaint Louverture-Marquis de Lafayette School No. 6, be authorized to participate in the Provisional Teacher Program and that the teacher, Rebecca Kornblum, and the Board of Education comply with the guidelines for Training and Supervising Provisional Teachers, and

Further, that the teacher and the Board enter into an Agreement for the Board to disburse the sum of \$550.00 on behalf of said teacher, and the teacher to reimburse said \$550.00 by payroll deduction from March 15, 2013 through November 15, 2013, and that the President of the Board of Education and the School Business Administrator/Board Secretary be authorized to execute said Agreement on behalf of the Board.

That **Kathleen Laffan**, Resource Center Teacher, Mabel G. Holmes School No. 5, be authorized to participate in the Provisional Teacher Program and that the teacher, Kathleen Laffan, and the Board of Education comply with the guidelines for Training and Supervising Provisional Teachers, and

Further, that the teacher and the Board enter into an Agreement for the Board to disburse the sum of \$550.00 on behalf of said teacher, and the teacher to reimburse said \$550.00 by payroll deduction from March 15, 2013 through October 15, 2013, and that the President of the Board of Education and the School Business Administrator/Board Secretary be authorized to execute said Agreement on behalf of the Board.

That **Gloria Momoh-Oare**, Resource Center Teacher, Admiral William F. Halsey, Jr. Leadership Academy, be authorized to participate in the Provisional Teacher Program and that the teacher, Gloria Momoh-Oare, and the Board of Education comply with the guidelines for Training and Supervising Provisional Teachers, and

Further, that the teacher and the Board enter into an Agreement for the Board to disburse the sum of \$550.00 on behalf of said teacher, and the teacher to reimburse said \$550.00 by payroll deduction from March 15, 2013 through November 15, 2013, and that the President of the Board of Education and the School Business Administrator/Board Secretary

That **John Markowitz**, Sixth, Seventh, Eighth Grade Science Teacher, Dr. Albert Einstein Academy School No. 29, be authorized to participate in the Provisional Teacher Program and that the teacher, Ameerah Boone, and the Board of Education comply with the guidelines for Training and Supervising Provisional Teachers, and

Further, that the teacher and the Board enter into an Agreement for the Board to disburse the sum of \$1,000.00 on behalf of said teacher, and the teacher to reimburse said \$1,000.00 by payroll deduction from March 15, 2013 through December 15, 2013, and that the President of the Board of Education and the School Business Administrator/Board Secretary be authorized to execute said Agreement on behalf of the Board.

That **Erin McCracken**, English Teacher, Thomas A. Edison Career and Technical Academy, be authorized to participate in the Provisional Teacher Program and that the teacher, Erin McCracken, and the Board of Education comply with the guidelines for Training and Supervising Provisional Teachers, and

Further, that the teacher and the Board enter into an Agreement for the Board to disburse the sum of \$1,000.00 on behalf of said teacher, and the teacher to reimburse said \$1,000.00 by payroll deduction from March 15, 2013 through December 15, 2013, and that the President of the Board of Education and the School Business Administrator/Board Secretary be authorized to execute said Agreement on behalf of the Board.

That **Brendan McDermott**, Resource Center Teacher, Thomas A. Edison Career and Technical Academy, be authorized to participate in the Provisional Teacher Program and that the teacher, Brendan McDermott, and the Board of Education comply with the guidelines for Training and Supervising Provisional Teachers, and

Further, that the teacher and the Board enter into an Agreement for the Board to disburse the sum of \$1,000.00 on behalf of said teacher, and the teacher to reimburse said \$1,000.00 by payroll deduction from March 15, 2013 through December 15, 2013, and that the President of the Board of Education and the School Business Administrator/Board Secretary be authorized to execute said Agreement on behalf of the Board.

CHANGE IN MENTORS FOR PROVISIONAL TEACHER/ALTERNATE ROUTE

Recommended: That the designation of mentor fees for Provisional Teacher, Steven Lake, be changed as follows:

Brenda Conneely, Mentor/Support Team Teacher, for the period September 1, 2012 through February 28, 2013. \$421.67

Amber Palombo, Support Team Teacher, for the period March 1, 2013 through April 19, 2013. \$128.33

Recommended: That the designation of mentor fees for Provisional Teacher, Christine Roque, be changed as follows:

Theresa Mazza, Mentor/Support Team Teacher, for the period March 23, 2012 through November 14, 2012. \$392.90

Theresa Mazza, Support Team Teacher, for the period February 19, 2013 through April 15, 2013. \$157.10

PANASONIC FOUNDATION LEADERSHIP ASSOCIATES PROGRAM

Recommended: That Elcy Castillo-Ospina, Board Vice President, Pablo Muñoz, Superintendent of Schools, Jennifer Barrett, Assistant Superintendent for Schools, Jerome Dunn, Assistant Superintendent for Family and Community Outreach, Olga Hugelmeyer, Assistant Superintendent for Teaching and Learning, Donald Goncalves, Assistant Board Secretary, Rose Carreto, President, Elizabeth Education Association, and Liteove Tighe, President, Elizabeth Principals and Supervisors Association be authorized to attend the Panasonic Leadership Associates Program/Institute II Logistics in Orlando, Florida from May 16, 2013 through May 18, 2013, as part of the Panasonic Partnership Agreement.

AUTHORIZATION TO APPLY

Recommended: That the Elizabeth Board of Education be authorized to apply to the American Honda Foundation, for a grant under Grants for Youth Education and Science Education, in an amount not to exceed \$75,000.00, for the period August 1, 2013 through July 31, 2014.

AUTHORIZATION TO ENTER COMPETITION

Recommended: That the students of John E. Dwyer Technology Academy, be authorized to participate in the Engineering Design Competition for NJ PLTW (Project Lead the Way) High Schools.

WAIVER OF BOARD POLICY ON AMUSEMENT PARKS AND BOATS

Recommended: That the Elizabeth Board of Education approve a waiver of Board Policy on amusement parks for 44 twelfth grade students of Thomas A. Edison Career and Technical Academy to attend the Physics and Math Day at Great Adventure, Jackson, NJ on April 26, 2013 under the supervision of teachers Olayinka Akinsuyi, Michael Chang, Danita Dyer, and teacher assistant Edgar Dominguez.

Recommended: That the Elizabeth Board of Education approve a waiver of Board Policy on amusement parks for 48 tenth, eleventh and twelfth grade students of Alexander Hamilton Preparatory Academy to participate in Music in the Parks, at Dorney Park, Allentown, PA on Friday, May 31, 2013 under the supervision of teacher Julienne Burns, and principal George Mikros

Recommended: That the Elizabeth Board of Education approve a waiver of Board Policy on amusement parks for 75 eighth grade students of Dr. Albert Einstein Academy School No. 29 to attend the Physics, Math and Science Day at Great Adventure, Jackson, NJ on May 31, 2013 under the supervision of teachers John Mellody, Kimberly Golden, Darlene Cornacchia, Michael Gluck, Kathryn Mazzella, Shadi Shihadeh, Sean Glennon, Tracy Espiritu, Tracy LaValle, John Maxwell and Bonnie Lee.

Recommended: That the Elizabeth Board of Education approve a waiver of Board Policy on boats and water for 78 first grade students of Dr. Albert Einstein Academy School No. 29 to attend a trip to visit the USS Intrepid Sea, Air and Space Museum, New York, NY for a museum educational workshop: Little 'Nauts Go to Work on March 22, 2013 under the supervision of teachers.

Recommended: That the Elizabeth Board of Education approve a waiver of Board Policy on boats and water for 50 students of John E. Dwyer Technology Academy to visit the Elizabeth Marina on April 12, 2013 under the supervision of teachers Solomon Victor, Javier Valencia, Chase Danford and Diane Palame.

Recommended: That the Elizabeth Board of Education approve a waiver of Board Policy on boats and water for 78 second grade students of Dr. Albert Einstein Academy School No. 29 to attend a trip to visit the USS Intrepid Sea, Air and Space Museum, New York, NY for a museum educational workshop: Little 'Nauts Go to Work on April 18, 2013 under the supervision of teachers Cathy Bundy, Danielle Dorta, Tracy Espiritu, Nikkol Green, Irene Melachrinou, Jessica Perez and Dana Walker.

Recommended: That the Elizabeth Board of Education approve a waiver of Board Policy on boats and water for 50 students of John E. Dwyer Technology Academy to visit Mattano Park and the Elizabeth River on April 24, 2013 under the supervision of teachers Solomon Victor, Javier Valencia, Chase Danford and Diane Palame.

Recommended: That the Elizabeth Board of Education approve a waiver of Board Policy on boats and water for 20 seniors of John E. Dwyer Technology Academy to attend a trip for Environmental Day at the Elizabeth Marina, Elizabeth, NJ on April 26, 2013 under the supervision of teachers Javier Valencia and Solomon Victor.

Recommended: That the Elizabeth Board of Education approve a waiver of Board Policy on boats and water for 50 students of John E. Dwyer Technology Academy to visit the Arthur Kill on May 10, 2013 under the supervision of teachers Solomon Victor, Javier Valencia, Chase Danford and Diane Palame.

Recommended: That the Elizabeth Board of Education approve a waiver of Board Policy on boats and water for 50 students of John E. Dwyer Technology Academy to visit the Rahway River on May 17, 2013 under the supervision of teachers Solomon Victor, Javier Valencia, Chase Danford and Diane Palame.

Recommended: That the Elizabeth Board of Education approve a waiver of Board Policy on boats and water for 50 students grades 5-8 of Dr. Albert Einstein Academy School No. 29 to attend the Urban Watershed Education Program, hosted by the NJ Department of Environmental Protection and Hackensack Riverkeeper, for 25 fifth grade middle school STEAM students from May 21-23, 2013; for 25 sixth, seventh and eighth grade students from May 29-31, 2013 under the supervision of teachers Nick Carmazino, Darlene Cornacchia, Tracy Espiritu, John Markowitz, Craig Webb and Nancy Ynchaustegui.

Recommended: That the Elizabeth Board of Education approve a waiver of Board Policy on boats and water for 48 twelfth grade and 2 eleventh grade students of Alexander Hamilton Preparatory Academy to participate in water collection and analysis as part of their AP Environmental Science class on April 8, 9, 15, 16, 22, 23, 29 and 30, 2013. The Elizabeth River will be fully accessible and no more than 6 inches deep where the water collection will take place. Students will be accompanied and supervised by science teacher Jeremy Freedman.

AUTHORIZATION FOR APPROVAL

Recommended: That the Department of the Army Corps of Engineers request for URS Group, Inc. and its subcontractor Sanchez Industrial Design be granted approval to install a noise monitor on the roof of Juan Pablo Duarte-Jose Julian Marti School No. 28. The US Army Corps of Engineers is deepening the Arthur Kill Channel and as part of the work are required to monitor noise levels from the dredging and blasting activities within established guidelines.

DONATIONS

Recommended: That the Elizabeth Board of Education accept the following donations:

Five (5) Schecter guitars, amps and other music equipment from the Traveling Guitar Foundation for use by students at Robert Morris School No. 18.

APPROVAL OF PARENT ORGANIZATIONS FUND RAISING ACTIVITIES

Recommended: That in accordance with the Policy on Fund Raising by Parent Organizations, fund raising activities sponsored by parent organizations, as filed in the office of the School Business Administrator/Board Secretary, be approved.

21st Century Community Learning Centers – IDEA Supplemental Grant Funds**BUDGET****September 1, 2012 through August 31, 2013**

<u>Account Number</u>	<u>Category</u>	<u>Amount</u>
20-095-100-100-00-00	Teacher Salaries	\$ 25,477.00
20-095-200-600-00-00	Supplies and Materials	\$ 7,056.00
20-095-200-200-00-00	Benefits	<u>\$ 1,949.00</u>
	TOTAL	\$ 34,482.00

APPROVAL OF FUND RAISING REQUESTS

School	Organization	Fund Raiser	Dates
School No. 1	Students/Staff	Pi Day Activities	3/22-28/13
School No. 4	Students/Staff	Book Fair	3/22-28/13
School No. 4	Students/Staff	Candy Sale	3/22-4/30/13
School No. 4	Students/Staff	Yankee Candle Sale	3/22-4/30/13
School No. 4	Students/Staff	Book Fair	5/20-24/13
School No. 5	Students/Staff	Hoops for Heart (American Heart Association)	3/28/13
School No. 7	Students/Staff	Yearbook Message to Graduates	3/22-5/31/13
School No. 12	PTO	Lupus Awareness Month (Raise funds for Lupus)	5/10/13
School No. 12	PTO	Multicultural Day Show	5/24/13
School No. 13	Students/Staff	Jump Rope for Heart (American Heart Association)	3/13/13
School No. 13	Students/Staff	Face Painting for St. Patrick’s Day	3/15/13
School No. 13	Students/Staff	Visual Art Showcase & Talent Show	3/22/13
School No. 15	Students/Staff	Pi Day Activities	3/22-28/13
School No. 18	Students/Staff	Olive Garden’s Pasta for Pennies	3/4-22/13
School No. 19	Students/Staff	Volleyball Game Students vs Staff	3/28/13
School No. 20	Students/Staff	Movie Night “Diary of a Wimpy Kid”	4/11/13
School No. 20	Students/Staff	Family Fitness & Fun Night	5/17/13
School No. 22 @ 31	PTA	Zumba-Thon	3/22/13
School No. 22 @ 31	Students/Staff	American Heart Association Online Donations	4/15-19/13
School No. 23	PTO	Bake Sale	3/22; 4/12; 4/15/13

School No. 25	Students/Staff	School Logo Sportswear Sale	4/8-29/13
School No. 25	Students/Staff	St. Joseph Service Center – End Hunger Challenge	4/8-29/13
School No. 26	Student Government	Food Drive (St. Joseph Social Service Center)	4/1-30/13
School No. 26	Students/Staff	T-shirt/Sweatshirt Sale	3/25-5/31/13
School No. 26	Student Government	Concession Stand Refreshments (Music Under the Stars Event)	4/17/13
School No. 26	Student Government	Movie Night	4/24/13
School No. 26	Student Government	Movie Night	5/2/13
School No. 27	PTO	Movie Night “Hotel Transylvania”	3/22/13
School No. 27	Students/Staff	Pretzel Sale	3/26/13
School No. 27	PTO	Tie Dye Groovy Night	4/11/13
School No. 27	Students/Staff	Pretzel Sale	4/17/13
School No. 28	Student Council	School Spirit Day	4/1-6/3/13
Dwyer Academy	Senior Class	NBA2K13 Video Game Tournament	3/22/13
Dwyer Academy	Ambassador Club	Breakfast for Staff (American Cancer Society)	3/26/13
Dwyer Academy	Ambassador Club	Saving empty candy wrappers (American Cancer Society)	3/22-6/21/13
Dwyer Academy	Senior Class	MLB2K13 Video Game Tournament	4/8-12/13
Dwyer Academy	Senior Class	FIFA 2013 Video Game Tournament	5/20-24/13
Edison Academy	Freshman Class	Class Key Chain Sale	4/15-19-13
Edison Academy	Freshman Class	Low Calorie Snack Sale (“Spring into Healthier Habits”)	4/22-26-13
EHS	Bands	Cookie Sale	2/1-3/31/13
EHS	Key Club	Blood Drive – American Red Cross	3/22-4/25/13
Halsey Academy	Ambassador Club	Saving empty candy wrappers (American Cancer Society)	3/22-6/21/13
Halsey Academy	Junior Class	School Talent Show Ticket Sales	5/24/13

Hamilton Academy	Yearbook Club	Yearbook Senior Baby Ads	3/22-4/15/13
Hamilton Academy	Student Government	Pennies for Patients (Leukemia & Lymphoma Society)	3/25-4/25/13
Hamilton Academy	Students/Staff	Sports Jersey Day	3/28/13
Hamilton Academy	Student Government	Sale of Fruit Smoothies	4/1-6/17/13 (Every Monday)
Hamilton Academy	Students/Staff	Food Drive (Christ Fellowship Shepherd's Program)	4/8-6/26/13
Hamilton Academy	Student Government	Fashion Show Ticket & Refreshment Sale	4/11/13
Hamilton Academy	Students/Staff	College Shirt/Sweatshirt Day	4/19/13
Hamilton Academy	Yearbook Club	Yearbook Sale	4/22-6/16/13
Hamilton Academy	Student Government	Movie Night: "Chronicle"	4/24/13
Hamilton Academy	Senior Class	School Talent Show	Rain Date: 4/26/13 4/25/13
Hamilton Academy	Junior Class	Dancing with the Staff/Refreshments	4/30/13
Hamilton Academy	Yearbook Club	Yearbook Signing Party/Refreshments	5/3-6/21/13 (Every Friday)
Hamilton Academy	Students/Staff	NBA Jersey Day	5/17/13
Hamilton Academy	Dance Classes	Ticket Sales for Spring Dance Showcase	5/29-30/13
Hamilton Academy	Students/Staff	Crazy Sock Day	6/14/13
High Schools	Class of 2013	Senior Prom Bid Sales	3/22-5/1/13

Elizabeth, N.J., March 21, 2013

The Superintendent of Schools recommends approval of the following:

A. AUTHORIZATION TO PAY VOUCHERS

1.	Altec Building Systems, Corp. (Data Center Alterations – Mitchell Building)		53,367.30
2. *	Archdiocese of Newark (Annual Rental – Immaculate Heart of Mary & Saint Patrick School)		1,300,000.00
3.	Arsenault, Whipple, Farmer, Fassett & Azzarello, LLP (Legal Services)		950.00
4.	ASG & L (Legal Services)		1,934.31
5. *	Baldisserotto, P.E., Steven T. (Boiler Air Permits – Various Schools)		4,389.00
6.	Centralpack Engineering Corporation (Renovations HVAC System – School No. 16) (Renovations HVAC System – Hamilton Academy)	21,086.80 36,554.71	57,641.51
7.	CV Electrical Contractors, Inc. (Renovations – Cafeteria and Media Center – School No. 12)		16,279.20
8.	D’Alessio, Jr., Michael (Legal Services)		160.00
9.	Desesa Engineering Co., Inc. (Renovations HVAC System – School No. 15)		8,520.00
10. *	Elizabethport Presbyterian Center (Pre-School Students Tuition – March 2013)		92,254.60
11.	Environcon, L.L.C. (HVAC Upgrade – School No. 5 Annex B) (HVAC Upgrade – Edison Academy) (HVAC Upgrade – School No. 2)	45,436.52 26,402.59 42,242.70	114,081.81
12.	Glazer, & Kamel Attorneys at Law (Legal Services)		11,806.06
13.	GPC, Inc. (Renovations – Edison Academy Lab & Shop)		28,190.54
14. *	Italian Teachers Association of New Jersey (Registration Fees – IIANJ Competition – EHS)		500.00
15.	Jasinski (Legal Services)		5,929.25
16. *	Jefferson Park Day Care Center (Pre-School Students Tuition – March 2013)		105,550.21
17.	LAN Associates (HVAC System – School No. 14)		4,983.00
18. *	Leaguers, Inc. (Pre-School Students Tuition – March 2013)		126,737.30

19. *	Little School House (Pre-School Students Tuition – March 2013)		124,300.70
20.	Machado Law Group, LLC (Legal Services)		13,956.50
21. *	New Hope Early Childhood Center (Pre-School Students Tuition – March 2013)		131,550.00
22. *	NJAJE (State Jazz Festival Registration – EHS)		450.00
23.	Nuenergen, LLC (Energy Consulting Services – September 2012/February 2013)		12,460.00
24.	Post & Kelly Electric Co., Inc. (Electrical Service Upgrade – School No. 14)		25,118.00
25.	Renaissance Associates, LTD (Professional Services)		14,538.26
26.	Robinson Aerial Survey's, Inc. (Engineering Services HVAC – School Nos. 2, 5B and Edison Academy)		1,595.00
27.	RML Construction, Inc. (Interior Painting Project A – School Nos. 4, 6 and 19) (Interior Painting Project B – School Nos. 13, 14, 16 & Hamilton)	7,027.80 5,400.00	12,427.80
28.	Signal Electric (Fire Alarm Upgrade – Various Schools)		67,720.00
29.	Schwartz, Simon, Edelstein & Celso, LLC (Legal Services)		9980.00
30.	Singer Equipment Company (Replacement of Walk-in Freezer – Warehouse)		140,350.00
31.	Strunk Albert Engineering (HVAC Upgrade – Edison Academy Weight Room)		6,500.00
32.	Systems Electronics (Fire Alarm Upgrade – Various Locations) (Fire Alarm Upgrade – Various Locations Phase 3)	36,243.00 26,201.00	62,444.00
33. *	Treasurer, State of New Jersey (Biennial Certification Review – School No. 28) (DOE Application Submission Fee – School No. 26) (Permit Application – School No. 28) (NJDEP Air Quality Permitting Program – School No. 25) (NJDEP Air Quality Permitting Program – Various Schools)	375.00 1,827.36 600.00 410.00 14,055.00	17,267.36
34.	USA Architects (Professional Services – Mitchell Bldg., Parker Bldg. & Imperial Bldg.) (Professional Services – School No. 26 Locker Room Addition) (Professional Services – School No. 8 and Annex Phase 1) (Professional Services – EHS (U) Elevator Addition) (Professional Services – EHS (L) Elevator Addition) (Professional Services – Hamilton Academy Elevator Addition) (Survey & Documentation Security & Safety Plan - District Wide) (Renovation of Server Room – Mitchell Building) (Signage Phototypes – District Wide)	4,593.51 20,850.00 343.51 2,363.75 10,625.00 9,864.74 3,875.00 3,024.49 1,850.00	57,390.00

35.	Whitman (Professional Services – School Nos. 28 & 52) (Professional Services – School Nos. 28 & 52)	3,315.50 448.40	3,763.90
36. *	Wonder World (Pre-School Students Tuition – March 2013)		92,205.34

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**B. AUTHORIZATION TO TRANSFER FUNDS
TO THE WORKERS' COMPENSATION ACCOUNT**

Recommended: That the School Business Administrator/Board Secretary be authorized to transfer \$211,862.00 to the Workers' Compensation Account.

TRANSFER OF FUNDS 2012-2013

<u>Account Number</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Amount</u>
FROM:		
11-000-100-562-94-00	Tuition Public School	(50,000.00)
11-000-100-566-94-00-00	Tuition to Private School	(66,650.00)
11-000-100-566-94-00-44	Tuition to Private School	(358,392.00)
11-000-218-610-94-00-63	Testing - Supplies	(234,265.00)
11-000-221-320-94-00-60	Purchased Professional	(750.00)
11-000-230-104-00-00	Administrative Salary	(3,020.00)
11-000-230-610-94-00-55	Office Supply	(300.00)
11-000-230-890-94-00-53	Miscellaneous Expense	(1,650.00)
11-000-251-500-94-00	Advertisement	(3,570.00)
11-000-252-330-94-41-40	Purchased Professional	(78,436.00)
11-000-252-420-82-41-40	Technology Maintenance	(13,371.00)
11-000-252-890-94-41-40	Misc. Expense-Data Processing	(75,000.00)
11-000-260-520-94-00-02	Liability Insurance	(300,000.00)
11-000-260-610-81-00	Supply	(1,300.00)
11-000-270-109-00-81	Bus Drivers/Bus Attendants	(40,000.00)
11-000-270-161-00-00	Special Ed. Transportation	(100,000.00)
11-000-270-390-95-00	Purchased Technical Service	(10,000.00)
11-000-270-518-81-00	Contracted Service	(60,748.00)
11-000-291-250-94-00	Unemployment	(1,000,000.00)
11-120-100-101-00-79	Teacher Supply (1-5)	(17,000.00)
11-120-100-101-00-82-44	Teacher Salary	(249,539.00)
11-140-100-101-00-00-44	Teacher Salary	(73,500.00)
11-190-100-420-00-41-40	Cleaning, repair, & Maintenance	(80,550.00)
11-190-100-610-00-00-60	Materials and Supplies	(10,000.00)
11-190-100-610-00-00-60	Material & Supply	(84,000.00)
11-421-100-101-00-86-64	Teacher Salary	(68,000.00)
11-422-213-104-00-81-67	Nurse Summer	(2,200.00)
		(2,982,241.00)
TO:		
11-000-100-565-94-00-44	Tuition Private School	358,392.00
11-000-213-320-94-00-60	504 Related Services	116,650.00
11-000-217-320-94-00-60	Related Services	75,000.00
11-000-218-320-94-00-63	Purchase Professional Service	234,265.00
11-000-219-610-94-00-60	Child Study Team	1,300.00
11-000-221-610-94-00-60	Office Supply	750.00
11-000-230-320-94-00-53	Purchased Professional	1,650.00
11-000-230-890-94-00-55	Miscellaneous	3,320.00

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11-000-251-610-94-00-48	Materials and Supplies	3,570.00
11-000-252-610-94-41-40	Technology Supply	127,621.00
11-000-260-440-94-00	Lease/Purchase	14,964.00
11-000-260-441-94-00	Rentals	1,300,000.00
11-000-260-610-95-00	Supply	338.00
11-000-261-420-08-00-00	School Facilities	2,000.00
11-000-261-420-08-00-00	School Facilities	35,239.00
11-000-266-110-00-80	Security - After School	66,000.00
11-000-270-511-95-00	Contracted Services	30,000.00
11-000-270-514-95-00	Contracted Services	180,748.00
11-110-100-101-00-79	Teacher Salary	5,000.00
11-120-100-101-00-79	Teacher Salary	45,000.00
11-130-100-101-00-16-67	Summer Art Institute	2,200.00
11-140-100-101-00-79	Teacher Salary	5,000.00
11-190-100-106-00-79	Assistants Salaries	9,200.00
11-190-100-420-94-00-61	Repair and Maintenance	10,000.00
11-190-100-610-00-00-44	Materials and Supply	65,150.00
11-190-100-610-94-41-40	Teaching Supply	40,740.00
11-201-100-610-00-00-60	Material & Supply	9,000.00
11-421-100-101-00-83	Teacher Salary	205,400.00
11-421-100-106-00-83	Assistants Salaries	2,500.00
11-421-200-100-12-85	Admin Salaries	1,000.00
11-421-213-104-00-83	Teacher Salary	12,500.00
11-421-217-106-00-85	Substitutes Assistants	4,000.00
11-421-240-103-00-85	Admin - After School	8,200.00
11-421-240-105-00-88	Secretary - After School	3,000.00
11-421-266-110-00-88	Security - After School	4,000.00

2,983,697.00

FROM:

12-000-260-732-95-00	Equipment	(15,302.00)
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(15,302.00)

TO:

12-000-252-732-94-41-40	Non Instructional Equipment	4,598.00
12-000-260-732-95-00	Equipment	9,248.00

13,846.00

Total Fund 11

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FROM:

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15-000-223-320-27-00	Instr. Staff Training	(1,200.00)
15-000-240-420-87-00	School Admin. Cleaning, repair	(5,000.00)
15-000-240-600-03-00	School Admin. Supply	(348.00)
15-000-240-600-12-00	School Admin. Supply	(100.00)
15-000-240-600-16-00	School Admin. Supply	(100.00)
15-000-240-600-27-00	Supplies and Materials	(900.00)
15-000-270-512-01-00	Field Trip Transportation	(1,650.00)
15-000-270-512-20-00	Field Trip Transportation	(1,200.00)
15-120-100-101-01-00	Teacher Salary	(14,900.00)
15-120-100-101-02-00	Teacher Salary	(17,000.00)
15-120-100-101-03-00	Teacher Salary	(9,500.00)
15-120-100-101-05-00	Teacher Salary (1-5)	(10,600.00)
15-120-100-101-06-00	Teachers Salaries	(30,805.00)
15-120-100-101-07-00-20	Teacher Salary	(8,000.00)
15-120-100-101-12-00	Teacher Salary (1-5)	(10,260.00)
15-120-100-101-13-00	Teacher Salary	(6,000.00)
15-120-100-101-16-00	Teacher Salary	(11,500.00)
15-120-100-101-18-00	Teacher Salary	(19,000.00)
15-120-100-101-19-00-20	Teacher Salary	(2,000.00)
15-120-100-101-21-00	Teacher Salary	(1,500.00)
15-120-100-101-27-00	Teacher Salary	(11,000.00)
15-120-100-101-29-00	Teacher Salary	(2,000.00)
15-140-100-101-88-00	Teacher Salary	(15,000.00)
15-140-100-731-89-12-00	nstructional Equipment	(2,700.00)
15-190-100-320-06-00	Purchased Professional	(1,300.00)
15-190-100-320-18-00	Purchase professional	(3,500.00)
15-190-100-320-89-00	Reg. Instruction	(8,900.00)
15-190-100-610-23-00	Instructional Supply	(150.00)
15-190-100-610-26-00	Instructional Supply	(500.00)
15-190-100-610-84-00	Instructional Supply	(3,500.00)
15-190-100-640-18-00	Textbooks	(300.00)
15-190-100-640-30-00	Textbooks	(7,500.00)
15-190-100-640-87-12-00	Textbooks	(5,000.00)
15-190-100-640-89-19-00	Textbooks	(1,400.00)
15-209-100-640-05-00	Behavioral Disabilities	(2,500.00)
15-213-100-610-16-00	Resource Room	(100.00)
15-244-100-610-06-00	ESL in Class Support	(2,000.00)
15-401-100-730-89-00	School sponsored co-curricular	(1,500.00)

(220,413.00)

TO:

15-000-211-100-02-00-25	Social Workers Salaries	10,000.00
15-000-213-100-18-00	Nurse Salaries	10,000.00

Supplementary Finance Report
Transfer of Funds

Elizabeth, New Jersey
March 21, 2013

15-000-223-320-03-00	Instructional Staff	348.00
15-000-240-800-27-00	Miscellaneous	300.00
15-000-260-110-03-80	Security Guard - After School	1,500.00
15-000-260-110-27-80	Security Guard Over Time	1,000.00
15-000-270-512-84-00	Field Trip Transportation	3,500.00
15-000-270-512-87-00	Field Trip Transportation	5,000.00
15-130-100-101-29-00	Teacher Salary	2,000.00
15-190-100-610-01-00-61	Instructional Supply	14,900.00
15-190-100-610-02-00-61	Instructional Supply	7,000.00
15-190-100-610-03-00-61	Instructional Supply	8,000.00
15-190-100-610-05-00	Instructional Supply	13,100.00
15-190-100-610-06-00	Instructional Supply	11,605.00
15-190-100-610-07-00-61	Instructional Supply	8,000.00
15-190-100-610-12-00-61	Instructional Supply	10,360.00
15-190-100-610-13-00-61	Instructional Supply	6,000.00
15-190-100-610-16-00-61	Instructional Supply	11,400.00
15-190-100-610-18-00-00	Instructional Supply	12,800.00
15-190-100-610-19-00-61	Instructional Supply	2,000.00
15-190-100-610-21-00-61	Instructional Supply	1,500.00
15-190-100-610-27-00-61	Instructional Supply	10,000.00
15-190-100-610-30-00	Instructional Supply	7,500.00
15-190-100-610-89-16-00	Instructinal Supply	2,100.00
15-190-100-800-01-00	Miscellaneous	1,650.00
15-190-100-800-20-00	Miscellaneous	1,200.00
15-190-100-800-23-00	Miscellaneous	150.00
15-190-100-800-26-00	Miscellaneous	500.00
15-190-100-800-27-00	Misc.	1,800.00
15-190-100-800-87-10-00	Misc.	5,000.00
15-204-100-610-06-00	LLD Supply	22,500.00
15-209-100-610-16-00	Materials and Supply	300.00
15-244-100-101-88-00	Esl In Class Support - Salaries	15,000.00
15-401-100-890-89-06	School Sponsored Co-curricular	12,400.00

220,413.00

Total Fund 15

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Elizabeth, N.J., March 21, 2013

BOARD OF EDUCATION:

The Superintendent of Schools recommends approval of the following:

CONTRACT WITH AMERICAN RED CROSS

As recommended by Jennifer Barrett, Assistant Superintendent for Schools, that the Elizabeth Board of Education enter into contract with American Red Cross Penn/Jersey Blood Region, Philadelphia, PA, to provide Red Cross Blood Drives for the High School Academies, at Dunn Sports Center on March 22, 2013, Alexander Hamilton Preparatory Academy on April 22, 2013, and Admiral William F. Halsey, Jr., Academy of Finance on April 25, 2013, set-up 5:30 a.m., student participation 7:30 a.m. to 1:23 p.m. there is no cost to the Board, in accordance with N.J.S.A.18A:18A-3.

CONTRACT WITH NEWARK BOYS CHOIR

As recommended by, Arlene Campbell, Principal of Ronald Reagan Academy School No. 30, that the Elizabeth Board of Education enter into contract with Newark Boys Choir, Newark, NJ, to conduct a Black History Concert on March 25, 2013 at 10:00 a.m., cost of \$1,800.00 to be paid for by the students activity fund, there is no cost to the Board, in accordance with N.J.S.A. 18A:18A-3.

CONTRACT WITH BARBARA McGRATH

As recommended by, Arlene Campbell, Principal of Ronald Reagan Academy School No. 30, that the Elizabeth Board of Education enter into contract with Barbara McGrath, Natick, MA, to conduct a presentation to speak with students about the writing process and how it applies to her work, on April 15, 2013, cost of \$800.00 to be paid for by school PTO, there is no cost to the Board, in accordance with N.J.S.A. 18A:18A-3.

CONTRACT WITH STAFF DEVELOPMENT

As recommended by, Jennifer Cedeno, Principal of Terence C. Reilly School No. 7, that the Elizabeth Board of Education enter into contract with Staff Development Workshops, Lakewood, NJ, to conduct a workshop entitled "Writing Strategies and Common Core" on October 5, 2012 from 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m., as an Extraordinary Unspecifiable Service (EUS), in an amount not to exceed \$1,500.00, in accordance with N.J.S.A. 18A:18A-(5a)2.

CONTRACT WITH ROBERT SNEDDON

As recommended by, Jennifer Cedeno, Principal of Terence C. Reilly School No. 7, that the Elizabeth Board of Education enter into contract with Robert Sneddon, Jr., Rahway, NJ, to provide a one-hour session and discussion to 4th thru 8th grade band and orchestra students on bagpipes and Irish/Scottish culture, in honor of music in our schools month and Saint Patrick's Day, on March 15, 2013 from 2:15 p.m. till 3:15 p.m., there is no cost to the Board, in accordance with of N.J.S.A. 18A:18A-3.

CONTRACT WITH GEORGE STREET PLAYHOUSE

As recommended by, Jennifer Cedeno, Principal of Terence C. Reilly School No. 7, that the Elizabeth Board of Education enter into contract with George Street Playhouse, New Brunswick, NJ, to conduct a performance entitled "Austin The Unstoppable – Reigning Master of the X-Box and Junk Food Junkie," on April 3, 2013 from 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m., amount of \$200.00 to be paid for by the Student Activity Fund, there is no cost to the Board, in accordance with N.J.S.A. 18A:18A-3.

CONTRACT WITH DETAIL ASSOCIATES

As recommended by Luis Couto, Director of Plant, Property and Equipment, that the Elizabeth Board of Education enter into contract with Detail Associates, Englewood, NJ, for district wide six month asbestos hazard emergency response act (AHERA) re-inspection, as a professional service, in an amount not to exceed \$7,500.00, in accordance with N.J.S.A.18A:18A-5a(1).

As recommended by Luis Couto, Director of Plant, Property and Equipment, that the Elizabeth Board of Education enter into contract with Detail Associates, Englewood, NJ, for operations and management (O&M) for project associated with the chiller located in the Mitchell Building, as a professional service, in an amount not to exceed \$4,950.00, in accordance with N.J.S.A.18A:18A-5a(1).

As recommended by Luis Couto, Director of Plant, Property and Equipment, that the Elizabeth Board of Education enter into contract with Detail Associates, Englewood, NJ, for operations and management (O&M) for project associated with the 2nd floor computer room located in the Mitchell Building, as a professional service, in an amount not to exceed \$8,500.00, in accordance with N.J.S.A.18A:18A-5a(1).

CONTRACT WITH USA ARCHITECTS

As recommended by Luis Couto, Director of Plant, Property and Equipment, that the Elizabeth Board of Education enter into contract with USA Architects, Somerville, NJ, for services associated for the feasibility study at the media center and courtyard at George Washington School No. 1 (B4103), as a professional service, in an amount not to exceed \$3,500.00, plus reimbursables, in accordance with N.J.S.A.18A:18A-5a(1).

As recommended by Luis Couto, Director of Plant, Property and Equipment, that the Elizabeth Board of Education enter into contract with USA Architects, Somerville, NJ, for services associated for the Williams Field Press Box (B4102), as a professional service, in an amount not to exceed \$5,500.00, plus reimbursables, in accordance with N.J.S.A.18A:18A-5a(1).

CONTRACT WITH CIFELLI & SON GENERAL CONSTRUCTION

As recommended by Luis Couto, Director of Plant, Property and Equipment, that the Elizabeth Board of Education enter into contract with Cifelli & Son General Construction, Nutley, NJ, for concrete repairs at various district locations, for the 2012-2013 school year, the lowest responsible bidder, in an amount not to exceed \$93,500.00, in accordance with N.J.S.A.18A:18A-4a.

Cifelli & Son Construction, Nutley, NJ	\$ 93,500.00
Diamond Construction, Brick, NJ	\$ 98,750.00
Bello Grande Contracting, Hasbrouck Heights, NJ	\$ 99,700.00
P. A. Contracting, Kearny, NJ	\$108,375.00
Advance Contracting, Hackensack, NJ	\$121,250.00
T. Fiotakis Construction, Edison, NJ	\$143,750.00
Cypreco Industries, Neptune, NJ	\$194,500.00
RVT Construction, Passaic, NJ	\$213,750.00
Hear Construction, South Richmond Hill, NY	\$257,500.00
*M. Sky Construction, Lake, Hopatcong, NJ	\$ 84,500.00
*D & L Paving, Nutley, NJ	\$152,500.00

*Note: bid not in order

Specifications posted on district web-site and sent to: Cedar Contracting, Hillside, NJ – Penalozza-Calderone Asphalt, Somerset, NJ – Salazar & Associates, Union, NJ - Covino & Sons Construction, Rochelle Park, NJ. Tec-Con Contractors, East Orange, NJ – W. D. Snyder, Kenilworth, NJ – MT General Contractors, Cliffside Park, NJ – Service Point, New York, NY – A & A Curbing - FTS Landscaping, Raritan, NJ.

CONTRACT WITH FRENCH & PARRELLO

As recommended by Luis Couto, Director of Plant, Property and Equipment, that the Elizabeth Board of Education enter into contract with French & Parrello, Wall, NJ, to provide site and drainage engineering services for the locker room renovation at Dr. Orlando Edreira Academy School No. 26 (B4117), as a professional service, in an amount not to exceed \$10,000.00, plus reimbursables, in accordance with N.J.S.A.18A:18A-5a(1).

CONTRACT WITH DIAMOND CONSTRUCTION

As recommended by Luis Couto, Director of Plant, Property and Equipment, that the Elizabeth Board of Education enter into contract with Diamond Construction, Brick, NJ, for asphalt repairs at various district locations, for the 2012-2013 school year, the lowest responsible bidder, in an amount not to exceed \$50,300.00, plus an allowance of \$5,000.00, in accordance with N.J.S.A.18A:18A-4a.

Diamond Construction, Brick, NJ	\$ 50,300.00
Protective Paving, Milltown, NJ	\$ 76,350.00
Crossroads Pavement Maintenance, Nutley, NJ	\$ 99,000.00
Mark Paving, Woodbridge, NJ	\$112,480.00
*D & L Paving, Nutley, NJ	\$116,000.00
Advance Contracting, Hackensack, NJ	\$124,050.00
Cypreco Industries, Neptune, NJ	\$405,000.00

*Note: bid not in order

Specifications posted on district web-site and sent to: Pav-Con Construction, Orange, NJ –
Penaloza-Calderone Asphalt, Somerset, NJ – Covino & Sons Construction, Rochelle Park, NJ.

CONTRACT WITH W.D. SNYDER

As recommended by Luis Couto, Director of Plant, Property and Equipment, that the Elizabeth Board of Education enter into contract with W.D. Snyder, Kenilworth, NJ, for the elevator replacement at Alexander Hamilton Preparatory Academy, the lowest responsible bidder, in an amount not to exceed \$532,000.00, in accordance with N.J.S.A.18A:18A-4a.

W. D. Snyder, Kenilworth, NJ	\$532,000.00
Cypreco Industries, Neptune, NJ	\$563,823.00
Paley Construction, Piscataway, NJ	\$576,675.00

Specifications posted on district web-site.

REJECT BIDS FOR ELEVATOR REPLACEMENT AT ELIZABETH HIGH SCHOOL

As recommended by Luis Couto, Director of Plant, Property and Equipment, that the Elizabeth Board of Education reject all bid submitted for the replacement of the elevator at Elizabeth High School, and request permission to re-advertise, in accordance with N.J.S.A.18A:18A-22b.

CONTRACT WITH STRUNK-ALBERT ENGINEERING

As recommended by Luis Couto, Director of Plant, Property and Equipment, that the Elizabeth Board of Education enter into contract with Strunk-Albert Engineering, East Stroudsburg, PA, to provide services associated for the fire alarm panel replacement at various locations (B4073), as a professional service, in an amount not to exceed \$9,300.00, plus reimbursables, in accordance with N.J.S.A.18A:18A-5a(1).

As recommended by Luis Couto, Director of Plant, Property and Equipment, that the Elizabeth Board of Education enter into contract with Strunk-Albert Engineering, East Stroudsburg, PA, to provide services associated for the replacement of the water service piping at Terence C. Reilly School No. 7, (B4120), as a professional service, in an amount not to exceed \$5,300.00, plus reimbursables, in accordance with N.J.S.A.18A:18A-5a(1).

As recommended by Luis Couto, Director of Plant, Property and Equipment, that the Elizabeth Board of Education enter into contract with Strunk-Albert Engineering, East Stroudsburg, PA, to provide services associated for the replacement of the gymnasium lighting at Benjamin Franklin School No. 13, (B4121), as a professional service, in an amount not to exceed \$10,200.00, plus reimbursables, in accordance with N.J.S.A.18A:18A-5a(1).

As recommended by Luis Couto, Director of Plant, Property and Equipment, that the Elizabeth Board of Education enter into contract with Strunk-Albert Engineering, East Stroudsburg, PA, to provide services associated for the security system upgrades at various locations (B4122), as a professional service, in an amount not to exceed \$9,800.00, plus reimbursables, in accordance with N.J.S.A.18A:18A-5a(1).

CONTRACT WITH FR. HANK HILTON

As recommended by Michael Cummings, Principal of Elizabeth High School, that the Elizabeth Board of Education enter into contract with Fr. Hank Hilton, Ph.D., Atlantic Highlands, NJ, to provide a mock college lecture on economics at the AP symposium on March 23, 2012 at Elizabeth High School, there is no cost to the Board, in accordance with N.J.S.A.18A:18A-3.

CONTRACT WITH FRANK PASQUAL, PROFESSOR OF LAW

As recommended by Michael Cummings, Principal of Elizabeth High School, that the Elizabeth Board of Education enter into contract with Frank Pasqual, Professor of Law, Newark, NJ, to provide a mock college lecture on law, at the AP symposium on March 23, 2012 at Elizabeth High School, there is no cost to the Board, in accordance with N.J.S.A.18A:18A-3.

CONTRACT WITH DR. JAMES R. MILLER

As recommended by Michael Cummings, Principal of Elizabeth High School, that the Elizabeth Board of Education enter into contract with Dr. James R. Miller, Hillsborough, NJ, to conduct a workshop on climate change: science, impacts and policy, at the AP symposium on March 23, 2012 at Elizabeth High School, there is no cost to the Board, in accordance with N.J.S.A.18A:18A-3.

CONTRACT WITH DR. RAYMOND VIGLIONE

As recommended by Michael Cummings, Principal of Elizabeth High School, that the Elizabeth Board of Education enter into contract with Dr. Raymond Viglione, Union, NJ, to provide a workshop entitled "Proofs without Words," at the AP symposium on March 23, 2012 at Elizabeth High School, there is no cost to the Board, in accordance with N.J.S.A.18A:18A-3.

CONTRACT WITH NEW JERSEY COURTS

As recommended by Michael Cummings, Principal of Elizabeth High School, that the Elizabeth Board of Education enter into contract with New Jersey Courts, Trenton, NJ, for Bobby E. Battle, Chief Judiciary EEO Officer present a lecture to Elizabeth High School students on careers in judiciary, on April 17, 2013, there is no cost to the Board, in accordance with N.J.S.A.18A:18A-3.

CONTRACT WITH DRAGADOS USA

As recommended by Michael Cummings, Principal of Elizabeth High School, that the Elizabeth Board of Education enter into contract with Dragados USA, Orange, NJ, for Dr. William W. Miller, III conduct a presentation about the Goethals Bridge replacement project, project will be awarded by the Port Authority of New York & New Jersey to replace the current bridge without closing the bridge during the construction project, on March 23, 2013 from 9:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., there is no cost to the Board, in accordance with N.J.S.A.18A:18A-3.

AMEND CONTRACT WITH ANACONDA SPORTS

As recommended by Judy Finch-Johnson, Director of Athletics, that the Elizabeth Board of Education amend contract with, Anaconda Sports, Lake Katrine, NY, to reflect, Hat World d/b/a Anaconda Sports, for the purchase of Athletic Equipment and Supplies the lowest responsible bidders, in a total amount not to exceed \$40,450.69, in accordance with, N.J.S.A. 18A:18A-4a.

Note: original approval at the 6/28/12 Board meeting

CONTRACT WITH LEARNING SCIENCES INTERNATIONAL

As recommended by Rachel Goldberg, Director of Staff Development, that the Elizabeth Board of Education enter into contract with Learning Sciences International, Blairsville, PA, to renew licenses for Danielson Framework for teachers, Danielson framework for specialists, and Marzano leadership evaluation model, with reference library, in an amount not to exceed \$70,000.00, in accordance with N.J.S.A.18A:18A-5a(19).

CONTRACT WITH STAFF DEVELOPMENT WORKSHOPS

As recommended by Rachel Goldberg, Director of Staff Development, that the Elizabeth Board of Education enter into contract with Staff Development Workshops, Lakewood, NJ, to conduct parent involvement workshops hosted by parent liaisons, at various locations, March 7, 8, 18, 2013, April 12, 2013 and May 2, 13, 16, 2013, as an Extraordinary Unspecifiable Service (EUS), in an amount not to exceed \$5,600.00, in accordance with N.J.S.A.18A:18A-5a(2).

As recommended by Rachel Goldberg, Director of Staff Development, that the Elizabeth Board of Education enter into contract with Staff Development Workshops, Lakewood, NJ, to conduct a professional development workshop for staff of Our Lady of Guadalupe Academy, Elizabeth, entitled "Using Inter-Active Read-Aloud," March 15, 2013, as an Extraordinary Unspecifiable Service (EUS), in an amount not to exceed \$1,000.00, in accordance with N.J.S.A.18A:18A-5a(2).

As recommended by Rachel Goldberg, Director of Staff Development, that the Elizabeth Board of Education enter into contract with Staff Development Workshops, Lakewood, NJ, to present two (2) job related workshops entitled "Questioning Techniques Incorporating Bloom's," for staff of Toussaint L'Ouverture-Marquis de Lafayette School No. 6, on April 8 & 17, 2013, from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m., as an Extraordinary Unspecifiable Service (EUS), in an amount not to exceed \$3,000.00, in accordance with N.J.S.A.18A:18A-5A(2).

As recommended by Rachel Goldberg, Director of Staff Development, that the Elizabeth Board of Education enter into contract with Staff Development Workshops, Lakewood, NJ, to present two (2) on-site, job-embedded workshops entitled "Classroom Management Strategies", for staff of Thomas Jefferson Arts Academy, on March 20 & 22, 2013, from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m., as an Extraordinary Unspecifiable Service (EUS), in an amount not to exceed 3,000.00, in accordance with N.J.S.A.18A:18A-5A(2).

As recommended by Rachel Goldberg, Director of Staff Development, that the Elizabeth Board of Education enter into contract with Staff Development Workshops, Lakewood, NJ, to present two (2) job-embedded training sessions entitled "Enhancing Communication Skills," for staff of George Washington School No. 1, on March 26, & 27, 2013, from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m., as an Extraordinary Unspecifiable Service (EUS), in an amount not to exceed \$3,000.00, in accordance with N.J.S.A.18A:18A-5A(2).

As recommended by Rachel Goldberg, Director of Staff Development, that the Elizabeth Board of Education enter into contract with Staff Development Workshops, Lakewood, NJ, to conduct two (2) on-site, job-embedded writing workshops entitled "The Writing Process Incorporating The Common Core State Standards," for staff at Robert Morris School No.18, April 12, 2013 and April 19, 2013, 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m., as an Extraordinary Unspecifiable Service (EUS), in an amount not to exceed \$3,000.00, in accordance with N.J.S.A.18A:18A-5a(2).

As recommended by Rachel Goldberg, Director of Staff Development, that the Elizabeth Board of Education enter into contract with Staff Development Workshops, Lakewood, NJ, to conduct two (2) on-site job embedded workshops entitled "The Writing Process Incorporating the Common Core State Standards," for staff at Madison Monroe School No 16, May 9, 2013 and May 14, 2013, 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m., as an Extraordinary Unspecifiable Service (EUS), in an amount not to exceed \$3,000.00, in accordance with N.J.S.A.18A:18A-5A(2).

As recommended by Rachel Goldberg, Director of Staff Development, that the Elizabeth Board of Education enter into contract with Staff Development Workshops, Lakewood, NJ, to conduct on-site, job-embedded workshops for Special Education Teachers, who will revise curriculum to incorporate the CCSS into Mathematics and Language Arts Literacy as per the Race to the Top Grant, March 22, 25, 26, 27, 2013 from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m., as an Extraordinary Unspecifiable Service (EUS), in an amount not to exceed \$6,000.00, in accordance with N.J.S.A.18A:18A-5A(2).

CONTRACT WITH STEPHEN J. WILLIAMS

As recommended by Rachel Goldberg, Director of Staff Development, that the Elizabeth Board of Education enter into contract with Stephen J. Williams, Middletown, NJ, to provide two (2) professional development workshops for staff of Our Lady of Guadalupe Academy, Elizabeth, NJ, on October 17, 2012 and October 24, 2012 from 4:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m., in an amount not to exceed \$500.00, in accordance with N.J.S.A.18A:18A-3.

CONTRACT WITH VIP COMMUNITY SERVICES

As recommended by Rachel Goldberg, Director of Staff Development, that the Elizabeth Board of Education enter into contract with VIP Community Services, Blackwood NJ, to provide nineteen (19) parent workshops hosted by school-based Parent Liaisons, March 25, 2013 through June 30, 2013, at various district schools, in an amount not to exceed \$15,200.00, in accordance with N.J.S.A.18A:18A-3.

CONTRACT WITH DJ PATRICIO PALTIN

As recommended by Philip Gomez, Principal of Elmora School No. 12, that the Elizabeth Board of Education enter into contract with DJ Patricio Paltin, Elizabeth, NJ, to provide disc jockey services for the 6th – 8th grade achievers dance on March 28, 2013 from 1:30 p.m. to 3:30 p.m., the cost of \$100.00 will be paid by the school's PTO, there is no cost to the Board, in accordance with N.J.S.A.18A:18A-3.

CONTRACT WITH DJ PATRICIO PALTIN

As recommended by Philip Gomez, Principal of Elmora School No. 12, that the Elizabeth Board of Education enter into contract with DJ Patricio Paltin, Elizabeth, NJ, to provide disc jockey services for a Multicultural Day School on Friday May 24, 2013 from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m., the cost of \$100.00 to be paid for by the school's PTO, there is no cost to the Board, in accordance with N.J.S.A.18A:18A-3.

CONTRACT WITH GEORGE McCLOSKEY, PH.D

As recommended by Dorothy Hannigan-McMullen, Director of Special Services, that the Elizabeth Board of Education enter into contract with George McCloskey, Ph.D., Sinking Spring, PA, to provide a neurological assessments for student D.H., in an amount not to exceed \$3,000.00, in accordance with N.J.S.A. 18A:18A-3.

CONTRACT WITH MAXIMUS K-12 EDUCATION

As recommended by Dorothy Hannigan-McMullen, Director of Special Services, that the Elizabeth Public Schools enter into contract with Maximus K-12 Education, Eatontown, NJ, to provide support and maintenance for licensed TIENET Special Education software program, during the 2012-2013 school year, in an amount not to exceed \$38,701.00, in accordance with N.J.S.A. 18A:18A-5a(19).

CONTRACT WITH TRINITAS REGIONAL MEDICAL CENTER

As recommended by Dorothy Hannigan-McMullen, Director of Special Services, that the Elizabeth Board of Education enter into contract with Trinitas Regional Medical Center, Elizabeth, NJ, to conduct a psychiatric evaluation for student A. C. during the 2012-2013 school year, in an amount not to exceed \$300.00, in accordance with N.J.S.A.18A:18A-3.

CONTRACT WITH MIDDLESEX REGIONAL EDUCATIONAL SERVICES COMMISSION

As recommended by Dorothy Hannigan-McMullen, Director of Special Services, that the Elizabeth Board of Education enter into contract with Middlesex Regional Educational Services Commission, Piscataway, NJ, to provide bedside instruction for students placed in their facilities for the 2012-2013 school year, in an amount not to exceed \$5,000.00, in accordance with N.J.S.A.18A:18A-3.

CONTRACT WITH PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION SERVICES

As recommended by Dorothy Hannigan-McMullen, Director of Special Services, that the Elizabeth Board of Education enter into contract with Professional Education Services, Glassboro, NJ, to provide educational instruction services for student C.G. while attending High Focus Center, during the 2012-2013 school year, in an amount not to exceed \$10,000.00, in accordance with N.J.S.A.18A:18A-3.

CONTRACT WITH JENNIFER SKARA

As recommended by, Dorothy Hannigan-McMullen, Director of Special Services, that the Elizabeth Board of Education enter into contract with Jennifer Skara, Fanwood, NJ, to provide therapy services for student N.C., as an Out-of-District Physical Therapist at the Calais School during the 2011-2012 school year, in an amount not to exceed \$3,640.00, in accordance with N.J.S.A. 18A:18A-3.

CONTRACT WITH LEARNING ALLY

As recommended by, Dorothy Hannigan-McMullen, Director of Special Services, that the Elizabeth Board of Education enter into contract with Learning Ally, Princeton, NJ, to provide the district with textbooks on CD rom that will support the district's curriculum for students with a reading disability, there is no cost to the Board, in accordance with N.J.S.A. 18A:18A-3.

CONTRACT WITH SCHOLASTIC

As recommended by, Dorothy Hannigan-McMullen, Director of Special Services, that the Elizabeth Board of Education enter into contract with Scholastic, Inc., New York, NY, to provide professional development workshops, system 44 software program licenses, material, classroom packages, and in-classroom support visits, for staff of Mabel G. Holmes School No. 5 and Nicholas S. LaCorte-Peterstown School No. 3, from March 1, 2013 through June 30, 2013, as an Extraordinary Unspecifiable Service (EUS), in an amount not to exceed \$181,252.75, in accordance with N.J.S.A. 18A:18A-(5a)2.

CONTRACT WITH WINSOR LEARNING

As recommended by, Dorothy Hannigan-McMullen, Director of Special Services, that the Elizabeth Board of Education enter into contract with Winsor Learning, St. Paul, MN, to provide Professional Development Training entitled "Sonday System" – Let's Play Learn Installation training, and reading intervention SS1 and SS2, various dates during the 2012-2013 school year, in an amount not to exceed \$19,250.00, in accordance with N.J.S.A. 18A:18A-3.

CONTRACT WITH INSTITUTE FOR MULTI SENSORY EDUCATION RESOURCE

As recommended by Dorothy Hannigan-McMullen, Director of Special Services, that the Elizabeth Board of Education enter into contract with Institute for Multi-Sensory Education Resource, Northville, MI, to provide a 30 hour comprehensive teacher training workshop for up to 20 participants during the 2012-2013 school year, as an Extraordinary Unspecifiable Service (EUS), in an amount not to exceed \$26,002.95, in accordance with N.J.S.A.18A:18A-3.

CONTRACT WITH UNION COUNTY PROSECUTORS OFFICE

As recommended by Berthenia Harmon-Carolina, Principal of Nicholas Murray Butler School No. 23, that the Elizabeth Board of Education enter into contract with Union County Prosecutors Office, Elizabeth, NJ, for Sgt. Michael House to conduct a presentation entitled "Cyber Bullying/Internet Crimes" to grades 6-8 students, on March 22, 2013 from 9:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m., there is no cost to the Board, in accordance with N.J.S.A.18A:18A-3.

CONTRACT WITH STAFF DEVELOPMENT WORKSHOPS

As recommended by Berthenia Harmon-Carolina, Principal of Nicholas Murray Butler School No. 23, that the Elizabeth Board of Education enter into contract with Staff Development Workshops, Lakewood, NJ, to provide two (2) professional development workshops entitled "Argumentative Writing" on April 10, 2013 and "Accountable Talk" on May 22, 2013, as an Extraordinary Unspecifiable Service (EUS), in an amount not to exceed \$3,000.00, in accordance with N.J.S.A.18A:18A-5a(2).

CONTRACT WITH CURRIER'S MAGICAL MANIA, LLC

As recommended by, Olga Hugelmeyer, Assistant Superintendent for Teaching and Learning, that the Elizabeth Board of Education enter into contract with Currier's Magical Mania, LLC, Jacobstown, NJ, to provide a face painting event for students of Egenolf Childhood Center, Elizabeth, NJ, on April 15, 2013 from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m., in an amount not to exceed \$345.00, in accordance with N.J.S.A. 18A:18A-3.

As recommended by, Olga Hugelmeyer, Assistant Superintendent for Teaching and Learning, that the Elizabeth Board of Education enter into contract with Currier's Magical Mania, LLC, Jacobstown, NJ, to provide a presentation of "Choo Choo Charlie" for students of Egenolf Early Childhood Center, on April 17, 2013 from 10:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m., in an amount not to exceed \$325.00, in accordance with N.J.S.A. 18A:18A-3.

CONTRACT WITH JUNIOR'S VENTURE – T/A LIZARD'S GUYS

As recommended by, Olga Hugelmeyer, Assistant Superintendent for Teaching and Learning, that the Elizabeth Board of Education enter into contract with Junior's Venture – T/A Lizard's Guys, Raritan, NJ, to provide a reptile presentation for students of Egenolf Early Childhood Center, on February 15, 2013 from 9:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m., in an amount not to exceed \$545.00, in accordance with N.J.S.A. 18A:18A-3.

CONTRACT WITH MYERS TIRE SUPPLY

As recommended by Robert Jaspan, Purchasing Agent, that the Elizabeth Board of Education contract with Myers Tire Supply, Akron, OH, for the purchase of automotive shop equipment, the sole lowest responsible bidder, in an amount not to exceed \$20,967.00, in accordance with N.J.S.A.18A:18A-4a.

Specifications posted on the district web-site, also sent to: Ditschman/Flemington Ford, Flemington, NJ – Auto Land Industrial, Randolph, NJ – Raphael Bus Sales, E. Brunswick, NJ – Sherwin Williams Automotive, Kenilworth, NJ – H.A. Dehart, Thorofare, NJ – Uni-Select, Moorestown, NJ – Lincoln Electric, Exton, PA.

CONTRACT WITH VALIANT NATIONAL AV SUPPLY

As recommended by Robert Jaspan, Purchasing Agent, that the Elizabeth Board of Education enter into contract with Valiant National AV Supply, Hackensack, NJ, for the purchase of lamination equipment, for use by students attending Thomas Jefferson Arts Academy, the sole lowest responsible bidder, in an amount not to exceed \$18,327.70, in accordance with N.J.S.A.18A:18A-4a.

Specifications posted on the district web-site, also sent to: CMF, South Plainfield, NJ – Presentation Systems, Midland Park, NJ – Prime Vendor, Willington, NC.

RESCIND CONTRACT WITH CHAMPION UNIFORM SUPPLY

As recommended by Jamie Leavitt, Director of Food and Nutrition Services, that the Elizabeth Board of Education rescind contract with Champion Uniform Supply, Fords, NJ, for the purchase of uniforms, polo shirts and aprons for food service personnel, for the 2013-2014 school year, in an amount not to exceed \$20,000.00, in accordance with N.J.S.A. 18A:18A-3.

Note: uniforms for food service employees to go out to bid.

CONTRACT WITH MICROSOFT CORPORATION

As recommended by Alberto Marsal, Coordinator of Technology and Information Systems, that the Elizabeth Board of Education enter into contract with Microsoft Corporation, Redmond, WA, for the purchase of sixty (60) Microsoft Surface Tablet 8 Pro with 128GB memory, covers and extended warrantee, as an Extraordinary Unspecifiable Service (EUS), in amount not to exceed \$73,679.40, in accordance with N.J.S.A.18A:18A-5a(1).

CONTRACT WITH GEORGE LEWYCKY

As recommended by Linda Seniszyn, Principal of Dr. Albert Einstein Academy School No. 29, that the Elizabeth Board of Education enter into contract with George Lewycky, Astronomer/Researcher, Jersey City, NJ, to provide a hands-on training for classroom support and content expertise, in the areas of planetary science and astronomy for classroom lessons and enrichment programs including, STEAM (Science & Technology interpreted through Engineering & the Arts, all based in Mathematical elements), afterschool programs and school community events, February 15 & 16, 2013, there is no cost to the Board, in accordance with N.J.S.A.18A:18A-3.

CONTRACT WITH STAFF DEVELOPMENT WORKSHOPS

As recommended by Yalitz Torres, Principal of Benjamin Franklin School No. 13, that the Elizabeth Board of Education enter into contract with Staff Development Workshops, Lakewood, NJ, to provide a workshop entitled "Non-Fiction Text and Higher Order Thinking," for K-8 teachers, on April 8 & 9, 2013 from 8:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m., as an Extraordinary Unspecifiable Service (EUS), in an amount not to exceed \$3,000.00, in accordance with N.J.S.A.18A:18A-5a(2).

CONTRACT WITH LEONARDO AND THE MAKING WAVES BAND

As recommended by Liteove Tighe, Principal of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Early Childhood Center School No. 51, that the Elizabeth Board of Education enter into contract with Leonardo and the Making Waves Band, Beverly Shores, IN, to provide an assembly entitled "Anti-bullying" on March 6, 2013 from 9:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m., cost of \$595.00 to be paid for by school's PTO account, there is no cost to the Board, in accordance with N.J.S.A.18A:18A-3.

CONTRACT WITH AMERICAN CANCER SOCIETY

As recommended by Christopher R. Van Vliet, Principal of John E. Dwyer Technology Academy, that the Elizabeth Board of Education enter into contract with American Cancer Society, Springfield, NJ, for Christina Andrascik, Director of Special Events to be a guest speaker at the Ambassador Club Fundraiser Breakfast, for staff, to raise funds for the Relay for Life (an American Cancer Society fundraiser) on March 26, 2013 from 7:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m., there is no cost to the Board, in accordance with N.J.S.A.18A:18A-3.

CONTRACT WITH SHADE M. LEE

As recommended by Christopher Van Vliet, Principal of John E. Dwyer Technology Academy, that the Elizabeth Board of Education enter into contract with Shade M. Lee c/o The Burkett Organization, a Tuskegee Airman, Elizabeth, NJ, to conduct a presentation to parents and students on experiences of a Tuskegee Airman during World War II, addressing discrimination and segregation, as well as combat experience, on Friday May 24, 2013, in an amount not to exceed \$250.00, in accordance with N.J.S.A.18A:18A-3.

CONTRACT WITH KIMBERLY ROBERTSON

As recommended by Christopher Van Vliet, Principal of, John E, Dwyer Technology Academy, that the Elizabeth Board of Education enter into contract with Kimberly Robertson, Financial Empowerment Center, Newark, NJ, to present a workshop about Financial Aid Program (FAU) for senior students, their parents/guardians, to help them understand that attaining their postsecondary education is achievable, on March 28, 2013 from 9:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., there is no cost to the Board, in accordance with N.J.S.A.18A:18A-3.

CONTRACT WITH DR. LAWRENCE HOGAN AND JAMES SCOTT

As recommended by Christopher Van Vliet, Principal of John E. Dwyer Technology Academy, that the Elizabeth Board of Education enter into contract with Dr. Lawrence Hogan, Fanwood, NJ and James Scott, Elizabeth, NJ, to provide a program entitled "The History of Negro League Baseball in NJ," for students and staff, on April 25, 2013 from 1:30 p.m. to 2:30 p.m., in an amount not to exceed \$400.00, in accordance with N.J.S.A.18A:18A-3.

CONTRACT WITH DJS ENTERPRISES

As recommended by Donald Goncalves, Assistant Board Secretary, that the Elizabeth Board of Education enter into contract with DJS Enterprises, South Amboy, NJ, to provide a four (4) day defensive tactic & use of force training for district security staff, April 2-5, 2013, at the rate of \$43.00 per guard, in an amount not to exceed \$6,975.00, in accordance with N.J.S.A. 18A:18A-3.

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Change Orders

Elizabeth, N.J., March 21, 2013

BOARD OF EDUCATION:

The Superintendent of Schools recommends approval of the following:

A. Mitchell Building – Data Center Alterations

Original Contract	\$ 709,416.00
Change Order No. 1	(13,126.73)

Additional Power Back-up equipment and labor to provide protection to re-designed layout of data center equipment.

TOTAL	\$ 722,542.73
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Contractor: Altec Electrical Corp.
904 Atlantic Avenue
Point Pleasant, New Jersey 08742

B. Thomas A. Edison Career and Technical Academy – Lab & Shop Renovations

Original Contract	\$ 381,000.00
Change Order No. 1	3,541.60
Change Order No. 2	7,071.00
Change Order No. 3	929.25
Change Order No. 4	1,029.00
Change Order No. 5	1,296.75

Provide and install new breaker and receptacle for kiln.

TOTAL	\$ 394,867.60
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Contractor: GPC, Inc.
20 East Willow Street
Millburn, New Jersey 07041

C. Terence C. Reilly School No. 7 – Renovation of Dance Studio, Locker Room and Bathroom

Original Contract \$ 188,500.00

Change Order No. 1 5,792.00

Changes in plumbing valves and flushing valves and wood floor changes required to provide access to existing plumbing trench.

TOTAL \$ 194,292.00

Contractor: Salazar & Associates, Inc.
625 Rahway Avenue, Suite 1A
Union, New Jersey 07083

D. Thomas A. Edison Career and Technical Academy – HVAC Upgrade

Original Contract \$ 163,817.00

Change Order No. 1 18,074.09

Additional work beyond the contract scope of work to install new electrical feeder conduit/wiring and a new panel to energize the new auditorium RTU. (The feeder wiring to the existing panel was found to be undersized).

TOTAL \$ 181,891.09

Contractor: Envirocon, L.L.C.
490 Schooley's Mt. Road
Hackettstown, New Jersey 07840

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Y**BOARD OF EDUCATION****RESOLUTION****“AUTISM AWARENESS MONTH”**

WHEREAS, autism affects all persons regardless of race, religion, socio-economic status or geography; and

WHEREAS, the incidence of autism in the United States is 1 in 150 and 1 in 94 boys; and

WHEREAS, autism impacts on the major areas of a child’s development; and

WHEREAS, autism is recognized as a lifelong condition with no current cure; and

WHEREAS, the aims for Autism Awareness Month are to inform the general public about the health crisis of autism, stress the importance of early diagnosis and early intervention, and to celebrate the unique talents and qualities of individuals with diagnosis of autism.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the members of the Elizabeth Board of Education join the rest of the country in recognizing April as Autism Awareness Month.

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Y**BOARD OF EDUCATION****RESOLUTION****“DONATE LIFE MONTH”**

WHEREAS, every human life has matchless value; we must reaffirm our commitment to raising awareness about the importance of organ and tissue donation. We also wish to express our appreciation to those who have donated organs, tissue and bone marrow; and

WHEREAS, nationally over 106,000 Americans are currently on the waiting list for an organ transplant and thousand more need life enhancing tissue transplants. Locally over 4,500 New Jersey residents are waiting for a life saving organ or life enhancing tissue transplant; and

WHEREAS, with the enactment of the Hero Act on July 2008, New Jersey has become the first state in the union to pass legislation in support for organ and tissue donation education.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that each high school in the Elizabeth Public School District is required to ensure that information about organ and tissue donation is included in the Core Curriculum Content Standards for Comprehensive Health and Physical Education for grades 9-12.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Elizabeth Board of Education will call upon health care professionals, volunteers, educators, government agencies, faith-based and community groups, and private organizations to assist in increasing the number of New Jersey residents registered to become organ and tissue donors; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Elizabeth Public Schools will call upon the greater community at large to encourage residents to register with the state’s donor registry; say yes to organ and tissue donation on their driver’s license; and share their decision with family and friends. By taking these steps, citizen of Elizabeth can save lives. We are committed to strengthening organ and tissue donation programs and to increase the number of organs available for transplantation in order to save lives. The kindness and generosity of donors reflect the compassionate spirit of our state; and

BE IT RESOLVED, that April 2013, Elizabeth Public Schools will celebrate Donate Life Month by developing programs and activities in support of an organ and tissue donation registration campaign.

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Y**BOARD OF EDUCATION****RESOLUTION****“NATIONAL LIBRARY WEEK”**

WHEREAS, school library media centers serve a vital role in the learning and academic achievement within a school, and

WHEREAS, our students, teachers, and staff benefit from the wide variety of materials available in our media centers...materials that promote the communication and sharing of ideas so necessary in a vibrant democratic society, and

WHEREAS, our school library media specialists do an outstanding job in selecting, assembling, and sharing our organized collections of information with each school community, and

WHEREAS, today's school library media specialists also play an integral role in introducing students and staff to the tremendous amount of information available on-line and through the district's state-of-the-art technology, and

WHEREAS, school library media centers are as fundamental to our country as are the principles of freedom, equality, and individual rights.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the members of the Elizabeth Board of Education hereby proclaim the week of April 14-20, 2013

“NATIONAL LIBRARY WEEK”

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Board of Education also recognize National Library Workers Day on April 10th as part of National Library Week to thank the district's school media specialists for all that they do to support our students' academic growth and development into eager and enthusiastic readers.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that copies of this resolution be forwarded to all school principals and library media specialists to encourage special activities in our district's schools during the month of April to promote reading and the use of our outstanding school library media centers.

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BOARD OF EDUCATION
RESOLUTION
REQUISITION FOR TAXES

RESOLVED, that the amount of district taxes, exclusive of debt service requirements needed to meet the obligations of the Board for the next eight weeks is \$12,168,330.00 and that the City of Elizabeth is hereby requested to place in the hands of the Treasurer of School Moneys that amount within the next thirty days in accordance with the statutes relating thereto.

BOARD OF EDUCATION

RESOLUTION

ELIZABETH PUBLIC SCHOOLS EXCELLENCE PARADE

WHEREAS, the Elizabeth Board of Education recognizes the importance of celebrating Excellence in Athletics, Academics, and the Arts; and

WHEREAS, at its March 29, 2012 meeting the Board authorized the establishment of a special Parade Committee for the purpose of providing oversight for the planning, arrangement, coordination and conduction of an Elizabeth Public Schools Excellence Parade.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Elizabeth Board of Education in celebration of Excellence in Athletics, Academics, and the Arts, recommends and authorizes the conduction of an Elizabeth Public Schools Excellence Parade on Sunday, May 5, 2013 commencing at 11:00 a.m. at Union Square on Elizabeth Avenue and ending at the Dunn Sports Center on Pearl Street (Rain date: Sunday, June 9, 2013).

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the School Business Administrator/Board Secretary be authorized to establish budgetary accounts to provide for the associated costs of student supervision, security, support services and incidental charges of the parade participation in an amount not to exceed \$75,000.00, and that payments be authorized in accordance with said budget.

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BOARD OF EDUCATION

RESOLUTION

CODE OF ETHICS

RECOMMENDED: That the Code of Ethics for Members of the Board of Education be approved for the 2013-2014 school year, as filed in the Office of the School Business Administrator/Board Secretary.

NEW JERSEY SCHOOL BOARD MEMBER

CODE OF ETHICS

1. I will uphold and enforce all laws, state board rules and regulations, and court orders pertaining to schools. Desired changes should be brought about only through legal and ethical procedures.
2. I will make decisions in terms of the educational welfare of children and will seek to develop and maintain public schools which meet the individual needs of all children regardless of their ability, race, creed, sex, or social standing.
3. I will confine my board action to policymaking, planning and appraisal, and I will help to frame policies and plans only after the board has consulted those who will be affected by them.
4. I will carry out my responsibility, not to administer the schools, but, together with my fellow board members, to see that they are well run.
5. I will recognize that authority rests with the board of education and will make no personal promises nor take any private action which may compromise the board.
6. I will refuse to surrender my independent judgment to special interest or partisan political groups or to use the schools for personal gain or for the gain of friends.
7. I will hold confidential all matters pertaining to the schools, which, if disclosed, would needlessly injure individuals or the schools. But, in all other matters, I will provide accurate information and, in concert with my fellow board members interpret to the staff the aspirations of the community for its schools.
8. I will vote to appoint the best qualified personnel available after consideration of the recommendation of the Chief Administrative Officer.
9. I will support and protect school personnel in proper performance of their duties.
10. I will refer all complaints to the Chief Administrative Officer and will act on such complaints at public meetings only after failure of an administrative solution.

BOARD OF EDUCATION

RESOLUTION

RECOMMENDED: That the following revised Policies, Regulations and Exhibits be approved:

1410	Local Units Policy
5141.4	Child Abuse and Neglect Policy
5141.4(R)	Child Abuse and Neglect Regulation
5141.4(X)	Child Abuse and Neglect Exhibit
5145.5	Photographs of Students Policy
5145.11	Questioning and Apprehension Policy
5145.11(R)	Questioning and Apprehension Regulation
6000.2	Accountability and Assessment Policy
9115	Oath of Office Exhibit

BOARD OF EDUCATION

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, Damon Marks, a former Elizabeth Public Schools' student and renowned musician/songwriter, founded the Traveling Guitar Foundation to ensure that despite monetary obstacles students would have access to arts programs, and

WHEREAS, the Traveling Guitar Foundation is a non-profit organization which provides musical equipment and support for school systems and camps across the United States to help music education programs, and

WHEREAS, the Traveling Guitar Foundation's mission is to foster creativity and intellectual growth through arts programs, and to ensure that elementary and high school students have access to high quality musical instruments and comprehensive instruction throughout their formative years, and

WHEREAS, the Traveling Guitar Foundation generously donated five Schecter guitars, amps and other music equipment to Robert Morris School No. 18 and provided a special musical performance and workshop which included R&B/Pop Artist, Caezar The Artist, and Blues/Rock guitarist Kirsten Thien, and

WHEREAS, the Foundation, through its passionate efforts, works to ensure that the equipment donated is used for the strengthening of students' educational, artistic, and social development by providing clinics and curriculum.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Elizabeth Board of Education officially recognizes the Traveling Guitar Foundation for its support of the Elizabeth Public Schools' music education programs.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that a copy of this resolution be spread on the official minutes of the Board of Education and a copy be presented to representatives of the Traveling Guitar Foundation.

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BOARD OF EDUCATION
RESOLUTION
APPOINTMENT OF PRINCIPAL

Recommended: That Lawrence Roodenburg be appointed as Principal for iPrep Academy School No. 8, on a twelve month basis, effective April 1, 2013 through June 30, 2013.
Salary: \$117,700.*

*Subject to correction of errors