

Celebrating its 10th anniversary, STEAM Academy is an award-winning public charter school that provides students throughout the Heights communities with a family-like learning environment that places emphasis on Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts, and Math.

The school is ranked in the top 25% of Ohio charter schools with strong progress in academic performance this year. STEAM Academy creates a safe and secure learning environment that accelerates achievement without losing sight of student wellbeing and personal development.

In addition to core subjects, students participate in Art, Technology, and Music classes during the school day as well as extracurricular programs. Families are supported with free meals, school supplies, transportation, and on-site counseling services.

## **MISSION STATEMENT**

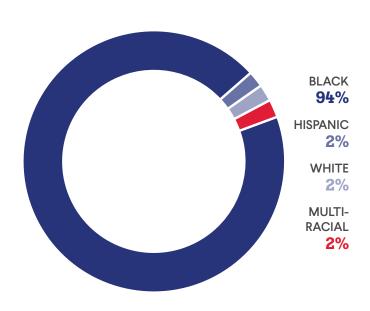
To allow students to become productive global citizens of the world by providing them with a high-quality education.



GRADES SERVED
Early K - 8
PRINCIPAL
Willie Banks
REGIONAL VICE PRESIDENT
Sherree Dillions
SCHOOL YEAR OPENED
2013-14
MANAGED BY ACCEL SINCE
2015-16
AUTHORIZER
Ohio Council of



#### STUDENT DEMOGRAPHICS



AVERAGE DAILY ENROLLMENT

91%

AVERAGE DAILY ATTENDANCE

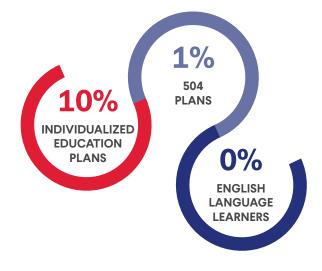
#### DISTRICTS OF RESIDENCE

WARRENSVILLE HEIGHTS CITY 40%
CLEVELAND MUNICIPAL 29%
MAPLE HEIGHTS CITY 12%
BEDFORD CITY 8%
GARFIELD HEIGHTS CITY 7%
OTHER 4%

# **INSTRUCTIONAL & SUPPORT STAFF**

AVERAGE CLASS SIZE 22
STUDENT TO STAFF RATIO 9:1

#### SPECIAL POPULATIONS



# 100% ECONOMICALLY DISADVANTAGED

24% STUDENT MOBILITY RATE

2% UNHOUSED

#### **HIGHLIGHTS**

- Scored in Top 25% of Ohio Charter Schools
- Rated 4 Stars Overall for exceeding state expectations
- Rated 5 Stars on Progress for exceeding student growth expectations
- Rated 4 Stars for Gap Closing for exceeding state standards in closing educational gaps
- Achieved a year-over-year 5% performance increase
- 100% of students met the state requirements for promotion to Grade 4
- Received the ACCEL Gold Award for academic and enrollment excellence
- Received an ACCEL Schools award for Outstanding Student Progress
- Willie Banks recognized as the 2023 ACCEL Principal of the Year
- Provided 1197 instruction hours, 30% more than the Ohio requirement for charter schools
- Campus improvements included new carpet and expansion to additional classrooms
- Sports program expanded to include Basketball, Track, Soccer & Volleyball
- Hosted successful summer program where 6 out 10 attendees passed the third grade summer OST

#### STATE REPORT CARD



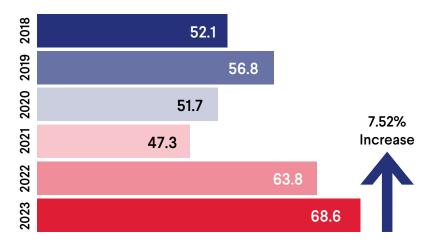




#### **ACADEMIC PROGRESS**

Following a year of strong academic recovery, in 2022-23 STEAM Academy increased the pace of student academic growth. The school increased its Performance Index score by over 7% and achieved the highest star rating in student academic progress (5 Stars, Progress).

#### YOY PERFORMANCE INDEX SCORE



# PROGRESS COMPONENT RATINGS BY SUBJECT & GRADE LEVEL

	ELA	Math	Science
4th Grade			
5th Grade			
6th Grade			
7th Grade			
8th Grade			
0			

Students significantly exceeded state expectations in academic growth

Students met state expectations in academic growth

Students made less academic growth than state expected

Value Added data is not available





SCHOOL BOARD PRESIDENT

DARLENE THAXTON

VICE PRESIDENT
CHRISTOPHER DELK

BOARD MEMBERS
EDWINA AGEE
DOXIE JELKS
BELVIA MARTIN
LARRY MILLER III
MICHELE RUDOLPH



#### **AUTHORIZED BY**

Ohio Council of Community Schools (OCCS) uses various methods to evaluate the school's performance including published tests and other academic scores such as the Local Report Card produced by the state of Ohio and other supporting data. OCCS regional representatives visit our partner schools regularly ensuring compliance with federal, state, and contractual requirements. The results of this monitoring for the 2022-2023 school year are published in the 2022-2023 Ohio Council of Community Schools Annual Report, available after November 30 at <a href="https://www.ohioschools.org">www.ohioschools.org</a>.





## **FINANCIAL DATA\***

State Sources	2,181,135
Federal Sources	1,437,896
Local Sources	0
TOTAL REVENUES	\$3,619,032

Salaries & Wages	1,228,470
Employee Benefits	306,746
Purchased Services	1,673,108
Supplies & Materials	166,730
Capital Outlay	87,961
Other Expenses	18,294
TOTAL EXPENSES	\$3,481,310

\*unaudited; provided by designated fiscal officer

At time of publication, 2023 fiscal year data was not available from the Ohio Auditor of State. For updated information visit: www.auditor.state.oh.us



