



THE LEGACY EXPOSURE *and* ACCESS PROGRAM



THE LEGACY MISSION.

“Creating Opportunities for Success”

Improve proficiency in core subjects:

mathematics, language arts, science as measured by an increase in school grades.

Increase exposure to new experiences

that enhance the subject matter content of math, language arts and science and enhance life skills for our youth.

Encourage health behaviors

creating a culture of informed youth living healthier lives.

Develop a college going culture

among our students with specific appropriate grade level college readiness.

Board of Directors

**Executive Director
Greg Jones**

LEAP

Other Legacy Initiatives

Legacy Ventures

Legacy Administration

Take Charge
of
Your Health

Life Lessons

Today I Read,
Tomorrow I
Lead

Dream
Chasers

Legacy Arts

The O.M.E.G.A.
program

Anna Keise
Project

First Tee

Octagon Youth
Cycling

Program
Evaluation

Development

Financial
Administration

Operational
Admin/Strategy
Exec

Bookkeeper

Media/PR
Communications

MLK

Global

Math

Language
Arts

Arts

Positively
Proud

Pursue

CREATING OPPORTUNITIES



The Legacy Foundation, a 501c3 non-profit charitable organization is focused on addressing disparities in health and education with a specific emphasis on the most challenged demographic areas of Hartford, Connecticut. We focus our energies on creating opportunities and believe Talent is Universal, Opportunities are Not!

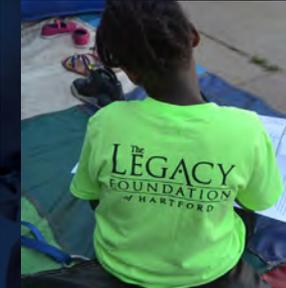
We develop and execute programs that primarily create opportunities to help advance the education pursuits of youth and encourage a proactive approach to health responsibility.





L.E.A.P

A comprehensive approach to enhancing academic success, beginning in elementary school and continuing through completion of high school with, an emphasis on college prep development.



Student Outcomes = Academic Success



BEHAVIOR/SOCIAL OUTCOMES FROM SCHOOL ADMINISTRATION



L.E.A.P Students were less likely to have behavior issues



issues

Issues significantly reduced since engagement with L.E.A.P



L.E.A.P Students were less likely to have office referrals

MEASURES OF ACADEMIC PROGRESS: IMPROVEMENT IN MAP TEST SCORES



61%

demonstrated an increase in Math MAP Scores



76%

demonstrated an increase in Reading MAP Scores



65%

demonstrated an increase in General Science



20%

of L.E.A.P Students outpaced average increases in MAP Tests by 300%

PARTICIPANT SATISFACTION / ACADEMIC SUCCESS

94% reported being more confident in their abilities



88% indicated school performance had improved since joining L.E.A.P



100% reported L.E.A.P helped them understand options for future success

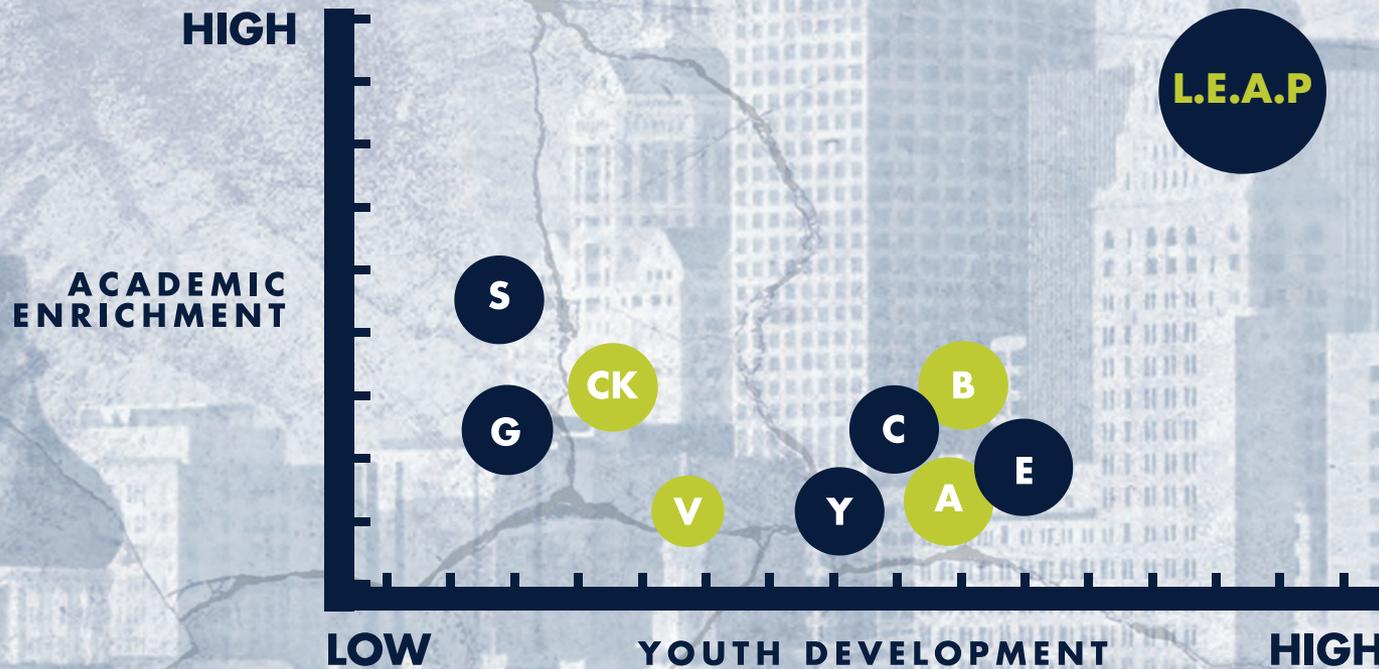


EFFECTIVENESS CHART

[The letters in the chart below indicate other programs in the after school programming space]

ACADEMIC ENRICHMENT + YOUTH DEVELOPMENT = FUTURE SUCCESS

High Academic Enrichment with Substantive, purposeful, related youth development



Academic Enrichment is identified as comprehensive support for academic achievement in math, science and language arts.

Youth Development = Fun activities that enhance youth social skills combined with new experiences.

RETURN ON INVESTMENT

L.E.A.P produces a **20X Return On Investment**.

Average investment per student: **\$7,500** annually or approximately **\$45,000** over the six years of a student's participation to build the foundation for college success.

College graduates earn over \$1M more in their lifetime than do high school graduates*.

** Forbes Magazine, May 5, 2014*



LEGACY + SCHOLARS =

A College Going Culture

Results



The Legacy Foundation – Creating Opportunities
Our Three 2018 Graduating Seniors with Legacy College Counselor, Lynne Bossart.

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**GRADUATING
SENIORS**

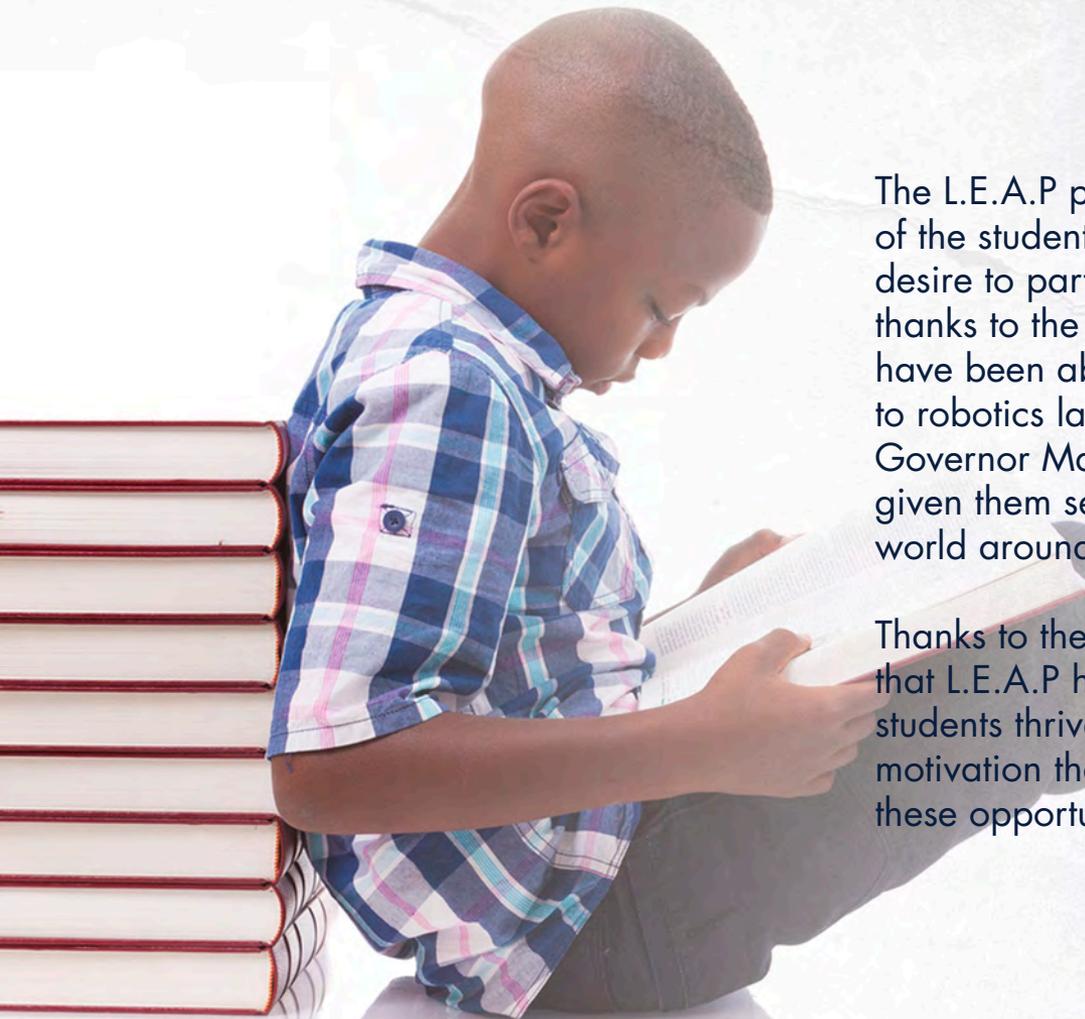
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**COLLEGE
ACCEPTANCES**

\$750,000

**IN SCHOLARSHIP
AWARDS**

as of December 2017



The L.E.A.P program has been a huge part of the success of the students at MLK. The student engagement and desire to participate in their education has increased thanks to the benefits of the L.E.A.P program. The students have been able to experience things such as traveling to robotics labs and engaging in conversations with Governor Malloy as part of the L.E.A.P program that has given them self confidence as well as awareness of the world around them.

Thanks to the high expectations and the true mentorship that L.E.A.P has given students, we we have begun to see students thrive academically and socially with the internal motivation that they are worth it and they deserve these opportunities.

Karrie Rinaldi, Assistant Principal
Dr. Martin Luther King Middle School
Hartford, Connecticut



My students' participation in L.E.A.P has given them access to learning experiences that I could never give them inside the classroom. I am able to work closely with L.E.A.P teachers and leaders to ensure that my students knowledge is enhanced through engagement in these outside experiences.

The best part of L.E.A.P is that all students are welcome but are held to the highest expectations of character and integrity and get a lot of practice exhibiting these characteristics outside of the North End of Hartford. As my students progress into their successes in the real world I know that L.E.A.P is helping immensely in getting them there.

Leah Tarnowicz, 7th & 8th Grade Language Arts Teacher
Dr. Martin Luther King Middle School
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2015 Hartford Public School Teacher of the Year

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