



# 2015 - 2016

## Local School Plan for Improvement

### Alton C. Crews Middle School

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Accountability and flexibility are hallmarks of Gwinnett County Public Schools' success. Key to that success is ensuring that each school community understands the progress being made by its schools, as well as what plans will drive improvement. Each school creates a collaborative Local School Plan for Improvement (LSPI), with targeted goals based on student achievement results. These goals are dynamic, like our schools, and are updated to reflect changes that occur in schools. Data is used to determine areas needing improvement and to identify specific, measurable, annual objectives. Schools then determine how to use research-based strategies to achieve these goals, using flexibility as needed. The LSPI development process involves teachers, parents, and community members, so the entire school community has the opportunity to be involved in conversations about school improvement. Please contact the local school principal for more information about the school's plan and progress.

- **Long Term Goal**

Crews Middle School students will achieve Proficient or Distinguished for English Language Arts, Mathematics, Science, and Social Studies objectives as measured by state assessments by Spring 2017.

- o **Annual Goal**

By the end of 2015-2016 school year, increase the percentage of students scoring in the English Language Arts Distinguished & Proficient category in 6th, 7th, and 8th grade to 80%, as measured by local and district developed assessments.

- o **Annual Goal**

By the end of 2015-2016 school year, increase the percentage of students scoring in the Mathematics Distinguished and Proficient category in 6th standard math to 60%, 6th accelerated math to 93%, 7th standard math to 80%, 7th accelerated math to 95%, 8th standard math to 35%, Algebra I to 55%, and Accelerated Algebra to 100% as measured by district and local assessments.

- o **Annual Goal**

By the end of 2015-2016 school year, increase the percentage of students scoring in the Science Distinguished and Proficient category in 6th grade to 76%, in 7th grade to 88% and in 8th grade Physical Science to 70% and Biology to 100% as measured by local and district developed assessments.

- o **Annual Goal**

By the end of 2015-2016 school year, increase the percentage of students scoring in the Social Studies Distinguished and Proficient category in 6th grade to 75%, in 7th grade to 85% and in 8th grade to 65% as measured by local and district developed assessments.

- **Long Term Goal**

Ninety percent of Crews Middle School students will meet typical or high growth as measured in the Progress section of the College and Career Readiness Performance Index by Spring 2017.