

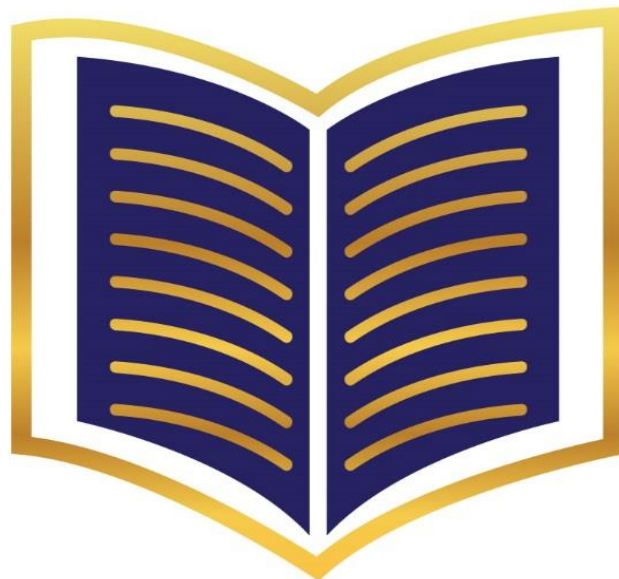


AURUM PREPARATORY ACADEMY

A proposed 6 - 8 Public Charter School
for the children of Oakland


Public Hearing
November 15, 2016





Aurum Preparatory Academy

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Aurum Prep Founding Parents, Families and Community Members

- Family Advisory Council of parents and students
- Held over 200 one to ones
- Feedback from local and partnering community based organizations and schools



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Why Aurum?

Do we really need *another* new school in Oakland?

Yes. But not just *another* new school.

Why Aurum?

- Community, parents and families want a strong option
- Equity, serve students who are currently underrepresented
- Performance, increase learning outcomes
- Sustainability, increase the 6th and 9th grade capture rate





What is Aurum?



College
Prep and
Rigorous
Academi



Character
Education
and
Identity



Design
Thinking



A Community that Supports All Learners



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College Prep: Work Hard

- More time in Math and English
- College going culture via field trips, banners etc
- Highly trained and highly qualified staff





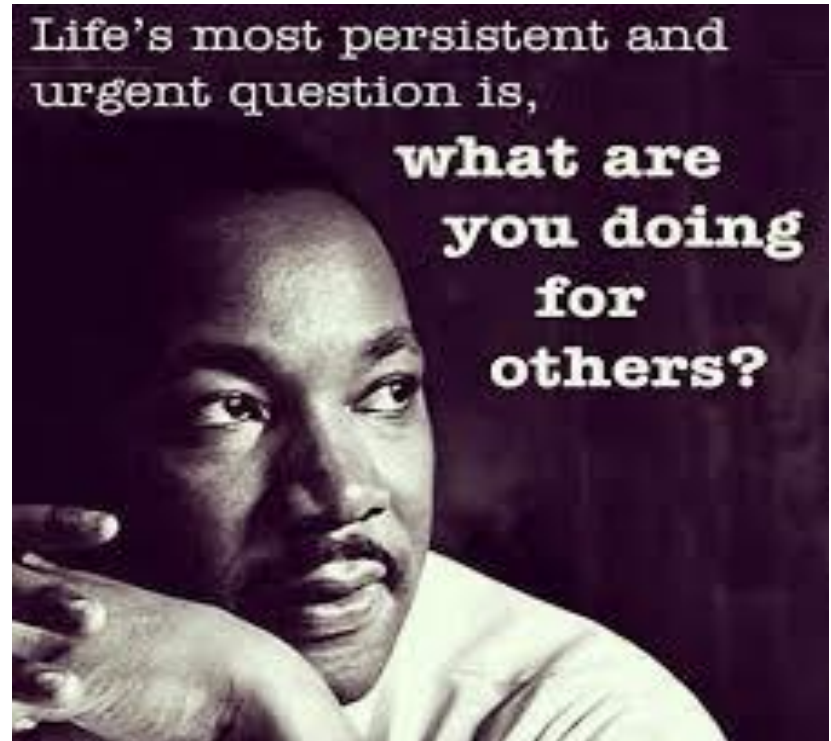
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Character Education: Help Others

- Character and identity development every week
- Values based school: F.I.R.S.T.
- Community circles and advisories



Design Thinking: Take Risks

- Approach problems from different angles
- Not just use technology but create it
- Become entrepreneurs





Community Support for All Learners


- Focus Periods
- Personalized Learning
- Community Partnerships
- Restorative Justice



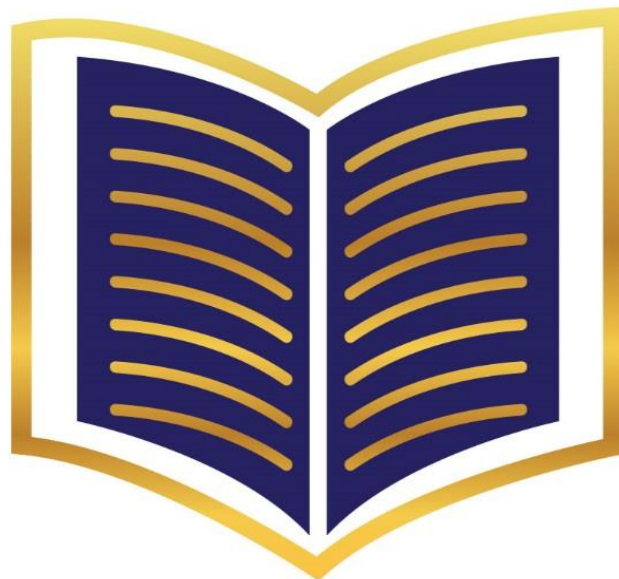
One Year at a Time

2019	8 th Grade
2018	7 th Grade
2017	6 th Grade

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Elementary Schools



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