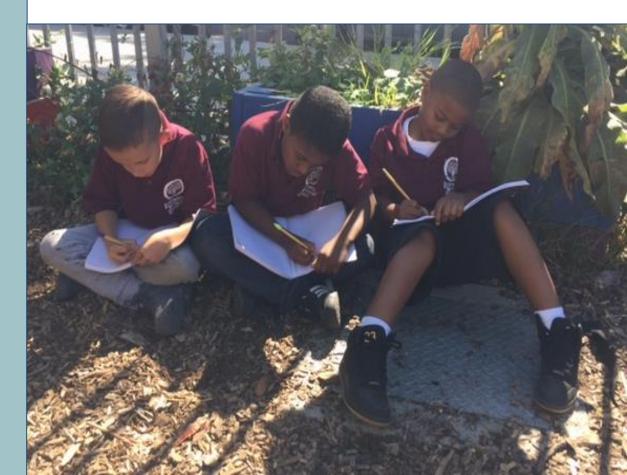


**Charter Renewal OUSD Public Hearing** 



We will provide a superior public education to Oakland's most underserved children by creating a system of public schools that relentlessly focuses on our students' academic achievement. We believe that high quality instruction, and its continuous refinement, will lead to success for our students. When our students succeed, they will be prepared to make thoughtful and informed choices that will set them on a path for a successful life.

### EFC's MISSION

### **Serving Fruitvale since 2005**

Expertise managing and leading charter schools

Operations team with over 10+ years of experience

Instructional team with proven track record in Fruitvale



### **Integrated into Community**

Serving 2,500 children in the Fruitvale, TK-8

Family Leadership Council engaged in community transformation

Partnerships with La Clinica, Unity Council, Councilman Gallo, Patten College, and more

#### **Record of Success**

Outperforming comparable schools in Fruitvale

Zero expulsions in 10 years; noted statewide for low suspension rates

Noted for innovative Special Education approach

### WHY EDUCATION FOR CHANGE

### **Social Emotional Learning**

Adoption of Responsive Classroom and Toolbox Curricula Gives children tools to resolve problems, manage emotions Integrates with PBIS approach





### **Engaging Families**

Family Leadership Council meets weekly to address school and community issues

Parents empowered to be advocates for their children

Community-launched school as part of Small Schools Movement

### **Multi-Tiered System of Supports**

Comprehensive system to support struggling students

Academic, Socio-Emotional, Behavioral Interventions

Recognized model for serving SPED students

## LEARNING WITHOUT LIMITS POWERFUL EDUCATION



### **Balanced Literacy**

Guided reading/Literature circles

Close reading/Complex texts

Explicit focus on writing

#### **Common Core Transition**

Interdisciplinary units of study

Explicit integration of the Arts (Music, Art, Drama), Technology, and Science

#### **School Culture & Climate**

Deeply embedded traditions affirm positivity & connectedness in all students & staff

Clear college-bound vision reinforced daily

Systems of engagement strategies & positive culture supports that support instruction

### LEARNING WITHOUT LIMITS POWERFUL EDUCATION

### #1 in Fruitvale and #3 Elementary school in Oakland for low-income students

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63%	90%	Ascend	22%	2	Education for Change
57%	94%	Aspire Eres Academy	22%	3	Aspire
59%	92%	Lazear Charter Academy	19%	4	Education for Change
43%	93%	Manzanita Community	18%	5	Oakland Unified School District
81%	96%	Global Family	18%	6	Oakland Unified School District
59%	87%	Think College Now	15%	7	Oakland Unified School District
82%	89%	International Community	15%	8	Oakland Unified School District
70%	96%	Achieve Academy	15%	9	Education for Change
46%	87%	Fruitvale Elementary	12%	10	Oakland Unified School District

## LEARNING WITHOUT LIMITS SBAC READING

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# Learning Without Limits SBAC Math

### **Supportive Community**

Experienced and knowledgeable colleagues

Responsive and supportive Home Office and site leadership



### **Opportunities to Learn**

Daily collaboration time in schedule and strong collaborative culture

Regular coach support and administrative feedback

Leadership pipeline and career pathways

### Sustainability a Goal at LWL and EFC

Commitment to balance and sanity in the workplace

Competitive salary and benefits in Bay Area

Innovative culture

# Learning Without Limits BEING A TEACHER

### **Parent Engagement**

Parents agree LWL provides a 'sense of connectedness - 4.2 rating (out of 5) from Parents on annual survey

Regular parent conferences

Classes to support parents such as Computer Literacy and ESL



### **Family Leadership Council**

Family members engaged weekly in FLC meetings

Representative governance structure at school and orgwide level

Parent representative a member of EFC Board

#### **Parents as Teachers**

Focused on leveraging parents as educators

Strategic programs like Family Reading Night build parent capacity around literacy instruction

Using data to engage parents in inquiry and goal-setting

## Learning Without Limits BEING A PARENT

### **Caring Safe Community**

Responsive Classroom & Toolbox implementation facilitates safe & supportive community

Student agree LWL in tune with their needs – 4.2 rating (out of 5) from students on annual survey



### **Engaging and Rigorous Learning**

Visual Art, Drama, Music, Technology as part of Instructional Program Small group work and academic discourse expected in every classroom Many opportunities and rituals to celebrate and honor students

### **Support Systems**

Strong recognized special education and interventions programs with onsite counseling and academic intervention

Summer program provides intense academic reading support and parent training on literacy at home

# Learning Without Limits BEING A STUDENT

Learning
Without
Limits
Vision
Statement

We stand on the shoulders of those who came before us as we grow into leaders who are passionate and care about making our world better. We are equipped with skills and knowledge filled with curiosity and we know that even when we face challenges we will achieve!



# LEARNING WITHOUT LIMITS WHO WE ARE