

OAKLAND UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT Community Schools, Thriving Students

# Charter Renewal Recommendation: Aspire Berkley Maynard Academy

#### **OUSD Office of Charter Schools**



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## **OUSD Charter Renewal Standards**

- I: The school is academically sound
- II: The school is demonstrably likely to be able to implement the proposed program
- III: The school's plan for a future charter term are "reasonably comprehensive"
- Evidence considered by OUSD staff:
- Comparison Schools and Comparison Student Group Analysis
- School Performance Analysis: State Dashboard data and CORE growth
- School Quality Review site visit
- Operations and Compliance: enrollment, financials, Notices of Concern, other

Note: Pursuant to the requirements of SB 1290, the District "shall consider increases in pupil academic achievement for all groups of pupils served by the charter school as the most important factor in determining whether to grant a charter renewal."



#### Office of Charter Schools Recommendation for Aspire Berkley Maynard Academy: **Approve**

#### Renewal Standard I – Academically Sound: Met

Renewal Standard II – Likely to Implement Proposed Program: **Met** 

Renewal Standard III – Plans are "reasonably comprehensive": **Met** 

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#### Strengths

- Outperformed at least half of its comparison schools in both ELA and Math in both elementary and middle school for nearly all years of the charter term.
- Strong performance among several key student groups highlighted in this report: African American students, Latinx students, economically disadvantaged students, and students with disabilities (in past two years).
- Strong family partnerships and engagement.

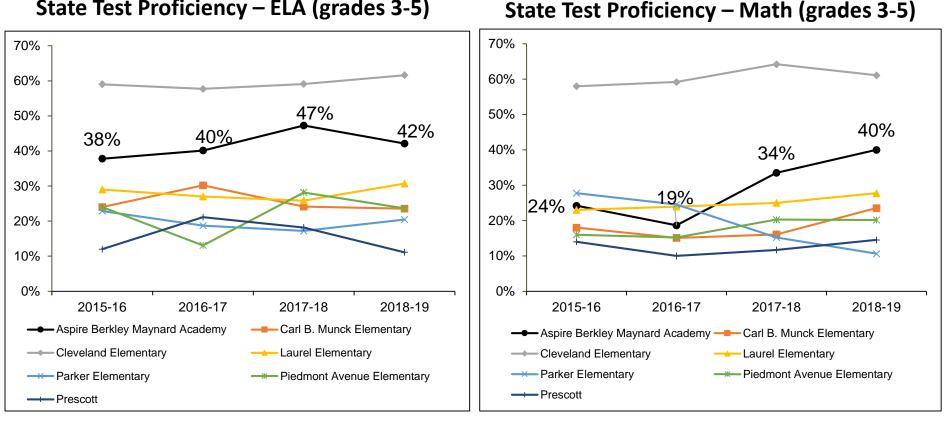
#### Challenges

- Relatively high chronic absenteeism rates for past two years
- Lower proportions of students with disabilities and English Learners served at the school



## **Comparison School Analysis - ES**

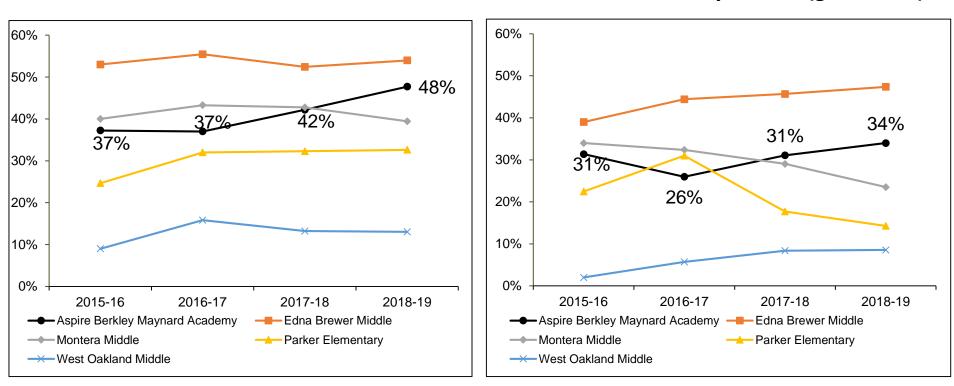
State Test Proficiency – ELA (grades 3-5)





## Comparison School Analysis - MS

State Test Proficiency – ELA (grades 6-8)



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#### State Test Proficiency – Math (grades 6-8)



### Analysis of Key Student Groups

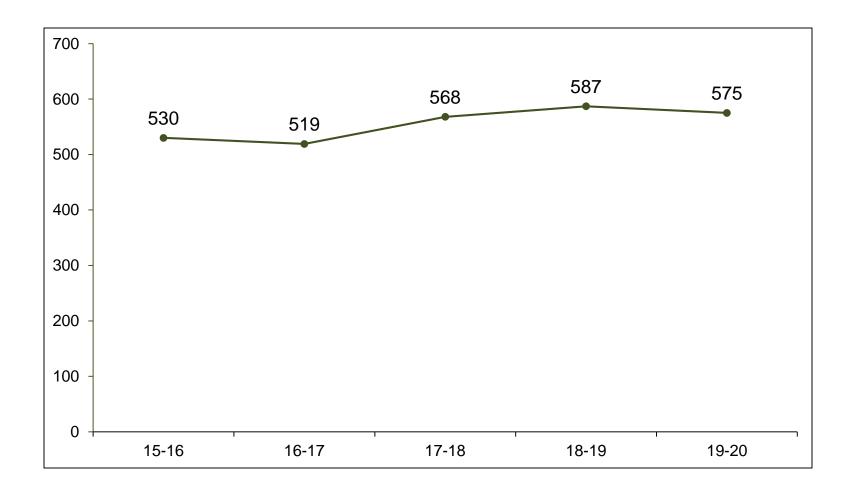
Student Group	ES/MS State Test	
	Years performed at/above OUSD	Pct Points above/below OUSD [most recent year]
African-American	4 of 4	+20
Latinx	4 of 4	+27
Special education	2 of 4	+12
Low-income	4 of 4	+17
English Learners	3 of 4	+3



### **Enrollment Over Time**

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Student Group	Charter School	OUSD (including charter schools)
Hispanic/Latinx	31%	46%
Black/African American	56%	24%
Asian	2%	12%
White	5%	10%
Two or More Races	4%	4%
Other Race/Ethnicity	1%	2%
Not Reported	1%	2%
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	70%	74%
English Learners	14%	31% (grades K-8 only: 35%)
Special Education	11%	13% (excl charter schools: 14%)

#### Questions/Discussion

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