

Alliance Districts Year 2 Amendment Summary

District:	Hamden Public Schools	
Superintendent:	Dr. Frances Rabinowitz	
Year 2 Allocation:	\$2,552,259.00	
Year 2 Priorities:	Major Expenditures:	Total Cost:
1. Implement data-driven decision-making	Data Facilitators/Intervention Specialists, faculty laptops	\$430,787.00
2. Increase academic rigor	Math Specialists, Director of Assessment and Intervention, Complimentary Evaluators, technology to support SBA transition	\$1,425,621.00
3. Establish a system of supports for all students	Summer enrichment programs, afterschool programs, SRBI tutors, Student Support Center staff	\$595,851.00
4. Establish a systemic approach to family and community engagement	Hamden Public Library children's area	\$100,000.00
CCSS and Aligned Assessments:	Educator Evaluation and Support:	School Turnaround:
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • DDDM and Data Facilitators • Understanding by Design model and CCSS curricular alignment • Investment in SRBI processes and tools • iReady software to track elementary intervention students • New Director of Assessment and Intervention to oversee SBA transition • Math and ELA Specialists • Technology investments 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Evaluation model aligned to SEED • Use of complementary evaluators/retired former administrators • Marzano effective teaching strategies • PHocuseD on Learning training consultant (Dr. Todd White); evaluator calibration and ongoing training/executive coaching 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Student Support Centers for one-on-one supports and interventions • Hamden's Partnership for Young Children K transition supports • Freshman Center at HS • Extended learning time for 3 Tier I elementary students • HS RAISES program to increase AP participation among traditionally underrepresented populations with Summer Institute • Specialists in low-performing schools
Other Initiatives:	Revisions to the Resubmission:	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Expanded high-quality and affordable pre-Kindergarten programs • Transition to Kindergarten initiative • Great Start program for home connections 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Additional budget information, including cost justifications for all expenditures and the differentiation between new/expanded initiatives • Information about interventions in the district's lowest-performing schools and an explanation of supports available to schools based on tiering • Improved progress and outcome metrics • Detail on the district's extended day model/programs 	