

# 2015-16 Preliminary School Budget

#### **PROVIDING A FOUNDATION FOR LIFE**

### Administration

Michael A. Nitti, Superintendent Danita Ishibashi, Ed.D., Assistant Superintendent Dennis J. Nettleton, CPA, Business Administrator Harold Louth, Director of Special Education

#### **BUDGET GOALS/PRIORITIES**

- Maintain/Enhance ALL instructional programs
- No Staffing Reductions
- Focus on Student Achievement
- Maintain favorable class sizes
- Maintain full-day Kindergarten
- Maintain G&T, Honors, & AP programs
- · Maintain district music & art programs

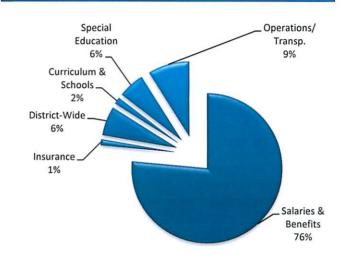
#### **NEW INITIATIVES**

- New professional development/Staff training
- Principal/Teacher evaluation programs
- Adherence to Common Core
- Compliance with PARCC
- Technology infrastructure enhancements
- Facilities preventative maintenance focus
- Transportation efficiency evaluation

#### **BUDGET COMPARISONS**

Year	General Fund Expense	Variance 2.85%	
2015-16	\$66,883,480		
2014-15	\$65,032,168	2.41%	
2013-14	\$63,499,058	-	

#### **BUDGET ALLOCATION**



#### TAX RATE HISTORY FY'10 TO FY'15

School year	09-10*	10-11*	11-12*	12-13	13-14	14-15
Rate	\$2.59	\$2.72	\$2.76	\$2.81	\$2.85	\$2.93
\$ Dif.		\$0.13	\$0.04	\$0.05	\$0.04	\$0.08
% Dif.		5.02%	1.47%	1.81%	1.42%	2.81%

<sup>\*</sup>Budgets approved by voters

#### 2015-16 ESTIMATED IMPACT

TAX RATE ESTIMATE = \$2.96

Or 1.02%

This is a 2.9 cent increase over prior year!

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