

Executive Summary

Hallandale All Magnet High School Broward County School District

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Introduction

Every school has its own story to tell. The context in which teaching and learning takes place influences the processes and procedures by which the school makes decisions around curriculum, instruction, and assessment. The context also impacts the way a school stays faithful to its vision. Many factors contribute to the overall narrative such as an identification of stakeholders, a description of stakeholder engagement, the trends and issues affecting the school, and the kinds of programs and services that a school implements to support student learning.

The purpose of the Executive Summary (ES) is to provide a school with an opportunity to describe in narrative form the strengths and challenges it encounters. By doing so, the public and members of the school community will have a more complete picture of how the school perceives itself and the process of self-reflection for continuous improvement. This summary is structured for the school to reflect on how it provides teaching and learning on a day to day basis.

Description of the School

Describe the school's size, community/communities, location, and changes it has experienced in the last three years. Include demographic information about the students, staff, and community at large. What unique features and challenges are associated with the community/communities the school serves?

Hallandale High School is located in the Southern-most part of Broward County and resides in a high-risk zip code. It is the smallest traditional high school in Broward County with an increased enrollment of 1316: 656 Male and 660 Female - 383 White, 881 Black, 333 Hispanic, 35 Multiracial and 10 Indian.

Over the past three years, Hallandale High school moved from a "C" to an "A" on the Florida A+ grading scale and boasts a graduation rate of 91%, the highest in the school's history! Hallandale High School is being featured in the Sun-Sentinel as an Innovative Magnet Program. The school has a strong partnership with the City of Hallandale Beach, the Occupational Industrialization Center of South Florida, The Davin Joseph Foundation and Health Corp University.

School's Purpose

Provide the school's purpose statement and ancillary content such as mission, vision, values, and/or beliefs. Describe how the school embodies its purpose through its program offerings and expectations for students.

Hallandale High School's mission and vision is to foster a collaborative learning community that enables each student to meet the challenges of a diverse society and ever changing global community. We believe that every child can perform at level of excellence that will help them succeed in a world that is requiring its citizens to meet and overcome various complex situations on a regular basis. As a school, we work to instill strong values within our students and a premium is placed on integrity, respect, and discipline. We believe that if students can embody these attributes they will have the key attributes needed to succeed in any endeavor. Our innovative approach and teaching strategies promote thinking outside of the box with content and programs that allow us to meet the needs of a diverse, multicultural student population. For example, our YMCA aftercare tutoring program to provide remediation where needed and our strong Science, Technology, Engineering and Math programs catering to higher achieving students, reading enrichment and positive social interaction all while using cutting edge technology.

Notable Achievements and Areas of Improvement

Describe the school's notable achievements and areas of improvement in the last three years. Additionally, describe areas for improvement that the school is striving to achieve in the next three years.

In 2015, Hallandale High School was redesigned as an Entrepreneurship, STEM, and Multimedia Technology Magnet School. Hallandale High School is rated number one when it comes to career readiness having over 400 students to pass industry certification in the year 2014. All of our magnet academies are CAPE endorsed with qualified CAPE certified teachers. The Linking Education and Employment Opportunities (LEEO) and National Foundation for Teaching Entrepreneurship (NFTE) is incorporated within our magnet academy of Entrepreneurship. Hallandale High School business partners include engineering companies within our community for our STEM program enhancement. Engineering students built a robot, named Sapphire, that travels around the district and helps recruit students to Hallandale High.

Marcia Notkin, Business teacher, has been recognized, as the 2016 NFTE teacher of the year. Mrs. Notkin epitomizes the NFTE mission and values through her classroom success at Hallandale High School and within the South Florida community. Mrs. Notkin has also been nominated for the 2016 Global Enterprising Educator Award where she will represent our South Florida NFTE program along with an all-expense paid three day trip to New York City.

Hallandale High School Business and Student Government students attended the Construction Career Day event, which was sponsored by the Florida Department of Transportation, Florida Transportation Builders Association, and the Federal Highway Administration. Students were split up and rotated through various quadrants and learning labs, where they gained insight on construction equipment, street design, traffic signals, and more.

Mr. Rivera and his STEM students won the H & R Block Budget challenge in the amount of \$2,500, which they scored above thousands of classes that participated in the on-line stimulation.

Our esteemed principal Mrs. Estella Eckhardt, was named Director of Cadre11 within the school district.

Hallandale High Schools received \$125,000, in grant money from the City of Hallandale Beach, which covers a three year period for Saturday Academic Success Camp.

Students' Government class partnered with the Mardi Gras to make necklaces for charity and received \$1,950.

Hallandale High School is being featured in the Sun-Sentinel as an innovative magnet program:

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Hallandale High School HDTV/Multimedia academy provides students with industry terminology, procedures and skills in staging sets, performing lighting activities for production and operation of studio equipment, present script interpretation, functions of a production team, and careers in television production.

Hallandale High School Graphic Design academy provides students offset reproduction skills, photo graphics, screen-printing, electrostatic printing, finishing operations, internet usage and computer related software. Students will obtain required skills to design websites by utilizing scanners, digital cameras, and various layouts.

Hallandale High School Health Science Academy will provide students with an introduction to health careers as well as practical competencies related to health. Content will include common health skills, disease prevention, medical instructions, and adapting health principles to the home.

Hallandale High School Criminal Justice Academy, which partners with City of Hallandale Beach, will equip, instruct, inspire, and motivate our students with educational tools, which will provide them an opportunity to seek employment within the Florida police agencies and/or sheriff's departments as a Public Service Aide (PSA) or Community Service Aid (CSA).

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Hallandale High School Track and Field Team were State Champions in 2015. Our football team was State Semi-finalists in 2015, which was the first time in history of the school. The Minority Male Success Task Force has mentored numerous zone elementary and middle school students throughout the year. Students who participated in this program received training tutoring, and community involvement. Carter Cares One Blood Drive received a \$500, scholarship to distribute to a student for college.

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Improvements: Need to renovate both TV production and STEM lab along with overhang in the outside hallway, which will provide students

an opportunity to remain in classrooms on rainy days.

Additional Information

Provide any	additional information	you would like to share	with the public and	community that wer	e not prompted in the	ne previous
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Hallandale has an ongoing collaborative partnership with the City of Hallandale Beach.