School Characteristics and Replicable Practices

**Academic Excellence**
- Professional Learning Community
- Grading for Mastery
- Math and Reading Focused Supports
- Peer Tutoring
- Team Teaching
- Sheltered Instruction Observation Protocol (SIOP)
- Spelling Bee
- Geography Bee
- Professional Development (incl. Stetson Training)
- Personalized Learning

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2017-2018 SCHOOL STATISTICS

Designated in 2015
Re-Designated 2018

- Community Size: Suburban
- School Enrollment: 1006
- Grade Levels: 6, 7, 8
- School Calendar: Block
- Free and Reduced Lunch: 31%
- English Learners: 27%
- Students With Disabilities: 10%

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2017-2018 School Demographics

- Hispanic: 31%
- White: 46%
- African American: 5%
- Asian: 13%
- Native American: <1%
- Filipino: <1%
- Pacific Islander: <1%
- Two or More: 4%
- Other: <1%

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"One to the World
"Literacy Journey

**Developmental Responsiveness**
"Positive Behavior Intervention Support
"Co-teaching for ELL and Sped Students
"Inclusive Setting
"Restorative Practice
"Mediation, including peer mediation
"Check In/Check Out Program
"Transition program for incoming 6th graders
"Afterschool Clubs/Activities
"STORM Advisory Groups
"IT Student Recognition /Celebrations
"Student Government Association
"Students housed by grade level with Dean, counselor, & House secretary

**Social Equity**
"Parent Liaison
"Bi-Lingual Interpreters
"Parents as Educational Partners (PEP)
"Variety of club, music, and afterschool activity offerings
"Restorative Practice
"SIOP
"Inclusive Environment
"School within a School
"Thunder Buddies
"Achievement Via Individual Determination

**Organizational Support**
"Content Learning Teams (CLTs)
"Interdisciplinary Teams (Its)
"Block Schedule (90 minute classes)
"Grading for Mastery
"Re-Teaching/Re-Testing
"Inclusive Learning Environments
"Co-Teaching Models
"Transition supports for incoming 6th graders and for exiting 8th graders
"Data Analysis
"Intervention Teams and Tiered Support for Behavior and Academics
"Ownership Time