



SUN Community School Profile 2015

Hartley Elementary School

Lead Agency: Metropolitan Family Service

Service Area & Target Groups/Focus

Children, adults and families who are homeless, living in poverty and/or at risk of academic failure – primarily from school neighborhood, but services are open to anyone.

School Population: 541 students; Grades K-5; 100% Eligible for Free Meals;
78% Students of Color (African American 10%, American Indian/AK Native <1%, Asian 3%,
Hispanic 54%, Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander 4%, Multiple Race 6%, White 22%)

Core Services 2014-15

Extended-Day Activities (children and adults)

Academic Support

AKA Science; Reading and Art;
Computer Literacy; Reading Fun!;
Newsletter and Photography;
Service Learning; Creative Writing;
Computer Games; Power Hour
Reading; Science & Exploration;
Reading Eggs Games; Math IXL
Games; Animal Science; Talented
and Gifted; Taken Charge Game
Time

Summer Programs

10 weeks of Extended Summer
Lunch and Activities; 3 weeks of
Drop-In Reading Program; 4 weeks
of summer SUN program including
academics & enrichment; Visits
from Multnomah County Library's
Books 2 U program with book
exchanges and reading incentives;
Field trip to the Gresham Skate
World; Volunteers from the
community & neighboring middle
school and high school; Summer
AmeriCorps member service
learning group; Summer SUN
Showcase

Recreation

Sports; Group Games; Soccer
League; Dance; After Hours: Kickball;
After Hours: Indoor Soccer;
Basketball League

Empowerment/Skill-Building

Community Kids; Learning for Life;
Boy Scouts; Young Leaders; Service
Learning; Girls Group

Youth Leadership/Involvement

Service Learning; Green Team; Boy
Scouts; Hartley Helpers; Student
Volunteers

Mentoring

Leadership Club; Young Leaders;
Girls Group; Boy Scouts; Boys and
Girls Club; Middle School and High
School Volunteers

Enrichment

Visual Arts, Sculpture Creation,
Paper Arts, Theater, Music,
Newsletter and Photography;
Dance Class; Group Games;
Gardening; Green Team; Pottery;
Jewelry Making; Video Crew;
Puzzles and Team Games

Adult Education

Community gardening; Parent
Education for Early Kindergarten
Transition; Weatherization Toolkits;
Curriculum Nights, Parent
Involvement Committee

Community/Cultural Events

Hartley Welcome Night &
Resource Fair; SUN After Hours;
Soccer de Mayo; SUN Showcases,
School Carnival; Hartley Movie
Night & Resource Fair, Holiday
Bike Drive; Holiday gift drive;
Talent Show

Family Education & Engagement

Daily communication with parents; School-wide parent meetings and activities; SUN After Hours, Resource Referral Network, Open Office Hours, SUN Showcase, Resource Fairs, Volunteer opportunities, Parent Involvement Committee

Case Management & Skill Building

Resource Referrals; Clothing and Houseware Vouchers; Open Office Hours

System Coordination, Service Integration & Site Management

Recruitment/connection of students/families with services; development of referral system
SUN CS Advisory Body (school staff, parents, students, and partner agencies)

Partner Meetings

Student Staffing Meetings

Site Management in Out-of-School Time

Partner and Resource Development

22 Community Agency Partners 310 volunteer hours contributed

8 Business Partners \$78,699 leveraged in cash & in-kind donations

Evaluation 2013-14

Outputs

261 youth served

79% students of color

94% identified as being "at risk of academic failure"

84% qualified for free and reduced lunch

60 adults served

2388 people served in non-enrollment events
(family educational nights, cultural fairs, etc.)

Outcomes

83% of students increased benchmark scores in Reading

96% of students increased benchmark scores in Math

Average daily attendance of SUN CS students was **95%**

According to teachers, of students who regularly attended SUN CS:

74% improved **classroom academic performance**

66% improved getting **homework** in on time

73% **participated** in class more

70% improved **behavior**

78% came to school more **motivated to learn**

SUN Success Story

The Hartley Parent Welcome Night for the school year 2014-2015 was a great success and a wonderful example of the collaborative spirit of SUN. At the beginning of the school year, the students and families were invited to meet their teachers and school staff. There was food and snacks in addition to a Resource Fair that was orchestrated by SUN. The night played out like a scavenger hunt, with each family checking in with all the important and relevant parties: teacher, principal, secretaries, specials teachers, SUN staff and classmates. Over 300 families attended this night and there was plenty for them to do. Most families stayed over the time period that was planned and they all left with smiles. This event was made possible with collaboration from school administration and staff, the MFS SUN Site Manager and AmeriCorps member and several community partners.