GO School 2014-2015: Summary Report Snapshot

GROWING AND SUSTAINING GO

• 561 students were served, compared to 545 students in the previous year.
• 56% of Head Teachers had previously taught with GO, a 14% increase from last program year.
• GO leveraged the support of 667 volunteers who provided in-kind support in the amount of $256,170.

STUDENT SUCCESS

• Proficiency rates for our GO Elementary students increased for both ELA and Math from October to April according to the STAR assessment.
• 90% maintained proficiency across all grades.
• Average Saturday attendance was 80% for GO Elementary students and 81% for GO Middle students.

STRATEGIC PLAN - ACHIEVING OUR PROGRAMMATIC GOALS

• Check-ins with public partner school staff increased in order to share more information on GO students and improve their academic outcomes.
• New host site collaboration continued, including GO presentations to the Grace Church Vestry and the Friends Seminary Parents Association, a student-led Educational Equity Club at Avenues, the recruitment of one teacher from GCS and one from LREI to teach at GO School, and the continuation of the LREI Fine Arts Program.
• New student intervention plans were created to better support our most struggling middle school students.
• GO parent engagement increased through our new Parent Ambassadors initiative, in which families volunteer for GO events and leadership opportunities, and a new PALs cohort.
• Applying to middle school was made easier for GO families through a workshop series, application assistance, and support services.