



Next Door Charter School



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"Early experiences affect the development of brain architecture, which provides the foundation for all future learning, behavior, and health. Just as a weak foundation compromises the quality and strength of a house, adverse experiences early in life can impair brain architecture, with negative effects lasting into adulthood."



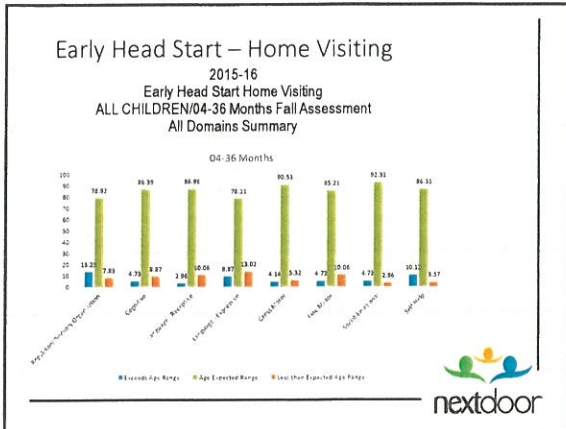
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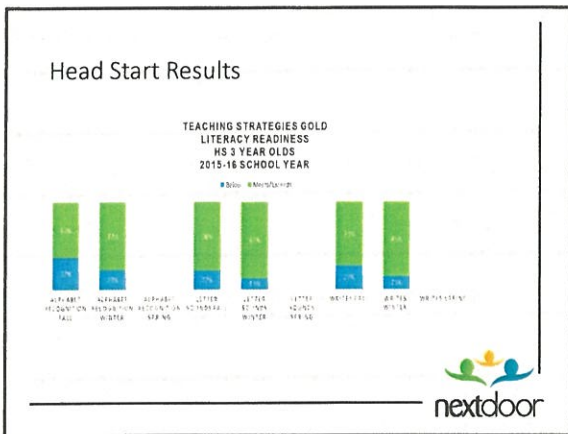
Next Door: Stronger Families through Education

- over 2000 children and their families
- two Next Door sites, five partner sites and ten child care partners



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Books for Kids

- 25 years old
- Distributed over 2,000,000 books


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Fatherhood Program


All fatherhood is very important because single mothers shouldn't have to raise sons or daughters; they need that help. Nas



Adult Basic Education




"Many of these new readers were not yet college-educated, but in terms of their seriousness about the world, their own literacy, and above all their ambitions for their children, they might as well have been."
...David Halberstam, The Powers that Be



- Increase from 166 students (currently all at 29th St site) to 485 students (at 29th St Site and Capitol site)
- 10 additional K4 classrooms
- 6 additional K5 classrooms

Proposed total:
200 k5 students (200 FTE)
285 K4 students (171 FTE)



Next Door Charter School

- Team providing comprehensive mental health support and consultation
- Parent involvement in governance
- Strong board of directors
- Strong fiscal controls and expertise
- Comprehensive data collection and analysis