

# Curriculum and Program Enhancements/Tax Levy

2019 - 2020 Budget

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## **Educational Plan**



## Board of Education Goal:

To create a fiscally responsible and operationally efficient budget that maintains and enhances the integrity of all programs.















## Evidence of Success

The Seaford School District continues to focus on higher levels of achievement through enhancing educational programs and providing for greater opportunities for our students to be successful.

- Increased enrollment in College Level and AP Courses
- Growth in Advanced Regents Diploma Rate
- Highest Graduation Rate in 2018
- More students are attending 4-Year College



# Enrollment in AP and College Level Classes Continues to Grow

2018 – 2019 726 Enrollment in AP and College Level Classes







# Achieved the Highest Advanced Regents Diploma Rate in 2018

Year	# of Graduates	% of Regents Diplomas with Advanced Distinction
2014	191	67.0 %
2015	182	59.3 %
2016	169	58.6 %
2017	176	66.5 %
2018	177	71.6 %







### Highest Graduation Rate in 2018

Year	# of Graduates	Graduation Rate*
2014	191	91.83%
2015	182	92.86%
2016	169	94.94%
2017	176	96.17%
2018	177	97.70%

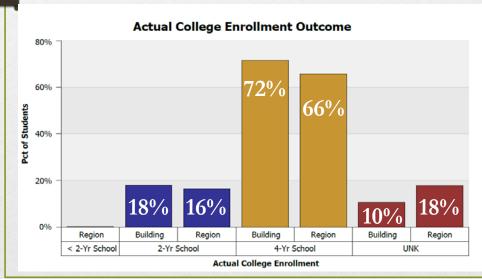


<sup>\*</sup> August graduates are included



### Students Attending 4-Year Colleges

Year	2 Year College	4 Year College
2014	26%	67%
2015	31%	59%
2016	23%	69%
2017	24%	71%
2018	19%	72%





## District-Wide Initiatives





## Personalized Digital Learning

In the 2019 – 2020 budget additional devices will be added.

- 100% of middle school students will have a HP device
- 75% of high school students will have a HP device
- 100% of students in grades 4 & 5 will have a personal HP device in their classrooms
- iPad grade level carts are available for K 3











### Mandated Mental Health Curriculum: Lions Quest

Lions Quest program teaches young people skills necessary for everyday success. These skills include:

- Learning to accept responsibility
- Communicating effectively
- Setting goals
- Making healthy decisions
- Resisting pressure to use alcohol and drugs





# Developing Better Thinkers: Habits of Mind





The Habits of Mind are an identified set of 16 problem solving, life related skills, necessary to effectively operate in society and promote:

- Strategic Reasoning
- Insightfulness
- Perseverance
- Creativity
- Metacognition

Co-founder, Dr. Bena Kallick, will continue her work with our schools



# Seaford High School Enhancements in the 2019 – 2020 Budget

**Lions Quest** 

Habits of Mind

**PDL** 

Supplementing Science Research Program

Aligning STEM Sequences

Electives in Arts and Humanities

Diverse
AP and College
Coursework

Expanding ICT Classes

CDP Art CDP Music

Social Emotional Programming

Professional Development

Updating Classroom and Library Space

## Clubs and Activities

Performance	The Arts	Academic	Social Awareness
Dance	Art Honor Society	Class Officer	Best Buddies
Drama	Digital Film	Computer	Freshman
Production	Lighting Crew	Mathletes	Buddies
Jazz Band	Radio	Mock Trial	Gay Straight
Marching Band	Renaissance	Model Congress	Alliance
Pep Band	Viking Voice	National Honor	Green Team
Tri-M Music	Yearbook	Society	Key
Vocal Ensemble	Mural*	Robotics	S.A.D.D.
		Science	Student Council
		World Culture	
		Books & Bagels*	
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### **Athletics**







<u>Fall</u>
Cheerleading, Cross Country, Football,
Soccer, Volleyball





**WINTER** 

Basketball, Bowling, Cheerleading, Track Wrestling





**SPRING** 

Baseball, Lacrosse, Softball, Track



















# Seaford Middle School Enhancements in the 2019 – 2020 Budget

**Lions Quest** 

**Habits of Mind** 

**PDL** 

Align Science
Program to new
standards

Expansion of Living Environment

New 6<sup>th</sup> Grade Math Program World Languages

New Exploratory
Courses

Additional Guidance Counselor

Professional Development

Additional 7<sup>th</sup> Grade Sports Teams

Clubs and Activities

Enhanced CDP Program and Facilities

Updating
Classroom and
Library Space

Social Emotional Programming

## Clubs and Activities

Performance	Arts and Recreation	Academic	Social Awareness
Drama Jazz Band Woodwind	Table Tennis Yearbook Art*	Junior National Honor Society Robotics Science Science Olympiad ASL*	Diversity PACC S.A.D.D. Service Student Council





### **Athletics**



#### **Fall**

Field Hockey, Cheerleading, Football, Boys and Girls Soccer



#### Winter I

Boys Basketball 7<sup>th</sup> Grade\*, Boys Basketball 8<sup>th</sup> Grade, Cheerleading, Volleyball 7<sup>th</sup> Grade\*, Volleyball 8<sup>th</sup> Grade



#### Winter II

Girls Basketball 7<sup>th</sup> Grade\*, Girls Basketball 8<sup>th</sup> Grade, Wrestling



#### **Spring**

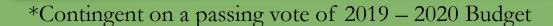
Baseball 7<sup>th</sup> Grade\*, Baseball 8<sup>th</sup> Grade, Lacrosse, Softball, Boys and Girls Track













## Harbor and Manor Schools

# Harbor and Manor Enhancements in the 2019 – 2020 Budget

**Lions Quest** 

Habits of Mind

**PDL** 

Class Size

**Teachers College** 

Professional Development

STEAM Enrichment

Updated Go Math

Updating
Classroom and
Library Space

Social Emotional Learning

Clubs and Activities



## Clubs & Activities



Harbor	Manor
Book	Book
Chess	Chess
Jazz Band	Computer
4 <sup>th</sup> Grade Science	Jazz
5 <sup>th</sup> Grade Science	4 <sup>th</sup> Grade PE
Student Council	5 <sup>th</sup> Grade PE
Technology*	Student Council
TBD*	TBD*





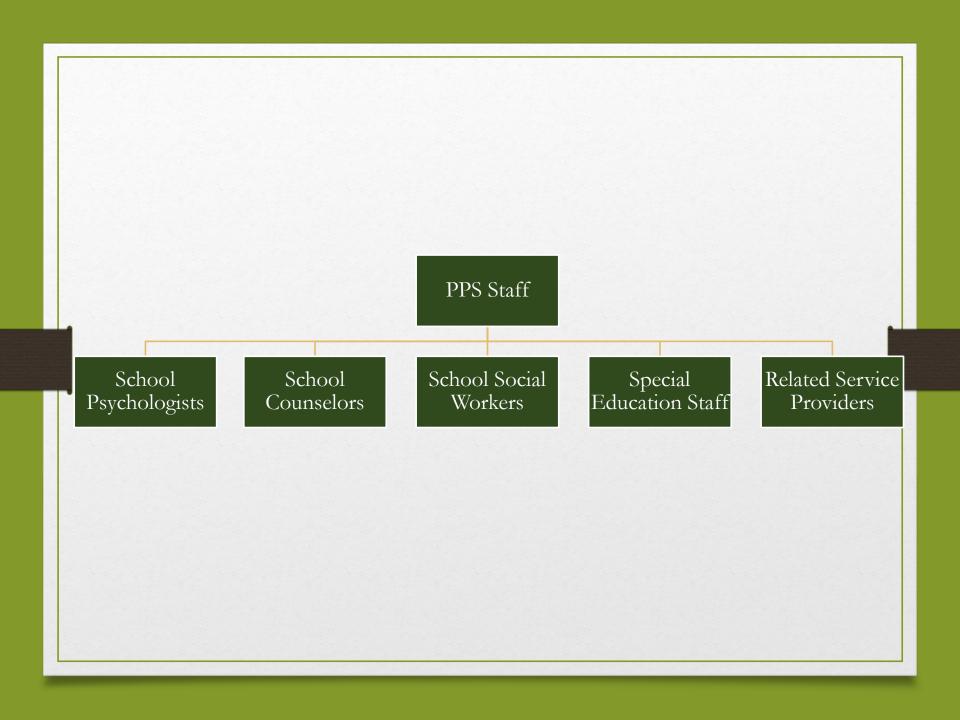




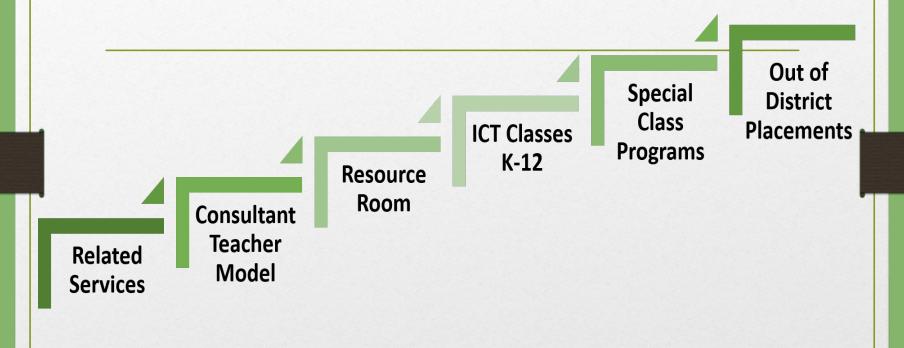
# Pupil Personnel Services at Seaford

Pupil Personnel Staff provide educational, counseling, and therapeutic services to meet the needs of all students and to support the educational programs within the District.

Our mission is to utilize strategies, techniques, and resources to maximize student growth and potential in achieving their academic, social-emotional, and career-based goals.



### **Robust Continuum of Services**



**General Education Building Level Supports K-12** 

# PPS Enhancements in the 2019-2020 Budget

## **Staffing**

Assistant Director of Pupil Personnel Services

Addition of a School Counselor at the Middle School

Professional Development for PPS Staff

### **Programs**

CDP Enhancements
Middle School

CDP Enhancements at the High School

Mental Health Strategic Partnerships

### Resources

Assistive Technology K-12

Adaptive Equipment and Seating

Upgrading Standardized Testing Materials

## Funding for the 2019 – 2020 Budget





# Budget Considerations & Constraints

Enhance opportunities for our students while remaining within the tax cap levy limit.

Budget for facility enhancements through the Repair Reserve & Capital Reserve.

Generate revenue by spending through BOCES.

Continue to improve the District's financial condition and maintain transparency.

### Budget Enhancements 2019 - 2020

Diverse Course Offerings at HS Continuing
Teachers
College ELA
Program

Continuing the Personalized Digital Learning Initiative

Science Research Program Advancement

Enhancements to Special Education & PPS program

New 6<sup>th</sup> grade Math Program Expanded Opportunities for 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Science

Additional Sports & Clubs

Elementary Enrichment Program Additional Professional Development

Facilities Enhancements Security Enhancements



## Tax Levy History

## Tax Levy Increases & Tax Cap

School Year	Maximum Allowable Tax Levy %	Seaford UFSD Tax Levy %
2014-15	1.55%	1.55%
2015-16	2.28%	2.28%
2016-17	1.16%	1.16%
2017-18	2.02%	2.02%
2018-19	2.69%	2.69%
2019-20 proposed	4.04%	2.98%





Proposed Budget Spending Plan 2019-2020				
	2019-2020	Change		
Total Proposed Budget	\$68,436,438	\$70,615,902	\$2,179,464	
Budget to Budget Increase		3.1	8%	
Tax Levy Increase		2.9	8%	



## Track & Turf Field Replacement

- On March 6<sup>th</sup>, the Board of Education discussed the need for replacing the track and turf field through use of the capital reserve.
- Funding this project can be done exclusively through capital reserve or through a combination of funds from the capital reserve and the general fund.



# Options for Consideration

	Option 1	Option 2	Option 3
Tax Levy %	2.98%	3.25%	3.50%
Tax Levy \$	\$53,146,179	\$53,281,179	\$53,414,179
\$ Increase	\$1,539,950	\$1,674,950	\$1,807,950
Budget to Budget %	3.18%	3.38%	3.58%
Budget Amount	\$70,615,902	\$70,750,902	\$70,883,902
\$ Increase	\$2,179,464	\$2,314,464	\$2,447,464

# Questions?