# **FEDUCATIONSUCCESS**

### **Foundation Newsletter**

Summer 2019

## OUR "STUDENTS FIRST" FOCUS FOSTERS ACADEMIC SUCCESS

Our focus on students and their success drives effective programs, whole-child approaches, and continuous improvement. At *EnCompass: Resources for Learning* and *The Norman Howard School*, students and their families are equipped with the personalized support and resources they need to thrive.

We are pleased to share these updates on the student-centered programming we support.

#### **ENCOMPASS: RESOURCES FOR LEARNING**



Literacy support with a side of laundry
Families truly lead the way in our EnCompass
Navigation Approach. Canopy Laundry on
Hudson Ave. is a unique place for a family
event; the idea for "Laundry Day" came from
parents intent on making time for household
needs, family connection, and learning
experiences. EnCompass furnished literacy
activities and resources, dinner, detergent, and
coins for an evening that met many needs.





EnCompass Future Ready Navigation support for college and career-bound teens, has taken flight with 110 student enrolled. After completing 30 hrs of Employment Education in addition to academic and life skill-building sessions, 25 local teens are already employed by our partners: Wegmans, Seabreeze, Rochester Regional Health, and the University of Rochester. Learn how our students are becoming Future Ready: bit.ly/enc-future-ready



300 EnCompass students are learning this summer at sites throughout the community. See what they're up to on [f] @encompassresources



#### THE NORMAN HOWARD SCHOOL



EMPOWER-ing students with writing skills is essential for academic success - especially those who learn differently. Our unique EMPOWER strategy, developed here at NHS, prepares 5-6th graders with tools that promote effective writing through high school and beyond.



100% of NHS seniors are graduates! See how our incredible graduation rate stacks up:

educationsuccessfoundation.org/news/100graduation



Preparing for what is next. Norman Howard students have plans, not just for learning, but also for their futures! Beginning in 6th grade as part of a robust Transition Program, students chart courses to college, careers, skills training, and personal development. Hands on experiences, tours, trips, mock interviews, involvement in EnCompass Future Ready, and formal Career & Tech Ed (CTE) and Work-Based Learning (WBL) pave paths to college and career-readiness.

#### **IMPACT ACROSS OUR PROGRAMS**

Our students have unlimited potential, but their paths to success have many obstacles. Our holistic programs enhance students' connections to each other, their schools, their families, and their community. Your involvement supports year-round resources that make a difference for more than 2.400 children.

