





# **Creative Minds International PCS**

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## School Profile (2015-16)

#### **Board Chair**

Melanie Bowen

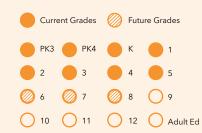
## Founder & Head of School

Golnar Abedin, Ph.D.

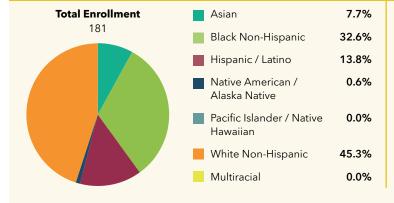
#### **First School Year**

2012-13

#### **Grades Served**



# **Student Demographics (2014-15)**



#### English Language Learner

5.5%

#### Economically Disadvantaged 22.7%

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## **Special Education**

33.7%

## **At-Risk Population**

12.2%

# **Score Explanations**

For schools serving pre-kindergarten (PK) through 8th grades, DC PCSB has implemented a new

Early Childhood/Elementary School/Middle School Performance Management

Framework (PMF) to assess academic performance school-wide. The framework now includes data for students in all grades at the school for multiple measures.

Starting in the spring of 2015, all students in grades 3 and higher, participated in the Partnership for Assessment of Readiness for College and Careers (PARCC).

\* Due to the change in the state assessment, scores and tiers were not displayed in 2014–15.

## A Note from the School

Creative Minds International PCS is a tuition-free school for children located on the Armed Forces Retirement Home Campus in Northwest Washington. CMI is the only public school in the District of Columbia that offers the International Primary Curriculum, a highly engaging, diverse curriculum with project- and arts-based activities that foster creativity, self-motivation, social and emotional development, and academic excellence. Our goal is to provide students with the foundational skills required for successful participation in a global society. Our program's unique combination of child-centered, international, and developmental approaches to education are based on extensive research into various aspects of schooling that have the greatest positive effects on academic achievement.

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# **Creative Minds International PCS 2015 School Performance Report** (2014–15) KEY **Grades Measured: PK3-4** Floor Target 100 **Student Progress: Academic Improvement Over Time** 52.5 Growth on the state assessment in ELA 30 70 100 75.5 Growth on the state assessment in mathematics 100 Student Achievement: Approaching, Meeting, or Exceeding College and Career Ready Standards PARCC: ELA Approaching College and Career Ready and Above 93.6 College and Career Ready 78.2 100 **PARCC: Mathematics** Approaching College and Career Ready and Above 0 100 26.9 College and Career Ready 100 Gateway Outcomes in Key Subjects that Predict Future Educational Success (returning students) 3rd Grade ELA Approaching College and Career Ready and Above 100 8th Grade Mathematics Approaching College and Career Ready and Above **School Environment: Predictors of Future Student Progress and Achievement Attendance** In-seat Attendance Re-enrollment 87.3 Percent of students eligible to re-enroll 64.7 Teacher Interaction Observations: Classroom Assessment Scoring System (CLASS) **Emotional Support** Classroom Organization Instructional Support Due to the change in the state assessment, scores and tiers were not displayed in 2014-15.

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