

## 2022 Update on Teacher Retention, Recruitment, & Shortages

Classified Critical Shortages: Transportation Housekeeping Nutrition Services Instructional Assistants



## Addressing the Challenges:

- Compensation Analyses
- Creative Recruitment Strategies
- Collaborative Staffing Processes
- Working Conditions Market Reviews

#### EARLY CHILDHOOD JOB FAIRS

**ON-THE-SPOT INTERVIEWS** | Come to our Early Childhood Job Fairs to learn about open positions, complete your application and be eligible for an on-the-spot interview!

- Tuesday, July 19, from 1-4 p.m. at the Newburg Louisville Free Public Library, 4800 Exeter Avenue, Louisville, KY 40218
- Wednesday, August 3, from 12-4 p.m. at the Bon Air Louisville Free Public Library, 2816 Del Rio Place, Louisville, KY 40220

Join our team and shape our city's future one child at a time!



Internal and external targeted text and email messaging to potential applicants!



## **JCPS BUS DRIVER BLITZ**

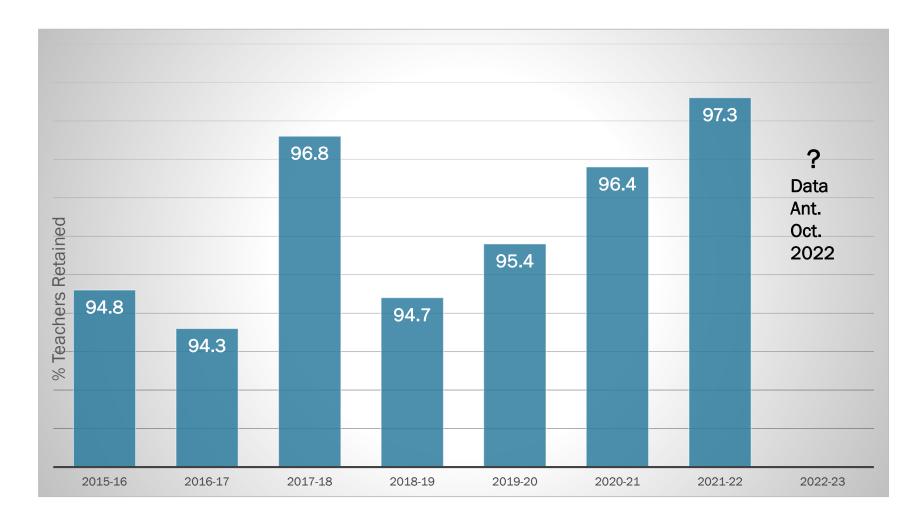
- When: Monday, July 25th from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.
- Where: C. B. Young Service Center at 3001 Crittenden Drive





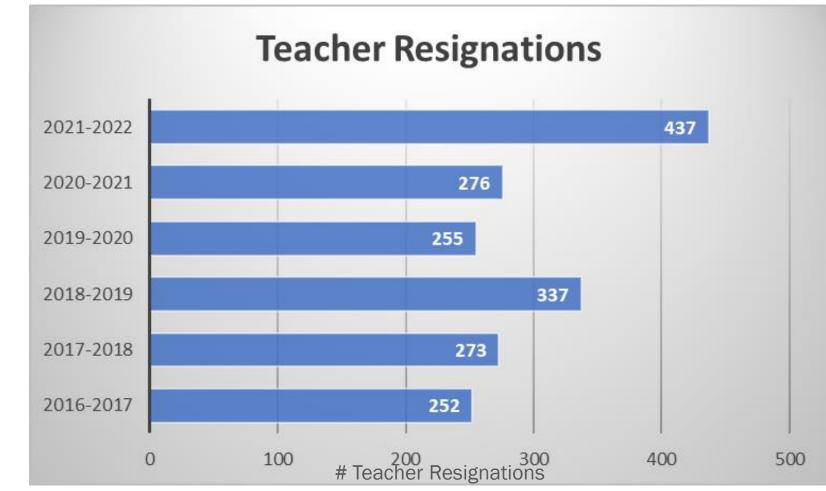
# JCPS Teacher Retention Percentage Trend Data % Teachers retained as of October 1 of school year listed





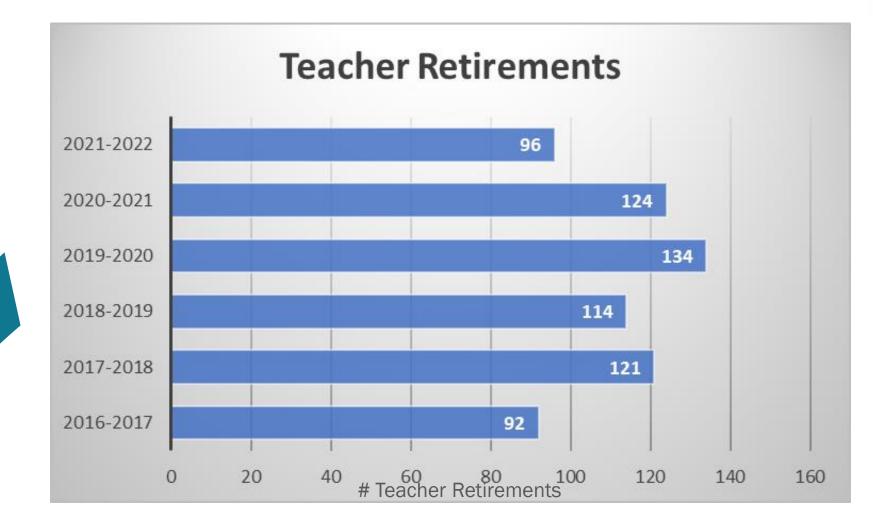


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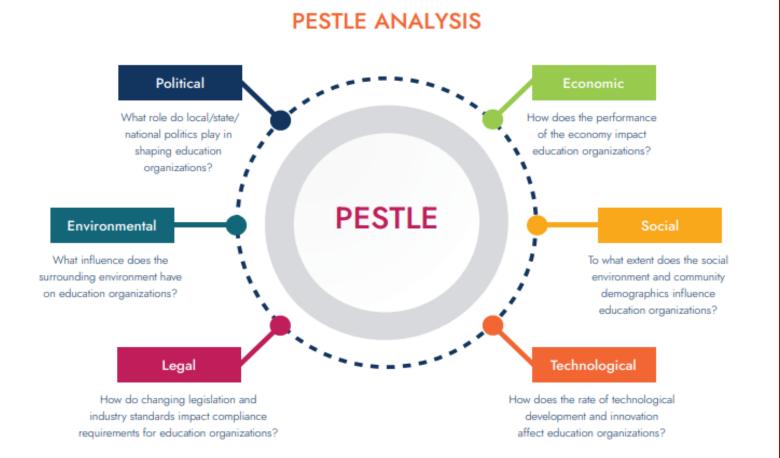


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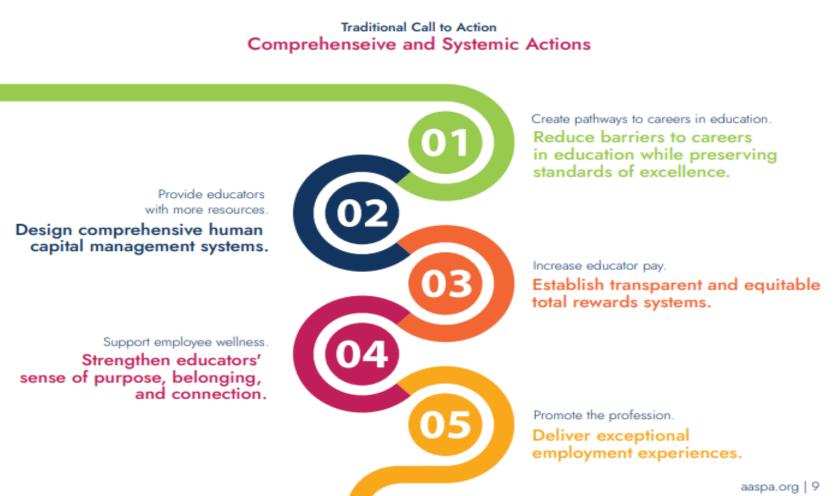
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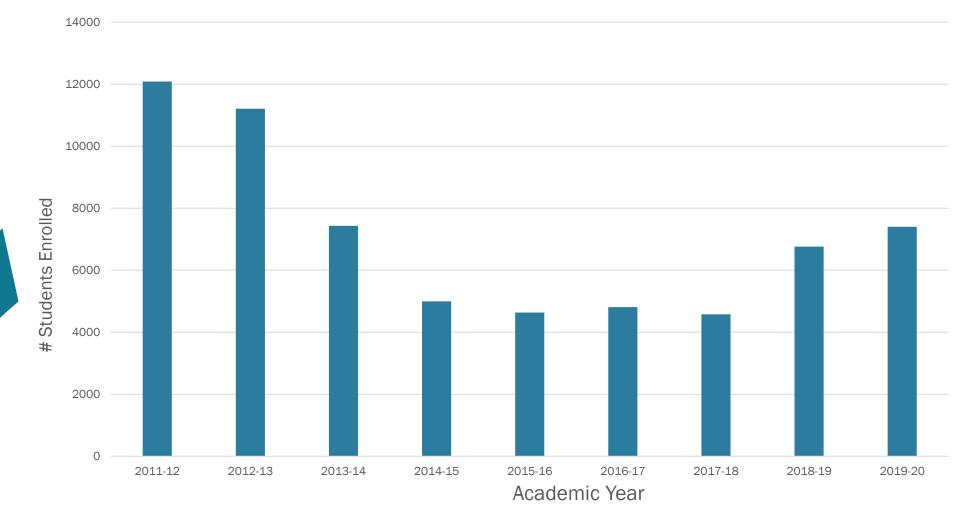




## DATA-INFORMED & RESEARCH-BASED RECRUIMENT EFFORTS

## **KY Educator Preparation Enrollment**



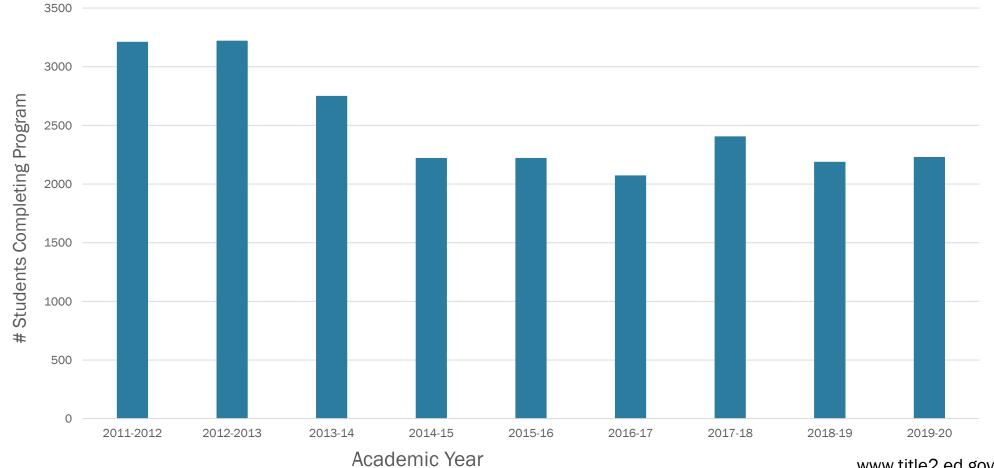


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#### **KY Educator Program Completers**

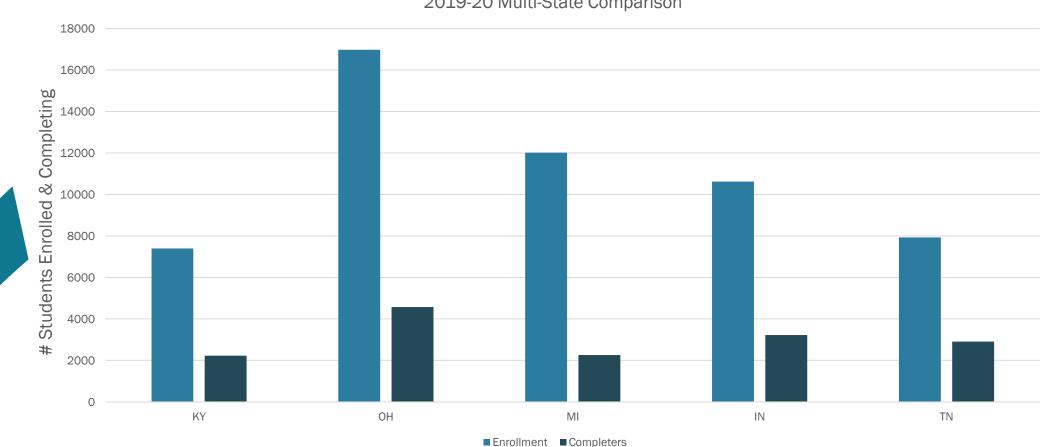




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## **Enrollment & Completion Comparisons**

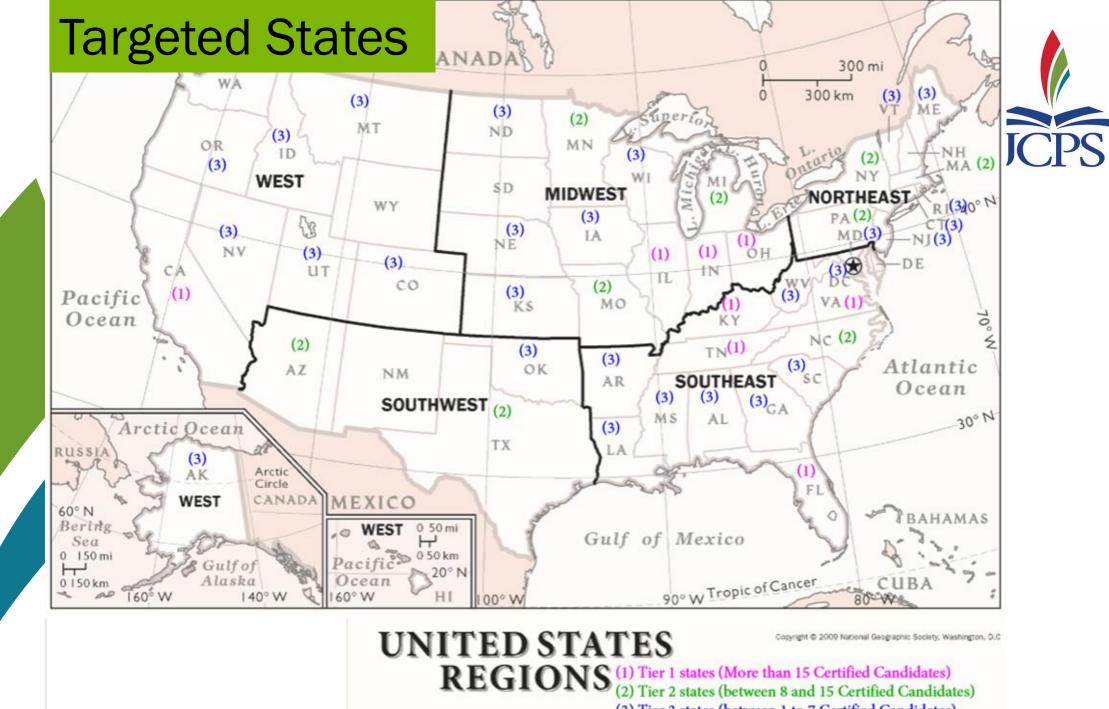


2019-20 Multi-State Comparison

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#### **Recruiting Process** Collaborate with Kentucky Division Identify neighbor Identify alumni of Educator States & from the different Licensure and **Special Factors** universities Quality Identify number of Identify pre-service partnerships; and teachers (teachers Teachers of color of color & other) Serving per university Universities

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| Anetria / Nate | 3/22/2019 | 8:15 am - 11:00 am CDT  | GRREC & WKU Job Fair                           | Bowling Green                 | KY     |             |          | 1    | 39         | 10       | 306        | 14       | 10         |           | 5              |          |
| Anetria/Nate   | 2/27/2019 | 12:00 - 3:30 pm         | Missouri State University                      | Springfield                   | MO     | \$225.00    |          | 1    | 32         | 7        | 543        | 18       | 7          |           |                |          |
| Anetria/Tammy  | 3/4/2019  | 3:30 pm - 6:30 pm       | Grand Valley State University ·(optional inter | Allendale Charter<br>Townshin | м      | \$85.00     |          | 2    | 24         | 7        | 315        | 14       | a          |           |                |          |
|                |           |                         |  | Ann Arbor                     | MI     | 2           |          | 2    | 30         | 7        | 358        | 15       | 3          |           | 5              |          |
|                |           |                         | , ,  | Ypsilanti                     | MI     | ?           |          | 2    | 28         | 7        | 277        | 13       | 3          |           | 5              |          |
| Diane          | 3/11/19   | (schedule interviews)   | CSU Los Angeles                                | Los Angeles                   | CA     |             |          | 1    | 20         | 0        | 205        | 12       | 3          |           |                | 5        |
| Diane          | 3/4/2019  | 9:30 am - 12:30 pm CST  | Eastern Illinois State University              | Charleston                    | IL     | ?           |          | 1    | 40         | 10       | 781        | 20       | 10         |           |                |          |
| Diane          | 3/20/2019 | 9:00 am -= 12:00 pm CDT | West Texas A&M University                      | Canyon                        | ΤX     | \$75.00     |          | 2    | 23         | 7        | 284        | 13       | 3          |           |                |          |
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| Diane          | 3/19/2019 | 9 am - 12 pm            | Texas Tech University                          | Lubbock                       | ΤХ     |             |          | 2    | 18         |          | 387        | 15       | 3          |           |                |          |



<sup>(3)</sup> Tier 3 states (between 1 to 7 Certified Candidates)

## Why JCPS?



- KY among the highest rating for teaching career attractiveness (LPI, 2018)
- Opportunities for Growth
- Competitive Salary Above National Average
- Early Career Support
- Educator Resources
- Relocation Stipend Opportunities
- Testing & Tuition Reimbursement Opportunities

## **Recruitment Initiatives**

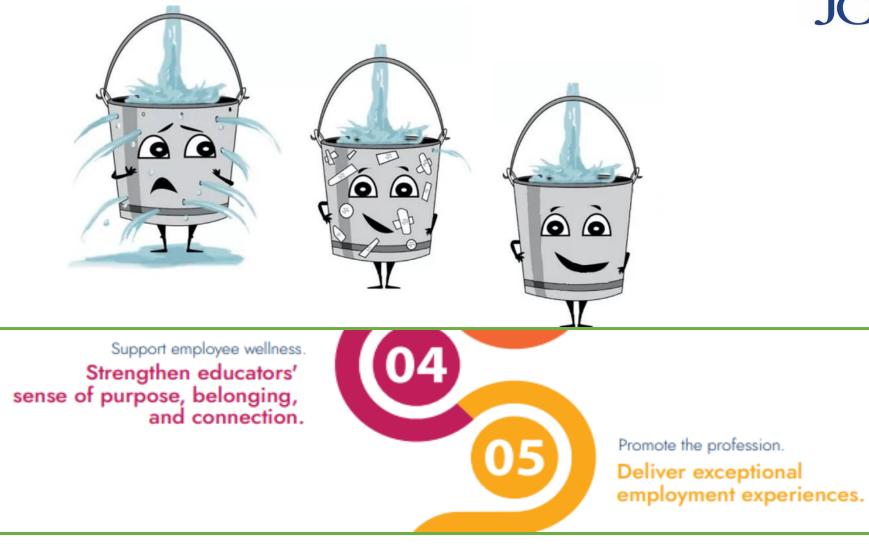




- Continue Broad, National Recruitment (Ed & Non-Ed Majors – Alternative Certification)
- Continue Fostering Relationships with HBCUs
- Recruitment Ambassadors Alumni, Teacher and District Leaders, Ed Rising & Ed Magnet Students
- Expand on Puerto Rico Strategy
- Addressing Barriers to Access to Educator Preparation (STEPP Grant)
- Louisville Teacher Residency Expansion
- Increase Recruitment Staff

The easiest way to fill a teaching vacancy is to prevent it from becoming vacant in the first place (TNTP, 2022).





## **MULTI-FACETED APPROACH TO RETENTION**



Retention <u>starts early</u> and involves a <u>process</u> of constant engagement, particularly with non-tenured teachers—welcoming emails upon hire and ongoing communication throughout year.

<u>Differentiated retention strategy</u> supported by <u>data</u> analysis/research for decision-making and action:

Annual teacher retention by school (with analysis of outliers) Weekly/Monthly teacher separation metrics (retirement, resignation) Teacher voice metrics to give educators an opportunity for giving feedback (e.g., appreciation, teacher voice, work/life balance, compensation) Exit survey data to identify the most important reason for resigning

<u>School-based partnerships</u> in teacher engagement and retention cohort model and point-of-contact model

<u>Systemwide partnerships</u> in teacher engagement and retention— Employee Resource Groups (DEP) and Mentoring (PD Office)

# RETENTION STRATEGIES/DIRECT INTERVENTIONS WITH SCHOOL LEADERSHIP



Developing and supporting new teachers is a <u>central</u> responsibility for principals (USHCA).

Moving <u>beyond traditional approaches</u> to not ONLY developing teachers' instructional and classroom management skills but also providing emotional/social supports and sense of purpose.

<u>Launching</u> – the period from offer to the first day of school; teachers need adequate resources and clear expectations.

<u>Starting Strong</u> – the period from the first student day to winter break; connect the new teachers to the school community while providing useful instructional feedback, coaching, and personalized PD.

<u>Accelerating</u> – the second semester; accelerate the path to teaching effectiveness while supporting struggling new teachers.

## **RETENTION – STRATEGIES/DIRECT INTERVENTIONS WITH SCHOOLS**



Data analytics and Coaching for Principals:

<u>Data analytics</u> involve data collection using confidential survey twice a year (fall, spring)--content is rooted in research.

<u>Leadership coaching</u> by national experts in teacher engagement and retention to celebrate areas of success and to identify <u>next</u> <u>steps</u> for addressing areas of growth; <u>teacher engagement with</u> <u>action planning</u> (e.g., faculty mtg., committees, focus groups).

Teacher retention pilot conducted with <u>18 AIS schools</u> in 2020-2021 (teacher retention gains noted).

Implementation with <u>44 schools</u> (including all AIS) in 2021-2022

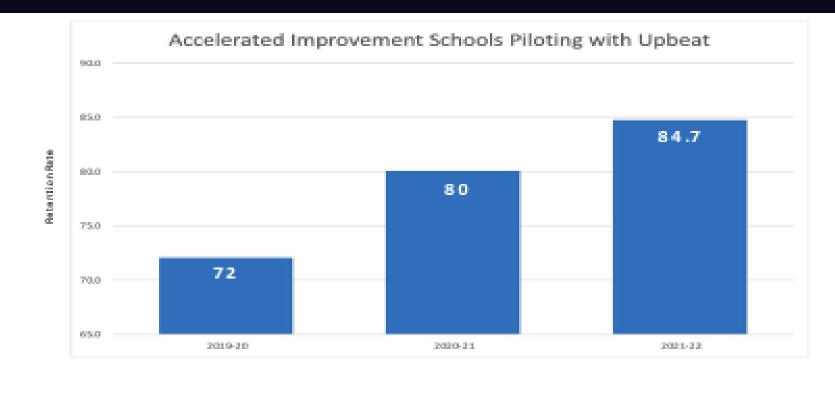
Expansion with more\_schools in 2022-23

**Increase Retention Staff** 

### **Teacher Retention – AIS Pilot Outcomes**



#### Pilot Outcomes Jefferson County Public Schools



#### **INTERNAL BENCHMARK** (N = 1,329 TEACHERS; RR = 74%; <u>COMPARING FALL 21 TO SPRING 22</u>)

• WORK-LIFE BALANCE (+8%)

Whether the workload of the teacher is reasonable, can be maintained for an extended period of time, and if it is able to be balanced with other responsibilities outside of school.

#### EXTERNAL BENCHMARK (SPRING 2022; N = 14,000+ responses across the USA)

• CULTURAL COMPETENCE (+13.5%)Whether the school and administration are prepared to discuss and address racism and discrimination and if issues of race and ethnicity are openly discussed.

• COMPENSATION AND CAREER PATH (+8.1%) If teachers are satisfied with their salary, if they are compensated fairly for taking on extra responsibilities, and if they have opportunities for advancement in their schools.



## School/Principal with Great Retention Gains Byck Elementary School:

- 63% Teacher Retention in 2018-19
- 79%Teacher Retention in 2019-20
- 82%Teacher Retention in 2020-21
- 100%Teacher Retention in 2021-22
- 92%\* Teacher Retention in 2022-23 \*Preliminary; actual % taken 10/1/22

## Addressing the Shortages



Contract Signings 6 days per week

Extra support extending job offers

Creative staffing solutions

Daily follow up with job fair attendees

Additional job fairs scheduled

Navigating releases from surrounding areas



## VACANCIES



## Questions