

## WSCP 2019-2020

# The Challenge

- Maintain high quality of programming
- Meet the need of the current waiting list of about 80 children
- Meet predicted additional need for 40-50 children
- Hire sufficient staff to meet the need

## Considerations

#### In order to expand thoughtfully:

- Respectful of teacher need for classrooms after-school
- Limit student locations for parents' convenience

## The Collaboration

- Pat Keefe (WSCP) and Katherine Brenna (Recreation Department)
- Leverage experience, skills and resources of Recreation
  Department in developing programming and in recruiting staff

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#### The Structure

- WSCP will incorporate Recreation after-school programming under its umbrella with Pat Keefe supervising their work
- Rec and WSCP will share the implementation of larger scale programming in sports, arts, science, and team-building
- As is currently, K-3 will be at each elementary school, 4-8 at WMS
- Will strive to offer 120-130 additional spots program-wide

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### A Typical Day, K-3

2:25	Check-in, Attendance and Recess
3:00	Snack and activity choices
3:30	First Pick-up; Activity Rotation #1
4:00	Activity Rotation #2
4:30	Second Pick-up; Activity Rotation #3
5:00	Free Play Block and Homework
5:30	Varied activities and Homework
6:00	Final Pick-up

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### A Typical Day, 4-5

2:25 Check-in, attendance and recess (as

possible)

2:35-2:50 Board bus to MS BASE (time depends on

site)

3:20

3:30

3:00 Arrival at WMS and Recess

**Snack and Activity choices** 

First pickup (if necessary); Activity

**Block, Clubs** 

4:30 Second Pick-up; Varied activities &

Homowork

### A Typical Day, 6-8

3:15

3:30

Crafts;

4:30

Homework

5:30

6:00

Check-in, Attendance and Snack Activity Block, including: Recess;

Clubs; Homework; Chromebooks First Pick-up; Varied activities;

Varied activities and Homework Final Pick-up

### Sign-Up Process

Per day/per site caps set prior to the start of the registration process

**April 8-14:** On-line Registration for returning and FY19 Waitlist families

**April 26-30:** On-line Registration for new and Kindergarten families;

- If necessary, include disclaimer that not all registrants will be guaranteed enrollment
- Include information about other other options such as Longfellow and possibly YMCA

May 1: Notify families who registered above the identified capacity

### Challenge: Staff Recruitment Plans

- Aggressive recruitment of staff from FSU, Mass Bay, Bentley, Regis, Brandeis, Babson, Bridgewater State, Keefe Tech
- Flexible opportunities for high school staff
- More systematic recruitment of current and new district staff
- Recruit staff from Rec summer staff
- Recruit parents to work (not in the buildings where their children attend)

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### **Questions?**

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### Thank you