

2015-2016 Annual Report



Executive Director's Letter

Dear Colleagues, Partners, and Friends,

In the pages that follow, you will learn more about CREC. You will learn what we did in 2015-2016 and what we plan to do in the months ahead.

Consider it our blueprint—your guide to our hopes and dreams.

Our annual report is a chance for us to reflect on our accomplishments, recognize our new partnerships, and marvel at our agency's growth. It is also an opportunity to reflect on any changes made throughout the year, and with my arrival, CREC recently experienced the greatest change of all—a change in leadership.

I started at CREC on January 1, 2016, and the CREC community—both its employees and its partner districts—welcomed me warmly and helped me as I learned the intricacies of this large, 50-year-old agency. I would be remiss if I didn't thank former Executive Director Bruce E. Douglas for his guidance and support during this transition. While this annual report reflects the agency's accomplishments, it is also a reflection of Bruce's leadership and vision. CREC is a stronger, more robust agency because of him.

The information included in our annual report is important. It forces us to look forward, keeping an eye on our mission and goals. For 50 years, we've helped our partner districts, children and families, and other businesses and organizations in so many ways, but we can always do better. We can always be smarter, more innovative, more resourceful, and more understanding.

As budgets get tighter, CREC promises to continue to provide high-quality services. We promise to think big, be bold, and lead the way. Through our magnet schools, adult education programs, professional development opportunities, and regional efficiency initiatives, I know we make a difference, and we want to continue to do everything we can to help you succeed—to help all children achieve their highest potential.

The annual report you are about to read captures a moment in time: 2015-2016. While it is a document that we produce every year, this report is special. This year, CREC marked a milestone anniversary, and this report reflects just how much we've grown. Once a small, cooperative grassroots project, we've grown, matured, and blossomed into a diverse, large agency that remains committed to helping others. We are proud of our accomplishments and are happy to share them with you.



A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Greg J. Florio". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Greg J. Florio, Ed.D

Mission

To work with boards of education of the Capitol Region to improve the quality of public education for all learners.

To achieve its mission, CREC will:

- Promote cooperation and collaboration with local school districts and other organizations committed to the improved quality of public education;
- Provide cost effective services to member districts and clients;
- Listen and respond to client needs for the improved quality of public education; and
- Provide leadership in the region through the quality of its services and its ability to identify and share the quality services of its member districts and other organizations committed to public education.

Goals

CREC staff and programs will work with local school systems to meet their needs and the needs of students.

- Each student in the public schools of the Capitol Region will demonstrate learning at ever higher levels.
- Each student in the public schools of the Capitol Region will demonstrate high levels of literacy by the end of Grade 3.
- Each student in the public schools of the Capitol Region will participate in learning environments that more closely reflect the diversity of the region's population.

Vision

Every student can and shall learn at high levels and, therefore, must have access to all educational resources of the region through the system of public schools served by CREC.

Objectives

- To identify the educational needs of CREC member school systems.
- To bring together resources to help local school districts.
- To solve common problems.
- To stimulate local educational activities and develop new CREC programs which address the student goals of the CT Board of Education.
- To assist local boards of education in providing a continuum of student services and settings which facilitates the education of all children.
- To provide quality direct services to identified students using an array of specialized cooperative, integrated, and stand alone settings.
- To improve the quality of staff in CREC and its member districts for the purpose of improving learner achievement.
- To inform CREC membership, governmental bodies, and the community at large about the contribution of CREC to the "Educational Enterprise".
- To achieve continued improvement in the conduct of all CREC internal and external services.

2015-2016 Governance

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Ellington Public Schools

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Glastonbury Public Schools

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Kristen Picard-Wambolt

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Windsor (Alternate) – Paul Panos
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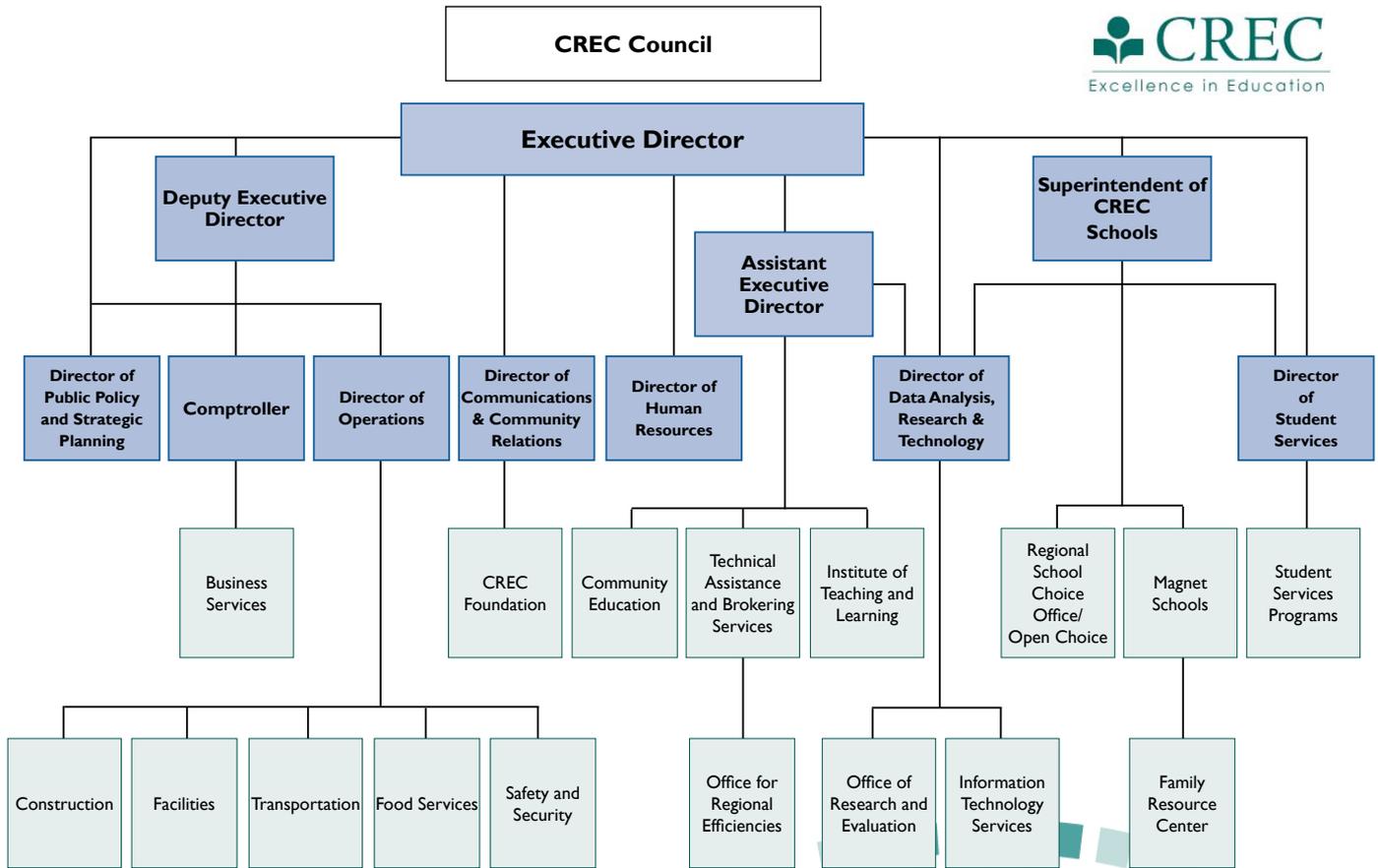
** Board Members of the CREC Council*



Jeremy Grieveson



Christopher C. Wilson



Organization Plan – April 2016

Dark blue shaded box denotes CREC Cabinet member.

***Magnet Schools**

- CREC Academy of Aerospace and Engineering
- CREC Ana Grace Academy of the Arts Elementary School
- CREC Discovery Academy
- Glastonbury-East Hartford Magnet School
- CREC Greater Hartford Academy of the Arts
- CREC International Magnet School for Global Citizenship
- CREC Medical Professions and Teacher Preparation Academy
- CREC Metropolitan Learning Center for Global and International Citizenship
- CREC Montessori Magnet School
- CREC Museum Academy
- CREC Public Safety Academy
- CREC Reggio Magnet School of the Arts
- CREC Two Rivers Magnet School
- CREC University of Hartford Magnet School

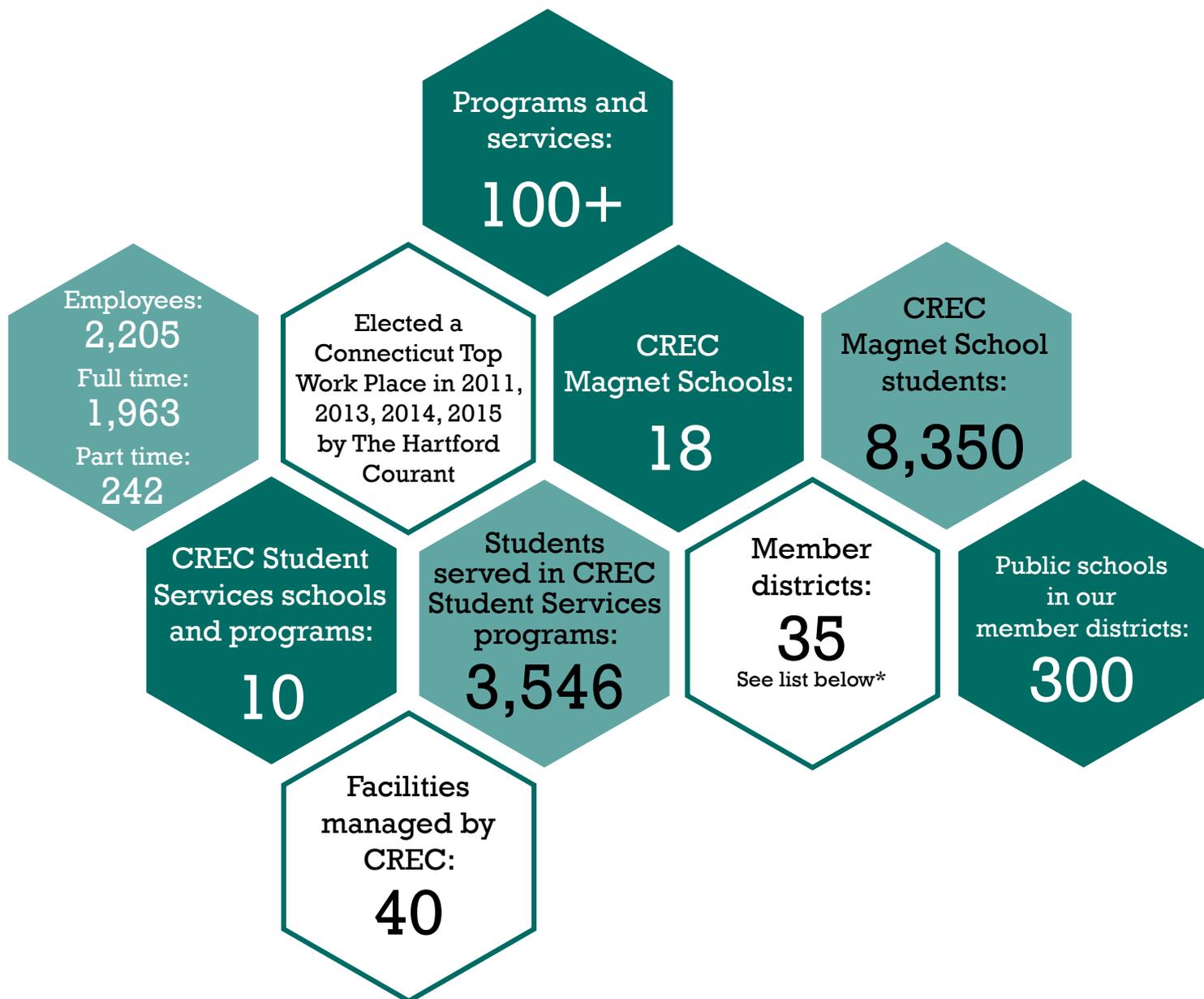
****Student Services Programs**

- Early Childhood Services
- Farmington Valley Diagnostic Center
- Hartford Juvenile Detention Center
- Health Services
- Integrated Program Models
- CREC's John J. Allison, Jr. Polaris Center
- Lincoln Academy
- Magnet Schools Special Education
- CREC River Street School at Coltsville
- CREC River Street School
- CREC Soundbridge
- CREC Southern Transition Real-World and Independent Vocational Education

Excellence in Education



CREC at a Glance



Avon, Berlin, Bloomfield, Bolton, Bristol, Canton, Cromwell, East Granby, East Hartford, East Windsor, Ellington, Enfield, Farmington, Glastonbury, Granby, Hartford, Hartland, Manchester, New Britain, New Hartford, Newington, Plainville, Portland, Region 10 (Burlington & Harwinton), Rocky Hill, Simsbury, Somers, Southington, South Windsor, Suffield, Vernon, West Hartford, Wethersfield, Windsor, and Windsor Locks

Total budget:
\$394,935,600

Number of
school facilities
managed by
CREC:
22

Land
maintained by
CREC:
111.23
acres

Square
feet managed
by CREC:
2.1
million

CREC's
construction
projects:
more than
1.3 million
square feet

Distance
traveled by CREC's
Transportation
Division:
15.1 million
miles

How CREC Sets Priorities

CREC works closely with many partners to ensure that our agency's priorities and our programs and services respond to the growing and ever-changing needs of our varied clientele. CREC works diligently to listen to and probe our partners and clients for understanding and perspective. During 2015-2016, CREC continued to rely on feedback from:

- Advisory committees that help set program-specific priorities with direct service programs;
- CREC's Board of Directors and the CREC Council, representing Board of Education members from urban, suburban, and rural districts, meet monthly to discuss problems affecting education in our region and encourage CREC to pursue an active role in providing high-quality, cost-effective solutions;
- Ongoing meetings held with the Hartford Area Superintendents' Association, curriculum directors, special education directors, personnel directors, Connecticut Association of School Business Officials, Connecticut Association of Boards of Education, and meetings with the State's Commissioner of Education;
- Needs assessments and planning documents from state agencies as they reflect the needs of the capitol region;
- The strategic planning committees of organizations, primarily the Connecticut State Department of Education and the Capitol Region Partnership and its member agencies;
- Regular meetings with other regional service agencies to assess needs and discuss the ways those needs can be met through cooperative efforts;
- All internal divisions and programs through an ongoing, comprehensive, and collaborative strategic planning process that evaluates the changes and growth in demand for services; and
- Stakeholder surveys and program evaluations that gather information about the targeted needs of our clients, the accessibility of our programs, and the quality of our services.

Information from these and other sources is analyzed and evaluated by CREC's cabinet and senior management team. CREC's cross-divisional internal staff leadership team studies emerging needs and examines the interdepartmental strengths which could be matched to meet those needs. The results are shared with the team of CREC program managers. Strategies are then devised for how to implement the identified services. Feedback, flexibility, and responsiveness are key components to our success.

The CREC Foundation



Much like the agency it supports, the CREC Foundation makes a difference every day by striving to improve education for all learners in Greater Hartford.

Since it was established in 2005, so many corporate and individual donors have helped the CREC Foundation grow and flourish. Because of this generosity, CREC has been able to support art, music, science, math, and after-school and summer enrichment; fund adult education programs; give away backpacks and school supplies to families in need; and provide funding for scholarships that are awarded to deserving students.

Support for the CREC Foundation has come in many forms—from cash and item donations to participation in foundation special events.

In October 2015, the foundation held its first golf tournament at the Hartford Golf Club, raising \$81,000 to support CREC's educational programs and services. Because of the tournament's success, this will become an annual event.

The same is true for CREC's Back to School Block Party.

In 2015, the foundation was instrumental in securing donations for CREC's first-ever Back to School Block Party. With the foundation's support, CREC was able to distribute 650 free backpacks filled with school supplies to Greater Hartford families, providing an opportunity for donors to directly see how their money is being used.

The CREC Cares Fund, an employee-directed giving program, was also created in 2015. The good will initiative enables the CREC Foundation to help members of its own community who have experienced a catastrophic incident that has caused serious economic hardship, and it continues to grow both in the number of participants and the amount of money received.

Finally, in 2015, the CREC Foundation started the Bruce E. Douglas Scholarship for Overcoming Adversity. Named in honor of Bruce E. Douglas, who served as CREC's executive director from 2001 to 2015, the scholarship was awarded to four deserving high school seniors in the CREC region who are enrolled in two- or four-year colleges.



It's been a busy year, and the CREC Foundation would not be successful without the tremendous backing of its donors. These donors make dreams—big and small—possible, and the foundation thanks them for their generosity. There's strength in numbers, and the foundation knows its impact on the Greater Hartford community is greater because others believe in and support its mission.



Rohan Freeman
Freeman Companies
Golf Invitational Co-chair



Peter Stevens
JCJ Architecture
Golf Invitational Co-chair



CREC cares

BACK TO **SCHOOL**

FRIDAY, AUGUST 21, 2015
3 p.m. to 7 p.m.

111 Charter Oak Avenue, Hartford, CT 06106
860-247-CREC | www.crec.org

Rain or Shine
Free Backpacks filled with supplies are limited. Come early!
(Children MUST be present to obtain bookbags.)

Children's Activities, Snacks, Games, and Resources!

- 25 Free Haircuts for 8-12 year olds from Puerto Polo
- Spotlight Theatre to Give Away Popcorn
- EL Center Raffle Tickets Off
- Off the Wall Zumba
- Sand Art from The Connection for Supportive Housing
- Puppet Show from the Hispanic Health Council
- City of Hartford Youth and Recreation
- Hartford Police Department Fire Truck
- Hartford Fire Department Fire Truck
- Girl Scouts of Connecticut
- Sign Up with the Boys & Girls Clubs of Hartford
- Covenant to Care to Give Away Free Stuffed Animals
- YMCA of Greater Hartford brings Trivia and Prizes
- Sign Up for a Library Card with Hartford Public Library
- Joe Cream for Dreams
- National Alliance of Mental Illness of Connecticut
- CASAC Games and Prizes

Keynote Sponsors

- Capital City Education Alliance
- CREC Excellence in Education
- NSL Educational Foundation



Donors

Funding Agencies

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Alfred Benesch & Company
Allston Supply Company, Inc.
Amazon Foundation
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American Eagle Federal Credit Union
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Anthem Blue Cross Blue Shield of CT
Antinozzi Associates
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Transportation Management Solutions
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United Technologies Charity Trust Acct
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Valley Communications Systems, Inc.
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Regional Collaboration and Partnerships

State Agencies

CT Assistive Technology Project
CT Board of Education and Services for the Blind
CT Bureau of Rehabilitation Services
CT Commission on the Arts
CT Commission on Children
CT Commission on Deaf and Hearing Impaired
CT Cooperative Extension
CT Departments of:

- Administrative Services
- Children and Families
- Corrections
- Developmental Services
- Economic and Community Development
- Education
- Environmental Protection
- Health
- Justice and Sheriff
- Labor
- Mental Retardation
- Public Health and Addiction Services
- Social Services
- Support Services Division

CT Coalition for the Education of Deaf and Hard of Hearing Children
CT Development Authority
CT Health and Educational Facilities Authority
CT Husky Health Care
CT Vocational Technical Schools

Higher Education

State Board of Higher Education
Bureau of Voc-Tech Schools
CT Adult Education Programs
Central Connecticut State University
Eastern Connecticut State University
Asnuntuck Community College
Capital Community College
Charter Oak College
The Lincoln College of New England's Dental Hygiene Program
Manchester Community College
Tunxis Community College
Quinnipiac University
Sacred Heart University
Trinity College
University of Connecticut
University of Hartford

University of New Haven
University of Saint Joseph
Wesleyan University
Yale University

Professional Associations

Accreditation Facilitation Project
Adult Numeracy Network
After School Network Alliance
American Association of School Administrators
American Society of Training and Development
Commission on Adult Basic Education
CT Academy of Educational Leaders
CT Association of Adult and Continuing Education
CT Association of Boards of Education
CT Association for Children With Learning Disabilities
CT Association for the Education of Young Children
CT Association of Nonprofits
CT Association of Public School Superintendents
CT Association of School Business Officials
CT Association of School Personnel Administrators
CT Association of Secondary Schools
CT Business and Industry Association
CT Child Care Training Academy
CT Council of Administrators of Special Education
CT Principals' Academy
CT Quality Council
CT School Public Relations Association
CONN Teachers of English to Speakers of Other Languages
Hartford Area Superintendents Association
International Association of Psychosocial
National Commission on Adult Basic Education
National Coalition for Literacy
National and CT Associations for the Education of Young Children (NAEYC and CAEYC)
National Out of School Time Association
New England Parent Information Education
Northeast Educational Research Association
Raising Readers Beginning with Books

Legislative

Connecticut General Assembly
M.O.R.E. Commission

Local and Regional Agencies

Capital Area Substance Abuse Council
Capital Region Workforce Development Board
Capitol Region Council of Governments
Career Resources
Catholic Family Services
Celebration Foods
Connecticut Association of Schools
Connecticut Association of Supervision and Curriculum Development
Connecticut Historical Society
Connecticut Light and Power
Connecticut Puerto Rican Forum
Connecticut Women's Education and Legal Fund
Co-Opportunity, Inc.
Gems Sensors & Controls
Goodwill of Western & Northern Connecticut, Inc.
Greater Hartford Arts Council
Greater Hartford Legal Aid
Greater Hartford Transit District
Hartford Area Child Care Collaborative
Hartford Consortium for Higher Education
Hartford Foundation for Public Giving
House of Bread
Infoline and Birth-to-Three
Journey Home
Leadership Greater Hartford
Manchester Historical Society
MetroHartford Regional Economic Alliance Metropolitan District Commission
Midstate Medical Center
National Center for Family Literacy
New England Assistive Technology
New England Regional Literacy Resource Center
Northeast Utilities
Northeast and Islands
Pitney Bowes Foundation
Regional Laboratory for Educational Improvement of the Riverfront Recapture
SINA (Southend Institutions Neighborhood Alliance)
State Education Resource Center
The Workforce Inc.
United Illuminating
United Way of the Capital Area
University of Connecticut Health Center
VOCAL

Hartford Agencies and Organizations

City of Hartford
Coalition to Strengthen Sheldon/Charter Oak Neighborhood
Community Renewal Team
Hartford District Parole Office
Hartford Hospital
Hartford Multicultural Center
Hartford Public Library
Institute of Living
Mark Twain House and Museum
Old State House
Saint Francis Hospital and Medical Center

Federal Agencies

Environmental Protection Agency
National Aeronautics & Space Administration
U.S. Dept. of Education
U.S. Dept. of Housing & Urban Development

Regional Educational Service Centers

CREC is one of six Regional Educational Service Centers (RESCs) in Connecticut. Membership in one RESC enables a district to access the programs and services from other RESCs if those services are not available within their region. CREC works with Area Cooperative Educational Services (ACES), Cooperative Educational Services (CES), EASTCONN, LEARN, and Education Connection to provide services to virtually every public school district in Connecticut.

Hartford Region Open Choice Program

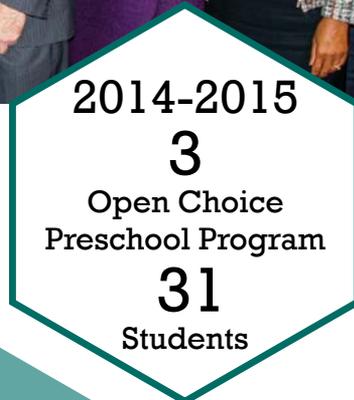
The Hartford Region Open Choice Program continues to serve Hartford students attending schools in suburban districts and suburban students attending schools in the city of Hartford. This year, the program served 2,258 students, attending 134 schools in 27 districts. With support from the Open Choice Early Beginnings team, the program served 239 preschool and kindergarten students enrolled in 21 districts.

To forward the Sheff mission, CREC continues to collaborate with Open Choice districts to successfully educate students throughout the Hartford region. Students have access to resource specialists, the Choice After School Academy, the Open Choice Youth Empowerment Summit, the Open Choice Summer Academy, and a credit recovery program. A variety of professional development opportunities are available for school districts.

The Hartford Region Open Choice Program celebrated 50 years in 2016.

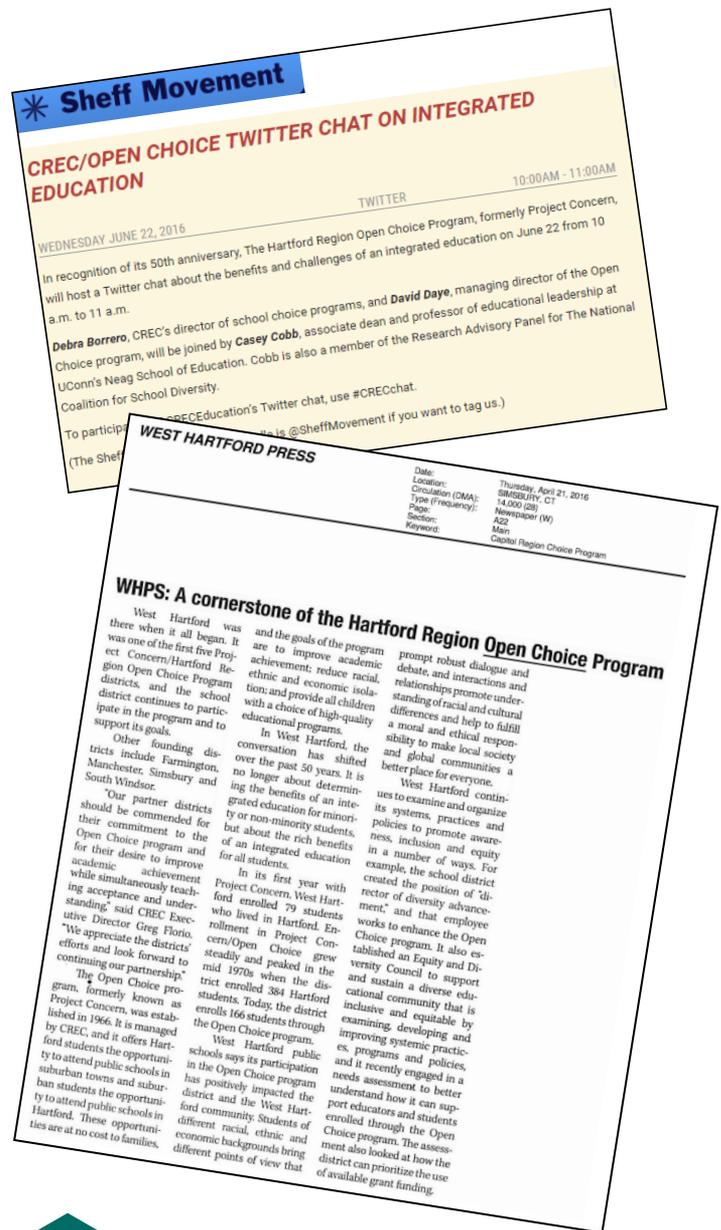


Preschool Enrollment



New for 2015-2016

- Focused on academic remediation as part of the Choice After School Academy service model
- Expanded the Open Choice Youth Empowerment Summit, an alternate spring break, for high school students from one week to two weeks
- Provided an opportunity for Open Choice Book Club participants to attend the first-ever Social Justice in Equity Conference in collaboration with CREC's Institute of Teaching and Learning
- Launched the first Family Engagement Series in collaboration with CREC Magnet Schools
- Established the Marjorie Little Book Award for graduating high school seniors
- Established a partnership with the National Conference for Community and Justice to support culturally relevant practices in high schools



Planned for 2016-2017

- Launch Seeds of Success, a collaborative summer program for high school students
- Develop workshops and professional development training about social justice, diversity, and inclusion for Open Choice districts
- Continue established partnerships with CREC Magnet Schools and CREC's Institute of Teaching and Learning to engage families and the community and to ensure student success
- Continue to collaborate with school districts to increase preschool programs for Hartford residents

In 2015, the Hartford Region Open Choice Program increased the Mary Carroll-Kennedy Scholarship amount from \$250 to \$4,000 each and gave the scholarship to three graduates, and it introduced the Marjorie Little Book Award, giving \$1,000 each to two graduates.

\$14,000
in scholarships was
awarded to Open Choice
program graduates
pursuing higher
education.



Expert Solutions

Community Education

CREC's Division of Community Education serves as the statewide provider of training and technical assistance to adult educators. The division provides professional development in the areas of career and technical education and financial literacy.

CREC Community Education provides professional development to businesses and nonprofit organizations in employee enhancement skills, effective supervision, leadership development, and technology. It also implements workforce development programs, providing basic and occupational skills training, internships, and job placement to out-of-school youth and adults, and the division provides basic skills enhancement programs in area workplaces.

Throughout 2015-2016, CREC Community Education provided professional development and training to nearly 6,500 people in Connecticut.

New for 2015-2016

- Expanded the CREC Testing Center at Coltsville to include the Educational Testing Service praxis exam
- Began a career pathways training program for English language learners to help them obtain medical office administrator certification in collaboration with Manchester Community College
- Partnered with state agencies, Capital Workforce Partners, and regional training providers to offer education and training programs to those participating in the governor's "Second Chance Society" initiative
- Provided training to adult education teachers throughout Connecticut to implement the College and Career Readiness Standards
- Organized two cohorts of the Reinvestment in Senior Employment program, which is for unemployed adults over the age of 50
- Provided professional development workshops for districts piloting the Unpaid Experiential Learning Program
- Held a science, technology, engineering, and math conference for career and technical education administrators and teachers

Planned for 2016-2017

- Develop and implement adult education programs at the New Britain Housing Authority Regional Employment Center
- Provide staff and supervision in a new Two Generation program in Hartford, East Hartford, and West Hartford
- Hold professional learning workshops for districts that want to offer a cooperative work education program to their students
- Offer professional learning workshops that will focus on adding personal finance classes in participating districts
- Enhance the skills of adult education teachers by providing "train the trainer" workshops on College and Career Readiness Standards

Construction Services

CREC Construction Services works on Sheff magnet school building projects and completed the CREC Discovery Academy and CREC Academy of Aerospace and Engineering school building projects in August of 2015. The division also managed 10 other Sheff magnet school projects as they progressed through various phases of design, construction, and closeout.

In addition, CREC Construction Services provides expansion services for the facilities that incubate CREC's school programs, and it works on building projects as project managers or owner's representatives for local school districts and municipalities throughout Connecticut.

New for 2015-2016

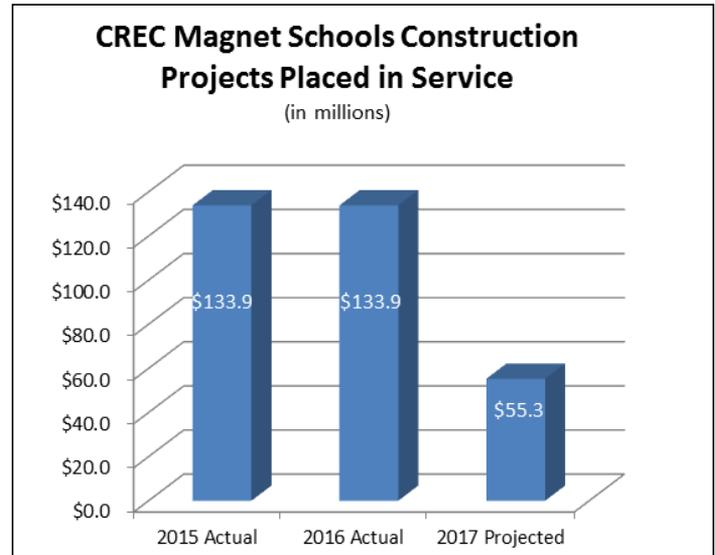
- Actively managed the Sheff school construction program consisting of 12 projects and more than \$761 million in project costs
- Successfully completed the CREC Discovery Academy and CREC Academy of Aerospace and Engineering school building projects with a combined square footage of 215,504 square feet
- Served as the owner's project manager on 13 projects for 11 districts and clients, resulting in more than \$436 million in project costs
- Completed five summer projects for schools in temporary locations on time for the start of the 2015-2016 school year, costing \$1.7 million

Planned for 2016-2017

- Complete the closeout of construction and prepare for the audit of CREC's Reggio Magnet School of the Arts
- Complete the final phases of construction, the commissioning process, and begin closeout for CREC's International Magnet School for Global Citizenship, the CREC Public Safety Academy, CREC's Medical Professions Academy, CREC's Academy of Aerospace and Engineering, and the CREC Discovery Academy
- Complete construction and prepare the CREC Museum Academy for occupancy in August of 2017
- Manage the design and begin construction of the CREC Ana Grace Academy of the Arts Elementary School, the CREC Greater Hartford Academy of the Arts Middle School, and CREC Two Rivers Magnet High School
- Manage the design and grant process for CREC's Academy of Aerospace and Engineering Elementary School and CREC's Greater Hartford Academy of the Arts High School
- Expand contract work for local districts and municipalities within Connecticut



In 2015-2016, CREC Construction Services completed CREC magnet school projects that totaled \$133.9 million in project costs.



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WETHERSFIELD New Discovery Academy: An 'Inspiring Place To Be'

By CHRISTOPHER HOFFMAN
Special to The Courant

WETHERSFIELD — After years of waiting and dreaming, students and staff of the Discovery Academy regional magnet school Wednesday moved into their new state-of-the-art building.

"We are excited to be in our permanent home," said Principal Lynn Toper, standing in the new school's sun-splashed atrium. "A lot of our families have been waiting for four years for this and looking at drawings. This is beyond their expectations."

The academy, one of 19 interdistrict magnet schools operated by the Capitol Region Education Council, focuses on science, technology, engineering and math, also known as STEM. For its first four years, the elementary school was crammed into two locations on Franklin and Hayshope avenues in Hartford and lacked basic facilities such as art and music rooms, Toper said.

The new, three-story school at 176 Cumberland Ave., built on the site of a disused Northeast Utilities building, has those facilities plus much more. Its futuristic design includes green and silver panels arranged in patterns on the building's sides and an artful rain leading to the bus dropoff. The facility is surrounded by a freshly landscaped open space, including a soccer field and nature trails, and a play-scape is planned.

The facility is energy-efficient and sustainable. It will eventually feature a roof garden and solar arrays, which will provide about 30 percent of its electricity, Toper said. Each pre-kindergarten room opens into an area with planting beds and a rain barrel to allow pupils to grow flowers and vegetables.

In addition, the new 72,000-square-foot school includes science and robotics labs to help fulfill its STEM mission, and a combination gym and cafeteria.

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"As a STEM school, we now have the opportunity to explore along our nature trails, plant in our rooftop gardens, and engage in larger-scale robotics and engineering projects in connection with our meeting projects in connection with our theme and community partners," Toper said. "It is simply an inspiring place to be."

Michael and Casey Shea of Plainville were among the many excited parents to drop off their child for the school's opening day Wednesday. The Sheas were so impressed by the school that they transferred their daughter Ella, who is entering first grade, from the Plainville schools. Both said they liked the academy's focus on technology and science and its "inquiry-based" approach to learning.

"The way they present knowledge and information is so creative," Michael Shea said.

Justin and Felicia Torres of Hartford, whose son, Justin Jr., is entering fourth grade, also said they were impressed by the new facility. They said they think it is a better place for their son than the Hartford public schools.

"The school is absolutely beautiful," Felicia Torres said. "Everything is state of the art. They have brand-new books, brand-new everything."

About 405 students in pre-kindergarten to fourth grade will be enrolled this year, officials said. Fifth graders will join them next year. The academy cost \$44 million, paid by the state, and took nearly two years to build. CREC also opened a new facility this week in Windsor for its Academy of Aerospace & Engineering.

CREC schools seek to reduce the racial and economic isolation of Hartford schools in response to the Sheff v. O'Neill desegregation court decision.

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Architectural Zinc Tiles and Panels Transform a Portion of a Middle School into an 'Airplane Wing'

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Data Analysis, Research, and Technology

CREC's Data Analysis, Research, and Technology Division provides support and services in the areas of research, data management, and technology. It offers educators the resources they need to provide students with engaging, quality education through the innovative use of technology, through workshop training, and through on-site, job-embedded coaching. CREC Data Analysis, Research, and Technology consultants work with districts to ensure that technology infrastructure and devices are up to current standards and that cost benefits are realized wherever possible. The division also provides support in the collection, analysis, and use of high-quality data for educational policy and program decision making.

New for 2015-2016

- Launched Studio 111, a software and mobile application office that develops low cost solutions to help educators in the classroom, and created the Studio 111's first product, PBandMath, which is designed to assist elementary teachers with new mathematics concepts
- Developed a PowerSchool hosting consortium that saves more than 30 districts more than \$65,000 annually
- Expanded PowerSchool support capabilities to better assist districts with new PowerSchool implementation and improved utilization
- Increased vendor partnerships to provide volume discounts to Connecticut school districts

Planned for 2016-2017

- Become a Google certified partner to provide on-site support to school districts implementing Google Apps for Education
- Host workshops to expose teachers to the idea of being "teacherpreneurs" which will prompt them to identify problems and identify potential technology-based solutions
- Offer a library of self-paced online courses for educators on a variety of topics, including Microsoft Office and Google apps
- Provide analytical services to demonstrate the predictability of local assessments on Smarter Balanced Assessment summative results

CREC Institute of Teaching and Learning

CREC's Institute of Teaching and Learning provides high-quality, professional learning opportunities and resources to support school districts in preparing their students for success in the 21st Century.

The institute's work is grounded in research of best practices that relate to instruction, assessment, school turnaround, and family support, and the institute provided more than 1,566 days of professional development and on-site coaching services in the CREC region and throughout Connecticut in 2015-2016.



New for 2015-2016

- Created, developed, and scheduled two-day conferences on various topics for diverse constituents, including teachers; administrators; higher education faculty; parents; youth and family groups; early childhood educators; criminal justice professionals; nurses; and social workers
- Collaborated with Central Connecticut State University and other universities on post-graduate degree programs and research
- Explored providing professional learning and other CREC services to international schools and U.S. Department of Defense schools and offered summer institutes and advertised internationally
- Established CREC as a high-quality provider of professional development for early childhood education
- Used the Raising Readers program to create an improved program that is designed to promote home-to-school connection and to support early literacy and language development
- Supported early childhood professionals as they sought college credit in child development and instructional courses
- Continued the partnership between CREC and the city of Hartford to increase the number of Hartford residents who become police officers, leading to a more diversified workforce
- Partnered with CREC Magnet Schools to engage families and the community to ensure student success

Planned for 2016-2017

- Create professional learning workshops and institutes for teacher leaders in kindergarten through grade five, grades six through eight, grades nine through 12, or specific content areas, and host a one-day conference in the spring of 2017
- Create a comprehensive and coherent vision through the CREC Early Childhood Center for early childhood education services, products, and professional learning for school staff, leaders, and families
- Support, work with, and offer services and professional development that support youth engagement, empowerment, and self-advocacy to schools and districts in the CREC region
- Build and develop more comprehensive and coherent services and professional learning for schools on parent and family, school, and community engagement
- Build on, develop, and deliver more comprehensive and coherent services and professional learning on social justice and equity for schools, districts, parents, and the community, and publish case studies in educational journals and in a resource booklet

Operations, Facilities, and Security

CREC's Operations Division provides services and expertise in the fields of facilities, food services, and security.

In addition to leading CREC's security efforts, the director of security provides assessments and training to school districts throughout Greater Hartford.

The facilities office manages and schedules custodial and maintenance services for all CREC properties, and it works with school districts to provide management services and professional consultation for any facility matter.

CREC's Food Services program manages and coordinates breakfast, lunch, afterschool snacks, and summer meal programs for all CREC sites. Its professional staff is available to help districts through regulatory compliance, accountability systems reviews, and operations consulting services.

New for 2015-2016

- Established products in the facility management arena, such as custodial and maintenance department assessments, facility management contract services, and facility management staff brokering services
- Offered interim facility management services
- Promoted regional opportunities that increase efficiencies and save money on operational programs and services
- Provided food service consulting for districts and schools on the National School Lunch Program and other compliance efforts

Planned for 2016-2017

- Offer workshops on customer service for school facilities staff
- Offer a job fair to promote employment for residents in the areas of custodial, maintenance, security, and other operations fields
- Promote regional opportunities to increase efficiencies and to save money on operational programs and services
- Remove legislative barriers to school districts' ability to use cooperative purchasing contracts
- Develop training programs in critical performance areas for food service staff
- Implement an online meal application processing system for parent use
- Offer online crisis response training for school staff that utilizes the Schoology platform



CREC Technical Assistance and Brokering Services

CREC's Technical Assistance and Brokering Services Division continues to provide innovative solutions to the challenges that face educational organizations throughout Connecticut—and the world.

In 2015-2016, the division helped 200 educational organizations solve systemic challenges, hire and train qualified educators, find cost-effective resources, and improve success for all students. The division's Office for Regional Efficiencies worked closely with Connecticut municipalities and school districts to find cost-effective, non-instructional efficiencies, and CREC's publishing office worked collaboratively with CREC divisions to develop and sell educational products.

In collaboration with CREC's divisions and schools, the grants office, a part of CREC's Division of Technical Assistance and Brokering Services, acquired grants and requests for proposals nationally.

New for 2015-2016

- Formed CT PRIME, a captive insurance company sponsored by the CREC Office of Regional Efficiencies, to provide medical stop loss insurance to 13 towns and schools that self-insure their primary employee health benefits. It is structured as a nonprofit membership organization, and membership is restricted to select towns and schools in Connecticut.
- Developed four new educational products through CREC's publishing office and sold \$55,000 worth of books, webinars, and workbooks
- Entered into partnerships with four businesses to provide substitute staff, software for Medicaid billing, data collection, and professional development software to those who work with students who have autism and Individualized Education Program software
- Provided free admission to the Future of Education seminar
- Expanded services to five new states and expanded products to 13 new states and three new countries
- Facilitated an exploratory process that helped to merge two school districts into one
- Provided a dyslexia webinar to the Connecticut State Department of Education for dissemination to institutions of higher education

Planned for 2016-2017

- Provide regional efficiency options to CT PRIME members and form additional CT PRIME collaboratives throughout the state
- Develop, market, and distribute five new CREC products by working with CREC divisions and schools, and start a speaker's bureau
- Expand the number of districts billing for Medicaid through CompuClaim
- Offer lower cost substitute certified and non-certified educators through a partnership
- Expand division services to five new states and CREC products to seven new states and two additional countries
- Expand online student and adult professional development courses and increase CREC portal usage
- Provide quality professional learning opportunities through a statewide conference for paraeducators, a national virtual conference on challenging student behavior, and a leadership series for building leadership teams on Scientific Research-Based Interventions and special education, and work with state agencies to offer job coach training seminars, providing a related job coach book published by CREC to all participants
- Hold the 10th cohort of the Alternate Route to Certification for special education cohort, which will include 48 participants with registration paid for by three districts and individuals



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Connecticut licenses new healthcare captive
 09 June 2016 | Connecticut | Reporter: Becky Butcher

The Connecticut Insurance Department has licensed a non-profit captive insurance cooperative focusing on employee health insurance.

CT Prime, the eleventh captive licensed by the department, will be managed by the Capitol Region Education Council (CREC).

It is comprised of several Connecticut municipalities and schools in need of better control over their healthcare costs.

Connecticut Senate insurance and real estate committee co-chairman Joseph Crisco commented: "Connecticut has become a destination for captive insurance companies, and this latest addition has the added benefit of driving down health insurance costs for local school boards, which drives down costs for taxpayers."

Insurance commissioner Katherine Wade said: "Our captive insurance regulatory unit works collaboratively with applicants to make certain the captive being formed is sustainable and provides the long-term benefits for which it was designed."



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CREC and Modern Teacher Partner to Offer Connecticut School Districts a Platform for Teaching and Learning in the Digital World



Hartford, CT (November 16, 2015) - CREC has a new partner: Modern Teacher, an educational technology company that provides research-based methodology for digital convergence in education.

"We are excited to partner with Modern Teacher to offer Connecticut school districts support as they transition from traditional classrooms to modern learning environments," said Margaret MacDonald, director of CREC Technical Assistance and Brokering Services. "This partnership will ensure the successful adoption of technology to support both the design and delivery of instruction in today's highly digitized world."

Modern Teacher President Shawn K. Smith is also excited about the new partnership and the impact it will have on classrooms in Connecticut.

"This is our sweet spot," he said. "We are building a bold, ambitious solution to transform our current model of education by changing the end-user experience for teachers and students."

Modern Teacher utilizes a proprietary framework to support districts and schools in digital convergence. This allows Modern Teacher to use a systemic approach when working with schools as they adopt new technology. It also allows them to support schools that desire to move from analog technology, which is used by most classrooms, to digital technology, which allows most students to spend their time outside of the classroom.

While many districts have purchased the latest devices and software, CREC and Modern Teacher know that few have mastered the ability to integrate these tools to transform teaching, learning, and student outcomes.

"In today's highly digitized world, we believe America's schools need support in transitioning traditional classrooms into modern learning environments," Smith said. "CREC is an educational service center that is well positioned to support the critical work of K-12 digital convergence. We believe that the partnership between Modern Teacher and CREC will result in an innovative, 21st Century collaboration that can bring the necessary tools and resources to school systems across New England and the United States."

For more information about CREC's partnership with Modern Teacher, contact Margaret MacDonald at mmacdonald@crec.org or 860-524-4037.

CREC Transportation Services

CREC's Transportation Division provides exceptional transportation services to more than 13,000 students who attend more than 183 schools in the Greater Hartford area. During the 2015-2016 school year, CREC's Transportation Division also provided special education transportation services to East Windsor, Ellington, Simsbury, Somers, Willington, and Windsor Locks.

In addition, the division identifies efficiencies in the region through shared services, and it continues to offer consultation, management, brokering, and van transportation to school districts throughout Connecticut.

New for 2015-2016

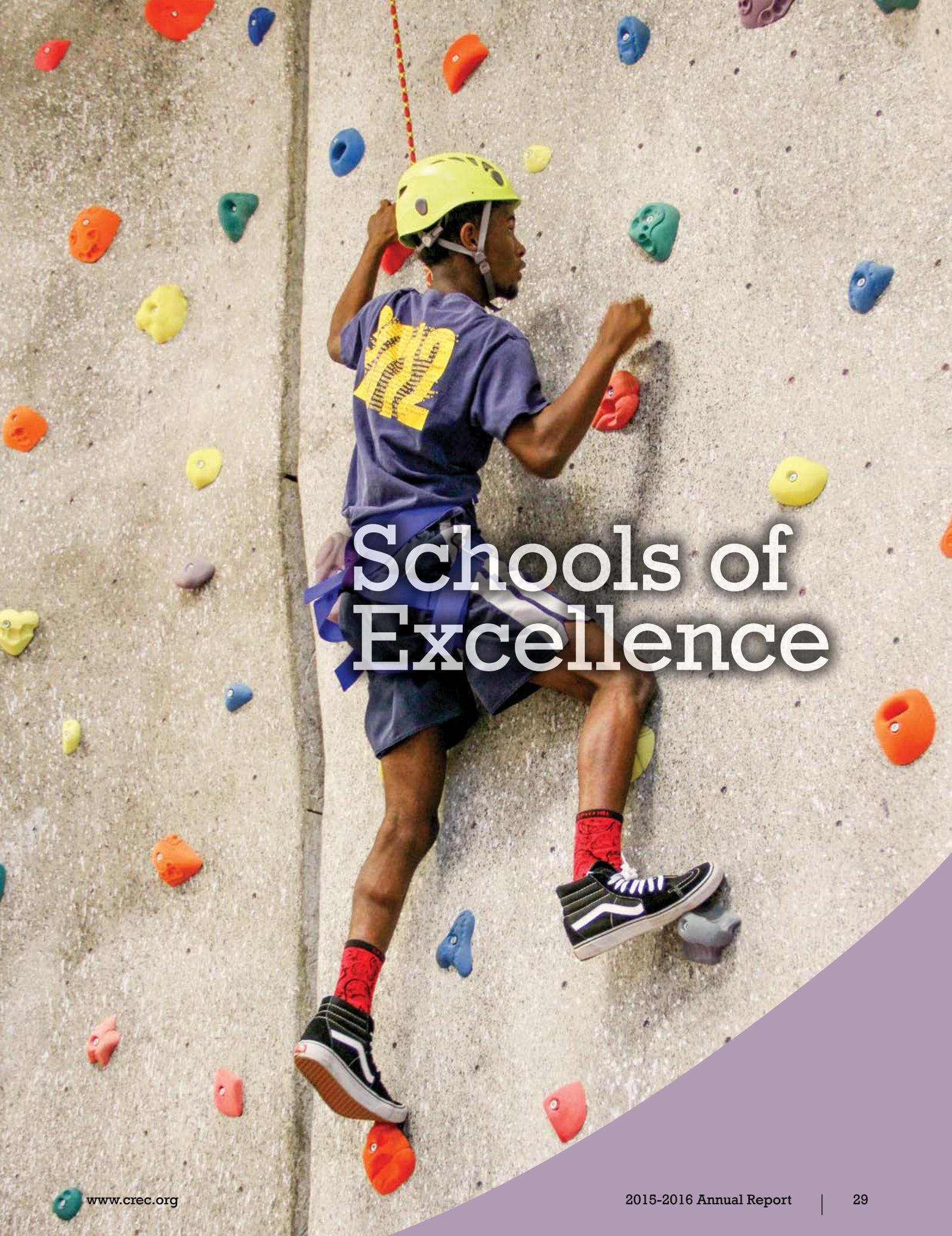
- Provided ways to help community organizations and schools with their transportation needs
- Increased cost-effective services provided to existing customers and focused on ways to build stronger relationships

Planned for 2016-2017

- Continue to research vendors for increased security within CREC Transportation
- Continue to allow school districts to take advantage of CREC's great rates by brokering transportation services
- Continue to provide school bus safety programs to all schools, students, and parent organizations
- Continue to offer routing services provided by CREC professional staff, who are certified in the top three major routing programs, to districts and companies
- Post and maintain out-of-district information on the CREC website for districts to utilize



CREC's
Transportation
Division traveled:
15.1 million
miles, bringing children
to and from school.



Schools of Excellence

Magnet Schools

CREC Magnet Schools provides students from diverse backgrounds the opportunity to excel. Each CREC student has unique interests and gifts, and a CREC education is designed to inspire and motivate students to succeed in their personal educational journey.

In 2015-2016, CREC Magnet Schools offered the opportunity of a CREC education to more than 8,300 students from 88 Connecticut cities and towns.

CREC Magnet Schools fosters a culture committed to excellence. During the 2015-2016 school year, the district continued to connect individuals by cultivating relationships among staff, students, and families; motivate by inspiring students to identify and achieve ambitious goals; and empower by encouraging students to make choices, think critically, and drive their own learning.

New for 2015-2016

- Focused on district coherence to achieve focused direction, a collaborative culture, deeper learning, and secured accountability
- Introduced new curriculum and assessment options with online learning opportunities for students and teachers
- Opened two schools in their permanent, theme-specific buildings: CREC's Discovery Academy and CREC's Academy of Aerospace and Engineering, which became one school that educates students in grades six through 12
- Partnered with Central Connecticut State University to support a cohort of minority teacher candidates

Planned for 2016-2017

- Research, pilot, and monitor innovative educational models, including maker-centered education, blended learning, personalized learning, project-based learning, gamification, and transdisciplinary inquiry
- Participate in the Connecticut Association of Public School Superintendents High School Reimagined Project
- Expand CREC's partnership with Central Connecticut State University to expand the pipeline of diverse educator candidates
- Provide professional development and support to teachers regarding the district coherence framework and CREC Magnet Schools' Essential Skills for Deeper Learning
- Continue to connect, empower, and motivate with a focus on four district goals: inspire all students to achieve at high levels through an innovative, student centered approach to teaching and learning that prioritizes the mastery of core content and the development of essential skills; engage families and the community as active partners in the education of our students; mobilize a positive, collaborative, and productive culture where students are at the center of their learning; maximize professional capital and cultivate innovation by supporting and empowering a diverse group of talented educators



Student Services

CREC's Division of Student Services offers a variety of programs that serve children with disabilities and their families in Connecticut. The division's goals are to provide leadership in special education and support services; research-based practice; and student achievement and to provide value-added extensions to programs and services in local school districts.

CREC works with local districts to develop, adopt, and implement a collaborative approach to service delivery that involves the effective use of student support services, personnel, parental involvement, and community-based resources.

New for 2015-2016

- Established a credit recovery summer program at the Farmington Valley Diagnostic Center
- Developed an agency-wide behavioral health unit
- Provided training in Mental Health First Aid
- Published a resource manual on intensive intervention teams
- Developed and provided training in balanced and restorative discipline and conferencing with students
- Developed and implemented an out-of-school suspension and intervention program for magnet schools at the CREC Trude Mero Family Resource Center
- Developed and implemented a transition program for female CREC Magnet School students at the CREC Trude Mero Family Resource Center
- Established a long-term lease agreement for renovated space in Bloomfield for the CREC River Street School autism program at Coltsville
- Expanded the capacity of the CREC River Street School autism program at Coltsville
- Established a fifth year program for students with disabilities at CREC Soundbridge and CREC's John J. Allison, Jr. Polaris Center
- Reduced the number of emergency restraints by 77 percent and the number of emergency seclusions by 69 percent at CREC River Street School
- Established a collaborative partnership between Fontbonne University and CREC Soundbridge to develop online training for teachers of the deaf and hearing impaired
- Provided consultative services to the SADA Educational Center in Kuwait through CREC Soundbridge
- Developed a summer internship training program at CREC Soundbridge for staff participating in the summer program at the SADA Educational Center in Kuwait
- Developed an online CPR and first aid training program through CREC Health Services
- Developed an online medication administration training program through CREC Health Services
- Worked with the Connecticut State Department of Education to provide training statewide on the evaluation of student and educator support specialists
- Participated in and provided administrative support to the RESC Special Education Funding Working Group, a group created by the state legislature
- Facilitated and implemented a special education survey to districts throughout Connecticut in collaboration with the RESC Alliance as required by state law

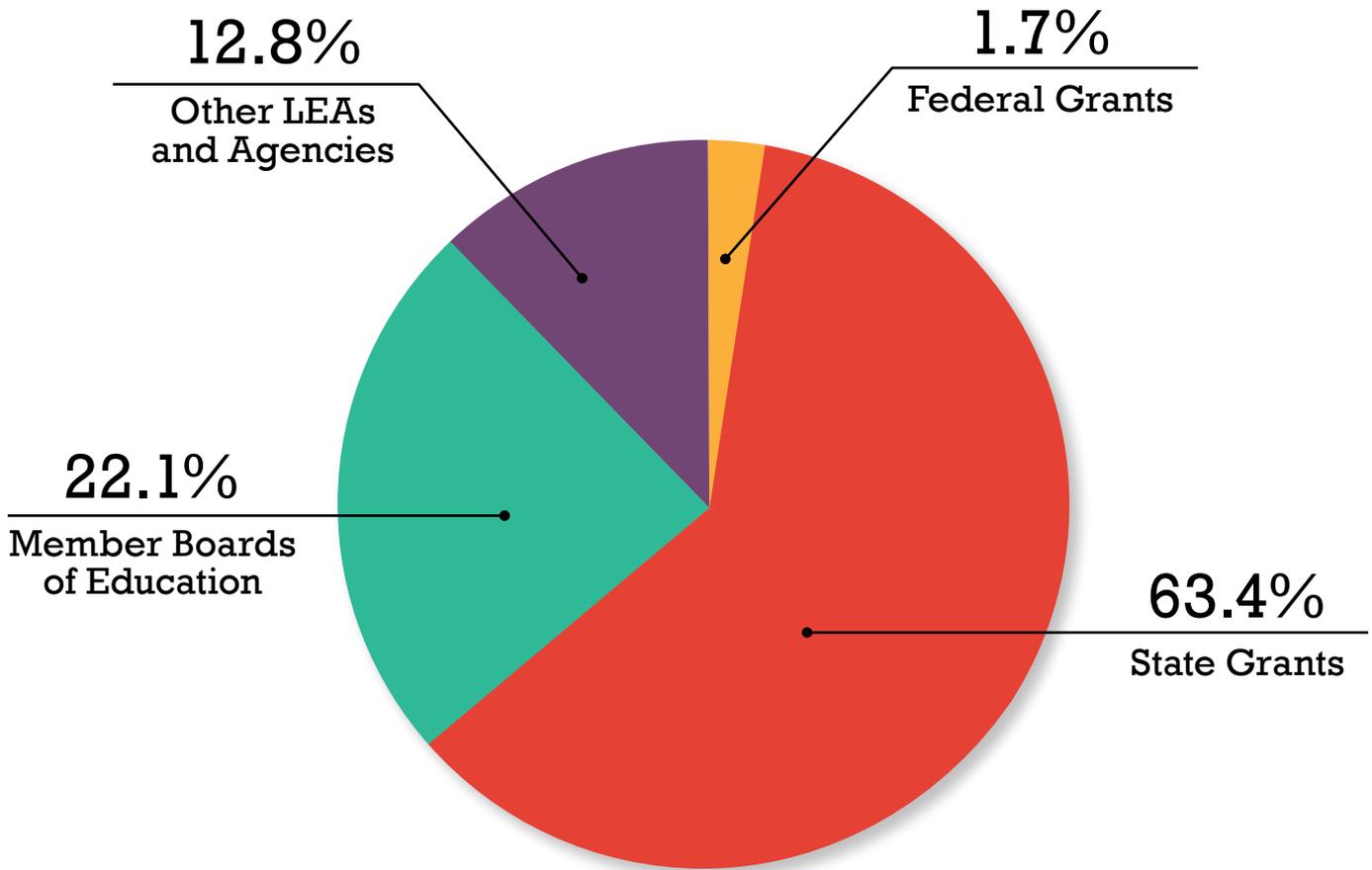


Planned for 2016-2017

- Develop the capacity of CREC's Southern Transition Real-World and Independent Vocational program program to serve a broader range of students
- Increase capacity to provide alternatives to restraint and seclusion in all of CREC's programs and schools
- Expand course offerings at the Farmington Valley Diagnostic Center through the use of a new online training program
- Work with school districts in the CREC region to implement recommendations from the RESC Special Education Funding Working Group survey, including regional programs for students with mental health and behavioral needs
- Develop capacity to implement the new CREC Birth to Three funding structure, including Medicaid billing
- Host a statewide behavioral health conference.
- Revamp the insurance billing system, and establish an electronic health record system for CREC Health Services
- Expand the capacity of the Farmington Valley Diagnostic Center to meet the needs of middle school students
- Create three new school-based health centers at three CREC magnet schools
- Create a mobile crisis intervention team for CREC schools, programs, and member districts
- Expand the capacity of CREC Health Services to provide services to help school nurses meet training requirements
- Offer online first aid, AED, and CPR education and management to member districts
- Create modified curriculum at the Hartford Juvenile Detention Center for older students who need transition and vocational skills
- Increase educational and therapeutic services for students who have experienced significant trauma
- Implement the Circle of Security parent training and wraparound philosophy for families in the Positive Parenting Program
- Relocate CREC's River Street School autism program from CREC Coltsville in Hartford to Bloomfield
- Assist Norwalk Public Schools with developing a program for young children with hearing impairment
- Assist Norwalk Public Schools with developing a program for young children on the autism spectrum
- Transition CREC Soundbridge's high school academy program to a CREC magnet high school
- Coordinate CREC Birth to Three to allow them to participate in a research project, "Strategies to promote culturally effective screening, referral and service provision in primary care practices and Birth to Three programs," in conjunction with the Connecticut Children's Medical Center



Actual Revenue by Source 2015-2016



	REVENUE
State Grants	\$203,953,220
Member Boards of Education	\$ 71,187,139
Other LEAs and Agencies*	\$ 40,200,855
Federal Grants	\$ 5,481,486
TOTAL	\$321,822,700

*Includes sales outside CREC districts, sales to individuals, contracts to state agencies, and other sales

Budget Statement: Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 2016

PROGRAM	AMOUNT	PROGRAM	AMOUNT
General Fund Programs		Connecticut Technical High School System	
Executive Offices	\$663,419	Related Services.....	1,090,250
Business Services	4,224,629	Regional Educational Assesment Consultation Team	2,482,725
Human Resources	1,098,419	Connecticut Technical High Schools Events	
Communication Services	940,932	Management Service	700,000
Student Services.....	491,482	Technology Bond Fund and High-Quality Schools Grant.....	179,488
Grants and Development Office.....	263,401	Youth Learning and Employment Program	441,506
Interdistrict Grants Office	48,873	Capitol Region Choice Program.....	16,027,697
Made in the Shade	46,246	Developing Tomorrow's Professionals/Perkins/ Financial Literacy	293,750
Minority Teacher Recruiting.....	319,500	Supplemental Services	1,796,235
CREC Soundbridge.....	6,374,479	Entitlement Grants.....	457,905
CREC River Street School	28,851,127	Employment and Training Services	982,014
CREC Integrated Program Models	3,146,710	Youth Service Programs	985,272
CREC Lincoln Academy.....	596,360	Positive Parenting Program	125,195
Farmington Valley Diagnostic Center.....	1,185,985	Early Education	2,231,330
CREC John J. Allison, Jr. Polaris Center	4,800,280	Hartford Association for the Education of Young Children	177,000
Juvenile Detention Center.....	1,397,487	Early Intervention Birth to Three Services.....	2,023,027
Southern Transitional Real-World and Independent Vocational Education.....	426,064	Year-Round Hartford Youth Public Safety Program	226,437
Central Office Facility Cost Center	1,771,820	Department of Corrections - Professional Development and GED Testing.....	272,100
CREC Coltsville Facility	1,414,400	CREC Community Education	793,010
Reading Recovery.....	37,500	Metacomet Ridge Interdistrict Academy	20,000
Learning Corridor Cost Center	3,752,000	Special Revenue Fund Subtotal	\$37,768,481
Transportation Services	2,364,525	Capital Projects Fund Programs	
CREC Montessori Magnet School.....	6,070,970	CREC Public Safety Academy	\$5,761,073
Glastonbury/-East Hartford Magnet School	6,603,455	CREC International Magnet School for Global Citizenship ..	920,258
CREC Academy of Aerospace and Engineering	12,680,389	CREC Reggio Magnet School of the Arts.....	3,137,018
CREC Museum Academy	7,856,360	CREC Medical Professions and Teacher Preperation Academy.....	8,896,336
CREC Metropolitan Learning Center for Global and International Studies.....	11,725,284	CREC Academy of Aerospace and Engineering	18,197,045
CREC Greater Hartford Academy of the Arts High School	12,181,636	CREC Museum Academy.....	25,908,093
Center for Creative Youth	525,600	CREC Discovery Academy.....	16,257,832
CREC University of Hartford Magnet School	8,388,058	CREC Greater Hartford Academy of the Arts Elementary School.....	200,000
Magnet School Cost Center.....	34,301,314	CREC Greater Hartford Academy of the Arts Middle School.....	200,000
CREC Public Safety Academy	9,817,717	CREC Two Rivers Magnet High School.....	7,348,000
CREC Two Rivers Magnet Middle School	10,136,850	CREC Academy of Aerospace and Engineering Elementary School	400,000
School Transportation Management Services	21,158,200	Capital Projects Fund Subtotal	\$87,225,655
CREC International Magnet School for Global Citizenship	6,832,428	Enterprise Fund Programs	
CREC Reggio Magnet School of the Arts.....	7,355,871	Montessori Training Center of New England.....	\$363,940
CREC Medical Professions and Teacher Preperation Academy	8,938,414	Learning Corridor Theater.....	80,000
CREC Discovery Academy.....	5,730,364	CREC Office for Regional Efficiencies and Cooperative Purchasing.....	665,150
CREC Ana Grace Academy of the Arts Elementary School ..	7,040,429	Regional Fingerprinting Services.....	168,225
CREC Greater Hartford Academy of the Arts Middle School.....	6,269,403	Conference Services	173,045
CREC Two Rivers Magnet High School	8,436,793	Data Analysis, Research, and Technology.....	941,059
CREC Academy of Aerospace and Engineering Elementary School	5,837,900	School Improvement Center	1,370,100
General Fund Subtotal	\$262,103,073	CREC Technical Assistance and Brokering Services - General Provision of Services	366,300
Special Revenue Fund Programs		Adult Training and Development Network of Connecticut....	273,224
4 + Fitness-Nutrition & PE Pillars for Wellness in Diverse Learning.....	\$490,326	Construction Services	3,437,348
Interdistrict Anytown Leadership Institute.....	67,029	Enterprise Fund Subtotal	\$7,838,391
Summer Institute for Psychology and Politics.....	203,390	SUMMARY BY FUND TYPE	
Exploring Ecosystems through the Arts	20,445	General Fund.....	\$262,103,073
CCAT Catalyst: Explorations in Sustainable Energy	47,156	Special Revenue Fund	37,768,481
Discovery Center	180,000	Capital Projects Fund	87,225,655
Summer Institute for Science and Math.....	200,160	Enterprise Fund	7,838,391
Project Transform	31,992	GRAND TOTAL	\$394,935,600
Project PACT.....	26,836		
Sheff Technical Services Agreement	1,932,014		
Special Services Support Team	2,866,750		
21st Century Learning Centers Before and After School	397,442		

Projected Budget Statement: Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 2017

PROGRAM	AMOUNT	PROGRAM	AMOUNT
General Fund Programs		Youth Learning and Employment Program	
Executive Offices	\$645,382	Capitol Region Choice Program	335,444
Business Services	4,263,737	Developing Tomorrow's Professionals/Perkins/ Financial Literacy	14,814,000
Human Resources	1,143,210	Supplemental Services	133,000
Communication Services	1,030,988	Employment and Training Services	1,085,000
Student Services	515,329	Youth Service Programs	765,515
Grants and Development Office.....	272,338	Positive Parenting Program	787,768
Interdistrict Grants Office	28,361	Early Education	122,715
Made in the Shade	37,252	Hartford Association for the Education of Young Children	2,390,012
Minority Teacher Recruiting.....	316,500	Early Intervention Birth to Three Services.....	160,000
CREC Soundbridge	6,804,695	Year-Round Hartford Youth Public Safety Program	2,041,983
CREC River Street School	31,939,496	Department of Corrections - Professional Development and GED Testing.....	100,000
CREC Integrated Program Models	3,006,828	CREC Community Education	68,554
CREC Lincoln Academy.....	601,345	Special Revenue Fund Subtotal.....	\$31,928,537
Farmington Valley Diagnostic Center.....	1,227,056	Capital Projects Fund Programs	
CREC John J. Allison, Jr. Polaris Center	5,125,460	CREC Public Safety Academy	\$3,748,787
Juvenile Detention Center.....	1,168,351	CREC International Magnet School for Global Citizenship	1,113,147
Souther Transitional Real-World and Independent Vocational Education.....	414,800	CREC Reggio Magnet School of the Arts.....	1,135,869
Central Office Facility Cost Center	1,693,838	CREC Medical Professions Academy	6,878,066
CREC Coltsville Facility	1,472,400	CREC Academy of Aerospace and Engineering	5,631,252
Reading Recovery.....	24,000	CREC Museum Academy.....	34,792,435
Learning Corridor Cost Center	3,897,000	CREC Discovery Academy.....	4,852,830
Transportation Services	2,307,592	CREC Ana Grace Academy of the Arts Elementary School ..	17,378,877
CREC Montessori Magnet School	5,816,638	CREC Greater Hartford Academy of the Arts Middle School.....	5,220,513
Glastonbury-East Hartford Magnet School	6,668,494	CREC Two Rivers Magnet High School.....	27,367,497
CREC Academy of Aerospace and Engineering	12,534,059	CREC Academy of Aerospace and Engineering Elementary School.....	7,393,470
CREC Museum Academy	8,033,880	Capital Projects Fund Sub-total	\$115,512,743
CREC Metropolitan Learning Center for Global and International Studies.....	11,801,744	Enterprise Fund Programs	
CREC Greater Hartford Academy of the Arts High School	11,546,006	Montessori Training Center of New England.....	\$464,570
Center for Creative Youth	527,250	Learning Corridor Theater.....	87,770
CREC University of Hartford Magnet School	8,064,351	CREC Office for Regional Efficiencies and Cooperative Purchasing.....	824,410
Magnet School Cost Center.....	33,956,117	Regional Fingerprinting Services.....	170,063
CREC Public Safety Academy	9,422,514	CREC Data Analysis, Research, and Technology	603,413
CREC Two Rivers Magnet Middle School	9,724,273	School Improvement Center	1,448,890
School Transportation Management Services	20,888,750	CRECTechnical Assistance and Brokering Services - General Provision of Services	359,727
CREC International Magnet School for Global Citizenship ...	6,567,573	Adult Training and Development Network of Connecticut.....	215,362
CREC Reggio Magnet School of the Arts.....	6,897,319	CREC Construction Services.....	3,345,095
CREC Medical Professions Academy	8,497,582	Enterprise Fund Subtotal.....	\$7,519,300
CREC Discovery Academy.....	6,389,000	SUMMARY BY FUND TYPE	
CREC Ana Grace Academy of the Arts Elementary School ...	6,997,519	General Fund.....	\$262,778,923
CREC Greater Hartford Academy of the Arts Middle School	6,215,427	Special Revenue Fund	31,928,537
CREC Two Rivers Magnet High School	8,075,457	Capital Projects Fund.....	115,512,743
CREC Academy of Aerospace and Engineering Elementary School.....	6,219,012	Enterprise Fund.....	7,519,300
General Fund Subtotal.....	\$262,778,923	GRAND TOTAL	\$417,739,503
Special Revenue Fund Programs			
4 + Fitness-Nutrition & PE Pillars for Wellness in Diverse Learning.....		\$798,185	
Interdistrict Anytown Leadership Institute.....	63,028		
CCAT Catalyst: Explorations in Sustainable Energy	47,156		
Discovery Center	169,256		
Project Transform	30,082		
Project PACT.....	46,130		
Sheff Technical Services Agreement	1,932,014		
Special Services Support Team	2,156,271		
21st Century Learning Centers Before and After School	272,197		
Connecticut Technical High School System Related Services ..	639,742		
Regional Educational Assesment Consultation Team	1,810,752		
Connecticut Technical High Schools Events Management Service.....	600,000		

Community Education

	Plainville	Portland	Region #10	Rocky Hill	Simsbury	Stafford	Stamford	Somers	Southington	South Windsor	Stratford	Suffield	Vernon	Wallingford	Waterbury	West Hartford	West Haven	Wethersfield	Windsor	Windsor Locks	CREC Region	Outside of CREC Region	Total
Continued																		75			895	130	1,025
Workforce Training Solutions																					30	0	30
CREC's GED Programs																1					30	0	30
English as a Second Language				1						1						14					88	11	99
PACT Grant								487													2,044	0	2,044
Professional Development for Adult Education and Disability Conference	23			5					3				48	40	43	7	12		21	9	943	1125	2068
Move-up							1						5	1							28	2	30
School-to-Career Professional Development and Conferences	2	2	7	4	2	2	8	1	2	4	9		2	3	15	3	4	2	1		194	409	603
CREC Testing Center	2	2		9	5			1	2	7	1	3	8	1	1	16	1	5	8	2	462	131	593
Total	27	4	7	19	5	2	9	489	7	12	10	3	63	45	59	41	17	82	30	11	4,684	1,808	6,492

Student Services

	Avon	Berlin	Bloomfield	Bolton	Bristol	Canton	Cromwell	East Granby	East Hartford	East Windsor	Ellington	Enfield	Farmington	Glastonbury	Granby	Hartford	Hartland	Manchester	New Britain	New Hartford	Newington	Plainville	Portland	Region #10	Rocky Hill	Simsbury	Somers	Southington	South Windsor	Suffield	Vernon	West Hartford	Wethersfield	Windsor Locks	Outside of CREC Region	Total																	
Birth to Three Services	15	22	8	2	62			2	44	9	32	20	26	13	165	5	47	85	27	35					22	22	15	49	16	24	31	17	23	14	5	890																	
Positive Parenting Program			2						1						46		3												6	2						60																	
Farmington Valley Diagnostic Center	3	4				2		1			1	5		3	1							6		5		8	9	2		1				5	56																		
CREC John J. Allison, Jr. Center			3						2		2			2	53		5		1					1	1	1	2	3	1	1	3	2	2	15	99																		
Lincoln Academy			1				1	1	1			3			1	1	1										1	2			3	3		3	18																		
Juvenile Detention Centers			3	3	10	2	2	25			7		1	2	98	10	34	6	1			1	1						14	11			176	407																			
RIVER STREET SCHOOL																																																					
Day Program	2		5	1	2						4	2	1	6	1	11	2	5	1	2						3	2	2	5	1	4	7	8	5	3	73	166																
Extended Day Program	1									2		1	2		1			2								1		2			4	8	3	3	22	52																	
Special Education Summer School	1		4	1	2					4	2	1	6		6	2	5	2		2						3	2	1	5	2	4	5	6	5	4	2	55	130															
CREC Integrated Program Models					2												2						1													5																	
CREC River Street School at Coltsville	2				3			1	2	1			7		5	1	5	2		2			1					4	2	1	2	2	1		27	69																	
Outreach (In-district Counsel)	8	19			1			140					9					1						17	19	2	11			2		1	13	243	250	493																	
SOUNDBRIDGE	5	9			28	5	1	3	20	15	13	1	25	22	12		3	18	8	2	9	7	1	1	24	42	14	21	4	30	12	1	423	779																			
STRIVE Program																																			11	11																	

Choice Programs

	Andover	Ashford	Ashford	Avon	Barkhamsted	Bacon Falls	Berlin	Bloomfield	Bolton	Branford	Bristol	Burlington	Canton	Chaplin	Cheshire	Chester	Clinton	Colchester	Colebrook	Columbia	Coventry	Cromwell	Danbury	Durham	East Granby	East Haddam	East Hampton	East Hartford	East Haven	East Windsor	Ellington	Enfield	Essex
MAGNET SCHOOLS																																	
CREC Academy of Aerospace and Engineering	2		2	5	1		1	17	1	1	12	3		2	1	1	4	4	1	1	4	4			5	1	1	33	4	9	25	1	
CREC Academy of Aerospace and Engineering Elementary	1			2			4	1			9				3	6					2	28		2	2	7	6			2	4		
CREC Discovery Academy							12	9	1		13	1		1	1	1				3	4	6			5	3	25	2		7	11		
Glastonbury-East Hartford Magnet School	2						6				3				23	4				4	2	2			3	2	104	2	4				
CREC Ana Grace Academy of the Arts Elementary School				14			1	4			14	1	1	8							1	1	2		1		2	7	2	1			
CREC Greater Hartford Academy of the Arts High School	1			4			1	8	5		7	1	8		1	3	1	3	3	2	2		1	1	6	4	11	3	4	11			
CREC Greater Hartford Academy of the Arts Middle School							2	4			10		1		1	5	1	1	1	1					2	5	12	1	2	14			
CREC International Magnet School for Global Citizenship							2	6	2		3				2	2	2	2	2	2						1	40	7	26	15			
CREC Medical Professions and Teacher Preparation Academy							3	5			17	1			1	1		1	1		1	4			2	6	29	2	2	9			
CREC Metropolitan Learning Center for Global and International Studies				2				118	1		3	1				2										54	29			56			
CREC Montessori Magnet School	2						5	5			11	2			4	5					1	3			4	1	13		5				
CREC Museum Academy	2				1		2	26	3		5	2										3				18	8	3	18				
CREC Public Safety Academy			1	1			1	19				1									1			1	1	1	31	9	3	66			
CREC Reggio Magnet School of the Arts				19	5			15			25	4	15								1					7			1				
CREC Two Rivers Magnet High School	1						4				6	1									2			1	1	2	93	4	4	2			
CREC Two Rivers Magnet Middle School							5	3	1		4					13		13	1	3				2	3	4	179	5	6	7			
CREC University of Hartford Magnet School	2			21			3	19			12	1	3			3										15	2		10				
CREC Greater Hartford Academy of Math and Science (Half-Day)		1					3	2					1																				
CREC Greater Hartford Academy of the Arts (Half-Day)	1			12			3	2			2	1	10								6		3	6	1	3	7	5	4	13			
OTHER INITIATIVES																																	
Hartford Region Open Choice Program				134			105		63					103												57				52	60	76	
Open Choice Summer Academy				17			6	8					5														10		4	1	7		
Choice After School Academy					5			11													6			8					3	1	3		
Minority Teacher Recruitment Program																																	

Choice Programs

	Farmington	Glastonbury	Goshen	Granby	Guilford	Hadam	Hamden	Hampton	■ Hartford	Hartland	Harwinton	Hebron	Lebanon	Litchfield	Manchester	Mansfield	Marlborough	Meriden	Middlefield	Middletown	Millford	Morris	New Britain	New Hartford	New Haven	Newington	Painfield	Plainville	Plymouth	Portland	Prospect	Region 10	
MAGNET SCHOOLS																																	
CREC Academy of Aerospace and Engineering	5	14	1	1		2	304					5			25		1	1	2	7		1	31	3	8		3						
CREC Academy of Aerospace and Engineering Elementary School	2	11		1		1	177					2			8				10			10	10	10	10	10	3			2	1		
CREC Discovery Academy	3	1					195					5	2		11		2		13			21	21	21	15	5	5	4					
Glastonbury-East Hartford Magnet School		109					104					2	3		15	2	2	1	4			5	5	4	4	1	1	3					
CREC Ana Grace Academy of the Arts Elementary School	15	1		8			188								17		5	2	2			11	3			7							
CREC Greater Hartford Academy of the Arts High School	3	11					229				1	1			15	1	3	2	2	6		31	2	3	3	5	5	6					
CREC Greater Hartford Academy of the Arts Middle School	5	6	1			1	170				2	2	1		8			1	7			15				1	1	1					
CREC International Magnet School for Global Citizenship		4					210					4	2		26		1		1			5											
CREC Medical Professions and Teacher Preparation Academy	5	4	4				212								20	1	3	7	8	1		159		6	9	1	2						
CREC Metropolitan Learning Center for Global and International Studies	2	1	3				185					3			20				3			21		2	2	2							
CREC Montessori Magnet School	4	1	1	1			168					2			3				1			26		6	2	2	7	2					
CREC Museum Academy		1	6				224					2	1		17		1		2			16		5									
CREC Public Safety Academy	1	1	2				222								15				3			47				1	1	2					
CREC Reggio Magnet School of the Arts	9		2	2	3		201		1	1	1				1	2	2				11	17	11	17	4	2							
CREC Two Rivers Magnet High School	4						146					3			56		2	2	5		47				3	2							
CREC Two Rivers Magnet Middle School		10	1				131					2	2		128		6	2	14		25				5		3						
CREC University of Hartford Magnet School	4		2				187				1				11			2	1	6		19		1	5	2							
CREC Greater Hartford Academy of Math and Science (Half-Day)												3													2								
CREC Greater Hartford Academy of the Arts (Half-Day)	8	8	1	7	2		10		1	1	1	7	1	9	3	2	8				5	1	13	1									
OTHER INITIATIVES																																	
Hartford Region Open Choice Program	133	61	89				101																			93	128	50					
Open Choice Summer Academy	6	6					1																			8	5	2					
Choice After School Academy	1	5	1																							0	0	0	1				
Minority Teacher Recruitment Program	■	■	■				■															■				■							

Choice Programs

	Rocky Hill	Salem	Simsbury	Somers	Southington	South Windsor	Stratford	Suffield	Tolland	Torrington	Vernon	Wallingford	Waterbury	Watertown	West Hartford	Wethersfield	Willington	Winchester	Windham	Windsor	Windsor Locks	Wolcott	Woodbury	TOTALS	
MAGNET SCHOOLS																									
CREC Academy of Aerospace and Engineering	17		4	4	22	19	1	4	6	2	6				18	13		4		33	15			729	
CREC Academy of Aerospace and Engineering Elementary School	40		1	1	6						7				3	7				4				386	
CREC Discovery Academy	6		1	1	11	21	1	1	1		5	1			7	30			1	9	2			482	
Glastonbury-East Hartford Magnet School	2		2	2	2	5		3	3		4				6	11								447	
CREC Ana Grace Academy of the Arts Elementary School	2	31			9	2	2			5	6		1		5			1		9	2			400	
CREC Greater Hartford Academy of the Arts High School	2		2	2	20	2	8	2	4	14	5		1		4	3	1	2	1	9		1		492	
CREC Greater Hartford Academy of the Arts Middle School	2	4	3	3	3	1	3	3		2	6		1		3	3	2	2		10				326	
CREC International Magnet School for Global Citizenship	2		3	3	3	51	3		7		6				2	3	1		2	9	1			457	
CREC Medical Professions and Teacher Preparation Academy	2	1	2	2	22	3				4	9		2		4	9		1		7	1	3		597	
CREC Metropolitan Learning Center for Global and International Studies		2		3	3	5	1	1		1	10		5	1	7	7		4		133	25			713	
CREC Montessori Magnet School	1		6	8	8	2	2	7	1	3		2			11	9				11		1		349	
CREC Museum Academy	1	1	2	2	12	12	3	3		1	1	2			6	3				49	11			462	
CREC Public Safety Academy	1		2	2	7	4	1	3		9					4	4				20	18			505	
CREC Reggio Magnet School of the Arts		5		3	3				37	1				1	6	1		21		2				427	
CREC Two Rivers Magnet High School	1	1			3	3	3	3		8						4				4	1			416	
CREC Two Rivers Magnet Middle School	2		1	6	12	3	3	3		26					4	17				7	1			653	
CREC University of Hartford Magnet School		21	6	1			1	2	3		3				42	24				13	2			448	
CREC Greater Hartford Academy of Math and Science (Half-Day)	14			7			1								2	2								43	
CREC Greater Hartford Academy of the Arts (Half-Day)	11		9	1	34	1	6	2	7						19	4	1	1	21		5			302	
OTHER INITIATIVES																									
Hartford Region Open Choice Program	43	144	20	83	132	98						4			166	89				1	98			2257	
Open Choice Summer Academy	1	18		3	12	10									17	7					3			163	
Choice After School Academy	6	3	1	5	3	2									11	3								79	
Minority Teacher Recruitment Program		■			■					■					■						■				

Teaching and Learning

	Avon	Berlin	Bloomfield	Bolton	Bristol	Canton	Cromwell	East Granby	East Hartford	East Windsor	Ellington	Enfield	Farmingington	Glastonbury	Granby	Hartford	Hartland	Manchester	New Britain	New Hartford	Newington	Plainville	Portland	Region #10	Rocky Hill	Simsbury	Somers	Southington	South Windsor	Suffield	Vernon	West Hartford	Weatherfield	Windsor	Windsor Locks	Outside of CREC Region	Total											
21st Century Community Learning Centers - Students					75				375		99					1,084	240	105																			4,609	6,587										
21st Century Community Learning Centers - Staff					2				3		5					25	2																				45	86										
Arts Council		5	1		1	1		2	2	3	3		2	2	1	4	2	3	2				5	4		3		4		5	1	1	2				5	62										
Assessment of Afterschool Program									3		15					78	9	10																			148	263										
Curriculum Councils																																																
District Contracts	94				355	204	177		814		50	8			442	2,630	15	1,176				85	25	353	41		60	25	88		74	35	60	139	3,098		6,950											
Early Childhood Council																																																
Getting Down to Business- Students																																							30									
Hartford Youth Public Safety Program						113			8		4					41	2	17													9						217	413										
How Welcoming is Your School?									1							16		3													1						13	33										
Language Arts Council																																																
Library Media Specialists Council																																																
Math Council																																																
Raising Readers Parent Club									2		1					4		6					1																16	32								
Reading Recovery		3										6																											10	28								
Science Council																																																
SEED	1	1	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	4	1	1	1			4		2	2	1	1	2	2	1	1	1	2											66	95									
Social Studies Council																																																
Supports for Pregnant & Parenting Teens - Students																			55																													
Supports for Pregnant & Parenting Teens - Staff																																																
SYELP Regional- Students									100		15							60																							175							
SYELP Regional- Staff									4		2							3																							9							
SYELP Hartford- Students																31																								31								
Systems of Professional Learning Coaching	15.5		4.5	10	4	5	3.5	6			22.5			5		2.5	8	9																					11	4	8.5	87.5	241					
Teaching and Learning Workshops	8	30	40	27	20	9	35	9	36	3	32	26	20	11	31	185	5	27	17	2	35	41	7	37	22	52	22	29	35	23	11	137	24	18	15	101	1,182											
TEAM	2	5	7	5	5	1	2	5	5	4	7	5	13	10	1	39	1	9	15																					13	10	2	11	6	3	3	21	233
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