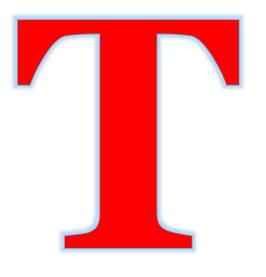
# FY24 Tewksbury Public Schools Budget Hearing



**February 8, 2023** 

#### **District Strategy**

The Tewksbury Public Schools community believes that our educational program will encompass current, research-based teaching, learning, and an assessment approach that promotes consistent growth among our students and staff to achieve academic, social, and emotional success for all students.

# **Theory of Action**

If Tewksbury Public Schools prioritizes a sense of belonging and growth mindset amongst all stakeholders while providing quality professional development and a professional culture grounded in collaboration, then all students will experience innovative, equitable, and student-centered instruction prioritizing positive outcomes.

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#### Challenges Faced In Formulating FY24 Budget

Typical	FY24
Traditionally 7-school model	NEW 6-school model.  Center Elementary School opened January 2023.  Relocation of all Grade 2, 3 & 4 students and associated personnel mid-year. Re-allocation of resources associated with this move to create a Salary and Operating budget for the new school.
Use prior years ACTUALS to determine needs and/or budget opportunities	Only have 6 months of data with new building structure. Schools still feeling effects of COVID 19 and students recovering from learning loss.
Use of ESSER grants ends FY24	Need to balance the <i>use</i> of ESSER funding by the deadline with ability to support needs (if they are recurring) within the budget in the future
Pre-School Re-Structure	With additional space available at PK-1 schools, able to balance Pre-School offerings between Dewing and Heath Brook to offer Pre-School at BOTH locations

# FY24 School Department Budget Areas of FOCUS

#### Personnel

- NEW CENTER ELEMENTARY!!!
  - Assess personnel moved from other K-4 schools for most efficient use
- Increase PK programming
- Assessing personnel needs based on currently declining enrollment
- Assess grant funded personnel and begin to fund via LEA budget, if appropriate

#### Operational

- NEW CENTER ELEMENTARY!!!
  - Estimate effects on transportation, utilities, supplies, insurance, maintenance
- Funding New ELA Curriculum

#### • <u>Technology</u>

- Communications
  - Improve systems
- Continue Smartboard to Cleartouch conversion districtwide
  - Wiring (E-Rate discount)
- Printing solutions (copy center)

#### Building Improvements

- Needs of HB & DEW
  - To get through 6-10 years
- Building & Grounds Systems
  - HVAC, Electric, Plumbing, Security, Landscape

#### 3.07% increase Requested

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SALARY – 70.7% of School Budget

Group	LEA Budget						
Стоир	HeadCount		Amount	% of Salary			
Aides	75.6	\$	2,025,556	5%			
<b>Cust/Maintenance</b>	33.00	\$	1,709,885	4%			
Non Union	40.80	\$	3,875,624	10%			
Nurses	9.00	\$	704,273	2%			
Secretaries	17.00	\$	826,170	2%			
Teachers	287.46	\$	26,160,398	68%			
Union Admin	6.80	\$	845,242	2%			
Part Time/Overtime/Hourly	<u>~400~</u>	\$	2,543,614	<u>7%</u>			
Totals	877.00	\$	38,690,763	100%			

#### OPERATING – 27.8% of School Budget

<u>Category</u>	<u>FY24</u>	<u>%</u>
Maintenance	\$941,500	6.2%
Misc & Prof Development	\$574,916	3.8%
Special Ed Services	\$2,178,000	14.3%
Supplies/Textbooks & Materials	\$996,622	6.6%
Tech Contracts	\$456,703	3.0%
Transportation	\$3,901,126	25.7%
Tuition	\$4,731,182	31.2%
Utilities	\$1,407,600	9.3%
TOTAL	\$15,187,649	

# FY24 School Department Budget

CAPITAL OUTLAY – 1.5% of School Budget

#### **PRIORITY**

- Funding new ELA curriculum materials
- ClearTouch Boards for balance of classrooms in District
- HVAC assessment for HB & Dewing
- Electrical Assessment for HB
- Plan for re-landscaping rear of HB grounds

Potential
Capital
Projects
List
FY23FY25

School Name	Category	<b>Projects and Equipment</b>	<u>Progress</u>	Date
Dewing	Bldg & Maint	Carpets in Library & Office area	Carpets old and worn	FY23
Dewing	Bldg & Maint	HVAC Cooling/Circulation Improvements	Need Design Concept	FY23/24
Dewing	Bldg & Maint	Playground for Pre-School	Exploring Plans	FY23/24
Dewing	Bldg & Maint	Fire Lane around school	Safety & Potential drop off pattern	FY24/25
Heath Brook	Bldg & Maint	Replace Terrcotta Tile floor in main hallway	Meeting Contractor to develop scope (LVT vs VCT) (ABATEMENT?)	FY23/24
Heath Brook	Bldg & Maint	Walkway Improvements near PK	Have concept; may need to bid	FY23/24
Heath Brook	Bldg & Maint	Add Windows in Gym	Have concept; may need to bid	FY23/24
Heath Brook	Bldg & Maint	<b>HVAC Cooling/Circulation Improvements</b>	Need Design Concept	FY23/24
Heath Brook	Bldg & Maint	Playground re-landscape (paved hill)	Consultant has scope	FY24/25
Heath Brook	Bldg & Maint	Redesign Greenhouse rooms	Consultant has scope	FY24/25
Heath Brook	Bldg & Maint	Electrical Upgrade	Consultant working on scope; need National Grid input	FY24/25
Ryan	Bldg & Maint	HVAC Cooling/Circulation Improvements	Consultant working on best approach	FY23
Ryan	Bldg & Maint	Intrusion Alarm	Need Contractor to assess	FY23/24
Ryan	Bldg & Maint	Fire Alarm Panel	GETTING QUOTES	FY23/24
Wynn	Bldg & Maint	HVAC Cooling/Circulation Improvements	Consultant working on best approach	FY23
Wynn	Bldg & Maint	Roof Coating	PHASED APPROACH - FLAT SECTIONS SPRING 2023	FY23
Wynn	Bldg & Maint	Lighting Project	Trying to get Green Grant	FY23/24
Wynn	Bldg & Maint	Occupancy Sensors	Trying to get Green Grant	FY23/24
Wynn	Bldg & Maint	Bathroom Partitions/Countertops	Need Contractor to assess	FY23/24
Wynn	Bldg & Maint	Water Bottle Refill Station	Moving fixture from Trahan	FY23
TMHS	Bldg & Maint	Flooring fix on first floor	Engineering? Project to pay?	FY24/25
TMHS	Bldg & Maint	Lighting Controls	Upgrade - Charge to project	FY23/24
TMHS	Bldg & Maint	Roof Repairs	Warranty?	FY23/24

# Capital Projects Completed List FY21-FY23

2020-2021

2021-2022

2022-2023

Dewing	Bldg & Maint Repaired paving near Kindergarten Area	School Name	Category	Projects and Equipment				
Dewing	Bldg & Maint Installed Water Bottle Filling Stations	Dewing	Bldg & Maint	Carpeted 2 classrooms with tile damage	<u>School Name</u>	<u>Category</u>	Projects and Equipment	
Districtwide	Bldg & Maint   Maintenance Dept Transition Space	Dewing	Bldg & Maint	Paving & Sidewalk repairs near gym doors	Dewing	Bldg & Maint	Vestibule	
Districtwide	Technology Weather Bug Upgrade	20119	2.00		_	-		
Districtwide	Technology Replace remaining old cable (erate eligible)	Districtwide	Technology	Central Technology Hub Relocation	Dewing	Bldg & Maint	Carpet 3 Classrooms & Office (loose tile)	
Districtwide	Bldg & Maint Air purifiers for all classroom spaces K-8	Districtwide	Bldg & Maint	Purchased new Truck with Plow	Dewing	Bldg & Maint	Replace Boiler tubes	
	Radacianad Nursas Rooms to meet COVID	Heath Brook	Bldg & Maint	Window Replace 20 Classrooms,	Districtwide	Bldg & Maint	Replace Floor Machines	
Districtwide	Bldg & Maint requirements			countertops, screens, operable windows			ClearTouch boards for HB & Dewing	
Districtwide	Bldg & Maint Enhanced cleaning on univents & AHS	Heath Brook	Bldg & Maint	Lighting Project- remaining 20% that wasn't	Districtwide	? Technology		
Heath Brook	Bldg & Maint LED lighting upgrade - 80% of building		-	completed from previous project			Classrooms	
North Street	Bldg & Maint Installed Water Bottle Filling Stations	Heath Brook	Bldg & Maint	Vestibule	Dictrictwide	Districtwide	Technology	Chromebooks - purchased for 1-to-1 plus
		Heath Brook	Bldg & Maint	Updated Teachers Room	DISTITUTE	recimology	backstock	
Ryan	Bldg & Maint Vestibule	Heath Brook	Bldg & Maint	Installed Water Bottle Filling Station	Ryan	Bldg & Maint	Retrofit Gym Lights - (failing fixtures)	
TMHS	Bldg & Maint Upgrade filters to MERV - 13	North Street	Technology	Additional Chromebook Cart				
Wynn	Technology Replace intrusion alarm	Ryan	Bldg & Maint	Roof Coating - 20 year warranty product	TMHS	Bldg & Maint	Gym - New Banners	
Wynn	Bldg & Maint Vestibule	TMHS	Bldg & Maint	Sealcoating Parking Lots and driveway	TMHS	Bldg & Maint	Auditorium - Update Sound System	
Wynn	Bldg & Maint First floor - LVT??	TMHS	Tachnology	Additional Compress in Darking Lat	TMHS	Bldg & Maint	Auditorium - New Lights	
Wynn	Bldg & Maint Installed Water Bottle Filling Stations	livins	Technology	Additional Cameras in Parking Lot	TMHS	Bldg & Maint	Auditorium - Replace Stage Marley Floor	
		Wynn	Bldg & Maint	New Split AC Unit for MDF room			, , ,	
		Munn	Dida 9. Maint	Paving - End of Driveway, Bus Loop, Lower	Wynn	Bldg & Maint	Retrofit Gym Lights - (failing fixtures)	
		Wynn	Bldg & Maint	Parking Lot. Sealcoat sidewalks & Upper Lot				

#### **Grants/Revolving Accounts**

- 64 Separate Funds currently ACTIVE
- All have a specific purpose and must be used appropriately.
   Use MUST be related to the purpose of the fund...whether a GRANT or Revolving type account driven by fees.
- Approximately 35 positions funded (partially/fully)

FUND	<u>Description</u>	FUND	<u>Description</u>
4107	Insurance <\$20K - Dewing	4175	NPEN
4108	Insurance <\$20K - Heath Brook	4176	Alphabest
4109	Insurance <\$20K - High School	4213	Early Childhood Grant #262
4110	Insurance <\$20K - Wynn	4273	Title I Grant #305
4111	Insurance <\$20K - North Street	4274	Title IIA Grant #140
4112	Insurance <\$20K - Ryan School	4275	Title IV Grant #309
4113	Insurance <\$20K - Trahan School	4276	Title III Grant #180
4114	Insurance <\$20K - Sch Admin	4303	Sped 94-142 Grant #240
4131	Facility Rentals	4305	Big Yellow School Bus
4133	High School Parking Fees	4306	Sped Program Imp - K12
4134	High School Club Fees	4308	Sped Program Imp - PK
4135	High School Athletic Fees	4316	ASOST #530
4136	Wynn School Athletic Fees	4318	AFTER SCH/OUT SCHOOL TIME (530C)
4137	Wynn School Club Fees	4322	Corning STEAM Lab Donation
4138	Ryan School Club Fees	4323	21st Century Learning Grant
4139	AP Test	4326	SEL Learning Grant
4141	School Rec Custodians	4327	State COVID Prev Earmark
4150	School Lunch Account	4328	State COVID Prevention
4160	Athletic Fund	4329	Summ Accel Acad Grant #121
4161	Adult Education	4330	ESSER II #115
4162	Extended Day	4331	ESSER III #119
4163	Community Ed - Recreation Dept	4334	21st Century YALD
4164	PreSchool Revolving Program	4335	21st Century Summer
4165	Kindergarten Revolving Program	4658	School Gifts Account
4166	Recreation Basketball - School	4659	Scholarship Gifts
4167	Lost Textbooks	4667	Scholarship Fund
4168	New Start	4668	Education Fund
4170	Circuit Breaker	4674	High School Gifts
4171	Insurance > \$20,000	4680	ARP PK IDEA #264
4172	Copy Center	4681	ARP IDEA #252
4173	Hall of Fame	4804	Long Range School Space Plan
4174	PreSchool Community Services	4805	Special Education Reserve Fund

**Grant Funding Available FY23**\*

Code	<u>Grant</u>	<u>FY</u>	<u>Purpose</u>	Grant Total	Amount Used*	Encumbered*	<u>Balance</u>
115	ESSER II	2022	COVID Related Expenses	\$ 1,198,356	\$ 979,219	\$ 219,137	\$ -
119	ESSER III	2022	COVID Related Expenses	\$ 2,773,695	\$ 2,290	\$ 63,908	\$2,707,497
140	Title IIA	2022	Educator Improvement	\$ 65,874	\$ 27,128	\$ 18,440	\$20,306
180	Title III	2022	Support for English Learners	\$ 11,748	\$ 182	\$-	\$11,566
240	IDEA Special Education	2022	Special Education Improvement	\$ 868,369	\$ 812,772	\$ 45,531	\$10,066
252	ARP Special Education	2022	Special Education Improvement	\$ 176,839	\$ 90,664	\$ 9,750	\$76,425
262	Early Childhood IDEA	2022	Pre School Special Education Quality	\$ 32,632	\$ 8,519	\$ 330	\$23,784
264	ARP Early Childhood	2022	Pre School Special Education Quality	\$ 16,477	\$ 16,080	\$ 397	\$ -
305	Title I	2022	Student Support	\$ 190,081	\$ 162,756	\$ 8,337	\$18,988
309	Title IV	2022	Academic Support - Recovery/After School	\$ 25,544	\$ 18,170	\$ -	\$7,374
121	SAAG	2023	Summer Acceleration Academy	\$ 87,000	\$ 87,000		\$-
140	Title IIA	2023	Educator Improvement	\$ 71,116			\$ 71,116
151	SEL	2023	Student Support	\$ 10,000			\$ 10,000
180	Title III	2023	Support for English Learners	\$ 20,396			\$ 20,396
240	IDEA Special Education	2023	Special Education Improvement	\$ 887,807	\$ 276,766	\$ 590,755	\$ 20,286
244	21stC SPED_YALD	2023	Enhanced Programs for Students on IEPs	\$ 10,000	\$ 1,602	\$ -	\$ 8,398
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305	Title I	2023	Student Support	\$ 383,275	\$ 81,395	\$ 182,359	\$ 119,521
309	Title IV	2023	Academic Support	\$ 13,601			\$ 13,601
419	Innovation Pathways	2023	Student Enhancement	\$ 50,000			\$ 50,000
528	ASOST - School Year	2023	After School & Out of School Time	\$ 50,000	\$ 475	\$ -	\$ 49,525
530	ASOST - Summer	2023	After School & Out of School Time	\$ 45,000	\$ 45,000	\$ -	\$-
644	21st CCLC - Summer	2023	Enrich Academic Programming	\$ 55,000	\$ 55,000	\$ -	\$ -
645	21st CCLC	2023	Enrich Academic Programming	\$ 148,750	\$ 29,826	\$-	\$ 118,924
	*As of 12/23/22						
	T = ENTITLEMENT GRANTS; S RECEIVES ANNUALLY					TOTAL	\$ 3,380,224

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Unemployment	150,000	150,000	1,925	150,000	50,000	50,000	(100,000)	-66.679				
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#### **NEXT STEPS**

Continued Discussions with Building Principals, Department Leaders, Elected Officials, Town Officials, teachers, parents, students and community members, to refine and react to ever changing needs.

As needs and/or resources change, the School Department will be refining our budget, which represents a snapshot in time of the current needs in the district. Our budget, resources and needs are constantly being updated and analyzed for the best use of available and appropriate resources.

This process will continue from now through May Town Meeting and may (in fact is likely to) produce some movement within our overall budget

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