

ROCHESTER PREP

AN UNCOMMON SCHOOL

CHANGE HISTORY

Rochester Prep is the largest and highest performing public charter school network in Rochester. Founded in 2006 with just 90 fifth graders, we now serve more than 2,800 students in grades K-12. With safe, academically rigorous, and joyful learning environments, Rochester Prep prepares underserved students in our community to graduate from college and achieve their dreams.

Rochester Prep is part of Uncommon Schools, which opens and operates outstanding urban public schools that share an aligned approach to K-12 curricula. Uncommon is dedicated to closing opportunity gaps and ensuring all students are prepared to be successful through college and beyond.



At Rochester Prep, we know that obtaining a high-quality education that leads to a college degree is one of the most sustainable paths out of poverty. Yet, here in Rochester, childhood and extreme poverty are the highest of any comparably sized U.S. city, and educational pathways are rarely completed. Citywide, fewer than 15 percent of students demonstrate proficiency on state math and English Language Arts (ELA) exams. High school graduation rates remain low, and less than one-fifth of students earn college degrees.

Rochester Prep strives to change this narrative for our city's youth by providing them with the educational foundation to reach their goals and achieve lifelong success.

ROCHESTER PREP OVERVIEW			
Grade Level	School Name	Year Founded	Grades Served
Elementary Schools	Rochester Prep Jay Campus – Elementary	2010	K-4
	Rochester Prep Andrews Campus – Elementary	2013	
	Rochester Prep St. Jacob Campus – Elementary	2016	
Middle Schools	Rochester Prep Brooks Campus – Middle	2006	5-8
	Rochester Prep Chili Campus – Middle	2011	
	Rochester Prep St. Jacob Campus – Middle	2021	
High School	Rochester Prep High School	2014	9-12



UNCOMMON SCHOOLS AT A GLANCE

3 STATES



5 CITIES

52 SCHOOLS

19,000 STUDENTS

EVERY CHILD DESERVES HIGH-QUALITY EDUCATION



ROCHESTER PREP BY THE NUMBERS

2,800 STUDENTS
expanding to serve 3,000+

97% Students are Black, Latinx, or multi-racial

91% Students qualifying for free or reduced priced lunch

SUNY Certified

**OPPORTUNITY
TO SUPPORT**

our schools as public funding covers only our operations and not our facility needs

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ALL STUDENTS

accepted by random lottery, with admissions preference to English-language learners and economically disadvantaged students who reside in the city of Rochester

ROCHESTER PREP PASSED THE STATE EXAM AT

2.4x

the rate of students in Rochester City School District in ELA

5.0x

the rate of students in Rochester City School District in Math

*2022-23 school year data



TO AND THROUGH COLLEGE

100% of our seniors in the high school Class of 2022 graduated on-time and our alumni have graduated or are persisting through college at over three times the rate of their socio-economic peers. Over the next decade, we project to help transform the lives of over 3,000 students and hundreds of alumni each year.



WHAT MAKES US UNCOMMON

Joyful, Loving, Rigorous Academics:

In partnership with families, we make learning fun, safe and inclusive for every child and support students to reach their full potential.

Driven by Data:

Our school leaders hold weekly data meetings to analyze learning outcomes and resolve student challenges.

Teacher Support and Development:

As instructional experts, our principals develop teachers through formal professional development and frequent coaching and observation.



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