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Congratulations to the Recipients of Our 2020 Teacher Grants!

- Kristina Aste-Mayer / DHS: All the World's A Stage
- Lindsay Perry / DHS: World Language Classroom Libraries
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- Max Travers / DHS: Virtual Reality to Support Life Skills Students
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- Emilie Rey-Gelas / HRMS: French Class Reading Corner
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- Keely Cahalane / Great Oak: Bench/Tables for Reading Workshop Lessons
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- Jessica Massero / Great Oak: K-2 High Interest Early Leveled Readers
- Anna Vitale / Great Oak: Lindamood-Bell Reading Materials
- Becky Cockfield / Highlands: Table and Stability Balls for Classroom
- Amber Adair / Riverside: Encouraging Early Literacy Skills
- Violetta Powers / Riverside: Classroom Libraries
- Melinda Sheehy / Riverside: PreK Speech/Language Adaptive Materials
- Estelle Rand / Thorpe: Osmo Learning Tools for iPads
- Rita Ward / Thorpe: IPEVO Document Cameras



In addition to our teacher grants, this past year DEEP also proudly supported...

...the 2019 Danvers Holiday Festival In Danvers Square

...the Danvers Human Rights & Inclusion Committee's Tribute

...the 11th Annual Holten-Richmond Middle School Spelling Bee

...the 2019-2020 Danvers High School DECA Team

Sending Our Best Wishes to This Year's Retirees

DEEP is proud to celebrate the 16 Danvers Public School staff members who are retiring this year:

Carol Anderson, Highlands School: 23 Years of Service

Deborah Arno, Holten-Richmond Middle School: 20 Years of Service

Elizabeth De Sousa, Great Oak School: 29 Years of Service

Lorraine Errico, Thorpe School: 16 Years of Service

Mark Gargan, Holten-Richmond Middle School: 26 Years of Service

Michael Gargan, Danvers High School: 27 Years of Service

Colette Hennessey, Danvers High School: 17 Years of Service

Susan Howland, Great Oak School: 30 Years of Service

Sheryl James, Highlands School: 14 Years of Service

Amy Ladd, Great Oak School: 25 Years of Service

Donna McCarriston, Great Oak School: 33 Years of Service

Patricia McGinley, Curriculum Center & Highlands School: 26 Years of Service

Diana Menezes, Holten-Richmond Middle School: 19 Years of Service

Sandra O'Donnell, Holten-Richmond Middle School: 16 Years of Service

Suzette Persenaire, Title I & Great Oak School: 26 Years of Service

Christine Proctor, Thorpe School: 18 Years of Service

DEEP is going on the road to thank each of these special people for their many years of service to our schools and our students.

Each will be presented with a certificate of appreciation, a DEEP golf shirt and a lawn sign to commemorate this important occasion.



A Message from Our Co-President

On behalf of DEEP, I would like to thank all of our corporate sponsors, DEEP members and members of the community who supported our mission over the past school year. Through your contributions, we were able to fund more than \$23,000 in DEEP Teacher Grants. You helped DEEP make an impact on the educational experience of every student in the Danvers Public Schools.

While these are strange and uncertain times, DEEP would like to wish all of you a safe and healthy summer.

Mary Beth Verry

mark  your **Calendar**

Announcing Our 2020-2021 Meeting Dates

September 16, 2020

October 14, 2020

November 18, 2020

December 16, 2020

January 13, 2021

February 10, 2021

March 10, 2021

April 14, 2021

May 19, 2021

June 16, 2021

Meetings are held in the conference room at Brookline Bank, 107 High Street, and begin at 7:45am. All are welcome!

We Invite You to Become A Member

New members are always welcome to join us in our commitment to making the Danvers Public Schools the best that they can be. To learn more about becoming an individual, family, community partner, or corporate member of DEEP, please visit our website at: www.supportdeep.org/contribute.

All members are welcome at our monthly meetings which are held at Brookline Bank, 107 High Street, at 7:45am.

We hope to see you there!

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Summer Reading & Writing Skills

Live Online Programs for Preschoolers Through Entering 12th Graders



Phonics

Program for 4-Year-Olds and Entering Kindergartners

In this fun summer program, your child will learn to read. Children learn letter recognition, beginning phonics, and easy sight words. Your child will learn to read simple words and short sentences and will be excited about books and reading.

Fluency

Program for Entering 1st Graders

In this fun summer program, your child will learn to read independently. Children learn phonics and sight words, build fluency and comprehension, and develop a love of books and reading. Your child will be excited about reading and get off to a great start in first grade.

Comprehension

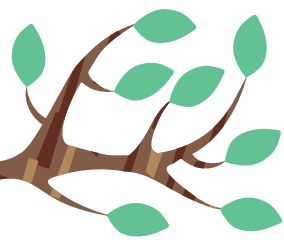
Program for Entering 2nd Graders

In this fun summer program, your child will become a fluent, confident reader. Children build solid phonics and word-attack skills and develop reading fluency and strong comprehension. Your child will gain confidence, be excited about books and reading, and get off to a great start in second grade.

Love of Reading

Program for Entering 3rd Graders

In this fun summer program, your child will become a strong, fluent reader. Children develop long-word decoding skills, reading fluency, and excellent comprehension. Your child will gain confidence, develop a lifelong love of books and reading, and get off to a great start in third grade.



Comprehension

Program for Entering 4th Graders

Writing

Program for Entering 5th Graders

In these fun and effective programs, your child will become a skilled, enthusiastic reader and a better writer. Students develop strong comprehension skills in fiction, non-fiction, and textbooks. They build long-word decoding skills and learn to read more fluently and rapidly.

Textbook Skills

Students learn effective techniques that will improve their writing skills and build their confidence as writers. Your child will complete homework and writing assignments more quickly and easily, get better grades, and enjoy reading more.

Reading Speed

Program for Entering 6th-8th Graders

Program for Entering 9th-12th Graders

In these effective and enjoyable programs, your son or daughter will make substantial gains in comprehension, learn to read twice as fast, and become a better writer. Students learn the best way to take notes, study for tests, and read fiction, non-fiction, and textbooks.

Students learn effective techniques that will improve their writing skills and build their confidence as writers. Your student will complete homework and writing assignments more quickly and easily, get better grades, and enjoy reading more.



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Individualized programs include a skilled and encouraging teacher, independent reading in great books, and engaging online instruction.



These exceptional classes are offered through Boston University's Metropolitan College & Extended Education. The classes are designed and taught by instructors from the Institute of Reading Development, which has provided non-credit instructional services in conjunction with Metropolitan College & Extended Education for the past 22 years. The Institute is a leader in live online reading instruction for children of every age. Tuition varies by program level.



Exciting Results!

"My daughter is sounding out words on her own, and she is so excited about reading to us! She loved this program, and I was very impressed with the books and materials."

– Parent of kindergartner

"Thanks to this program, my son is now reading independently and his confidence is through the roof. I cannot express enough how grateful I am for this program."

– Parent of 1st grader

"Allison loved doing the long-word decoding lessons. Her reading skills have improved tremendously, and she is reading more challenging chapter books."

– Parent of 3rd grader

"Patrick's comprehension has really improved, and he loved the books. I've recommended this to other parents."

– Parent of 5th grader

"The lessons were fun and easy to follow. It is much easier for me to study and take notes now. I don't put off studying until the last day because I know I can get through it fast."

– 7th-grade student

"I liked tracking my reading speed and seeing it go up from week to week. I used to not like to read because it was too time-consuming, but now it's easier to finish."

– 9th-grade student

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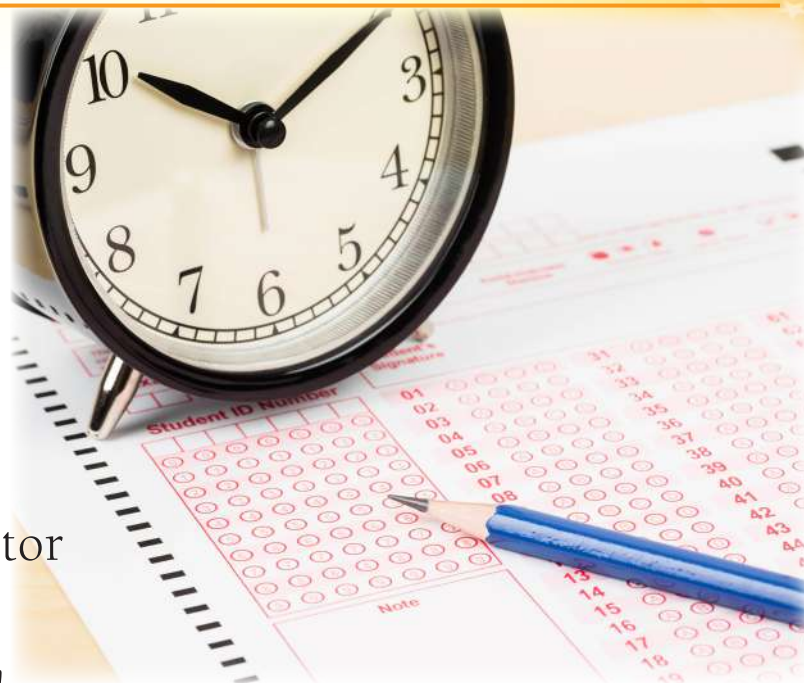
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- Special Education & ABA: Severe Disabilities

Administrative Leadership (M.Ed.)

- Principal/Assistant Principal
- Special Education Administrator

Fully Online Format Available

Professional License (M.Ed.)

- Special Education: Moderate Disabilities
- Special Education: Severe Disabilities

Reading & Literacy (M.Ed.)



Accreditations & Quality

- Endicott College is a non-profit college that is accredited by the New England Commission of Higher Education (NECHE).
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- Affordable tuition rate
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- Student loan payments may be deferred until program completion
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IMPORTANT NOTICE:

College policy strictly limits enrollment in each program and accepts reservations on a first-come, first-served basis.



Find us online at:
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These programs were arranged and made possible by the K-12 Teachers Alliance in cooperation with Endicott College.

*The repayment example set forth above is for illustrative purposes only and was calculated based on a standard amortization Federal Direct Loan assuming a loan amount of \$19,080, a payment term of 10 years, and a fixed interest rate equal to 6.08%. Loan amount of \$19,080 is based on the total tuition price for the 2020-2021 academic year for the Masters of Education (M.Ed.) in Early Childhood program. Your total loan amount may vary based on program selection. The loan calculator used in this example is available at <http://studentloans.gov>. It is your responsibility to verify your eligibility by completing the Free Application for Federal Student Aid at www.fafsa.ed.gov. All loans are subject to federal student aid guidelines. The actual interest rate may change periodically based on federal regulations. The tuition rate varies depending on your semester date, plus applicable fees. Endicott College reserves the right to raise tuition costs annually.



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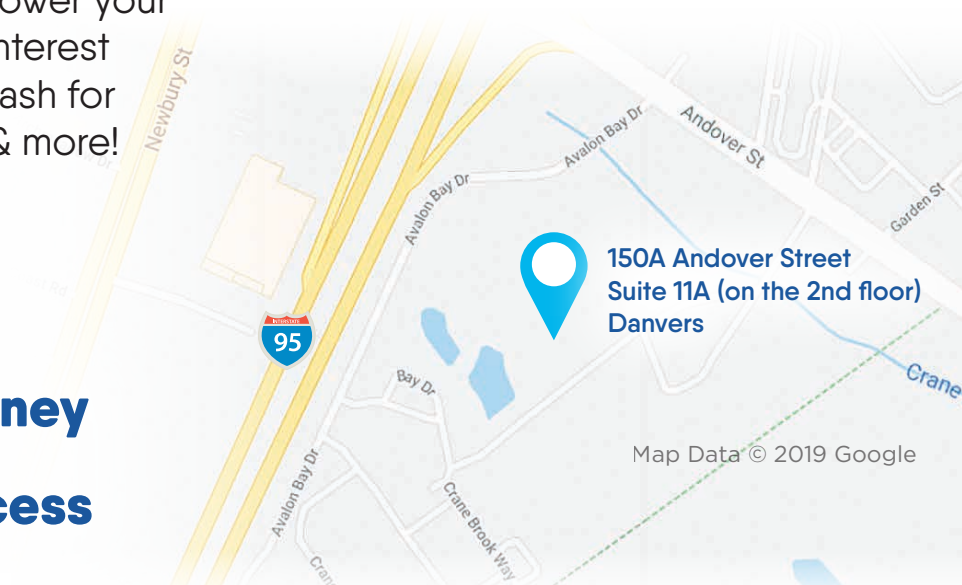
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