## FHS Program of Studies 2022 - 2023

Franklin High School
218 Oak St • Franklin, MA

## Our Core Beliefs



Passionate about learning
Active in the school community
Nurturing of others and self
Thoughtful and respectful in actions and words
High Performing so we can achieve our dreams
Engaged in our education
Responsible for our learning and decisions
Supportive of one another



## Portrait of a Graduate



#### **Academic Expectations for Student Learning**

- Confident & Self- Aware Individual
- Empathetic & Productive Citizen
- Curious & Creative Thinker
- Effective Communicator & Collaborator
- Reflective & Innovative Problem Solver



#### Our Process

- FHS Department Heads reviewed current courses outlined in Program of Studies
- DESE, Portrait of A Graduate, DEI, and SEL lens were used to make sure our offerings were in line with our core values and academic expectations
- Adjustments were proposed
- Adjustments were reviewed by FHS and FPS administration
- Approved Adjustments are being presented to FPS School Committee
- FHS students will begin course selection process

## Highlighted Adjustments

- 1. Science
  - a. Earth Science OH
- 2. English
  - a. <u>ELD program updates</u> and course proposals
- 3. World Language
  - a. AP Spanish Literature and Culture

## Highlighted Adjustments

- 1. Music / Art
  - a. Guitar I
  - b. Guitar II
  - c. Stagecraft I
  - d. Stagecraft II
- 2. Physical Education/Wellness
- 3. FAA Update

#### Our Work:

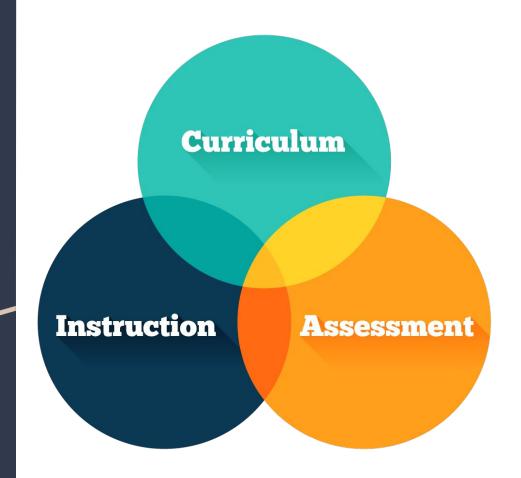
# Guaranteed and Viable Curriculum

## A guaranteed and viable curriculum is the variable most strongly related to student achievement at the school level.

That is, one of the most powerful things a school can do to help enhance student achievement is to guarantee that specific content is taught in specific courses and grade levels. It is important to note the two parts in the concept of a guaranteed and viable curriculum: The fact that it is guaranteed assures us that specific content is taught in specific courses and at specific grade levels, regardless of the teacher to whom a student is assigned. The fact that it is viable indicates that there is enough instructional time available to actually teach the content identified as important

Dr. Marzano

## Guaranteed and Viable



# Questions / Comments

