



# **Executive Summary**

La Salle Middle School

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### Domain 1: Instruction

KEY QUESTION 1 Do classroom interactions and organization ensure a classroom climate conducive to learning?

#### **Draft Finding**

Behavioral expectations are communicated; however, they are not consistently managed.

#### **Draft Finding**

Although classroom interactions were mostly cooperative and conducive to learning, some egregious behaviors were observed.

KEY QUESTION 2 Is instruction intentional, engaging, and challenging for all students?

#### **Draft Finding**

Teachers do not consistently provide students with high quality learning goals and purposeful instruction.

#### **Draft Finding**

A variety of instructional strategies and materials support students' diverse learning needs in some classrooms.

KEY QUESTION 3 Do teachers regularly assess students' progress toward mastery of key skills and concepts and utilize assessment data to provide feedback to students during the lesson?

#### **Draft Finding**

Formative assessment strategies were not effectively utilized in many lessons.

#### **Draft Finding**

Actionable academic feedback is seldomly provided throughout the learning process to inform improvement efforts.

## Domain 2: Students' Opportunities to Learn

KEY QUESTION 4 Does the school identify and support students with a full range of needs?

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The school has limited systems to identify students needing additional academic and behavioral supports.

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208 College Highway, Box 7 Southwick, Massachusetts 01077 ⊺ 978.921.1674 While the school provides some interventions, there is no systematic continuum of services or placement changes according to students' identified progress or needs.

KEY QUESTION 5 Does the school have a safe, supportive learning environment that reflects high expectations for all students?

#### **Draft Finding**

The school provides opportunities for students to form positive relationships with peers and social emotional awareness skills.

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The school engages families in support of students' learning.

## Domain 3: Educators' Opportunities to Learn

KEY QUESTION 6 Does the school design professional development and collaborative structures to sustain focus on instructional improvement?

#### **Draft Finding**

The school provides opportunities for professional development to address school priorities and identified areas of need.

#### **Draft Finding**

Educators collaborate regularly.

KEY QUESTION 7 Does the school's culture indicate high levels of collective responsibility, trust, and efficacy?

#### **Draft Finding**

Educators convey a shared commitment to students' learning.

#### **Draft Finding**

The school reflects a safe and growth-oriented professional climate.

## Domain 4: Leadership and Governance

KEY QUESTION 8 Do school leaders guide and participate with instructional staff in the central processes of improving teaching and learning?

#### **Draft Finding**

School leaders are working to ensure the school implements a coherent curriculum.

#### **Draft Finding**

School leaders are working to provide conditions that support a school-wide data culture.

KEY QUESTION 9 Do school leaders effectively orchestrate the school's operations?

#### **Draft Finding**

School leaders ensure effective communication across the organization.



### **Draft Finding**

School leaders are working to ensure the school has established sound operational and financial processes.

KEY QUESTION 10 Does the Board provide competent stewardship and oversight of the school?

#### **Draft Finding**

The Board provides some oversight over of the school's academic program.

#### **Draft Finding**

The Board maintains governance practices to ensure organizational viability.

