

Community Schools: A Strategy for NYS



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A Few Core Concepts about Community Schools



- ◆ A strategy, not a program
- ◆ Built on a solid base of research
- ◆ Producing positive results in cities and districts around the country
- ◆ Evolve according to known stages of development
- ◆ Share common principles of practice

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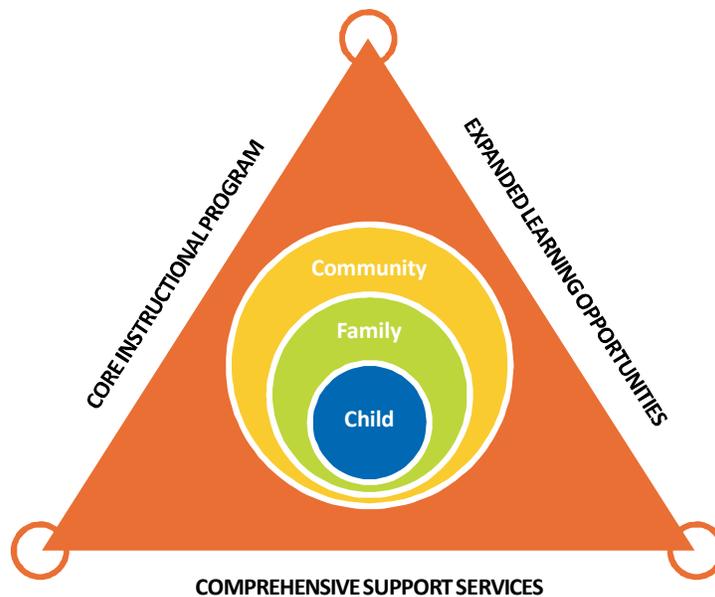
A Strategy for What?



A strategy for organizing the resources of the school and community around student success...

Pat Harvey, Former Superintendent
St. Paul Public Schools

CAS Developmental Triangle



Opportunities in New York State



- ◆ Governor Cuomo championing -- \$15M in budget for Community Schools
- ◆ Something to build on: NYC (CAS, HCZ, PN, UFT-CLS), Port Chester, Syracuse, Buffalo, Albany
- ◆ Champions in NYC: the UFT, Speaker Christine Quinn, Partnership for NYC, Mayoral Candidates

