



EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR'S UPDATE

UNION COUNTY
TEAMS GS AND
HIGH
SCHOOL/COLLEGE
LEADERSHIP

ACADEMY

WE TAKE YOUR CHILD

FROM

K to C

KINDERGARTEN TO

COLLEGE



**UCT-K-C
Mission Statement**

The Union County T.E.A.M.S. Charter School for Technology, Engineering, Architecture, Mathematics and Science and High School/College Leadership Academy is a small learning community, Grades K-12, where all students achieve high academic standards by using the built environment as a learning laboratory. Students gain the tools and confidence necessary for successful post-secondary education, entrepreneurship, and the world of work. Students interact with professionals in various professions including the construction community, and manifest by their experiential learning
"We Are Community Builders...Aiming High and Achieving Greatness."

Sheila L. Thorpe, Executive Director/Founder

Who Are We ...? 12 years strong And Blue Ribbon Bound !



SCHOOL WIDE DATA



UCT DEMOGRAPHICS K-C



- ⇒ 400 STUDENT CAPACITY
- ⇒ 65% AFRICAN AMERICAN
- ⇒ 34% HISPANIC/LATINO
- ⇒ 1% WHITE/ASIAN
- ⇒ 75% TITLE I POPULATION
- ⇒ 25% SPECIAL POPULATION (SPED, HOMELESS, ELL, 504)
- ⇒ STUDENT TEACHER RATIO – 12:1
- ⇒
- ⇒ 100% GRADUATION RATE (4 YEARS)
- ⇒ 100% COLLEGE ACCEPTANCE
- ⇒ OVER 1000 COLLEGE CREDITS EARNED
- ⇒ 96% AVERAGE STUDENT ATTENDANCE (93% STUDENT RETENTION)
- ⇒ 95% AVERAGE STAFF ATTENDANCE (92% STAFF RETENTION)

- ⇒ ANNUAL STEM FAIR /OPEN HOUSE

ACADEMIC and CO-CURRICULAR PROGRAMS

- ⇒ STEM SUMMER PROJECT
- ⇒ RISE PROJECT - AFTERSCHOOL
- ⇒ GIFTED AND TALENTED – STAR - AFTERSCHOOL
- ⇒ MIDDLESEX COUNTY COLLEGE – OFF CAMPUS BRIDGE
- ⇒ UNION COUNTY COLLEGE – ON CAMPUS BRIDGE
- ⇒ CLUB RICOCHET – PHYS. ED.
- ⇒ GIRLS WHO CODE - CITYWIDE
- ⇒ UC/STEP PROGRAM – COUNTY
- ⇒ JUNIOR ACHIEVERS PROGRAM



EDUCATIONAL FIELD PROGRAMS

- ⇒ NMAAHC – WASHINGTON DC
- ⇒ SCIENCE MUSEUM
- ⇒ CAMDEN AQUARIUM
- ⇒ METROPOLITAN MUSEUM OF ART
- ⇒ COLLEGE TOURS
- ⇒ SERVICE LEARNING
- ⇒ UC STEP PROGRAM
- ⇒ ANTI-BULLYING ASSEMBLIES
- ⇒ ANNUAL TEEN ARTS PROGRAM
- ⇒ ANNUAL WINTER /SPRING CONCERTS
- ⇒ ANNUAL BLACK HISTORY PROGRAM

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT



- ⇒ ANNUAL STAFF RETREAT/ ORIENTATION – 3 DAYS
- ⇒ ON-GOING - PD (Approximately 90 hrs.)



PARCC 2015 PERFORMANCE

- ⇒ HS—ELA AVERAGE – 772/STATE 743
- ⇒ ELEM—ELA AVERAGE – 747/STATE 751
- ⇒ HS— MATH AVERAGE – 725/STATE 735
- ⇒ ELEM—MATH AVERAGE – 733/STATE 742

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