

MASSACHUSETTS IMPACT SUMMARY

OneGoal + Early College



The Early College Initiative presents a unique opportunity to close opportunity gaps and make education equity a reality in Massachusetts. The potential for impact and scale are exciting, but successfully implementing an Early College program comes with challenges. The stakes are high for students to have an experience that supports their transcript and their confidence in going to college. And schools and districts must invest significant financial and people capacity to develop partnerships, build out the local program, and ensure student success.

OneGoal is proud to offer solutions that work in alignment with Early College and address these challenges. In total, OneGoal has advised over **300 students** through our OneGoal+Early College Classroom Model and trained 35 programs that represent nearly **2,000 Early College students** through our Advancing Early College and Leadership Network.

Keys to Success ➤

Based on our extensive experience across the state, working alongside partners and Early College practitioners, we know what it takes to have a successful Early College program:

- + Partners need resources and support to create the conditions for student success. This work requires transformative work for secondary and postsecondary partners and high levels of collaboration and engagement from leaders across sectors.
- + Students need more than just academic support to find success in Early College. They need:
 - A **sense of community** and **connection** to take risks and navigate challenges.
 - Rigorous **1:1 advising** that helps them plan for and navigate the transition to postsecondary aligned to their early college experience
 - **Equitable access and support**, inclusive of all identity markers

We bring these learnings, along with our statewide relationships, when we partner with schools and districts to ensure that Early College delivers on its promise to close opportunity gaps and support students across the state!



A Class that Changes Futures OneGoal + Early College ➤

Our three-year model starts as a class in junior and senior year of high school; students participate in OneGoal alongside their Early College course. We then bridge the transition to a student's chosen postsecondary pathway by providing continued, individualized support for a full year after high school graduation. This combination of OneGoal and Early College enhances a student's overall experience and likelihood of success in college + career.

96%

of OneGoal+Early College students complete the FAFSA





73%

of OneGoal+Early College students enroll in an accredited postsecondary pathway, **12% higher than the state average.**

A Class that Changes Futures OneGoal + Early College → Partners

OneGoal staff schedule regular touchpoints with school teams to build strong relationships, address challenges proactively, and ensure continued student success.

We provide ongoing coaching and support to ensure teachers have what they need to implement our curriculum.

 B.M.C Durfee High School	9 Cohorts	230 Students
 Marlborough High School	2 Cohorts	23 Students
 New Bedford High School	5 Cohorts	77 Students
 Veritas Prep Charter School	5 Cohorts	79 Students



Leaders Create Opportunity ↘ OneGoal Leadership Network + Early College

Our systems-level, multi-year path to improvement transforms postsecondary support across entire districts. School leaders work with a OneGoal coach to plan and execute strategies to increase postsecondary outcomes for all students.

Springfield Empowerment Zone Partnership

OneGoal provides tailored coaching to three Early College programs in Springfield. This includes regular meetings, site visits, project management, and close partnership with school and district leaders.

Discovery Polytech Early College High School — Focus Area Developing school processes and procedures to increase awareness of Early College

High School Of Commerce — Focus Area Expanding leadership for Early College to embed more postsecondary opportunities throughout the school day

RISE Academy — Focus Area Developing leadership and recognizing partnerships to provide quality career experiences for students

Boston Public Schools

In partnership with BPS' Office of Secondary Schools, OneGoal leads several Community of Practices for all Early College programs throughout the year, including those in the designation process. The community leverages data to access their work, encourage each other's continuous improvement, and promote cross-school sharing and support.

In addition, OneGoal provides tailored coaching to three Early College programs in BPS. This includes regular meetings, site visits, project management, and close partnership with school and district leaders.

Charlestown High School — Focus Area Strengthening the Early College experience and ensuring students earn at least 12 college credits

Ruth Batson Academy — Focus Area Developing leadership for new Early College team and supporting through first year of implementation

Dr. Albert D. Holland HS of Teach — Focus Area Outlining course trajectories and pathways for student, staff, and family engagement