In recent years, Dwight Bellizzi Dual Language Academy has made some of the **BIGGEST GAINS** in academic performance and culture/climate indicators in the city.

The **LATINOS IN ACTION PROGRAM** has helped over 100 students over the last two years become leaders in their community through community service and mentorships.

**DUAL LANGUAGE PROGRAM!**
Students who are part of the Dual Language program will learn how to read and speak fluently in English and Spanish at an academic level.

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Pre-kindergarten programs for 4-year-olds are partially funded through a School Readiness Grant, and involve a weekly fee, based on household income. Transportation is not provided for PK4 students.

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Dwight Bellizzi Dual Language Academy
• We are a community school with wraparound services that support students’ physical and mental health.

• We are proud of our partnership with Boys & Girls Club.

• Our Latinos in Action (LIA) Program offers an asset-based approach to bridging the graduation and opportunity gap for Latino students, as well as students of all backgrounds.

• Our Dual Language Program will allow students to become biliterate and bilingual in Spanish and English.

ACCOLADES
We promote student achievement, strengthening of families, and building strong communities and partnerships.

CURRICULUM
• Dual Language Program (English and Spanish)
• Latinos In Action
• Guided Reading/Close Reading
• Eureka Math

EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES
Girls Volleyball, Boys/Girls Basketball, Boys & Girls Club after-school program, and Latinos In Action.

TECHNOLOGY
SMART Boards in most classrooms, Mac Lab, Laptop carts available for all grade-level teams.

Dwight Bellizzi Dual Language Academy is a Pre-kindergarten to Grade 8 community school that provides students with an array of wraparound services, which include after-school programming, health and wellness services, and community partnerships. Our school is driven to aligning priorities with the defining characteristics of the surrounding community.

We are proud to offer a Dual Language program in our school. All students in the Dual Language program strand will learn to read in Spanish and English beginning in Kindergarten to 2nd grade with the goal of biliteracy in two languages by the end of 8th grade. The Dual Language program is a 50/50 program model. Kindergarten students have two teachers, one Spanish language teacher instructing for half the day and one English language teacher instructing for the other half of the day. Core academic instruction is taught 50% in Spanish and 50% in English.