

Laboratory Schools Update

November 2017

Initiated in 2016, The UNC laboratory schools advance learning and teaching by including the best thinking from our universities and school partners to ensure the youngest members of our academic community excel. By 2019, nine UNC universities will open lab schools serving K-8 students in low-performing localities.

Teacher Prep Student Impact Research Research Prep Student Impact Community Partnerships

Laboratory Schools Commitments

- Deliver high expectations to prepare students for college and life
- Ensure students learn to read and communicate effectively
- Address the academic, social, and emotional needs of all students
- Harness the benefits of partnerships to strengthen learning, teaching, and school leadership



Current Stage: Proposal

Development

Progress

Stage	es: 1 Proposal De	velopment 2 Planning 3 Implementation	4 School Operation
Opened 2017	ECU	Summary : ECU partnered with Pitt County Schools to open a K-5 school focused on literacy and wrap-around supports. They have 72 students enrolled in Grades 2-4 this year.	Current Stage: School Operation
	Western Carolina UNIVERSITY	Summary : WCU partnered with Jackson County Public Schools to open the Catamount School serving grades 6-8. They have 57 students enrolled in Grades 6-8 this year.	Current Stage: School Operation
Opening 2018	Appalachian	Summary : ASU is partnering with Winston-Salem/Forsyth County Schools to open a K-5 school focused on early-grades literacy located at Middle Fork Elementary School	Current Stage: Planning
	GREENSBORO	Summary : UNCG is partnering with Rockingham County Schools to open a K-5 school focused on early-grades literacy located at Moss Street Elementary School	Current Stage: Planning
	<u>UNCW</u>	Summary : UNCW is partnering with New Hanover County Schools to open a K-8 school located at D.C. Virgo Preparatory Academy.	Current Stage: Planning
Opening 2019	UNC CHARLOTTE	Summary : UNCC is in discussions with Charlotte Mecklenburg Schools to open a K-5 school.	Current Stage: Proposal Development
	UNIVERSITY Of NORTH CAROLINA PEMBROKE	Summary : UNCP is in discussions with Public Schools of Robeson County to open an elementary school.	Current Stage: Proposal Development
	NORTH CAROLINA CENTRAL UNIVERSITY	Summary : NCCU is beginning the planning process to engage a partner.	Current Stage: Proposal Development

Summary: A ninth university will be identified.