



THE SCHOOL DISTRICT OF
PHILADELPHIA

School Improvement Meeting

James J. Sullivan School

February 4, 2020



Agenda

- Why We're Here
- Where We Are in the Process
- Recommendation
- Next Steps
- Questions

Vision: All children have a great public school close to home

- Some schools need more support so that children can have the learning opportunities they deserve
- **Sullivan** will receive additional funding to support the school in meeting its goals
- We gathered your feedback on school strengths, challenges, and ways to improve **Sullivan**



As we work to improve students outcomes, we believe...

- All students can learn and achieve
- There is a need for support and room for improvement
- Improvement is possible
- All stakeholders have a perspective that needs to be respected
- The work of school improvement is urgent and is a shared responsibility

Where are we in the process?

Aug-Sept

SGS focus
schools
selected and
announced

Sept-Nov

Data
Gathering

Dec-mid Jan

Data
Review

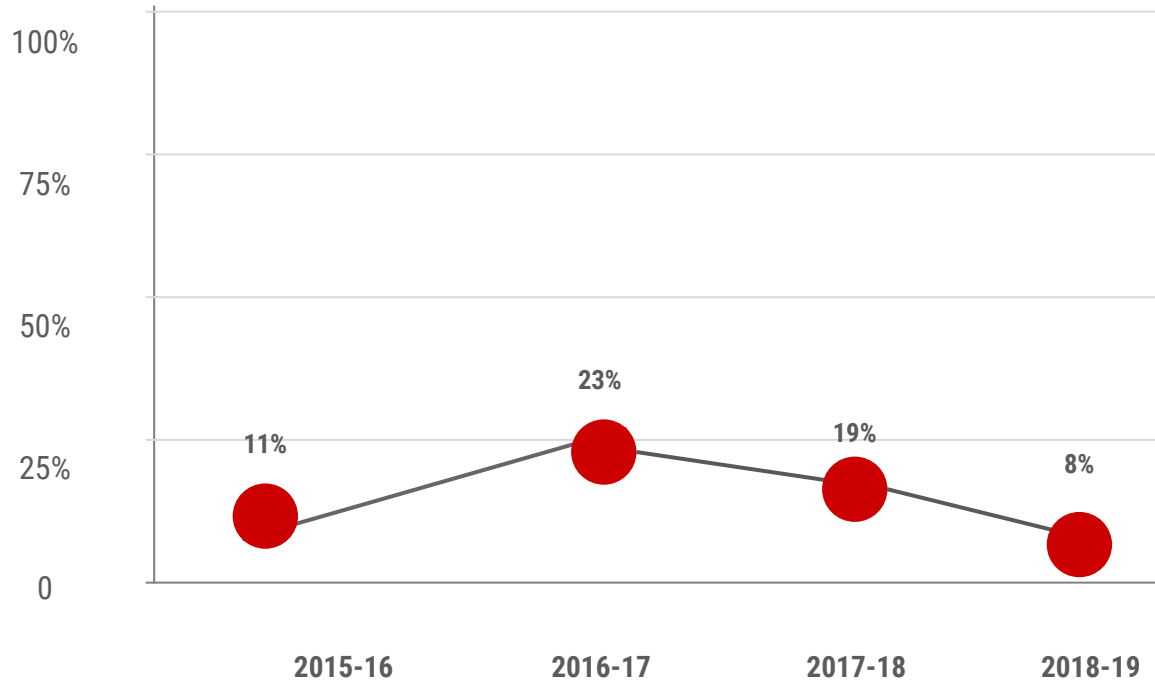
Jan-Feb

Recommendation

Feb-Mar

Planning &
budgeting

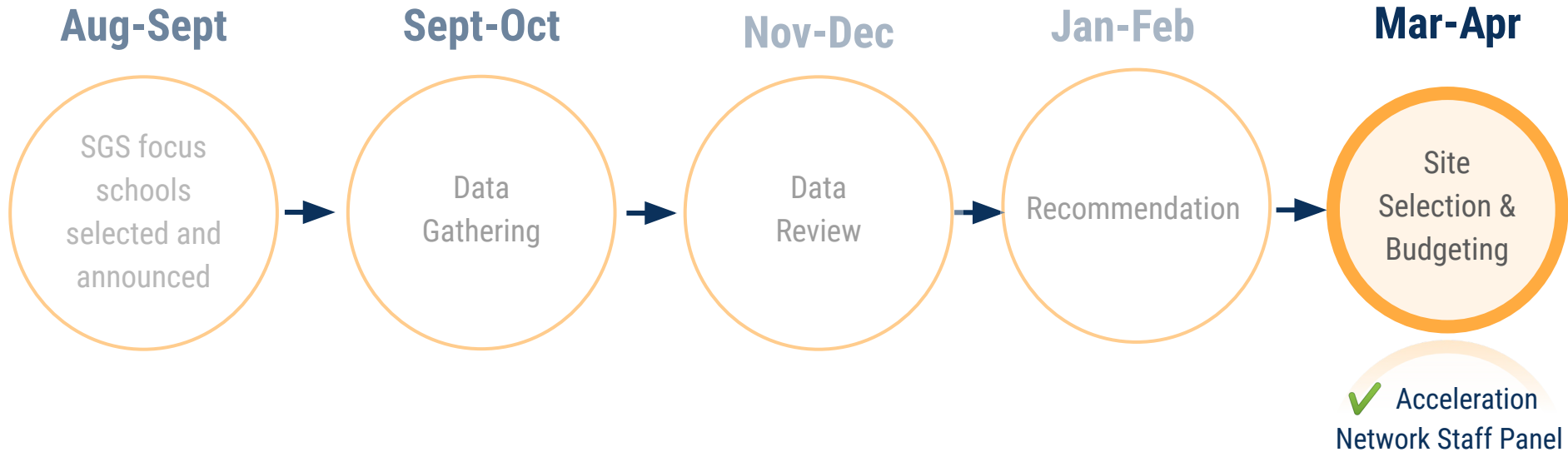
Sullivan School Progress Report Performance



Recommendation: Acceleration Network

- Highly structured approach grounded in research
- Focuses on the essential elements of successful school turnaround
- Provides the resources and supports needed to make accelerated change

Phases of the planning process



OUR CHILDREN'S POTENTIAL IS LIMITLESS

Each school has unique strengths and challenges

The goal for all children and all schools is the same:

to ensure that all children are able to learn and to succeed



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