# SCHOOL CHOICE PRESENTATION MAY 24, 2023

#### **Inter-District School Choice**

- Chapter 76, Section 12B of the Massachusetts General Laws details the terms and conditions of Inter-District School Choice.
- The Milton School Committee has a policy, Policy JFBB, regarding School Choice.

# How does Inter-District School Choice Work?

- The Inter-District school choice program allows a parent/guardian to enroll their child in a school district that is not the child's home school district.
- Prior to declaring themselves a School Choice district with the state, the school district would determine how many seats were available to be offered and at what grades they would be available.

### **Inter-District School Choice**

- Each year the Milton School Committee must vote on whether or not to participate in the School Choice Program.
- This vote must be submitted to the Department of Elementary and Secondary Education prior to June 1, 2023.

### **Inter-District School Choice**

- If the Milton School Committee voted to participate in School Choice, a student enrolled in the Milton Public Schools through this program would have the right to remain in the system until graduation.
- Historically, The Milton School Committee has voted not to participate in the Inter-District School Choice Program.