#### SCHOOL SPOTLIGHT



# JOHN A. PARKER ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

705 County Street, New Bedford, MA 02740



### **WELCOME TO OUR SCHOOL!**

Principal: Sandra Ford Number of students: 263

**About the garden:** 5 raised beds

**Built in:** 2015, via a school grant before Grow

Education became a partner

Website: parker.newbedfordschools.org

#### WHAT DO WE GROW HERE?

- Strawberries
- Green peppers
- Zucchini
- Spinach
- Kale
- Tomatoes
- A variety of herbs
- And more!

# SCHOOL SNAPSHOTS





### **FUN FACT!**

The Parker School garden was maintained by a passionate neighbor/parent, Sandi, who lives across the street from the garden, Sandi is so dedicated that she personally brought her hose across the street to water the beds on hot summer days and harvested produce to deliver to her neighbors.