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# WHICH IS YOUR MIDDLE SCHOOL?

2018 FAMILY GUIDE TO DCPS MIDDLE SCHOOLS

# ABOUT THIS GUIDE

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## What is this guide for?

Use this guide as a tool to learn about DCPS middle schools, the amazing programs offered, and how your student can enroll.

## How do I use this guide?

**Find** Find your neighborhood school: <http://dcatlas.dcgis.dc.gov/schools>

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**Learn** Determine schools that are a great match for your student. DCPS middle schools offer exciting programs such as Dual-Language, STEM, and more!

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**Visit** Many schools offer open houses. Check them out at <http://enrolldcps.dc.gov/node/16>

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**Apply** Some schools require an application. Learn more about the My School DC lottery application at [www.myschooldc.org](http://www.myschooldc.org)

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**Read** Read the DCPS Enrollment and Lottery Policy Handbook to learn policies and procedures, and for answers to commonly asked enrollment questions at <http://enrolldcps.dc.gov/node/66>

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**Enroll** Enrollment begins in April of each year. Visit [EnrollDCPS.dc.gov](http://EnrollDCPS.dc.gov) for more information.

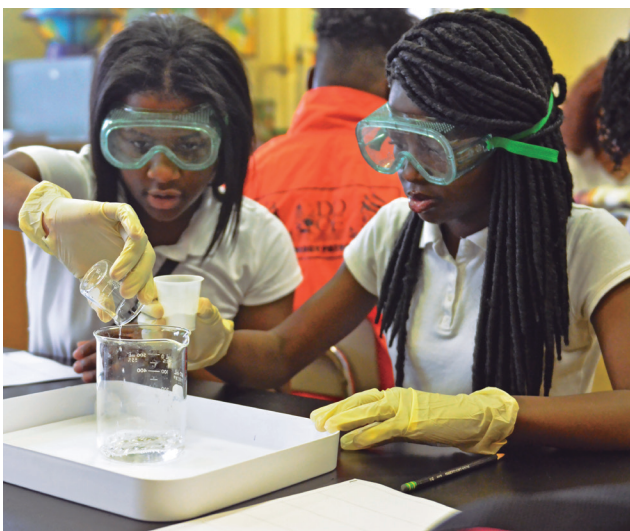


# MY SCHOOL DC LOTTERY



The My School DC lottery gives families the opportunity to apply for available seats in early childhood programs for 3- and 4-year-olds, out-of-boundary DCPS schools in grades K-12, citywide schools, DCPS selective high schools, and participating charter schools. A single, random lottery is run by My School DC to determine placement for new students at all participating schools. The Office of the State Superintendent of Education (OSSE) oversees the My School DC lottery in collaboration with DCPS, the Public Charter School Board (PCSB), and participating charter schools.

**To learn more about the lottery process, visit: [www.myschooldc.org](http://www.myschooldc.org)**





# KEY WORDS

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**Citywide school:** a school that does not have a boundary, cannot be claimed as an in-boundary school, and requires an application. *Capital Hill Montessori and Excel Academy are the only citywide schools with middle grades.*



**Feeder-pattern school (also destination school):** a school that a student has a right to attend based on a student's current school. This assignment only happens during the years a student moves from elementary to middle school, or from middle to high school.



**In-boundary school (also neighborhood or zoned school):** a school that a student has the right to attend based on where the student's guardian lives. To identify your student's in-boundary middle school, visit <http://dcatlas.dcgis.dc.gov/schools/>.



**My School DC application:** an online application families must use to apply for DCPS out-of-boundary schools (K-12), all DCPS preschool (PK3) and prekindergarten (PK4) programs, citywide schools, DCPS application high schools (9-12), and participating charter schools.



**My School DC common lottery:** a single, random lottery that determines placement for students at all participating My School DC lottery schools.



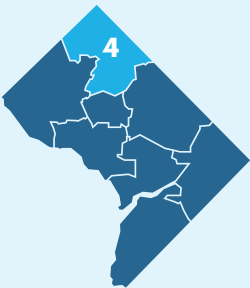
**Out-of-boundary school:** a school that a student does not have the right to attend because it is not an in-boundary school or a feeder-pattern school.



# BRIGHTWOOD

Grades: PK3-8

“Students should come to Brightwood because the classes are excellent, and it’s a very friendly environment. When you get to eighth grade, you get a lot of opportunities for trips and even more exciting classes.” – Jack, 8th Grade



## Why Brightwood Education Campus?

Brightwood Education Campus strives to foster an environment that builds a pathway to college and career readiness by inspiring scholars to become lifelong learners, creative problem solvers, critical thinkers, compassionate human beings, and responsible citizens. We are committed to providing a safe and supportive learning environment that promotes respect, integrity, and excellence in teaching and learning. We are fully committed to working with each scholar, each family, and the greater Brightwood community to ensure that all of our scholars reach their full potential.



## What great courses can I take?

- Consumer Science
- i-Ready Math
- Lexia
- Newsela
- Read 180
- ST Math
- System 44



## What programs will help me find my passion?

- Art & Music Electives
- Dream Dance
- Embassy Adoption Program
- Gardening
- HS Credit Spanish
- Music
- Newcomers Program
- PE



## What extra-curricular activities can I join?

- Art Club
- Choir
- Elementary and Middle School Sports
- Girls on the Run
- Playworks
- Student Government Association

### Find Us

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### Metro/Bus Service

**Bus:** 52, 53, 54, 70, 79, E2, E4, D31, D33, D34, S1, S2, S4, S9, W45

### Facility Highlights

Art Room - Auditorium -  
Gym - Media Center -  
Music Room - Outdoor  
Recreation Space -  
Science Lab

### Feeder Schools

N/A

### Destination Schools

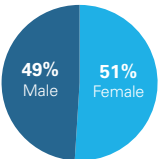
Coolidge High School

### Uniform

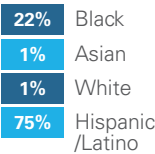
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## School Overview:

### Gender Breakdown



### Demo-graphics



### SY17-18 Enrollment

737

# BROOKLAND

Grades: 6-8

"I know I'm prepared for high school because of the support I receive from the school staff. I know if I need extra work, I can go to my teachers. I know once I go to high school I can always come back and talk to my old teachers." - Alyssa, 8th Grade

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## Why Brookland Middle School?

Brookland Middle School is an arts integration school with a strong emphasis on Common Core instruction. Brookland students are exposed to an array of course offerings which include visual art, music, Spanish, and Accelerated Math. Brookland's brand new state-of-the-art facility houses a rooftop outdoor learning classroom and a performing arts auditorium. This highly sustainable school supports the LEED® Gold certification target.



## What great courses can I take?

- Accelerated Math
- Algebra I
- Music
- Pre-AP English
- Spanish
- Visual Art



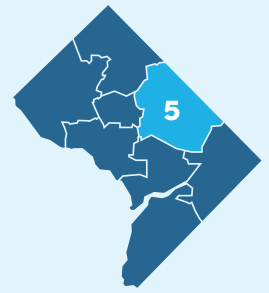
## What programs will help me find my passion?

- 2D and 3D Art
- Dance
- Graphic Design
- Instrumental and Choral Music Program



## What extra-curricular activities can I join?

- Band
- Baseball
- Bowling
- Cheerleading
- Chess
- Dance
- Debate Club
- Drama Club
- Drum Line
- Embassy Adoption
- Empowering Males of Color
- Football
- Game Board Club
- Girls and Boys Basketball
- Girls and Boys Cross Country
- Girls and Boys Indoor Track
- Girls and Boys Lacrosse
- Girls and Boys Outdoor Track
- Girls and Boys Soccer
- Higher Achievement
- Newspaper Club
- REIGN
- Skiing
- Softball
- Swim
- Travel Abroad



### Find Us

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Brookland Middle School

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### Metro/Bus Service

**Bus:** R4, H1, H2, H3, H4, H6, H8, H9, G8 and 80

**Metro:** Brookland-CUA

### Facility Highlights

Button Mural (made by Brookland native) - Performing Arts Auditorium - Rooftop Outdoor Classroom - Solar Panel - Well Water System

### Feeder Schools

Bunker Hill Elementary School, Burroughs Elementary School, Noyes Elementary School

### Destination Schools

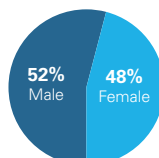
Dunbar High School

### Uniform

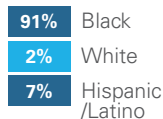
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## School Overview:

### Gender Breakdown



### Demo-graphics



### SY17-18 Enrollment

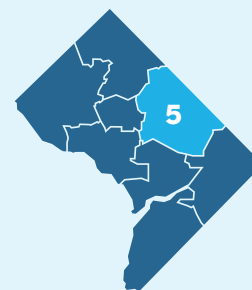
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# BROWNE

Grades: **PK3-8**

"I like Browne because I like the teachers. They're nice and give me the help I need.  
I like my classmates because everyone is friendly and we get along with each other."  
- Mahari, 5th Grade



## Why Browne Education Campus?

What sets Browne apart is our belief that Browne Bombers can accomplish any goal they commit to reaching. This belief in children is at the heart of everything that we do. We vehemently believe that every child needs and deserves a champion to push them toward greatness. Browne EC is also committed to a well-rounded education. We work to ensure that students have access to science, social studies, computer science, art, music, archery, technology, PE, choir, and debate. We understand that success in the 21st century requires more than reading, writing, and arithmetic. It is our desire to empower students to become the change that their communities require to thrive. To this end, at Browne we educate and inspire, teach and transform, every student every day.



## What great courses can I take?

- Algebra (ALEKS)
- Art
- Debate Club
- Digital Readiness/Keyboarding
- Enrichment/Character Education
- Extended Day Tutorial Services
- One to One Technology Program
- Physical Education (PE)
- Robotics
- Spanish
- Theatre Arts



## What programs will help me find my passion?

- Full-time Library/Media Arts
- International Baccalaureate
- Candidate School (Middle Years Program)
- Monthly High School and College Tours (Middle School)
- Part-time Theater Arts Program
- World Language (Spanish)



## What extra-curricular activities can I join?

- Archery
- Basketball
- Bowling
- Cheerleading
- College and Career Clubs
- Debate Team
- Football
- Kickball
- Swimming
- Track

### Find Us

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Browne+Education  
+Campus](https://profiles.dcps.dc.gov/Browne+Education+Campus)

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[BrowneEC](#)

### Metro/Bus Service

**Bus:** X1, X2, X3, X8, X9,  
S41 and B2

**Metro:** Minnesota Avenue/  
Stadium Armory

### Facility Highlights

4 Computer Labs -  
Art Room - Auditorium -  
Gym - Music Room - Library

### Feeder Schools

N/A

### Destination Schools

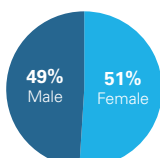
Eastern High School

### Uniform

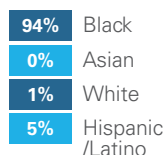
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## School Overview:

### Gender Breakdown



### Demo-graphics

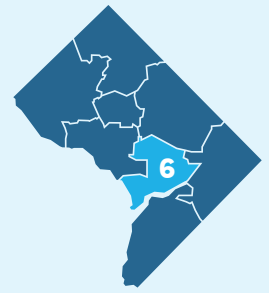


### SY17-18 Enrollment

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# CAPITOL HILL MONTESSORI

Grades: **PK3-8**



"I really enjoy science because we get to do experiments. Recently, we took the DNA from a strawberry. We learned about DNA through note-taking and experimentation. We have a routine in our class, which shows us how we're supposed to act. This is good for us." - *Destiny, 7th Grade*



## Why Capitol Hill Montessori School @ Logan?

We envision our school as a caring community where all students reach their fullest potential in preparation for becoming productive members of society. Our mission is to educate the whole child for a whole world through the use of the Montessori pedagogy. Our concept of whole child encompasses and celebrates the social, emotional, physical, spiritual (non religious), and intellectual aspects of being human.



## What great courses can I take?

- K-Kids and Builder's Club Service Learning Organizations (Elementary and Middle School Students)
- Music
- Semester Elective (Additional Math Support and Community Service)
- Visual Art
- Year-Round Science
- World Language (French)



## What programs will help me find my passion?

- Community Service in connection to our school's PreK and Elementary Programs
- Gardening



## What extra-curricular activities can I join?

- Baseball
- Basketball
- Builders Club
- Additional sports in partnership with Stuart-Hobson Middle School
- Track and Field
- Volleyball
- Year-Round Football

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### Metro/Bus Service

**Bus:** 80, 96, 97, D4, D6, D8,  
X1, X2, X8, X9, DCCirculator

**Metro:** Union Station

### Facility Highlights

Art Room - Auditorium -  
Media Center -  
Outdoor Recreation Space -  
Science Lab

### Feeder Schools

N/A

### Destination Schools

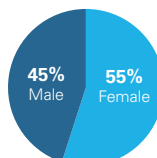
Eastern High School

### Uniform

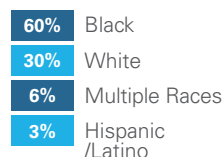
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## School Overview:

### Gender Breakdown



### Demo-graphics



### SY17-18 Enrollment

365





# CARDOZO

Grades: 6-12

"Students love this school because we have City Year, extended days, and great extracurricular activities. We also have the TransSTEM Academy with Transportation as well as Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (STEM) programs. Other students should consider this school because it is a middle and high school, and it has an International Academy program. Our building is also awesome with a swimming pool, track, and field." – Franklin, 6th Grade



## Why Cardozo Education Campus?

The inclusiveness of the multiple cultures that we serve sets us apart from everyone else in DCPS. We focus on and believe in relationships between educators and students, and we foster relationships between our families and the Cardozo school community. The foundation of our school's mission and vision is rooted in doing what's best for students academically and socially.



## What great courses can I take?

- Flight and Aviation (Middle and High School)
- Mandarin Chinese (Middle and High School)
- Middle School Algebra
- Middle School AP History Seminar
- Spanish (Middle and High School)



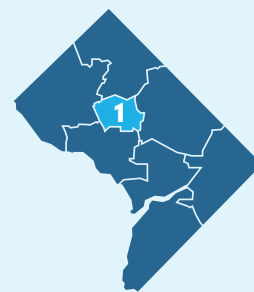
## What programs will help me find my passion?

- Art
- Flight and Aviation
- JROTC
- Swimming
- TransStem Academy



## What extra-curricular activities can I join?

- Basketball
- Chess Club
- City Year
- Football
- Girls Who Code
- Golf
- Soccer
- Track
- Tutoring
- Volleyball



### Find Us

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### Follow Us

Cardozo High School

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### Metro/Bus Service

**Bus:** 52, 53, 54, 63, 64, 70, 79, 90, 92, 96, H1, H2, H3, H4, H8, S1, S2, S4, S9, X3

**Metro:** U Street/African-American Civil War Memorial/Cardozo

### Facility Highlights

Atrium - Aviation Lab - Dance Room - Media Center - Modern Weight Room / Cardio Room - Secure Parking (limited) - Smart Boards (in all classrooms) - Swimming Pool - Turf Field - Updated Technology

### Feeder Schools

Cleveland Elementary School, Garrison Elementary School, Ross Elementary School, Seaton Elementary School

### Destination Schools

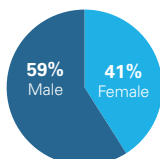
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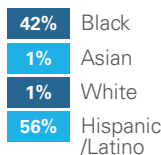
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## School Overview:

### Gender Breakdown



### Demo-graphics



### SY17-18 Enrollment

**788**  
(Whole School)

# CHEC MIDDLE SCHOOL

Grades: 6-8

"At CHEC Middle School, I am part of a family. My teachers know my strengths and weaknesses, and they push me when I need to be pushed. They all know my parents and regularly update my parents. I love that I have my own tablet and that I get personalized time to work on real life projects." – Oscar, 6th Grade

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## Why CHEC Middle School?

CHEC Middle School is a unique globally-themed, 6-8 dual language campus that blends rigorous instruction with personalized education, driven by technology, bilingualism and social justice. All students in middle school have their own Surface Tablets. On a daily basis, CHEC MS students get to apply technology, research, and real life experiences in their curriculum, which enables them to be prepared for high school and college.



## What great courses can I take?

- Art
- Band & Choir
- ESL
- Math
- Music
- Personalized Learning Time with 1:1 Technology for ELA
- Physical Education (PE)
- Science
- Social Studies
- Spanish Language Arts
- Spanish as a Second Language



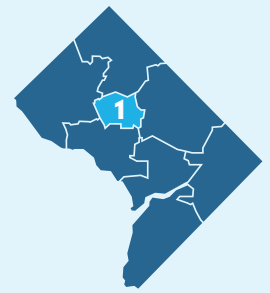
## What programs will help me find my passion?

- 1:1 technology
- Career Days with Subject Experts from the Region
- Extended Day
- International Travel Opportunity
- PBIS Related Regular Recreational and Educational Field Trips and In-House Field Days, Dances, Ice-Cream Social, etc.
- Middle School Student Government
- Junior JRTOC
- Personal Teacher Mentor
- Saturday Academy
- Special Wednesday Club Days
- STEM Challenges



## What extra-curricular activities can I join?

- Baseball
- Book Club
- Boys & Girls Basketball
- Chinese
- Coding
- DC Scores
- Dual-Language Programs
- Extended Day
- Football
- Pre-Academy of Hospitality
- Soccer
- Track and Field
- Videogaming
- Weight Training
- Wrestling
- Yoga



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### Metro/Bus Service

**Bus:** 42, 43, 52, 53, 54, 64, H1, H2, H3, H4, H8, S1, S2, S4, S9, DCCirculator

**Metro:** Columbia Heights

### Facility Highlights

Art Room - Auditorium - Computer Lab - Gym - Media Center - Music Room - Outdoor Recreation - Science Lab

### Feeder Schools

**Neighborhood:** H.D. Cooke Elementary School, Marie Reed Elementary School, Tubman Elementary School

**Programmatic:** Bancroft Elementary School, Bruce-Monroe Elementary School, Cleveland Elementary School, Powell Elementary School, Tyler Elementary School

### Destination Schools

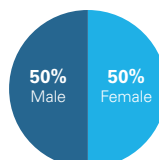
Cardozo Education Campus

### Uniform

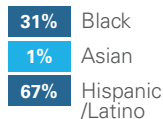
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## School Overview:

Gender Breakdown



Demo-graphics



SY17-18 Enrollment

**1,224**  
(Whole School)



# DEAL

Grades: 6-8

"From the moment you walk through the doors at Alice Deal Middle School, you are greeted by countless smiling students, teachers, and other faculty. If you attend Deal, you will find so many people who will support you and be willing to help you with whatever you need. Deal invites you to explore a range of different subjects and activities. Anyone can start a club at Deal, and anyone can join pre-existing clubs where students can meet classmates with similar interests. The best thing about Deal is the community of students. We also all try to embody our International Baccalaureate character traits: knowledgeable, inquirers, thinkers, communicators, principled, open-minded, caring, risk-takers, balanced, and reflective. Overall, Alice Deal is an amazing school with limitless opportunities." – *Olivia, 8th Grade*



## Why Alice Deal Middle School?

Alice Deal Middle School inspires excellence, curiosity, and compassion through intellectual and social engagement. Deal has a wealth of curricular and extra-curricular options, including Spanish, French, and Mandarin Chinese World Language options. Deal's greatest asset is its diverse student population of nearly 1,500 students. The team-based structure creates a communal environment where students find numerous opportunities to master complex material and develop 21st century skills in a nurturing atmosphere.



## What great courses can I take?

- International Baccalaureate- Middle Years Program
- Spanish Humanities
- World Languages: Spanish, French, Mandarin Chinese.



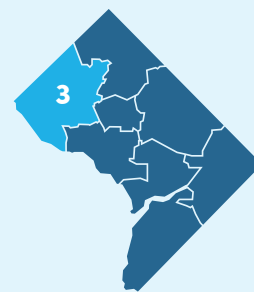
## What programs will help me find my passion?

- Content-Based Field Trips
- Drama Club
- Model United Nations
- Speech and Debate Team



## What extra-curricular activities can I join?

- African Drumming
- Animation Club
- Chess Club
- Drumline
- Gay-Straight Alliance
- Girls on the Run
- Girl Up!
- Guitar Club
- Hispanic Club
- Inspiration Choir
- Martial Arts Club
- Math Olympiad
- Noted Acapella Ensemble
- Philosophy Club
- Pokemon Club
- Robotics Club
- Rubik's Cube Club
- Sailing Club
- Scrabble Club
- Stock Market Club
- Student Government Association (SGA)
- Trading Card Club
- Volleyball Club
- Yearbook Club
- Yoga Club
- Young Male Achievers



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### Metro/Bus Service

**Bus:** 30N, 30S, 31, 33, 37, 96, D31, D32, D33, D34, H2, H3, H4, L1, L2, M4, N2

**Metro:** Tenleytown/  
American University

### Facility Highlights

Art Room - Auditorium -  
Computer Lab - Gym -  
Media Center - Music Room -  
Outdoor Recreation -  
Science Lab

### Feeder Schools

Bancroft Elementary School,  
Hearst Elementary School,  
Janney Elementary School,  
Lafayette Elementary School,  
Murch Elementary School,  
Shepherd Elementary School

### Destination Schools

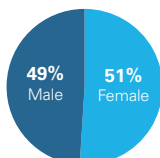
Wilson High School

### Uniform

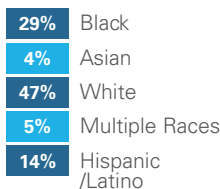
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## School Overview:

### Gender Breakdown



### Demo-graphics



### SY17-18 Enrollment

1,474

# ELIOT-HINE

Grades: 6-8

"I like Eliot-Hine because there are good teachers and good programs. I am learning without becoming stressed or overwhelmed. My favorite class is Radio Broadcast because I get to learn to how to use the equipment and interview guests, and I am not forced to step outside of my comfort zone." – Malia, 7th Grade

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## Why Eliot-Hine Middle School?

Eliot-Hine is an International Baccalaureate (IB) Middle Years Programme School. Our goal is to develop inquisitive, international-minded learners who think globally and act compassionately. We offer a rigorous academic program supplemented by a variety of extra-curricular activities such as but not limited to basketball, knitting, rocketry and robotics, and the only radio broadcast program run by middle school students in the city.



## What great courses can I take?

- 6th and 7th Grade Accelerated Math
- 8th Grade Algebra
- International Baccalaureate Service Learning Course
- Journalism
- Radio Broadcast Program
- Robotics Course and Club
- Spanish



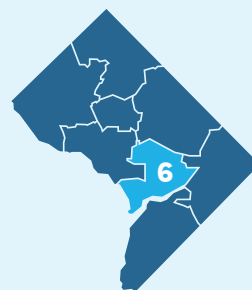
## What programs will help me find my passion?

- Algebra 1
- Performing and Visual Arts
- Radio Broadcast Program
- World Languages through the International Baccalaureate Program



## What extra-curricular activities can I join?

- Baseball
- Book Club
- Boys/Girls Basketball
- Cross Country
- Dance Club
- National Junior Honor Society
- Softball
- Student Council
- Track



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### Metro/Bus Service

**Bus:** 96, 97, B2, D6, E32

**Metro:** Stadium-Armory

### Facility Highlights

The building is scheduled to begin modernization in 2018.

### Feeder Schools

Maury Elementary School,  
Miner Elementary School,  
Payne Elementary School,  
School-Within-School @  
Goding

### Destination Schools

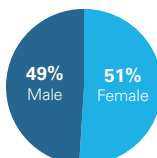
Eastern High School

### Uniform

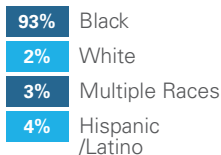
- Yes
- No

## School Overview:

Gender  
Breakdown



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graphics



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Enrollment

203



# EXCEL ACADEMY

Grades: PK3-8

"I have been here since PK3, and I love the small class sizes. I love the fact that I get more attention from our teachers and am able to learn faster. Because this school is all girls and mostly female teachers, I feel comfortable talking to my teachers about anything."  
- Jade, 4th Grade



## Why Excel Academy?

Excel Academy offers a unique, single-sex educational model for girls in preschool through 8th grades in the District of Columbia. The curriculum focuses on building student achievement in literacy, mathematics, science, technology, world languages, and performing and visual arts, while strengthening the scholars' self-esteem, which empowers them to make positive ethical choices. The school provides a myriad of opportunities to develop the young ladies academically, socially, and emotionally in order to prepare them to be productive competitors in the 21st century.



## What great courses can I take?

- Computer Science
- Design and Modeling
- Robotics
- World Languages: Spanish



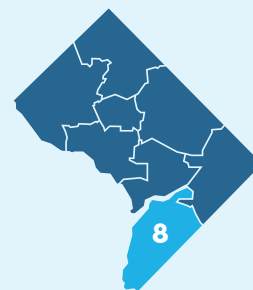
## What programs will help me find my passion?

- Code4Life
- Dance
- Drama
- Sister Circle



## What extra-curricular activities can I join?

- Art Club
- Basketball
- Cheerleading
- Chess Club
- Cross Country
- Dance Team
- Flag Football
- Gardening Club
- Lacrosse
- Soccer
- Student Government



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### Follow Us

ExcelAcademyPS

ExcelAcademyPS

### Metro/Bus Service

**Bus:** A2, A4, A6, A7, A8,  
W2, W3, W4, W8, 90, 94

**Metro:** Anacostia

### Facility Highlights

Art Room - Auditorium -  
Computer Room - Gym -  
Outdoor Recreation Space -  
Student Garden

### Feeder Schools

N/A

### Destination Schools

Anacostia High School

### Uniform

- Yes
- No

## School Overview:

Gender  
Breakdown

100%  
Female

Demo-  
graphics

|       |                            |
|-------|----------------------------|
| 98.4% | African American/<br>Black |
| 0.6%  | Hispanic/<br>Latino        |
| 0.3%  | White/ Non-<br>Hispanic    |
| 0.7%  | Multiple Races             |

SY17-18  
Enrollment

643



# HARDY

Grades: **6-8**

"I really like the Hardy community. I like the sense of extended family, the electives, and class options." – *Katrina, 7th Grade*



## Why Hardy Middle School?

Hardy is one of the most diverse schools in DC. Hardy allows for all students to be truly known, while offering a wide array of accelerated classes, honors courses, and diverse electives. Our mission is to unite our diverse students, staff, families, and global community by fostering kindness, curiosity, character and academic excellence in order to prepare each individual student to be a lifelong learner and socially conscious leader.



## What great courses can I take?

- Accelerated Math for 6th and 7th Grade
- Algebra and Geometry (High School Credit)
- Honors English Language Arts for 6th, 7th, and 8th Grade
- Honors Science for 8th graders



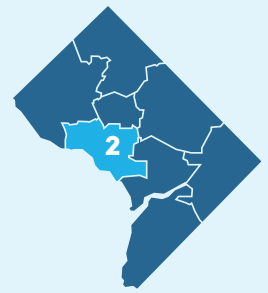
## What programs will help me find my passion?

- Band (Jazz and Concert)
- Chinese
- Computer Applications
- Italian
- Orchestra
- Projects and Problem Solving (STEM)
- Spanish
- Visual Arts (SEM)



## What extra-curricular activities can I join?

- Afterschool Study Hall
- Archery (Boys and Girls)
- Basketball (Boys and Girls)
- Clubs
- Cross Country (Boys and Girls)
- Enrichment Tutoring
- Girls Bowling
- Girls Volleyball
- Indoor Track & Field (Boys and Girls)
- Skiing
- Soccer (Boys and Girls)
- Swimming (Boys and Girls)
- Wrestling (Boys and Girls)



### Find Us

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[hardyms.org](http://hardyms.org)

### Follow Us

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### Metro/Bus Service

**Bus:** 30N, 30S, 31, 33,  
37, D1, D2, D6, G2,  
DCCirculator

### Facility Highlights

Art Room - Auditorium -  
Band Room - Computer  
Labs - Gym - Makerspace  
Lab - Kelly Miller Farm

### Feeder Schools

Eaton Elementary School,  
Hyde-Addison Elementary  
School, Key Elementary  
School, Mann Elementary  
School, Stodert  
Elementary School

### Destination Schools

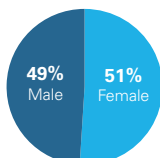
Wilson High School

### Uniform

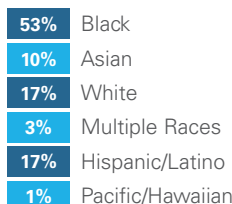
- Yes
- No

## School Overview:

Gender  
Breakdown



Demo-  
graphics



SY17-18  
Enrollment

392



# HART

Grades: 6-8

"I'm a member of Hart Middle School's Student Tech Team. It's been an amazing experience! It's also a great way to make new friends. My teammates and I help other students figure out how to do things on their tablets. Last year we went to my old elementary school and showed those students some of the cool ways we use technology at my school. Being on the Tech Team is definitely one of the things I like most about Hart." – Semaj, 7th Grade



## Why Charles Hart Middle School?

Each and every day at Charles Hart Middle School, we are committed to leading change, challenging minds, and transforming lives. We are also committed to developing and maintaining a productive partnership with our parents, partners, and other stakeholders to ensure our students can achieve their highest potential.



## What great courses can I take?

- Art
- AVID
- Dance
- Fashion
- Media Arts
- Music
- Spanish
- STEM



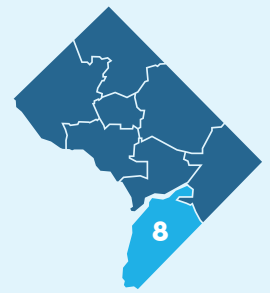
## What programs will help me find my passion?

- Advisory
- After School All Stars
- AVID
- College and Career Club



## What extra-curricular activities can I join?

- Alpha Achievers
- Baseball
- Cheerleading
- Football
- Girls and Boys Basketball
- Girls and Boys Indoor Track
- Girls and Boys Outdoor Track
- Girls on the Run
- Golf
- Peer Mediators
- Rubik's Cube Club
- Skiing
- Softball
- Volleyball



### Find Us

601 Mississippi Ave. SE  
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(202) 671-6426

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[i](#) hartmsdcps

### Metro/Bus Service

**Bus:** A2, A4, A6, A7, A8, A9, W1, W2, W3, and W4

**Metro:** Congress Heights

### Facility Highlights

Media Center -  
Multipurpose Room -  
Outdoor Classroom - School  
Garden - Technology Lounge

### Feeder Schools

Hendley Elementary School,  
King Elementary School,  
Patterson Elementary School,  
Simon Elementary School

### Destination Schools

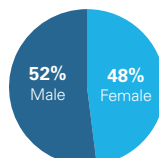
Ballou High School

### Uniform

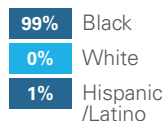
- ☒ Yes
- ☐ No

## School Overview:

Gender  
Breakdown



Demo-  
graphics



SY17-18  
Enrollment

365

# JEFFERSON

Grades: 6-8

"What makes Jefferson special are the rigorous academics, the extracurricular activities, and the exceptional staff. Jefferson is your second family, and the teachers will give you as much love as you need to be successful." – Jamal, 7th Grade



## Why Jefferson Middle School Academy?

Jefferson Academy nurtures the academic, social, and emotional needs of every child through rigorous, interdisciplinary, developmentally appropriate curriculum, and positive, collaborative relationships with all members of our JA family. We provide a learning community that promotes self-motivated, inquisitive Trojans who actively contribute to the intercultural world in which they live. Jefferson has two BHAGs (Big Hairy Audacious Goals) as a school:

1. We will be the highest achieving middle school in DC for all students!
2. All members of the JA community will love school!



## What great courses can I take?

- Advanced Math (Algebra I, etc.)
- Advanced Spanish
- Advanced Writing
- Band
- Project Lead the Way



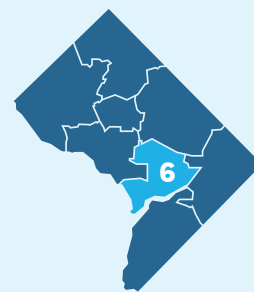
## What programs will help me find my passion?

- African Drumming
- Voices of Now (Arena Stage)
- Tech Bridge (STEM/Robotics Program for Girls)



## What extra-curricular activities can I join?

- |                             |                    |
|-----------------------------|--------------------|
| • Art Club                  | • Piano Club       |
| • Baseball                  | • Rugby            |
| • Basketball                | • Skiing           |
| • Bowling                   | • Softball         |
| • Cheerleading              | • Track and Field  |
| • DC SCORES                 | • Ultimate Frisbee |
| • Football (Girls and Boys) | • Volleyball       |
| • Frisbee                   |                    |



### Find Us

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### Follow Us

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### Metro/Bus Service

**Bus:** 52, 74, 5A, P6, V1, V5, W9, A9

**Metro:** L'Enfant Plaza

### Facility Highlights

Art Room - Auditorium -  
Computer Lab - Gym -  
Media Center -  
Music Room - Outdoor  
Recreation - Science Lab

### Feeder Schools

Amidon-Bowen Elementary School, Brent Elementary School, Thomson Elementary School, Tyler Elementary School, Van Ness Elementary School

### Destination Schools

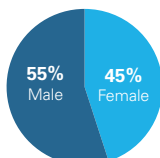
Eastern High School

### Uniform

- Yes
- No

## School Overview:

### Gender Breakdown



### Demo-graphics

|     |                  |
|-----|------------------|
| 95% | Black            |
| 1%  | Asian            |
| 1%  | White            |
| 1%  | Multiple Races   |
| 2%  | Hispanic /Latino |

### SY17-18 Enrollment

314



# JOHNSON

Grades: 6-8

"I enjoy being at Johnson because of the focus on academic goals and all the activities offered. I like that we get to see our academic progress every two weeks and that we have things such as a girls lunch every week. I also like that the staff and Principal Taylor are always checking in on all of the students." - Princess-Ann, 6th Grade



## Why John Hayden Johnson Middle School?

John Hayden Johnson Middle School is committed to academic excellence. We believe that our school should provide each student with the opportunity to develop to his or her greatest potential academically, socially, and physically in order to contribute to society. We will strive to offer each student the opportunity to function creatively within his or her environment and to participate in the democratic process in our nation. The vision of Johnson is to serve as a beacon of learning for children and the community, while also attracting students and parents from all over Washington, DC. The school will maintain a strong academic program and provide a safe and supportive culture, with a focus on the power of technology. The mission of Johnson is to provide high quality, targeted instruction to all students, based on the individual needs of learners; offer an academic program that will focus on critical reading, writing, and thinking skills while leveraging the power of technology to enhance student's learning and lives; and create an environment where families and community members are welcome to collaborate in the education and development of all our children.



## What great courses can I take?

- Algebra 1
- Creative Writing
- Intervention Hour
- Project Lead the Way
- Read 180
- Schoolwide Enrichment Model (SEM)
- Spanish 1 & 2



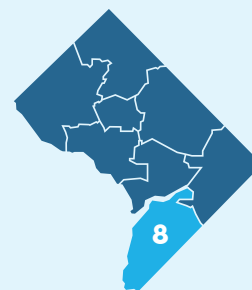
## What programs will help me find my passion?

- BlackFem Financial Club
- Computer Science
- Digital Arts
- Engineering
- Step Afrika!



## What extra-curricular activities can I join?

- Archery
- Baseball
- Bowling
- Cheerleading
- CIS Teen Outreach (Boys and Girls) Club
- City Year Leadership Club
- Cross Country
- Football
- Girls and Boys Basketball
- Girls Volleyball
- Indoor & Outdoor Track
- JMS Lends a Paw Club
- P.O.W.E.R. Club
- Softball
- Swimming
- Visual Eyez
- Wrestling



### Find Us

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John Hayden Johnson Middle School  
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### Metro/Bus Service

Bus: 92, 94, D51, W1, W2, W4, W8

### Facility Highlights

Art Room - Auditorium -  
Computer Lab - Gymnasium

### Feeder Schools

Garfield Elementary School, Malcolm X Elementary School, Turner Elementary School

### Destination Schools

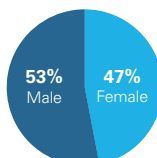
Ballou High School

### Uniform

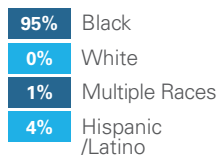
Yes  
No

## School Overview:

### Gender Breakdown



### Demo-graphics



### SY17-18 Enrollment

255

# KELLY MILLER

Grades: 6-8

"I love going to Kelly Miller because there are a lot of academic activities. The teachers challenge you and make you feel like family. We have great students and lots of opportunities such as field trips, sports, and I can't forget the step team."  
- Sheillya, 7th Grade



## Why Kelly Miller Middle School?

Kelly Miller Middle School cultivates scholars through the use of rigorous instruction that empowers students to use learning in authentic ways, and integrates their new knowledge into the world around them. Students' talents are nurtured through our strong focus on academics, schoolwide enrichment, and family engagement. Our programming caters to diverse student interests and academic performance as we cultivate the whole child through social emotional learning and restorative practices.



## What great courses can I take?

- Accelerated Studies Program
- Arabic
- Gifted & Talented Program
- Spanish
- Targeted Intervention Blocks



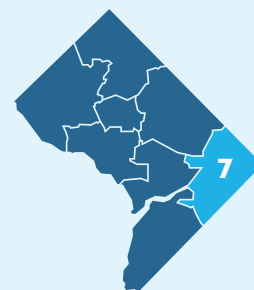
## What programs will help me find my passion?

- Advisory Classes
- Band
- College and High School Field Trips
- Cooking
- Food Corps - Gardening Program
- Gaming
- Gardening
- Georgetown Kids to College Program
- Higher Achievement Program
- Leadership Development
- Mikva Challenge
- Miniature Golf
- Modeling
- Sewing/ Fashion Design
- Step
- Study Abroad Trips



## What extra-curricular activities can I join?

- Archery
- Baseball
- Basketball (Girls)
- Bowling
- Girl Scouts
- Science Club
- Skiing
- Football (Boys)
- Soccer
- Step Team
- Student Government Association
- Volleyball (Girls)
- We the Girls Leadership Series



### Find Us

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### Follow Us

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### Metro/Bus Service

**Bus:** U5, U6, U8, V2, V4, X9, W4, 96. 97

**Metro:** Benning Rd Station

### Facility Highlights

Auditorium - Art Room -  
Computer Labs - Gym -  
Makerspace Lab - Kelly  
Miller Farm

### Feeder Schools

Aiton Elementary School,  
Burrville Elementary School,  
C.W. Harris Elementary  
School, Drew Elementary  
School, Houston Elementary  
School, Nalle Elementary  
School, Smothers  
Elementary School, Thomas  
Elementary School

### Destination Schools

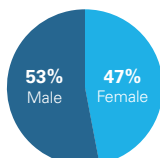
Eastern High School,  
Woodson High School

### Uniform

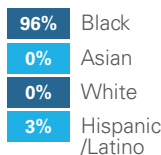
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- No

## School Overview:

Gender  
Breakdown



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graphics



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Enrollment

387

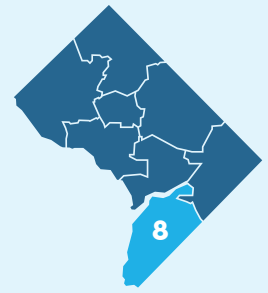




# KRAMER

Grades: 6-8

"I like Kramer because I can keep going to school with my friends."  
- Xiavonte, 6th Grade



## Why Kramer Middle School?

Our mission at Kramer Middle School is for each community member (teachers, staff, community members, parents, and students) to demonstrate a strong character embodying resilience, perseverance, and ethics in the pursuit of excellence. The community collectively uses quantitative data in 100% of our decision-making process to support the development of our scholars into critical thinkers, effective communicators, entrepreneurs, consumers, and positive community members. Our community will promote positive habits that support our scholars in building their academic competencies as well as their development of sound physical, emotional, and mental health. All scholars who are promoted from our entrepreneurial and high school preparatory campus will be equipped with the skills necessary to succeed as leaders of socioeconomic and environmental change within our community and beyond. Our vision is that the whole community actively embraces education as the key to everyone's success.



## What great courses can I take?

- Algebra I
- Computer Science
- Engineering/Robotics
- Math Intervention
- Read 180
- Reading Intervention
- Spanish
- System 44



## What programs will help me find my passion?

- G's to Gents
- Self-Promise Program (Reign Grant)
- SNEAKERS
- Teen Outreach Program (TOP)



## What extra-curricular activities can I join?

- Basketball (Girls/Boys)
- Baseball
- Black Swan Academy
- Cheerleading
- Comic Book Club
- Cross Country
- Drama Club
- Football
- HERO
- Higher Achievement Program
- Luma Labs
- Prancing Hornettes Dance Team
- Robotics
- Softball
- Track and Field (Indoor/Outdoor)

### Find Us

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### Follow Us

Kramer Middle School  
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### Metro/Bus Service

Bus: B2, V2

### Facility Highlights

Art Room - Auditorium -  
Computer Lab - Gym -  
Media Center - Music Room -  
Outdoor Recreational Space -  
Science Lab

### Feeder Schools

Ketcham Elementary  
School, Moten Elementary  
School, Orr Elementary  
School, Savoy Elementary  
School, Stanton  
Elementary School

### Destination Schools

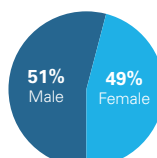
Anacostia High School

### Uniform

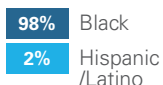
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## School Overview:

Gender  
Breakdown



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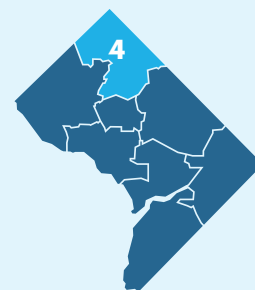
SY17-18  
Enrollment

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# LASALLE-BACKUS

Grades: **PK3-8**

"Being a student at LaSalle-Backus Education Campus is a great privilege because it has opened so many opportunities for me to study in a better and more developed environment. For example, every middle school student at LaSalle-Backus is assigned a personal computer for the school year. LaSalle-Backus also has great afterschool programs for students. The teachers and staff strive their best to provide students with all materials and information needed for a better education, and use new strategies to help the students understand more, such as field trips. LaSalle-Backus also has a variety of clubs hosted by teachers, such as That's What's Up, Male Mentors, and Ladies of LaSalle. As a new student, I say LaSalle is the place to be." - Tehilah, 8th Grade



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## Metro/Bus Service

**Bus:** E4, F1, F2, K6, K9, R1, R2

**Metro:** Fort Totten

## Facility Highlights

Art Room - Auditorium -  
Media Center - Music Room -  
Outdoor Recreational Space -  
Science Lab

## Feeder Schools

N/A

## Destination Schools

Coolidge High School

## Uniform

- Yes
- No



## Why LaSalle-Backus Education Campus?

LaSalle-Backus Education Campus is a rising school that provides students with an intimate learning environment. The structure of the middle school allows teachers to work with students for multiple years, which allows them to reach a deeper understanding of each student academically and socially. The structure also allows teachers to have closer relationships with each other, which leads to increased cross-content collaboration and a healthy work environment. The administration has provided the students and teachers with the technological, professional, and social-emotional tools to innovate their practice and advance student achievement. All stakeholders at LaSalle-Backus believe that we can achieve any goal laid before us - and we will.



## What great courses can I take?

- Algebra 1
- Social Studies
- Spanish 1



## What programs will help me find my passion?

- DCPS Math Quiz Bowl
- Project Lead the Way
- Newcomers Program
- Read 180
- Tools of the Mind

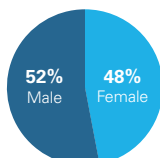


## What extra-curricular activities can I join?

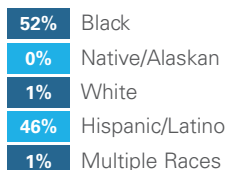
- Archery
- Cross Country/Track
- DC Scores (Soccer)
- Ski Club
- Unified Sports & Special Olympics

## School Overview:

### Gender Breakdown



### Demo-graphics



### SY17-18 Enrollment

363



# MACFARLAND

Grades: 6-8

"I love MacFarland because it's a dual-language school and you learn something new every day." – Kacey, 6th Grade

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## Why MacFarland Middle School?

At MacFarland Middle School our goal is to develop our students' abilities to tackle problems, develop solutions, and learn from mistakes in productive ways that help our students to develop perseverance and 'grit'. We push students to do these things both in the academic and social settings so that they will be prepared for the academic and social challenges that await them in high school and beyond. This is accomplished through rigorous classes as well as our focus on social-emotional interactions via our advisory programs. MacFarland has a dual-language program that helps students to continue their literacy and language in full-time Spanish and English classes. Students have the chance to continue their bilingual education and better prepare to receive the DC Seal of Bilingualism upon graduation from high school. Furthermore, our school-wide Global Studies focus pushes students to develop understanding and empathy for other nationalities, belief systems, and cultures around the world.



## What great courses can I take?

- Algebra I (8th Grade)
- Arabic
- Ceramics/Pottery
- Language Arts in Spanish
- Science in Spanish
- Social Studies in Spanish



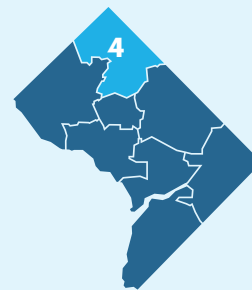
## What programs will help me find my passion?

- Accelerated Math Program
- Dual Language Program (Spanish-English)
- Embassy Adoption Program
- Global Studies Program



## What extra-curricular activities can I join?

- Basketball (Girls and Boys)
- Baseball
- Chess Club
- Computer Club
- Creative Writing Club
- DC Scores
- Female Empowerment Club
- Indoor or Outdoor Track
- MOST Club
- Peer Mediators
- Performance Club
- Soccer (Men's and Women's)
- Softball
- Student Government



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### Metro/Bus Service

**Bus:** 52, 53, 54, 60, 62, 63, 70, 79, D33, S1, S2, S4, S9, W45

**Metro:** Georgia Ave/Petworth

### Facility Highlights

Media Center - Outdoor  
Recreational Space -  
Auditorium

### Feeder Schools

#### Neighborhood:

Barnard Elementary School,  
Bruce-Monroe Elementary  
School, Dorothy Height  
Elementary School, Raymond  
Education Campus, Powell  
Elementary School, Truesdell  
Education Campus, West  
Education Campus

#### Programmatic:

Bancroft Elementary School,  
Cleveland Elementary School,  
Marie Reed Elementary School,  
Tyler Elementary School

### Destination Schools

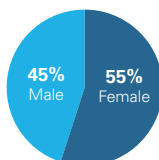
Roosevelt High School

### Uniform

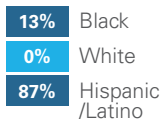
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## School Overview:

Gender  
Breakdown



Demo-  
graphics



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Enrollment

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# MCKINLEY

Grades: 6-8

"McKinley Middle is a good school for students who want to learn, have fun, and challenge themselves. Engineering is a fun class because you get to build things - in my class I just built a robot! We not only learn while doing and creating, we also have stellar behavior! You can earn gator gold points and purchase items in the school store once a month like candy, earphones, doughnuts, gift cards, and a lot more! Students also get rewarded by the staff and administration with opportunities to attend field trips, PBIS activities (which are free time events), and clubs. These are the reasons I love the school and there are plenty more. This is a great school, and I'm hoping you are considering McKinley Middle School."

- Amari, 8th Grade



## Why McKinley Middle School?

The vision of McKinley Middle School is to foster a caring and intellectually stimulating Science, Technology, Engineering, Mathematics (STEM) environment where scholars are prepared to become lifelong learners understanding that discipline, intellectual curiosity, self-advocacy, empathy, and leadership are pillars of success and advancement. Our mission is that we believe a high-quality educational experience, in which the academic, physical, social, and emotional needs of students are met, is key to creating lifelong learners and productive members of society. The staff of McKinley Middle School are committed to ensuring that all students, as they work toward positive and rewarding goals, will be provided the necessary supports to succeed in this rigorous STEM-focused learning environment. Our school motto is "Student Centered and STEM Focused" and our theme is "Together We Can! Together We Will!"



## What great courses can I take?

- Computer Science
- Engineering
- Health and PE



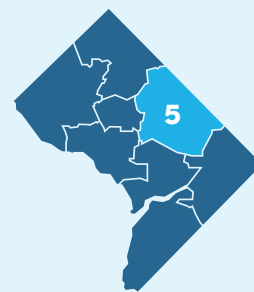
## What programs will help me find my passion?

- Chorus
- Computer Science
- Drama
- Spanish



## What extra-curricular activities can I join?

- Art Club
- Basketball
- Book Club
- Chorus
- Drama
- Football
- NEMO Club
- Robotics
- Soccer
- Swimming
- Track
- Volleyball



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### Metro/Bus Service

**Bus:** 80, 90, 92, G8, G9, M31, P6

**Metro:** NOMA and Rhode Island Ave.

### Facility Highlights

Computer Lab -  
Engineering Lab - Science  
Rooms

### Feeder Schools

Langdon Elementary  
School, Langley  
Elementary School

### Destination Schools

**Neighborhood:**  
Dunbar High School

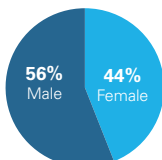
**Programmatic:**  
Woodson High School

### Uniform

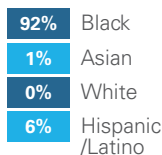
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## School Overview:

Gender  
Breakdown



Demo-  
graphics



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Enrollment

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# OYSTER-ADAMS

Grades: **PK4-8**

"I like that you get a chance to be who you want to be at Oyster-Adams."  
- David, 5th Grade



## Why Oyster-Adams Bilingual School?

As a highly-effective, dual-language school for over 40 years, we believe that all children are born and wired with the curiosity and ability to learn multiple languages. At Oyster-Adams we believe that ALL students regardless of race, class, gender or circumstance can achieve bilingually at high levels. The main mission of our school is to foster confident students who are bilingual and bi-literate in at least two languages. Moreover, we want to help them know themselves and become globally aware people who know what they want to achieve. We want students to be able to explain how they will use languages to achieve change in their world. All OA students strive to live our community actions daily: Act with Integrity, Live Graciously, Lead by Example, Think Globally. We are one of the most diverse schools in the city, and with that comes opportunities and challenges. We work hard, and smart, and raise the level of expectations every day!



## What great courses can I take?

- Algebra
- Art
- Chinese I, II, III
- Music



## What programs will help me find my passion?

- Bilingual Education (K-8)
- College Trips
- International Trips to Costa Rica, Spain, and China
- Overnight Camping Trips in VA and PA
- Trips to Philadelphia, NYC, and throughout DC



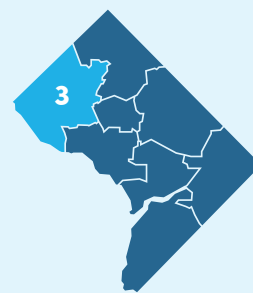
## What extra-curricular activities can I join?

### Sports:

- Elementary School Basketball (Boys & Girls)
- Elementary School Cross Country
- Elementary School Track & Field
- Middle School Basketball (Boys & Girls)
- Middle School Cross Country
- Middle School Soccer (Boys & Girls)
- Middle School Swimming
- Middle School Track & Field
- Middle School Volleyball

### Clubs:

- Explorers Club
- Garden Club
- GeoPlunge
- Girls Empowerment Club
- Girls on the Run
- Science Club
- Ski Club
- Student Council



### Find Us

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### Metro/Bus Service

**Bus:** 42, 43, 96, H1, L1,  
L2, X3,

**Metro:** Woodley Park-Zoo

### Facility Highlights

Art Room - Auditorium -  
Gym - Computer Lab -  
Music Room - Soccer Field -  
Science Lab

### Feeder Schools

N/A

### Destination Schools

**Neighborhood:** Wilson High  
School

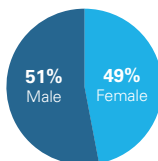
**Programmatic:** Roosevelt  
High School Dual Language  
Program

### Uniform

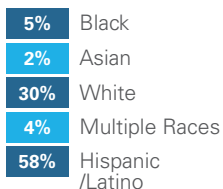
- ☐ Yes  
☒ No

## School Overview:

### Gender Breakdown



### Demo- graphics



### SY17-18 Enrollment

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# SOUSA

Grades: 6-8

"I left a private school in DC to join DC Public Schools as a Sousa Cobra. I wasn't sure what that meant at first, to be a Cobra, but it didn't take long to realize that Sousa is a place for me to become successful and on the honor roll, as well as an empowered young black girl where I have the space to explore my talents and my voice." – Jade, 7th Grade



## Why Sousa Middle School?

At Sousa Middle School, we make learning fun! Through our arts-integrated curriculum, students learn core curriculum content through art. This includes classes that combine social studies with protest art, math with music, and English Language Arts (ELA) with dance.



## What great courses can I take?

- African American Studies
- Algebra I
- AP English 6
- Computer Science
- Fashion Design and Modeling
- Fitness
- Nutrition
- Robotics
- School Wide Enrichment Model (SEM)
- Spanish I
- Social Studies



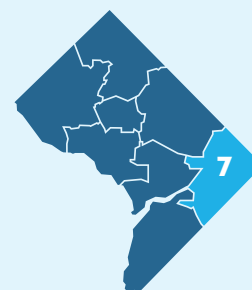
## What programs will help me find my passion?

- Alice Kids
- Arts-Integrated Advisories
- AT&T Technology
- Black Swan: Girls Empowerment and Leadership
- Competitive Gaming
- Connected Psychology
- Hip Hop Yoga
- Intro to Digital Arts
- National's Youth Baseball Academy
- Photography
- Show up, Stand Out Attendance Support
- Smithsonian Anacostia Community Museum
- SNEAKERS: Girls Empowerment and Development



## What extra-curricular activities can I join?

- Audiovisual Sound Engineering and Technology
- Baseball
- Basketball
- Cheerleading
- Chemistry Club
- Cooking / Culinary Club
- Cosmetology, Hair Club
- Debate and Journalism
- Digital Photography
- Fashion Design and Modeling
- Football
- Protest Art
- Sousa Chorus/Band
- Sousa Dance Company
- Technology Club



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### Metro/Bus Service

Bus: A31, E32, S35, U5, U6, V1, V2, V4

### Facility Highlights

Art Room - Auditorium -  
Computer Lab - Gym -  
Media Center - Music Room -  
Outdoor Recreation  
Space - Science Lab

### Feeder Schools

Beers Elementary School,  
Kimball Elementary School @  
Davis, Plummer Elementary  
School, Randle Highlands  
Elementary School

### Destination Schools

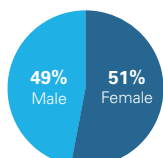
Anacostia High School

### Uniform

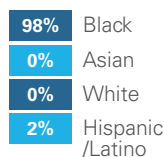
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## School Overview:

Gender Breakdown



Demo-graphics



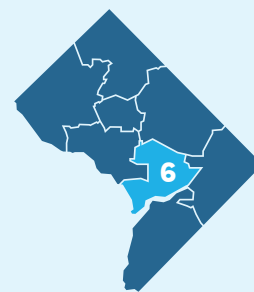
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# STUART-HOBSON

Grades: 6-8



"At Stuart-Hobson, we are always participating in fun and interesting activities that broaden how I think about the world. I frequently get a chance to try new and interesting things. For example, I've spent time after school learning how to cook, and I also had a chance to dance in our production of the *Lion King*. Our classes are challenging, but also interesting. There is never a dull moment, and even when it gets difficult, our teachers go above and beyond to assist us. It feels like everyone here wants to see us succeed." - *Tori, 8th Grade*



## Why Stuart-Hobson Middle School?

Stuart-Hobson Middle School uniquely provides all students with access to the most challenging and rigorous courses that a middle school can offer, a wide-range of elective courses, and afterschool activities. We believe in challenging students to reach their full potential, while also giving students the opportunity to select from a huge assortment of high-interest electives, clubs, and sports. Each day begins with a daily advisory course, where students build camaraderie with their teachers and peers, while engaging in thoughtful conversation and lessons about social-emotional learning.



## What great courses can I take?

- Accelerated Math 6
- Accelerated Math 7
- Algebra I
- Art
- Beginning- Advanced Band
- Beginning- Advanced Chorus
- Beginner-Advanced Orchestra
- Geometry
- Museum Studies
- Pre-AP English 6-8
- School Enrichment Model
- Theatre and Drama



## What programs will help me find my passion?

- After-School All-Stars daily enrichment until 6:00 PM
- Annual Trip to Space Camp
- CityVision Partnership with the National Building Museum
- Cluster School PTA
- Communities in Schools
- Drama and Theatre Production
- National History Day Project (required for all students)
- Robust Support from the Capitol Hill
- Science Fair Project (required for all students)
- Young Readers Program at the Library of Congress



## What extra-curricular activities can I join?

- After-School All-Stars: Fashion Design, Urban Agriculture, Robotics, DJ and Music Production, Joy of Motion
- Dance, Chess, Yoga, Technology and Gaming, Leadership Academy, Reading Club, Computer Coding
- Archery
- Band
- Baseball
- Basketball
- Bowling
- Cheerleading
- Chorus
- Cross Country
- Debate Team
- Football
- Lacrosse
- Orchestra
- Ski Club
- Soccer
- Softball
- Stuart-Hobson Drama Players
- Swimming
- Track
- Ultimate Frisbee
- Volleyball
- Wrestling

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### Metro/Bus Service

**Bus:** 92, X2, D8 90, 96,  
97, D6, X1, X8, X9, DC  
Circulator

**Metro:** Union Station

### Facility Highlights

Art Room - Auditorium -  
Computer Lab - Gym - Media  
Center - Music Room -  
Outdoor Recreational Space -  
Science Lab

### Feeder Schools

J.O. Wilson Elementary  
School, Ludlow-Taylor  
Elementary School, Watkins  
Elementary School

### Destination Schools

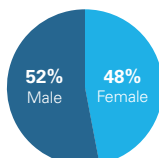
Eastern High School

### Uniform

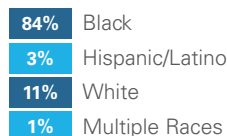
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- No

## School Overview:

### Gender Breakdown



### Demo-graphics



### SY17-18 Enrollment

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# SCHOOL WITHOUT WALLS @ FRANCIS-STEVENS

Grades: **PK3-8**

"Students love SWWFS because it's a small school where everyone knows one another and is comfortable around each other, yet big enough to offer amazing opportunities and activities, like frequent field trips and special after-school clubs! Students should consider SWWFS if they're looking for interactive and fun teachers, and unique opportunities around every corner!" -William, 8th Grade



## Why School Without Walls @ Francis-Stevens?

School Without Walls @ Francis-Stevens believes "Everyone is a Learner, and Every Experience is a Learning Opportunity." Parents are welcome participants/partners in their children's education. Our middle school program is strategically designed to provide students with multiple learning experiences geared toward supporting the academic and social-emotional development of each scholar. Students benefit from amazing programs such as the Embassy Adoption Program, GW Street Law, DC Global Education, Kennedy Center resident artists, and Washington Performing artists, both in our classrooms and off campus. We are fortunate to be one of the only schools in the district to serve students across all eight Wards, creating a true sense of diversity amongst our school population between, race, culture, gender and class.



## What great courses can I take?

- Algebra
- FoodPrints
- Geometry (taken at the SWWHS campus)
- Latin
- Pre-Advanced Placement



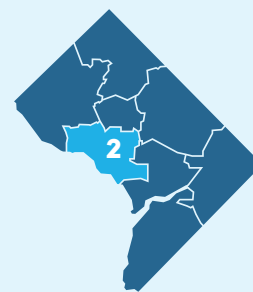
## What programs will help me find my passion?

- 5th Grade Summer Bridge Program designed to transition students to middle school
- City Vision
- FoodPrints
- International Field Trips
- Latin
- Project Lead the Way
- Regular field trips aligned to curricula and student interest
- STEM



## What extra-curricular activities can I join?

- Bowling
- Boys and Girls Basketball
- Code4Life
- Coed Football
- Coed Lacrosse
- Cross Country
- GW Street Law
- GeoPlunge
- Intramural Baseball
- Italy Club
- Learnserve
- Life Smarts
- Model UN
- National Junior Honor Society
- Shakespeare Club
- (SPA) Student Performing Artists
- Sustainability Club
- Squash
- STEM Club
- Track and Field
- Yearbook



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### Metro/Bus Service

**Bus:** 30N, 30S, 31, 33, 32, 36, 37, 38B, 39, D1, D2, D4, D5, D6, G2, H1, L1, N2, N4, N6, X1, DC Circulator

**Metro:** Foggy Bottom, Dupont Circle

### Facility Highlights

Art Room - Auditorium - Computer Lab - Demo Kitchen - Gym - Media Center - Music Room - Outdoor Recreation Space - Science Lab

### Feeder Schools

Ross Elementary School, Thomson Elementary School

### Destination Schools

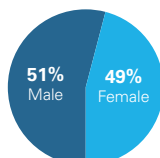
Cardozo Education Campus

### Uniform

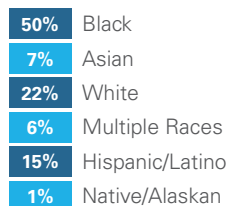
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- No

## School Overview:

### Gender Breakdown



### Demo-graphics



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# TAKOMA

Grades: PK3-8

"Takoma is like a second home for me. Takoma is my family! I've had unforgettable moments at Takoma that prepared me for the real world outside of school. At Takoma, I was taught to never give up on what I believe in, and to follow my dreams and now I will graduate in 2018 on my way to high school." - *Jamia, 8th Grade*



## Why Takoma Education Campus?

Takoma's sixth through eighth grades are an inclusive, tight-knit middle school community dedicated to making sure every student thrives. Our mission is to foster the development of confident, happy, healthy, and successful children who leave Takoma prepared with strong academic and social skills to excel in high school, college, and their future careers. How do we do that? Well, our arts-integrated philosophy of teaching and learning builds on our students' diversity and strengths to develop their talents across disciplines, to guide them in making inspiring real-world connections, and to honor their voice in their many forms.



## What great courses can I take?

- Science
- Social Studies
- Spanish



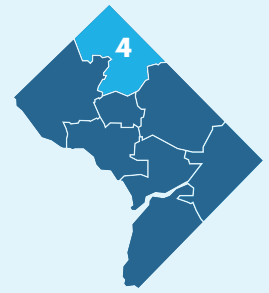
## What programs will help me find my passion?

- Afterschool Program
- Band
- City Vision Partnership
- Dance
- Digital Art
- Drama
- Sitar Arts Partnership



## What extra-curricular activities can I join?

- After School Programs
- Basketball Middle School (Boys and Girls)
- City Vision
- Sitar Arts
- Spanish Club
- Student Government
- Tutoring



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### Metro/Bus Service

**Bus:** 52, 53, 54, 62, 63, 70, 79, F1, F2, K2

**Metro:** Takoma Station

### Facility Highlights

Computer Lab - Gym -  
Greenhouse - Kiln - Library

### Feeder Schools

N/A

### Destination Schools

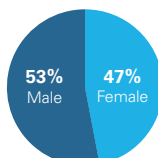
Coolidge High School

### Uniform

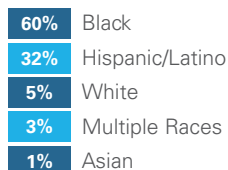
- Yes
- No

## School Overview:

Gender Breakdown



Demo-graphics



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# WALKER-JONES

Grades: PK3-8

"My experiences and the things I learned here at Walker-Jones can be applied anywhere. The teachers are helping to prepare us for, as they say all the time, "the real world". Mentally, I am prepared for the real world as long as I apply myself and what I've learned to something every day. Socially, I am prepared to understand other people, because we learn how to respect both ourselves and others. Emotionally, I am prepared because I'm learning to embrace different emotions through communication. I feel equipped, as I learn something new every day at my school. - Kanniyah, 7th Grade



## Why Walker-Jones Education Campus?

Walker-Jones Education Campus is a community-based school whose mission is to provide each student a diverse education in a safe, supportive environment that promotes self-discipline, motivation and excellence in learning through the four core principles of knowledge, service, leadership, and character.



## What great courses can I take?

- Art
- English
- Health
- Library
- Music
- Physical Education
- Spanish



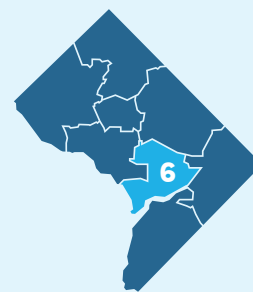
## What programs will help me find my passion?

- Amazon Corporation
- Grassroots Education Project
- National Public Radio
- National Symphony Orchestra
- REACH Inc. Tutoring
- Sitar Performing Arts
- The Literacy Lab Reading Corps
- Turn Around for Children
- Washington Redskins Charities



## What extra-curricular activities can I join?

- DC Scores
- Elite Scholars
- Elementary School Co-Ed Soccer
- Elementary School Girls Basketball
- Girls on the Run
- Middle School Boys Basketball
- Middle School Girls Basketball
- Middle School Girls Softball
- Robotics



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### Metro/Bus Service

**Bus:** 70, 74, 79, 80, 96, D4, G2, P6, X2, X9, DC Circulator

**Metro:** Mt. Vernon Square/7th Street-Convention Center

### Facility Highlights

Art Room - Computer Lab - Gym - Media Center - Music Room - Outdoor Recreation Space - Science Lab

### Feeder Schools

N/A

### Destination Schools

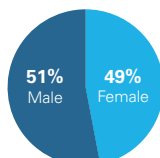
Dunbar High School

### Uniform

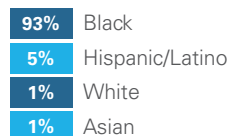
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## School Overview:

### Gender Breakdown



### Demo-graphics



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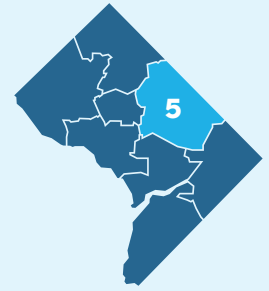




# WHEATLEY

Grades: **PK3-8**

"I like Wheatley because the teachers really care about the students. They are always teaching us and doing things for us. We have great field trips and lots of things for kids to do, like art club and drumline." - *Cameron, 5th Grade*



## Why Wheatley Education Campus?

Wheatley wants to be the choice school option for every family in Trinidad in Northeast DC. We believe that every student deserves an excellent education, and that every student can achieve. We strive for excellence in all that we do!



## What great courses can I take?

- 8th Grade Algebra
- 8th Grade Pre-AP English/Language Arts
- Art
- Music
- PE/Health
- Spanish



## What programs will help me find my passion?

- Art Around the Corner
- DC Arts & Humanities Collaborative
- FutureMakers Science Workshops
- Field Trips to The National Air & Space Museum and The National Museum of African American History and Culture
- Shakespeare Steps Out: Children's Festival at Folger's Shakespeare Library



## What extra-curricular activities can I join?

- Art Club
- Basketball
- Co-ed Soccer
- Co-ed Archery
- Drumline
- Football
- Girls Bowling
- Guitar
- School Musicals
- Shakespeare Performances
- Student Government Association (SGA)
- Study Abroad
- Track

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### Metro/Bus Service

**Bus:** 90, 92, B2, D4, D8, X1, X2, X3, X8, X9

### Facility Highlights

Art Room - Auditorium -  
Computer Lab - Gym -  
Media Center - Music  
Room - Outdoor Recreation  
Space - Science Lab

### Feeder Schools

N/A

### Destination Schools

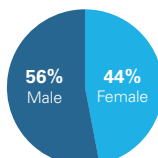
Dunbar High School

### Uniform

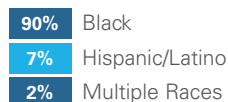
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## School Overview:

### Gender Breakdown



### Demo-graphics



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# WHITTIER

Grades: PK3-8

"Whittier Education Campus is one big family. Every morning when I walk into the building I feel welcomed. Whittier provides a feeling of safety. Every class that I take is enjoyable and provides a memorable educational experience." – Kimberly, 8th Grade



## Why Whittier Middle School?

As a PK3-8 Education Campus, Whittier focuses on rigorous instruction that is inclusive of active learning strategies, differentiated instruction, excellence in technology instruction, hands-on experiences, and authentic assessments. Advancements in the fields of Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (STEM) have radically changed the way we function. In order to adapt to the fast-changing technology in our world and be leaders in using, creating, and developing the next line of advancements—in any field or career—our students need exposure to and adequate training in the STEM field. Our STEM school designs lessons and a school culture to promote STEM issues and skills. Students and teachers are engaged and motivated, and they work together as fellow-adventurers to explore while they learn. By sixth grade, every student should have access to a combination of hands-on lessons, rich exposure to technology and an interdisciplinary approach to the curriculum that helps prepare students for further education and a broad range of careers. Our extended learning activities will expand upon and enrich the educational process of all of our students. With our highly-qualified teachers and dedicated staff, Whittier Education Campus will continue to provide an instructional program that will be the foundation that supports the social, academic, and emotional development of all students. Together, we will celebrate success while expecting greatness as we strive to become a model school of excellence that prepares children to succeed in a changing world.



## What great courses can I take?

- Algebra
- English
- History
- Pre-Algebra
- Science
- World Language (Spanish)



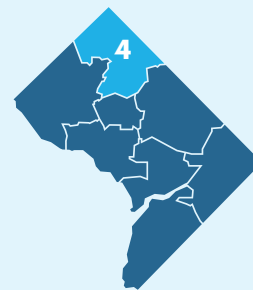
## What programs will help me find my passion?

- Computer Science
- Elements of Engineering
- Keyboarding
- Technology
- Robotics



## What extra-curricular activities can I join?

- Art Club
- Archery
- Baseball
- Basketball (Girls and Boys)
- Bowling
- Choir
- Cross Country
- Debate Club
- Foreign Language Club
- Golf
- Instrumental Music
- Robotics Club
- Soccer
- Ski Club
- Track and Field
- Unified Basketball
- Volleyball



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### Metro/Bus Service

Bus: 70, 62, 63, 79

### Facility Highlights

Art Room - Auditorium -  
Computer Lab - Gym -  
Media Center - Music Room -  
Outdoor Recreation Space -  
Science Lab

### Feeder Schools

N/A

### Destination Schools

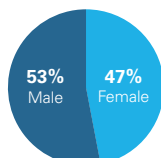
Coolidge High School

### Uniform

- Yes
- No

## School Overview:

### Gender Breakdown



### Demo-graphics

|     |                 |
|-----|-----------------|
| 76% | Black           |
| 20% | Hispanic/Latino |
| 1%  | Multiple Races  |
| 1%  | Native Alaskan  |
| 1%  | Multiple Races  |

### SY17-18 Enrollment

326











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