Elementary School Choices











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School information is correct at time of printing. Please contact the school directly if you have any questions.



Welcome to JCPS!



We have fantastic elementary schools in Jefferson County Public Schools (JCPS). Each of our 89 elementary schools offers engaging, effective teaching in a caring, supportive environment. We offer a variety of learning opportunities through unique schools, programs, and activities that will inspire your student to reach their fullest potential.

This booklet will help you learn about the special offerings that each individual school can provide your student and family.

Every JCPS school has dedicated and experienced teachers, technology for every student, family support services, and engaging after-school programming. They all contribute to our students' sense of belonging as we teach them core skills like reading and math. But students are also introduced to art, music, other languages, and social skills as they learn to communicate and flourish in a constantly changing world.

Please take the time to review the multitude of offerings we have available, and determine how they align with the learning style and interests of your student.

At JCPS, our mission is to always do what's best for our students. We hope this booklet will help you determine what's best for your student.

Dr. Marty Pollio

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Superintendent

Jefferson County Public Schools



School **Zones**

Magnet Schools

Magnet **Programs** Choice Zone

Let's Get Started

JCPS has 89 elementary schools, all of which focus on core subjects like reading, writing, math, science, and social studies while also introducing students to a variety of other subjects, such as the arts, technology, and world languages.

To better predict your student's educational path, JCPS is moving away from "clusters" and now designates elementary school zones by high school networks. Each elementary school is grouped into 1 of 15 feeder patterns—groups of 3 to 8 JCPS elementary schools located within a geographic area connected to a specific JCPS high school. JCPS guarantees your student a seat at one of the schools in their designated zone, determined by your student's home address.

While most elementary school students choose to attend one of the schools in their zone, JCPS has other programs to best match your student's learning style or interests. We offer a variety of elementary magnet schools and magnet programs—many of which are nationally recognized or focus on a specialized area, such as performing arts—as well as Traditional Magnet Schools that emphasize back-to-basics learning in a highly structured environment. JCPS also offers students living in the Choice Zone an option to attend school close to home or farther away.



SchoolFinder



Register and Apply

Review Options and Select Preference

Decide what type of learning environment works best for your student, and explore school options, programs, and/or offerings at each school.

During the application process, you will be asked to rank schools in your designated zone by order of preference. You can also apply for up to two other options, such as a magnet school or a school-based magnet program.

Elementary School Options

- Zone Schools (page 8)
- Magnet Schools (page 68)
- Magnet Programs (page 76)

Have You Registered?

You need to register if:

• Your student has never attended a JCPS school.

How to Register

- Online
- At any JCPS elementary school
- At the Office of School Choice

Registration Process

- All students new to JCPS must register with the district before applying for school.
- You may register your student for school regardless of immigration status and/ or a fixed, regular, and adequate nighttime residence. For more information, contact the Office of Access and Opportunity at (502) 485-3650.





After You Register

After you register, JCPS will verify your information and send you an email to complete your application, which can take up to two business days. Incoming kindergartners and/or new students to JCPS may then apply to schools within their zone. To find out which zone you're located in, call the JCPS Demographics Office at **(502) 485-3050** or use the online JCPS SchoolFinder search tool. (See page 4 to scan QR code.)

Important to note: Although you can register at any time with a Jefferson County address, it's important to reference the on-time application window. Late applications will be processed and assignments are made based on school capacity.

Apply

Application Process

All elementary students completing an application must rank the schools within their zone in order of preference. If you live in the Choice Zone, you must select between your close-to-home or farther-away options before you begin ranking. JCPS keeps siblings together in elementary school zones. The district also considers parental choice, space, a student's home address, and the diversity of the student body when placing students at schools. Due to capacity constraints, not all families can or will receive their first school choice.







November 11, 2024 Application deadline: **December 20, 2024** Acceptance notification: **April 2025**

Applications open:

Magnet Application Information

- Students may submit one magnet application per year.
- Submitting a magnet application doesn't guarantee admission, and submitting false information will void an application.
- Waiting lists are not kept from year to year.
- Magnet applications can only be edited during the on-time application period.
- Siblings of current or former magnet school students do not receive preference in the application process, but those who share the same date of birth (twins, triplets, etc.) are treated as one application. However, parents must submit a separate application for each student.
- Students must be a resident of Jefferson County to attend a magnet school or magnet program. If families are relocating, contact the Office of School Choice at (502) 485-6250.

You need to apply if:

- Your student has never attended a JCPS school.
- Your student is entering kindergarten.
- Your student has had a change of address.
- Your student is applying for a magnet school or magnet program.

How to Apply

Families are encouraged to apply online (scan QR code above), but in-person application options are available.

You can apply in person at the following locations:

- JCPS Office of School Choice: 4309 Bishop Lane
- JCPS Office of Multilingual Learners (OML): 1325 Bluegrass Avenue
- Any school location

Elementary School Zone Map

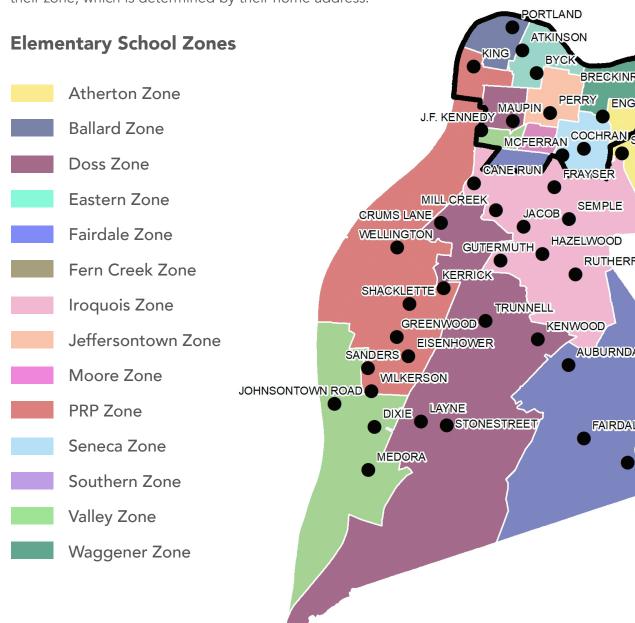
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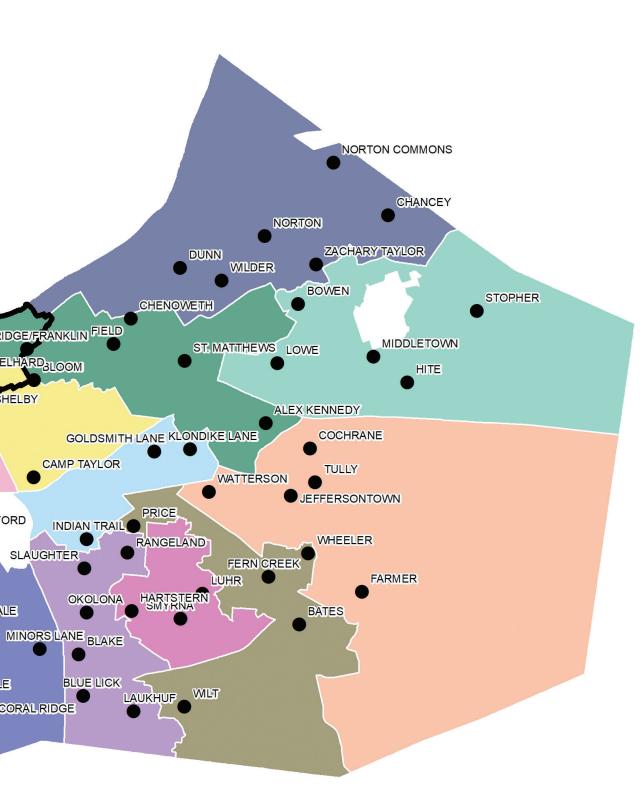


Application required

What Is a Zone?

A zone is a group of three to eight JCPS elementary schools located within a specific geographic area connected to a specific JCPS high school. This will better predict your student's educational path. JCPS guarantees every student a seat at a school in their zone, which is determined by their home address.





- Resides Elementary Schools
- Choice Zone

Elementary Schools at a Glance

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Norton Elementary 22	Price Elementary
Portland Elementary 22	Wheeler Elementary
Taylor, Zachary, Elementary 23	Wilt Elementary
Wilder Elementary	Iroquois Elementary Zone
Doss Elementary Zone	Cane Run Elementary
Crums Lane Elementary 24	Frayser Elementary
Kenwood Elementary 25	Gutermuth Elementary
Layne Elementary 25	Hazelwood Elementary 40
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Lowe Elementary	Perry Elementary
Middletown Elementary 31	Tully Elementary
Stopher Elementary	Watterson Elementary 46

Schools alphabetized by last name Schools listed by zone

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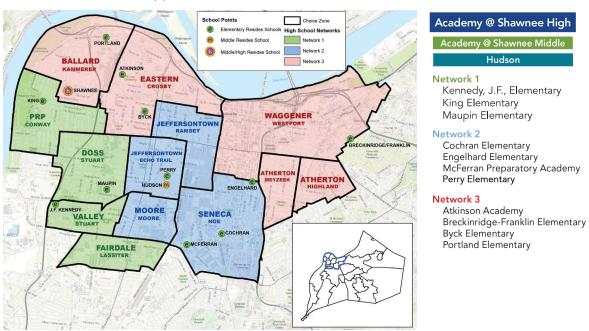
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Choice Zone

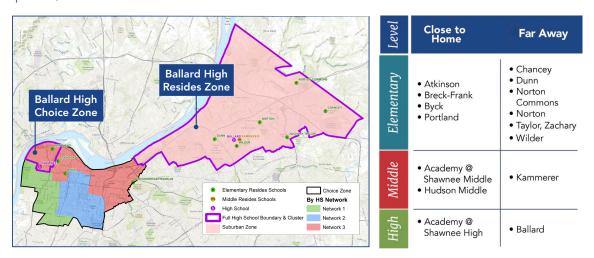
Students living within the Choice Zone (black outline) have the choice to attend an elementary, middle, or high school that is close to home or a designated school that is farther away.

Incoming kindergarten students, students new to JCPS, or students with an address change in the Choice Zone must complete an application to rank their close-to-home or far-away school selections.

All students may also apply for magnets and transfers.



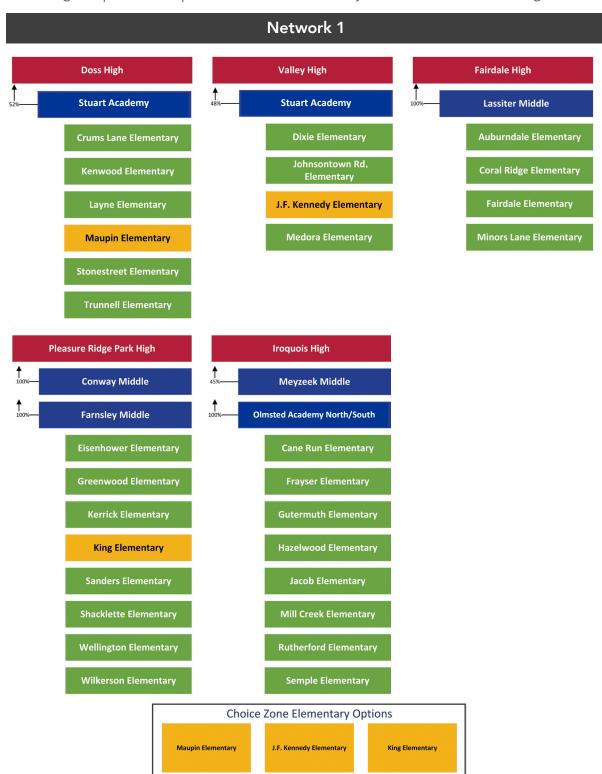
The example below shows the elementary school choices of a student who lives in the Ballard High School Choice Zone. This student's close-to-home options are Portland, Atkinson, Breckinridge-Franklin, and Byck. Their far-away options are Chancey, Dunn, Norton Commons, Norton, Wilder, and Zachary Taylor. Students will rank their close-to-home options or far-away options, not both.



Feeder Patterns

JCPS has developed 15 feeder patterns that allow parents to see the elementary, middle, and high school their student will attend based on their home address.

Percentages represent the portion of the student body to attend the indicated high school.

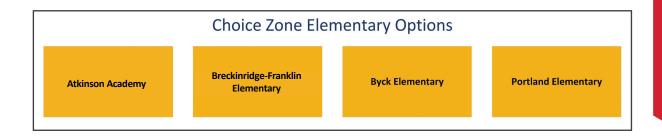


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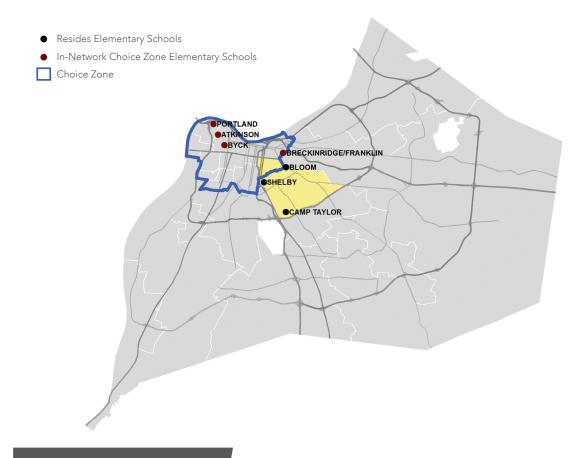




Network 3 **Atherton High Ballard High** Academy @ Shawnee High Meyzeek Middle Kammerer Middle **Hudson Middle Highland Middle Chancey Elementary** Academy @ Shawnee Middle Network 1 **Bloom Elementary Dunn Elementary Maupin Elementary Norton Commons Camp Taylor Elementary** Elementary J.F. Kennedy Elementary **Shelby Academy Norton Elementary King Elementary Portland Elementary** Network 2 **Wilder Elementary Cochran Elementary** Zachary Taylor Elementary **Engelhard Elementary** Eastern High Waggener High **McFerran Preparatory Academy Crosby Middle Westport Middle Perry Elementary** Alex R. Kennedy Elementary Echo Trail Middle Network 3 Choice Zone Options **Breckinridge-Franklin Elementary Atkinson Academy Atkinson Academy Chenoweth Elementary Bowen Elementary Breckinridge-Franklin Elementary Field Elementary Byck Elementary Byck Elementary** St. Matthews Elementary **Hite Elementary Portland Elementary** Middletown Elementary **Stopher Elementary**



Atherton Zone



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Bloom Elementary

Student Enrollment: 518 Phone: (502) 485-8211

Address: 1627 Lucia Avenue, Louisville, KY 40204 Web: jefferson.kyschools.us/schools/profiles/bloom

At Bloom Elementary, we provide life-enriching opportunities so that students are empowered to become the best version of themselves. Our vision is to become a world leader in individualized student growth. The Bloom learning community motivates students to love learning and value the importance of education by providing a holistic approach to achieving proficiency.

- Provides full-time music, mindfulness, physical education (PE), Spanish, library, arts, and technology teachers
- Offers after-school programs, including chess, basketball, cheerleading, media club, Student Technology Leadership Program (STLP), and Academic Team
- Features a grant-winning school garden that is incorporated into classroom instruction and a nationally recognized Food is Elementary Program for first graders
- Actively involved Parent Teacher Association (PTA) with strong classroom and community support



Camp Taylor Elementary

Student Enrollment: 391 **Phone:** (502) 485-8222

Address: 1446 Belmar Drive, Louisville, KY 40213

Web: jefferson.kyschools.us/schools/profiles/camp-taylor

Camp Taylor Elementary is dedicated to moving all students toward academic proficiency. We aim to educate the school community by continually identifying specific needs, developing plans, and taking actionable steps to ensure that all students are productive members of the global community.

School Highlights

- Provides full-time technology, library media, arts and humanities, and physical education (PE) instructors
- Recipient of the 5x5 Fund for the Arts Grant so that students can attend performances by local arts organizations

- Meets the needs of all students in a culturally diverse environment
- Offers mentoring and in-school leadership opportunities as well as a wide range of inschool and after-school activities, including co-ed basketball, cheerleading, chess club, student government, art club, band, orchestra, annual Disney Musical, Girls on the Run, 4-H, Junior Achievement (JA), and robotics team



Shelby Academy

Student Enrollment: 296 Phone: (502) 485-8327

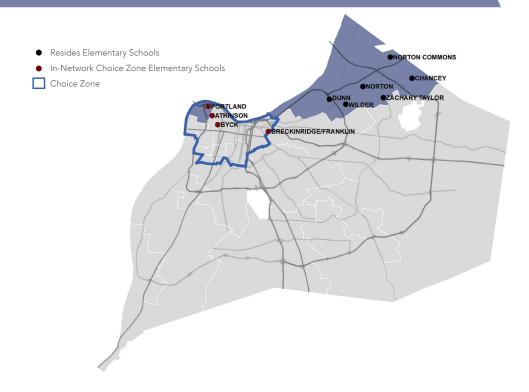
Address: 735 Ziegler Street, Louisville, KY 40217 Web: jefferson.kyschools.us/schools/profiles/shelby

We are devoted to empowering and engaging our community of learners to be responsible and selfreliant citizens. At Shelby Academy, we honor cultural identity and individuality by centering students' lives and experiences in our curriculum. Shelby is committed to ensuring that each student develops the skills, knowledge, and expertise necessary to succeed. We love our Sharks, and we work every day to make sure we all swim forward together!

- We are SHARKs (Safe, Helpful, Accountable, Respectful, and Kind)!
- Partnering with the Anti-Defamation League (ADL) to become a No Place for Hate school
- Arts integration for all K-5 students
- Workshop Model tailored to individual student needs

- Special areas: Art; library; general music; physical education (PE); dance; Science, Technology, Engineering, the Arts, and Mathematics (STEAM); theatre; Math, Music, and Movement; the SHARK Way; band; and orchestra
- Cocurricular activities: Basketball, Cheerleading, Student Council, No Place for Hate, Girls on the Run, Men of Quality, Student Technology Leadership Program (STLP), Girls Who Code, Quick Recall, and Disney Musicals in School

Ballard Zone



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Chancey Elementary

Student Enrollment: 515 **Phone:** (502) 485-8387

Address: 4301 Murphy Lane, Louisville, KY 40241
Web: jefferson.kyschools.us/schools/profiles/chancey

At Chancey Elementary, we cultivate a love of learning through collaborative and innovative experiences. Our mission is to nurture the 21st-century learner in a safe, diverse, caring, and mutually respectful environment. We believe that everyone has the right to experience the joy of learning, and we are proud to celebrate our students' diversity. We are committed to academic excellence because we recognize that education is the path to changing the world.

- Welcomes families as partners in reaching and teaching the whole child
- Engages students by embracing individual interests and learning styles through project-based learning activities
- Offers the Primary Talent Pool and gifted and talented learning opportunities for K–5 students

- Provides special area instruction in music, art, and wellness and a 21st-century media library center
- Offers Multi-Tiered Systems of Support (MTSS) to provide additional instruction to all levels of students to meet their academic, social, and emotional needs
- Advance Program
- Infuses instruction with technology, including a computer lab, an iPad cart, and 1:1 Chromebooks for K–5 students to meet the individual needs of students
- Student activities: Robotics, cross-country, Girls on the Run, Book Club, soccer, tennis, Student Technology Leadership Program (STLP), cheerleading, basketball, band, orchestra, Academic Team, Student Council, Garden Club, and Girl Scouts



Dunn Elementary

Student Enrollment: 449 **Phone:** (502) 485-8240

Address: 2010 Rudy Lane, Louisville, KY 40207 Web: jefferson.kyschools.us/schools/profiles/dunn

We are teaching students mastery skills in the areas of Effective Communicator, Emerging Innovator, Prepared and Resilient Learner, Globally and Culturally Competent Citizen, and Productive Collaborator.

School Highlights

- 2023 Kentucky Summative Assessment (KSA) overall performance rating of Blue (highest performance in the state)
- Learning experiences provided by master teachers, including four National Board Certified Teachers (NBCTs), one Hilliard Lyons-Baird Excellence Teacher Award, Outstanding School Librarian in state and county, and four Project-Based Learning (PBL) Certified teachers
- Personalized learning through Passion Projects, Genius Hour, and a strong foundation in PBL experiences

- Science, Technology, Engineering, the Arts, and Mathematics (STEAM) Lab; arts and humanities; Spanish; library; Art Talent Pool; and Gifted and Talented Enrichment
- Variety of technology modes used to demonstrate learning
- Strong Parent Teacher Association (PTA) partnership with parents and the community
- Evening events for staff, students, and families to engage in activities fostering relationships and preserving strong school culture
- Student Technology Leadership Program (STLP), chess club, Academic and Problem Solving Team, orchestra, Safety Patrol, basketball, cheerleading, cross-country, soccer, flag football, Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts, and more
- YMCA Child Enrichment Program (CEP) for beforeand after-school childcare



Norton Commons Elementary

Student Enrollment: 611 **Phone:** (502) 485-8367

Address: 10941 Kings Crown Drive, Prospect, KY 40059

Web: jefferson.kyschools.us/schools/profiles/norton-commons

At Norton Commons Elementary School (NCES), it is our goal that all of our students will be responsible citizens who demonstrate independent problem solving and resiliency. Our mission is to exemplify an empowered and innovative community through rigorous instruction, intentional learning, and meaningful relationships. Our vision is that all NCES students will be responsible citizens who demonstrate independent problem solving and resiliency.

School Highlights

· Deeper Learning Lab (Science, Technology, Engineering, the Arts, and Mathematics [STEAM] and Project-Based Learning [PBL]), music, library, art, and physical education (PE)

- Includes club programming as part of the special areas program, which provides students with enrichment classes in high-interest curricular areas
- Strong partnership with parents and the community to enhance student achievement
- Student activities (changed annually based on **student interests):** Robotics clubs (K–5), Student Technology Leadership Program (STLP), chess club, Academic Team, band, orchestra, basketball, cheerleading, Beta Club, cross-country, and others
- Promotes educating the whole child through a partnership with the Norton Commons YMCA, which provides students, staff, and families with such programming as soccer clinics and swim classes in second grade
- Early Childhood Program



Norton Elementary

Student Enrollment: 722 Phone: (502) 485-8308

Address: 8101 Brownsboro Road, Louisville, KY 40241 Web: jefferson.kyschools.us/schools/profiles/norton

Norton Elementary is where all students learn at high levels. No exceptions! No excuses!

School Highlights

- 2017 Exemplary High Performing National Blue Ribbon School
- A tradition of high academic achievement based on state and district assessments
- Academic expectations with rigorous, engaging instruction that is differentiated based on individual student need
- Primary Talent Pool enrichment activities for highperforming students at all grade levels
- Advance Program and Gifted/Talented instructional opportunities for qualifying students in fourth and fifth grades

- Incorporates band and orchestra classes for fifthgrade students
- K-5 French, music, physical education (PE), art, and Science, Technology, Engineering, the Arts, and Mathematics (STEAM)
- Newly designed library media center
- Annual Art and Music Festival, which celebrates the individual talents of students
- Events sponsored by award-winning Parent Teacher Association (PTA)



Portland Elementary

Student Enrollment: 296 Phone: (502) 485-8313

Address: 3410 Northwestern Parkway, Louisville, KY 40212 Web: jefferson.kyschools.us/schools/profiles/portland

Portland Elementary is a fully personalized environment where learners receive experiences that are tailored to their specific emotional, cultural, and academic needs. We believe that every student has the opportunity to thrive, grow, and achieve no matter their starting place.

- Small-class-size option to provide tailored instruction that meets individual needs
- Full-time art, physical education (PE), library, and Compassionate Schools Program (CSP)
- Comprehensive guidance and mental health programming through numerous in-school and community service providers
- Collaborates with the University of Louisville (UofL) Signature Partnership to support teachers who implement innovative practices in the classroom and provides a virtual learning lab with 25 state-ofthe-art virtual learning headsets

- Student activities: Environmental Club, Girls on the Run, Metro United Way, basketball, cheerleading, Academic Team, piano lessons, Student Technology Leadership Program (STLP), dance club, and comic book club
- Participates in 5x5 Fund for the Arts Program and Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Program
- Partnerships: Louisville Nature Center, Oxmoor Farms and Food Literacy Project, Parklands of Floyds Fork, Northeast Christian (NEC) Church "Love the 'Ville" partner school, Humana, Elevate Portland (UofL College of Business), and Yum! Brands

Zachary Taylor Elementary



Student Enrollment: 268 Phone: (502) 485-8336

Address: 9620 Westport Road, Louisville, KY 40241

Web: jefferson.kyschools.us/schools/profiles/zachary-taylor-elementary

Vision: Zachary Taylor Elementary staff work daily in Educating All Students to Achieve Today and Lead Tomorrow.

Zachary Taylor Elementary is a small school with a big heart. We have staff who are committed to ensuring that all students are receiving a strong academic foundation to prepare them for success in middle school. We are proud of our diversity in students and staff. We have more than 20 nations and languages represented in our building. Zachary Taylor students are critical thinkers and problem solvers.

This is the hidden gem of the East End, and we can't wait for your student to join us!

School Highlights

- Primary Talent Pool, Advance Program, and Gifted and Talented Program
- Student activities: Robotics, Quick Recall, Future Problem Solving, Student Technology Leadership Program (STLP), chess, dance team, cheerleading, basketball, Soccer Shots, Girls on the Run, Beautiful As You Are (BAYA), Flag Patrol, Gifted Girls, Navigators, No Place for Hate, Rainbow Club, She Became, before-/after-school tutoring, orchestra, arts and humanities, physical education (PE), and library
- Support from Parent Teacher Association (PTA), local churches, and businesses
- Full-time mental health counselor and Positive Behavioral Interventions and Supports (PBIS)



Wilder Elementary

Student Enrollment: 504 **Phone:** (502) 485-8350

Address: 1913 Herr Lane, Louisville, KY 40222

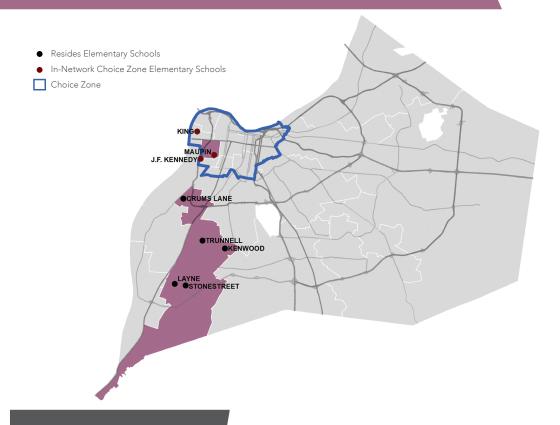
Web: jefferson.kyschools.us/schools/profiles/wilder

Wilder Elementary has provided quality instruction to students in eastern Jefferson County since 1957. Our students consistently leave our school prepared and ready for middle school. Parents and former students speak positively about their experience at our school. Wilder's mission is that students will have a solid foundation so that they are prepared to lead in an ever-changing society. We empower our students to reach their full potential by providing quality instruction that is inspiring, relevant, and comprehensive. Also, we teach students responsibility and challenge students to be their best.

- Primary Talent Pool and Advance Program
- Student activities: Cheerleading, basketball, chorus, Young Rembrandts, cross-country, track, drama club, dance, volleyball, soccer, Academic Team, Safety Patrol, Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts, Student Council, band, orchestra, and Student Technology Leadership Program (STLP)

- Monthly events sponsored by award-winning Parent Teacher Association (PTA)
- Art; music; Latin; Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (STEM); Spanish; orchestra; band; physical education (PE); and library media
- YMCA Child Enrichment Program (CEP) for beforeand after-school childcare
- 2016 Kentucky Department of Education (KDE) School of Distinction
- Motto: "Wilder Wildcats Always Do Their Best!"

Doss Zone



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Crums Lane Elementary

Student Enrollment: 465 **Phone:** (502) 485-8236

Address: 3212 S. Crums Lane, Louisville, KY 40216

Web: jefferson.kyschools.us/schools/profiles/crums-lane

Mission: To prepare our students, Crums Lane Elementary will nurture each student with compassion, engage each student in a rigorous curriculum, and empower each student to be a Globally and Culturally Competent Citizen.

Vision: Crums Lane Elementary's vision is to prepare students for their next level with a rigorous academic curriculum in a caring and compassionate community.

School Highlights

- Small-group instruction in reading and math
- All Literacy Blocks supported by two teachers
- Academic support: Math interventionist and Extended School Services (ESS)
- Socio-emotional support: Positive Behavioral Interventions and Supports (PBIS) reward system, daily Character Strong curriculum lessons, and guidance lessons led by a certified school counselor

- **Special areas:** Library, art, physical education (PE), Compassionate Schools, music, and Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (STEM)
- Employs master-level teachers who participate in weekly Professional Learning Communities (PLCs) to determine how to meet the needs of all students
- Offers a STEM Lab that provides instruction in critical thinking, problem solving, robotics, engineering, and programming
- Family engagement events: Monthly family nights, family luncheons, special holiday activities, and exhibitions of learning
- Student engagement activities: Flag football, cheer, volleyball, basketball, Safety Patrol, Student Council, band, orchestra, soccer, Student Technology Leadership Program (STLP), Zumba, dance, Distinguished Gentlemen, and Beautiful As You Are (BAYA)

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Kenwood Elementary

Student Enrollment: 569 Phone: (502) 485-8283

Address: 7420 Justan Avenue, Louisville, KY 40214 Web: jefferson.kyschools.us/schools/profiles/kenwood

Vision: To nurture and educate the whole child and prepare each student to be a resilient learner while building a sense of belonging and well-being. Students will leave Kenwood Elementary as globally and culturally competent citizens.

Mission: Kenwood Elementary is a compassionate, safe, inclusive environment that strives to educate the whole child while promoting good character, responsibility, and academic success in every student. Kenwood students will maintain integrity, communicate effectively, and be critical thinkers/ problem solvers. Kenwood Elementary will be among the most desired schools in Kentucky by students, parents, and employees.

School Highlights

- Recognized as a national Elementary and Secondary Education Act (ESEA) Distinguished School, Family Friendly Certified School, and No. Place for Hate School
- Culturally relevant instruction delivered through workshop approach to ensure personalized learning that meets students' needs with a focus on equity and inclusion

- Recognized as State and National School of Character
- Offers Advance Program
- Employs master teachers who participate in weekly Professional Learning Communities (PLCs) to determine how to meet the needs of each student; many National Board Certified Teachers (NBCTs)
- Offers a Visual Art and Music Program that provides instruction in music, movement, drama, and visual arts
- Offers a Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (STEM) Lab that provides instruction in critical thinking, problem solving, robotics, engineering, and programming
- Offers a wide range of activities and clubs that allow students to explore different interests and career pathways
- Designated as a Trauma Sensitive School
- Family Ambassador, Community Ambassador, full-time nurse, and Family Resource Center (FRC) coordinator for partnering with families to meet the needs of the whole child



Layne Elementary

Student Enrollment: 448 Phone: (502) 485-8290

Address: 9831 East Avenue, Louisville, KY 40272 Web: jefferson.kyschools.us/schools/profiles/layne

At Layne Elementary, we believe that every student can learn at high levels. Layne's staff accepts the responsibility to teach all students so that they can attain their maximum educational potential. At Layne, each student is valued as an individual and is encouraged to be cooperative and respectful of others. The Layne House System promotes the building of a strong school community where long-lasting relationships are developed with all stakeholders, not just teachers and students. Students learn lifelong skills, such as achievement, courage, determination, integrity, and optimism, while giving back to the community locally and globally through service projects throughout the year.

- Full-time technology teacher and access to technology-based programs
- Student leadership opportunities: Student Council, Safety Patrol, Recycling Club, and National Junior Beta Club
- Advance Program
- Layne House System embodying integrity, courage, determination, optimism, and achievement
- Student activities: Volleyball, basketball, soccer, cheerleading, chess, band, orchestra, Student Technology Leadership Program (STLP), Art Club, and Academic Team



Maupin Elementary

Student Enrollment: 279 Phone: (502) 485-8310

Address: 1312 Catalpa Street, Louisville, KY 40211 Web: jefferson.kyschools.us/schools/profiles/maupin

Our mission is to build a caring community with students engaged in learning experiences that ignite intellectual curiosity, compassion, and confidence.

We aim to create and sustain a community of learners who possess the belief in themselves to achieve high academic skills, the kindness to help others, and the might to make a difference where they live, work, and play. Maupin Elementary has a family-oriented community, and every student receives the personal attention they need. Through partnerships with staff, parents, and community, we ensure that each student launches to greatness.

School Highlights

- Daily access to technology, including Chromebooks, technology special area classes, and extracurricular activities
- Use of the Expeditionary Learning (EL) and Illustrative Mathematics (IM) materials to ensure that all students are making continuous growth
- Focus on developing teamwork skills

- Multi-Tiered Systems of Support (MTSS) to better meet students' academic, social, and emotional needs
- **Special areas:** Art, digital literacy, reading lab, library media, physical education (PE), and music
- Social-emotional development through Character Strong programming, Olweus, mentorships, and mental health counseling
- Encourages student belonging and engagement by offering a variety of extracurricular activities for students, including opportunities for enrichment, sports, and extended learning
- Family Resource Center (FRC) providing food pantry and other family support
- On-site medical/dental care for students, families, and staff
- Early Childhood center, full-time mental health practitioner, and Exceptional Child Education (ECE) implementation coach



Stonestreet Elementary

Student Enrollment: 507 Phone: (502) 485-8333

Address: 10007 Stonestreet Road, Louisville, KY 40272 Web: jefferson.kyschools.us/schools/profiles/stonestreet

At Stonestreet, we are committed to being the best elementary school in JCPS by implementing methods and techniques that are embraced and practiced globally to foster 21st-century learners. We provide a caring and nurturing environment where students can reach their full potential. Stonestreet helps students develop skills that enable them to make appropriate decisions and become responsible citizens in the community.

- Student activities: Academic Team, volleyball, cross-country, basketball, cheerleading, soccer, pickleball, technology team, band, and orchestra
- Family events: Math and literacy nights, talent show, and special fall and spring events
- Early Childhood Education All-Star Program
- Active Parent Teacher Association (PTA)
- Compassionate Schools Project (CSP)
- Family Resource Center (FRC) providing support for students, families, and staff



Trunnell Elementary

Student Enrollment: 497 Phone: (502) 485-8337

Address: 7609 St. Andrews Church Road, Louisville, KY 40214

Web: jefferson.kyschools.us/schools/profiles/trunnell

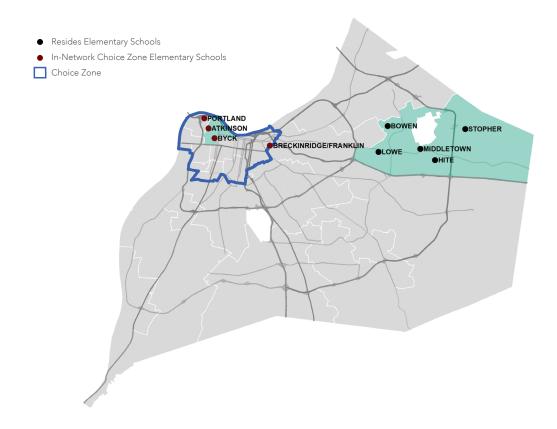
Our Trunnell community challenges all members to reach their fullest potential and become positive world changers.

- Comprehensive literacy support using Orton-Gillingham with an all-hands-on-deck approach to ensure equity and inclusion for all of our students
- Leader in Me school
- Special areas: Physical education (PE), art, music, library, and math lab
- Culturally diverse student population with more than 15 languages spoken

- Family engagement events throughout the year, such as Parent Teacher Association (PTA) events, Grandparents' Lunch, Superhero Lunch, Fall Festival, FitLit Night, Math Madness, parent workshops, and Lunch and Learns on various topics
- Student activities: Soccer, basketball, cheerleading, Step Team, Girls on Run, Quick Recall Team, Art Club, Student Technology Leadership Program (STLP), Student Advisory Council, and Student Ambassadors



Eastern Zone



SCHOOL PROFILES



J. B. Atkinson Academy

Student Enrollment: 413 **Phone:** (502) 485-8203

Address: 2811 Duncan Street, Louisville, KY 40212

Web: jefferson.kyschools.us/schools/profiles/atkinson-academy

J. B. Atkinson Academy provides all students with a quality education based on academic standards, high expectations for achievement, and a respect for diversity and community. We are committed to lifelong learning, physical and emotional wellness, and preparing all students to be college- and career-ready by educating the whole child while supporting families and the community.

- University of Louisville (UofL) Signature Partnership School
- Maintains a strong connection with state standards, using culturally diverse and real-life contexts

- Student activities: Basketball, student leadership team, cheerleading, soccer, band, step team, and orchestra
- Special areas: Art, library, physical education (PE), and Science, Technology, Reading, Engineering, the Arts, and Mathematics (STREAM) Lab



Bowen Elementary

Student Enrollment: 764 **Phone:** (502) 485-8213

Address: 1601 Roosevelt Avenue, Louisville, KY 40242 Web: jefferson.kyschools.us/schools/profiles/bowen

As a Leader in Me school, we believe that every member of our school community has genius. Leader in Me is about empowering our students, staff, and families to reach their full potential while ultimately finding their voice. We have the following five core beliefs that govern everything we do:

- Everyone is a leader.
- Everyone has genius.
- Change starts with me.
- Students are empowered to lead their own learning.
- Educators and families partner to develop the whole person.

School Highlights

• Provides opportunities for kindergarten through grade-three students to participate in art, music, library, physical education (PE), and Spanish on a rotational basis

- Supports student choice by allowing Intermediate students to participate in electives based on their interests (e.g., art, music, leadership, and Science, Technology, Engineering, the Arts, and Mathematics [STEAM])
- Features the latest in educational technology with a focus on infusing technology into all facets of
- Features an award-winning Student Technology Leadership Program (STLP) in which students have opportunities to explore ways they can use their leadership skills to have an impact on the community
- Offers a range of extracurricular activities, including basketball, cheerleading, chess club, cross-country, orchestra, Problem Solving, Quick Recall, soccer,
- Features an award-winning Parent Teacher Association (PTA) that sponsors monthly events to engage families in school activities



Byck Elementary

Student Enrollment: 281 Phone: (502) 485-8221

Address: 2328 Cedar Street, Louisville, KY 40212 Web: jefferson.kyschools.us/schools/profiles/byck

We ensure that all students have a supportive community that empowers, engages, and encourages character development in a high-quality learning environment.

- Talent Development Magnet: Students developing their talents, from baking to broadcasting, to find their true passion and merge their passion with their talent
- Employs instructors in the arts and humanities (drama, dance, art, and music) as well as library media, technology, and physical education (PE)
- Provides Gifted and Talented services
- Provides a technology-rich learning environment focused on Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (STEM) activities

- Offers a Collaborative for Academic, Social, and Emotional Learning (CASEL)-approved socialemotional curriculum, Global Game Changers
 - Students immersed in researching ways to Ignite Good in their community while developing strategies to tackle apathy
 - —Offered to all students during the school day; extension of the program also offered after school



Hite Elementary

Student Enrollment: 508 **Phone:** (502) 485-8267

Address: 12408 Old Shelbyville Road, Louisville, KY 40243

Web: jefferson.kyschools.us/schools/profiles/hite

At Hite Elementary, our vision statement is "Hite, where we are inspired to grow and be lifelong learners." This value is threaded through every aspect of our school, serving as a guiding belief shared by parents, staff, and the community. We are a proud member of the Energy Bus for School cohort, implementing the leadership and professional learning of Jon Gordon. We have three rules we discuss in our daily morning meetings: Be kind, work hard, and have fun! We truly believe that continuous improvement leads us to be our best selves and, ultimately, to improve our entire community.

School Highlights

• Research-based instruction with four full-time special areas: Library, physical education (PE)/ wellness, Technology/Language, and Culture/ Makerspace for the Arts

- Provides social-emotional learning for all students
- Provides enhanced technology instruction with fulltime technology teacher
- Provides homeroom and specialized grouping, which creates a sense of family, challenges students with Project-Based Learning (PBL), and promotes cooperative learning
- Student activities: Soccer Shots, orchestra, Quick Recall, Academic Team, cross-country, Kind Kids Club, sewing club, concert band, robotics, drama, Girls Who Code, Girls on the Run, Student Technology Leadership Program (STLP), and nature



Lowe Elementary

Student Enrollment: 609 Phone: (502) 485-8293

Address: 210 Oxfordshire Lane, Louisville, KY 40222 Web: jefferson.kyschools.us/schools/profiles/lowe

Our mission is to provide relevant, comprehensive, quality, and individualized instruction in order to educate, prepare, and inspire our students to develop a lifelong love for learning. Lowe Elementary is a place where students will grow and discover their potential, both intellectually and emotionally, with the guidance of all staff to prepare them for their future education.

- Awarded National Parent Involvement School of **Excellence Certification**
- Recognized by the Kentucky Department of Education (KDE) as a Winner's Circle School for exemplary school climate, safety, and achievement and recognized by Scholastic as Best in the State for Most Reading Minutes logged during 2017-18 and 2018-19 summers

- Offers special area classes, including art, music, physical education (PE), Spanish, and library media
- Gifted and Talented/Primary Talent Pool resource teacher and program, which ensure that students receive weekly opportunities in their identified area
- Student activities: Academic Team, Book Olympiads, chess club, orchestra, band, choir, basketball, cheerleading, cross-country, running club, soccer, drama club, art club, robotics, Student Technology Leadership Program (STLP), and more



Middletown Elementary

Student Enrollment: 598 **Phone:** (502) 485-8300

Address: 218 N. Madison Avenue, Louisville, KY 40243 Web: jefferson.kyschools.us/schools/profiles/middletown

The mission of Middletown Elementary is to discover the brilliance in every child by challenging all students to reach their potential and to meet the demands of the future. As a Leader in Me school, Middletown builds leadership and life skills in students, creates a high-trust school culture, and lays the foundation for sustained academic achievement. We truly believe that it is our duty to unleash greatness in students, and we strive daily to ensure that each and every student is a leader of their own learning.

- Band and orchestra opportunities for fifth-grade students
- Yearly grade-level music concerts
- Outdoor learning space
- Extracurricular activities: Academic Team, soccer, basketball, Girls Who Code, cheerleading, and chess
- Primary Talent Pool and Gifted and Talented **Programs**

School Highlights

- Leader in Me school
- Parent Teacher Association (PTA) partnership to enhance student achievement
- Accelerated math groups in fourth and fifth grades to prepare for accelerated math in middle school
- Special areas: French, library media, art, music, and physical education (PE)



Stopher Elementary

Student Enrollment: 794 Phone: (502) 485-8281

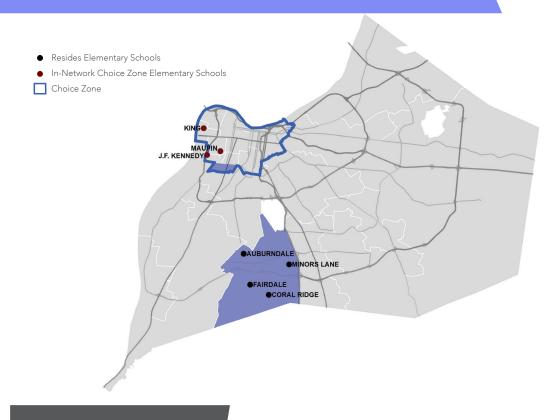
Address: 14417 Aiken Road, Louisville, KY 40245 Web: jefferson.kyschools.us/schools/profiles/stopher

Stopher Elementary is a dynamic learning community within JCPS. All students exit Stopher prepared, empowered, and inspired to reach their full potential and contribute as thoughtful, responsible citizens of our diverse, shared world. Stopher staff members challenge and engage each learner to grow through effective teaching and meaningful experiences within caring, supportive environments.

- Awarded the Blue Ribbon School of Excellence in
- Employs a full-time Advance Program/Gifted and Talented Program teacher
- Provides comprehensive special area programming, including Science, Technology, Engineering, the Arts, and Mathematics (STEAM); music; library; art; physical education (PE); WAVES (Social Emotional Learning [SEL]); and Latin

- Prioritizes a strong partnership with parents and the community, hosting numerous family engagement events throughout the year
- Provides in-school club opportunities for Intermediate students
- Provides a variety of after-school student activities, including academic teams, Student Technology Leadership Program (STLP), basketball, cheerleading, dance, soccer, track, cross-country, robotics, chess, dance, Future Problem Solving, and more

Fairdale Zone



SCHOOL PROFILES



Auburndale Elementary

Student Enrollment: 552 Phone: (502) 485-8204

Address: 5749 New Cut Road, Louisville, KY 40214

Web: jefferson.kyschools.us/schools/profiles/auburndale

At Auburndale Elementary, our staff fosters a learning environment of collaboration, creativity, and excellence. Auburndale is committed to educating students of all races, ethnicities, genders, and abilities to the highest levels of academic achievement. We are an inclusive community, united by the joy of learning, where individuality is accepted, valued, and celebrated.

- A high-density Multilingual Learner (ML) school using evidence-based instructional practices, including coteaching models in reading and math in every grade level
- Special area opportunities: Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (STEM) Lab; art; music; physical education (PE); library; and Purposeful People (a writing-infused Social Emotional Learning [SEL] support curriculum)

- After-school opportunities: Robotics, basketball, volleyball, Art Club, Wildcat Singers, Quick Recall, and Safety Patrol
- Responsive and aware of students' emotional and mental health and well-being
- Services provided through our Counseling Suite, which includes our school-based counselor, our mental health practitioner, and community agencies
- Fully operational Family Resource Center (FRC), which is accessible for families to receive any support they need throughout the school year
- Provides a caring and committed staff focused on creating a child-centered learning environment



Coral Ridge Elementary

Student Enrollment: 572 Phone: (502) 485-8234

Address: 10608 National Turnpike, Louisville, KY 40118 Web: jefferson.kyschools.us/schools/profiles/coral-ridge

The mission of Coral Ridge is to provide a nurturing environment where all students will achieve success to their highest potential.

School Highlights

- Offers the Elementary Redesign Program, which features a 22:1 student-to-teacher ratio, a full-time instructional coach to support student success, and a partnership with the University of Louisville (UofL) for student-teacher/methods training
- Provides technology, humanities, library, and physical education (PE) instruction
- Offers a range of clubs and activities during and after school, including Academic Team, ECHO outdoor science education, basketball, soccer, cross-country, cheerleading, Student Technology Leadership Program (STLP), Worldfest, and archery



Fairdale Elementary

Student Enrollment: 623 Phone: (502) 485-8247

Address: 10104 Mitchell Hill Road, Louisville, KY 40118 Web: jefferson.kyschools.us/schools/profiles/fairdale

At Fairdale Elementary, our students will be fully prepared to meet their potential, be middle schoolready, and become effective and responsible citizens. We provide comprehensive, standards-based, quality instruction in a caring and supportive community in which all students are educated and inspired to become critical thinkers, effective communicators, independent learners, and responsible citizens.

- Provides instruction in reading, math, science, and social studies from highly qualified teachers who use today's most effective curriculum and instructional techniques
- Provides rigorous Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (STEM) instruction for all students
- Offers music, art, robotics, orchestra, band, basketball, soccer, archery, gym, and cheerleading



Minors Lane Elementary

Student Enrollment: 315 **Phone:** (502) 485-8303

Address: 8510 Minors Lane, Louisville, KY 40219

Web: jefferson.kyschools.us/schools/profiles/minors-lane

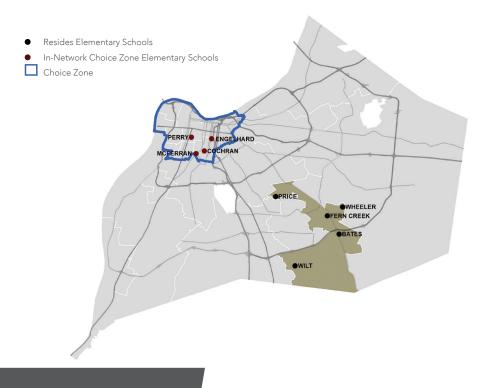
Minors Lane Elementary is an exceptional place of learning that inspires academic excellence in an empowering and inclusive school community. Our mission is to embrace diversity, encourage curiosity, and educate the "whole child" in a safe, nurturing, and rigorous learning community. We believe that every scholar has the ability to learn and deserves a champion—an adult who will never give up on them, who understands the power of connection, and who insists that they become the best that they can possibly be.

- Uses evidence-based and culturally responsive instructional practices
- Instruction personalized and differentiated to meet individual students' learning and social-emotional needs
- Primary Talent Pool and Gifted and Talented Program

- Implements the Character Strong Curriculum to teach character and social-emotional skills
- Community School: Educational and recreational after-school activities for students and families
- Extracurricular activities: Basketball, soccer, Yearbook Club, Quick Recall, Student Technology Leadership Program (STLP), student ambassadors, Men of Quality, Women of Worth, Girls on the Run, Student Council, band, and orchestra
- Special areas: Art and music; Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (STEM) Lab; library media; and physical education (PE)
- Full-time school-based mental health practitioner, school nurse, and Family Resource Center (FRC) coordinator to meet student and family needs



Fern Creek Zone



SCHOOL PROFILES



Bates Elementary

Student Enrollment: 599 Phone: (502) 485-8208

Address: 7601 Bardstown Road, Louisville, KY 40291 Web: jefferson.kyschools.us/schools/profiles/bates

Bates Elementary offers a family-friendly academic environment focusing on educating the whole childdeveloping their academic, social, and emotional needs. We provide a rigorous curriculum that is aligned with national and state standards in reading, math, science, and social studies. Bates Elementary is proud to be nationally recognized as a Leader in Me Lighthouse school, developing the leadership potential in each of our students in kindergarten through fifth grade.

- National Board Certified Teachers (NBCTs), teachers endorsed in gifted/talented education and English Language Development (ELD), Google Certified Level I and II teachers, and Apple Certified teachers
- Comprehensive counseling program with two full-time certified counselors who deliver college/ career, social-emotional, and transition services through small-group, individual, and classroom quidance

- Access to the Student Technology Leadership Program (STLP); Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (STEM); and a student-led newscast production (WBES) with green screen
- Performing arts program with full-time music, art, and drama teachers as well as band, orchestra, choir, and musical theatre performances
- Student activities: Basketball, volleyball, cheerleading, tennis, soccer, cross-country, Quick Recall, Future Problem Solving, Safety Patrol, G.I.F.T.E.D. Girls group, Men of Quality, and Lighthouse Leaders
- Leadership opportunities: Student Lighthouse Team, Bear Bloggers, Cool 2B Kind Club, Environmental Enhancers, and many more



Fern Creek Elementary

Student Enrollment: 760 Phone: (502) 485-8250

Address: 8815 Ferndale Road, Louisville, KY 40291

Web: jefferson.kyschools.us/schools/profiles/fern-creek-elementary

The mission of Fern Creek Elementary is to develop caring, competent, cooperative, and confident citizens of the world. Our vision is to provide a safe, nurturing academic community where all members are empowered to achieve their highest potential.

School Highlights

- Leader in Me school: A social-emotional learning process that recognizes each student as a leader with unique gifts and talents to share and equips students with essential 21st-century skills to build meaningful relationships and take ownership of their education
- Culturally responsive instruction promoting authentic engagement and rigor to all students

- Offers Student Technology Leadership Program (STLP), anime club, Academic Team, Leadership Team, Student Guard Team, Men of Quality, Gifted Girls, cardio-drumming, Student Council, Girls Who Code, Tigers on the Run, Academic Problem Solving, BOSS club, band, and orchestra
- Gifted and Talented Education, Primary Talent Pool, and Advance Program
- Provides Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (STEM); Compassion Project; visual arts; music; and practical living/health
- Parent Engagement team
- Registered nurse (RN), mental health practitioner, social-emotional counseling, and site-based therapist on staff



Price Elementary

Student Enrollment: 458 Phone: (502) 485-8315

Address: 5001 Garden Green Way, Louisville, KY 40218 Web: jefferson.kyschools.us/schools/profiles/price

Price Elementary is committed to meeting the needs of every student by developing their academic, social, emotional, and creative potential.

- Advance Preparatory Program for K–3 students that nurtures the abilities of high-performing Primary students through individualized/smallgroup instruction and a wide variety of engaging, challenging, and stimulating learning experiences
- Guidance Program that effectively develops leadership skills among students
- Student activities: Band, orchestra, basketball, cheerleading, Academic Team, art camp, dance, robotics, Problem Solving, Girls on the Run, Math Girls Rule, and Soccer Club



Wheeler Elementary

Student Enrollment: 626 Phone: (502) 485-8349

Address: 5700 Cynthia Drive, Louisville, KY 40291 Web: jefferson.kyschools.us/schools/profiles/wheeler

Wheeler provides a rigorous curriculum that is aligned with national standards. All of our students are supported in their learning progression and provided additional time, as needed, to master learning targets. Students demonstrating mastery are provided opportunities to extend and deepen their learning. Ongoing assessments in each content area provide you and your child's teacher with valuable information regarding individual student abilities and instructional needs. We truly believe in "Every Student, Every Day."

School Highlights

- In addition to National Board, Google, and school administration certifications, teachers endorsed in gifted education, competency-based education, personalized learning, Project-Based Learning (PBL), and literacy development
- Focuses on personalized learning environments, developing student agency and real-world, relevant content application

- Student activities: Award-winning Academic Team, Student Council, chess, basketball, crosscountry, running club, cheerleading, soccer, pom squad, Suzuki Method violin, Library Co-Op, newscasting, Robotics, Student Technology Leadership Program (STLP), Men of Quality, Girls Who Code, Soccer, Student Advisory, and Leadership Workforce Opportunities
- Special areas: Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (STEM); visual arts; practical living; and music integrated with drama and dance
- Health Promotion School of Excellence (HPSE)
- Offers National Elementary Honor Society and Junior Beta Club
- Award-winning Parent Teacher Association (PTA) providing family engagement activities
- Leader in Me programming that teaches students leadership skills
- Comprehensive guidance program to support social and emotional development



Wilt Elementary

Student Enrollment: 490 Phone: (502) 485-8353

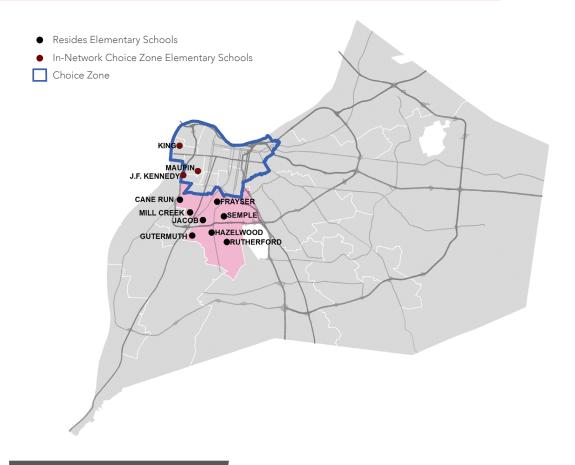
Address: 6700 Price Lane, Louisville, KY 40229 Web: jefferson.kyschools.us/schools/profiles/wilt

The mission of Wilt Elementary is to educate and provide a safe learning environment. All students will experience positive growth in social-emotional behaviors. Parents, students, and educators, working with the community, can create a safe and equitable learning environment in which all students can learn and become productive members of society. We offer a well-rounded, challenging learning environment where students will be responsible for their learning and success. At Wilt, we maintain a nurturing environment with active family involvement.

- Park-like setting to encourage responsible citizenship
- Is consistently above state proficiency measures in all subjects, is in the top tier for attendance among elementary schools, and has low staff turnover
- Two 3D printers that students use through computer-aided design (CAD) and several coding programs

- Designated Gifted and Talented teacher for Primary Talent Pool and identified Gifted and Talented students
- Active Parent Teacher Association (PTA) that sponsors school activities and supports school initiatives (e.g., playground expansion, beautification through signage and landscaping, and hands-on science resource access for students)
- Student activities: Archery, basketball, cheerleading, cooking club, crocheting club, drama, Jump Rope for Heart, Girls Who Code, Quick Recall, Problem Solving, robotics, Safety Patrol, soccer, Student Technology Leadership Program (STLP), student government, and volleyball

Iroquois Zone



SCHOOL PROFILES



Cane Run Elementary

Student Enrollment: 379 **Phone:** (502) 485-8223

Address: 3951 Cane Run Road, Louisville, KY 40211 Web: jefferson.kyschools.us/schools/profiles/cane-run

Here at Cane Run, we believe in teaching the whole child. Each day, we work to provide safe, stimulating, and challenging educational experiences to ensure that all students are transition-ready. Our goal is to prepare our students to be independent, lifelong learners and equip them with the 21st-century learning skills they will need to be successful throughout their lives.

School Highlights

• Offers multiple after-school clubs and sports, including basketball, cheer, step team, flag football, soccer, Girls on the Run, Cooking Club, and 4-H

- Embeds technology throughout instruction but also has library, movement/wellness, art, music, and Science Lab
- Introduces students to a variety of healthy fruits and vegetables through the Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Program
- Offers a wide range of family support services



Frayser Elementary

Student Enrollment: 399 **Phone:** (502) 485-8255

Address: 1230 Larchmont Avenue, Louisville, KY 40215 Web: jefferson.kyschools.us/schools/profiles/frayser

Mission: The Frayser Elementary School family is committed to developing the whole child, empowering our leaders to find their genius, and ensuring high academic achievement and growth for

Vision: All Frayser students will transition ready to lead academically and socially as global citizens.

School Highlights

• Implements the Leader in Me, which empowers staff, students, and families to develop personal leadership capacities through the teaching of the 8 Habits of Highly Effective People, and helps students find and celebrate their genius

- Full-time library, art, music, and Science, Technology, Engineering, the Arts, and Mathematics (STEAM) Lab
- Implements small-group, research-based reading and math instruction to provide flexible and personalized learning opportunities for all students
- Promotes whole-child wellness, including the MindUp curriculum, and has a full-time nurse, Family Resource Center (FRC) coordinator, and mental health practitioner
- Offers the Advance Program
- Offers a wide range of activities for students during the school day and as extracurriculars



Gutermuth Elementary

Student Enrollment: 437 Phone: (502) 485-8261

Address: 1500 Sanders Lane, Louisville, KY 40216

Web: jefferson.kyschools.us/schools/profiles/gutermuth

Here at Gutermuth, we believe in caring for students as if they were our own. We offer excellent educational opportunities, a highly qualified staff, and activities and events to meet a variety of student needs and interests. It is our mission to provide high-quality, developmentally appropriate experiences for the successful social and academic growth of all students in a safe, secure, and caring environment.

- Engaging, standards-based instruction in a diverse, multicultural setting with multiple Project-Based Learning (PBL) opportunities
- Talent Pool and Gifted and Talented Program
- Disney in Schools Theatre Production in collaboration with StageOne Family Theatre and Visual Arts Program
- Special areas: Reader's Theater, Compassionate Schools Program (CSP), physical education (PE), art, and Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (STEM)

- Extracurricular activities: Cheerleading, basketball, cross-country, band, orchestra, PRIDE Committee, Safety Patrol, Student Technology Leadership Program (STLP), robotics club, and
- Full-time nurse, Family Resource Center (FRC) coordinator, and mental health practitioner
- 21+ languages spoken
- Recognized as a No Place for Hate school



Hazelwood Elementary

Student Enrollment: 460 Phone: (502) 485-8264

Address: 1325 Bluegrass Avenue, Louisville, KY 40215 Web: jefferson.kyschools.us/schools/profiles/hazelwood

Our goals at Hazelwood Elementary School are to meet the needs of all learners, to ensure that every student reaches their full potential, and to pledge that our students are prepared to be successful in the next stages of their lives.

School Highlights

- Community partnerships with Bernheim Forest, Kentucky Science Center, and Waterfront Botanical Gardens
- Engaging, standards-based instruction with a diverse student population speaking 20 different languages
- Extracurricular activities: Art club, basketball, volleyball, Quick Recall, Problem Solving, baseball, soccer, Field-to-Fork, and bowling team

- One English Language Development (ELD) teacher at every grade level to serve the Multilingual Learner (ML) population
- Monthly family-engagement events
- Gifted and Talented, Primary Talent Pool, and Advance Programs
- More than 65 percent of certified teaching staff with advanced degrees and/or certifications in their area of expertise



Jacob Elementary

Student Enrollment: 481 **Phone:** (502) 485-8271

Address: 3701 E. Wheatmore Drive, Louisville, KY 40215 Web: jefferson.kyschools.us/schools/profiles/jacob

At Jacob Elementary, we work to provide a school where students, families, and teachers thrive.

Our mission is to ignite a passion for learning, invest in relationships with our students and families, and inspire personal success in every student.

- Differentiated literacy and math instruction delivered through small-group instruction
- Co-teaching model used for all Exceptional Child Education (ECE) and Multilingual Learners (ML)
- Advance Program/Gifted and Talented class offered for identified fourth- and fifth-grade students along with Primary Talent Pool services for kindergarten through grade-three students

- Anti-Bullying and Neuroscience Curriculum used for social-emotional learning to help students build confidence, relationships, and self-control
- Opportunities for students to develop a sense of belonging and leadership through participation in activities, such as Garden Club, Art Club, Field-to-Fork, Academic Team, College Mentors for Kids, Bricks 4 Kids, Technology Team, Chess Club, and more
- Student athletic opportunities, including basketball, baseball, cheerleading, Girls on the Run, soccer, step team, tennis, and volleyball
- Health Promotion School of Excellence (HPSE) and full-time Family Resource Center (FRC) with a food pantry and clothing closet
- Full-time school nurse and a partnership with Norton that provides telehealth services to students with parent permission during the school day



Mill Creek Elementary

Student Enrollment: 437 Phone: (502) 485-8301

Address: 3816 Dixie Highway, Louisville, KY 40216 Web: jefferson.kyschools.us/schools/profiles/mill-creek

Our vision is to be the urban leadership school of excellence.

School Highlights

- Accredited Lighthouse—Leader in Me school
- Provides leadership opportunities for students through Student Officers and Classroom **Ambassadors**
- Provides social-emotional learning, student learning choices, mentoring programs, and personalized learning plans

- Convocation Series, extracurricular sports and activities, fifth-grade clubs, family night opportunities, and culturally responsive teaching
- Lexia and Dream Box Programs
- Restorative Practice (RP) and Positive Behavioral Interventions and Supports (PBIS) school
- Fresh Fruit and Vegetables Grant



Rutherford Elementary

Student Enrollment: 474 Phone: (502) 485-8320

Address: 301 Southland Boulevard, Louisville, KY 40214 Web: jefferson.kyschools.us/schools/profiles/rutherford

Our primary focus is to work with families to ensure that all of our students are successful. We firmly believe that through hard work and open communication between the community and our school, students at Rutherford Elementary will reach their highest potential and become lifelong, independent learners who make significant contributions to society.

- Students developing critical-thinking skills in the Advance Program
- Literature-based curriculum enhanced by team teaching and research-based instruction
- Student activities: After-school sports/ activities through Family Resource Center (FRC), Academic Team, Student Technology Leadership Program (STLP), Chess Club, basketball, soccer, cheerleading, orchestra, and band

- Full-time Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (STEM) teacher
- Homeroom and specialized grouping, tailored to the needs of students through Project-Based Learning (PBL) to promote cooperative learning
- Engaging, standards-based instruction in a diverse, multicultural setting
- 16+ languages spoken



Semple Elementary

Student Enrollment: 601 Phone: (502) 485-8324

Address: 724 Denmark Street, Louisville, KY 40215 Web: jefferson.kyschools.us/schools/profiles/semple

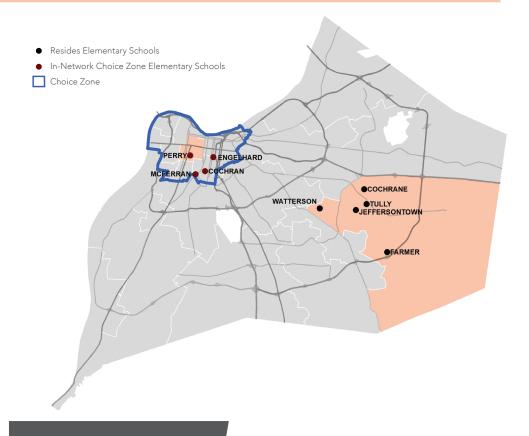
The Semple Elementary community will educate each student to reach their highest potential academically, socially, and emotionally. Offering a safe and caring environment, our staff assists students in the development of skills to become productive citizens in our ever-changing society. Students benefit from educational experiences supported by standardsbased grading and differentiated instruction that addresses a variety of learning styles and instructional strategies.

- Individualized instruction to meet the diverse needs of students through small-group intervention and enrichment sessions
- Provides multiple opportunities for extended learning

- Employs a full-time school nurse
- Offers the Reading Recovery Program
- Science, Technology, Engineering, the Arts, and Mathematics (STEAM) Lab
- **Student activities:** Basketball, cheerleading, step team, orchestra, Safety Patrol, Academic Team, music, Student Technology Leadership Program (STLP), Games Club, Vex Robotics, and CALM (Compassionate Schools Project)



Jeffersontown Zone







Cochrane Elementary

Student Enrollment: 432 **Phone:** (502) 485-8231

Address: 2511 Tregaron Avenue, Louisville, KY 40299 Web: jefferson.kyschools.us/schools/profiles/cochrane

- Ensures that students are provided enrichment, acceleration, and personalized learning opportunities to explore deeper learning activities that incorporate success skills and increase a deeper understanding of concepts
- Provides differentiated and rigorous instruction in all content areas
- Integrates advanced technology, including interactive boards, Chromebooks, iPads, and Google Classroom, into the curriculum
- Offers a wide range of extracurricular activities, including Junior Beta Club, basketball, cheerleading, cross-country, soccer, Yearbook, Safety Patrol, Quick Recall, Girls Who Code, and an award-winning Student Technology Leadership Program (STLP)
- Provides students with visual and performing arts opportunities, including orchestra and band
- Introduces students to the field of communications through a student-produced morning news broadcast
- Recipient of a 5x5 Fund for the Arts Grant, which provides art experiences for students
- Maintains a strong partnership with parents and the community to enhance student achievement



Farmer Elementary

Student Enrollment: 728 Phone: (502) 485-8625

Address: 6405 Gellhaus Lane, Louisville, KY 40299 Web: jefferson.kyschools.us/schools/profiles/farmer

James E. Farmer Elementary School is committed to developing a lifetime of purposeful learning for all students by enriching the mind and igniting the imagination in a nurturing, child-centered environment.

School Highlights

- Personalized learning provided by master teachers, including National Board Certified Teachers (NBCTs), Excellence in Classroom and Educational Leadership (ExCEL) award-winning teachers, and a 2021 Milken Educator Award-winning teacher
- Schoolwide structured-literacy approach and staff participation in Language Essentials for Teachers of Reading and Spelling (LETRS) training, a Kentucky Department of Education (KDE) initiative
- Provides differentiated and rigorous instruction in all content areas

- Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (STEM); practical living; guidance; art; and music classes as well as a unique opportunity for fifth graders to enroll in either band or orchestra
- Field trips designed to build vocabulary and background knowledge
- Offers basketball, Junior Beta Club, Quick Recall, Problem Solving, music ensemble, Safety Patrol, student advisory, and VEX Robotics
- Annual special events, such as the Parent Teacher Association (PTA) Walk-a-thon; Trunk or Treat; Family Fun Nights; Book Character Day; Science, Technology, Engineering, the Arts, and Mathematics (STEAM) Night; Literacy Night; and Spring Fling
- Meaningful partnerships with parents and the community



Jeffersontown Elementary

Student Enrollment: 680 Phone: (502) 485-8274

Address: 3610 Cedarwood Way, Louisville, KY 40299

Web: jefferson.kyschools.us/schools/profiles/jeffersontown-elementary

Jeffersontown Elementary creates proficient learners in all content areas through the use of best teaching practices, creativity, technology, and deeper-learning opportunities. We take pride in our caring, positive culture designed to nurture students as they reach their potential.

- Gifted and Talented Education and Advance Program
- Spanish instruction at all grade levels
- Expanded arts and humanities program that allows students to exhibit talents during annual performances

- Band; orchestra; visual art; Science, Technology, Engineering, the Arts, and Mathematics (STEAM); and a wide variety of extracurricular activities
- Provides an outdoor classroom
- Award-winning Parent Teacher Association (PTA) that sponsors monthly Family Fun Nights

Perry Elementary

Student Enrollment: 404 Phone: (502) 485-8348

Address: 755 Dixie Highway, Louisville, KY 40210

Web: jefferson.kyschools.us/schools/profiles/dr-william-h-perry-elementary-school

Mission: Perry Elementary empowers and advocates for lifelong learning in a safe and equitable environment. We will consistently engage our school community with collaborative and innovative experiences that lead to success for all students.

Vision: Perry students will become a school of distinction that focuses on educating the whole child by creating well-rounded, confident, and responsible individuals, while rising to high expectations. All students will leave Perry Elementary performing at or above grade level in reading and math.

School Highlights

- Welcomes families as partners in reaching and teaching the whole child
- Daily access to technology, including Chromebooks

- Mental health counselors and social-emotional counseling
- Focuses on a positive learning environment and the growth and development of every student
- Exceptional Child Education (ECE) and additional student support services offered
- Uses schoolwide House System that promotes a sense of belonging for students, staff, and families
- Special areas: Art/Music; Science, Technology, Engineering, the Arts, and Mathematics (STEAM); library media; physical education (PE); Compassionate Schools Program; and Social Emotional Learning (SEL)/Project-Based Learning (PBL)
- Title I, no-fee school
- Uses a dress code that requires uniforms



Tully Elementary

Student Enrollment: 750 Phone: (502) 485-8338

Address: 3300 College Drive, Louisville, KY 40299 Web: jefferson.kyschools.us/schools/profiles/tully

- Students provided with enrichment, acceleration, and personalized learning opportunities to explore deeper learning activities that incorporate success skills and increase a deeper understanding of concepts and high levels of engagement
- Provides differentiated and rigorous instruction in all content areas
- Ten National Board Certified Teachers (NBCTs), two Excellence in Classroom and Educational Leadership (ExCEL) Award winners, Gifted and Talented resource teacher, and JCPS Music, Art, and Physical Education (PE) Teachers of the Year
- Offers Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (STEM) Lab by Boston Museum of Science

- Spacious and newly renovated facilities, including a large grassy play area, multipurpose room, and designated wing for the arts
- Visual and performing arts opportunities
- Extracurricular activities: Academic Team, Art Club, Ensemble, band, chorus, track, crosscountry, basketball, floor hockey, Girls Who Code, Student Technology Leadership Program (STLP), cheerleading, and Student Council
- Strong partnership with parents and the community



Watterson Elementary

Student Enrollment: 477 Phone: (502) 485-8342

Address: 3900 Breckenridge Lane, Louisville, KY 40218 Web: jefferson.kyschools.us/schools/profiles/watterson

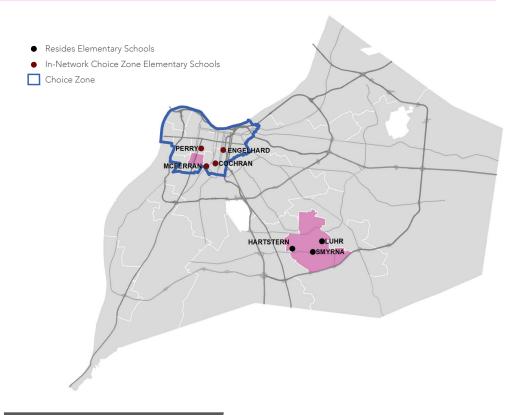
At Watterson Elementary, we create leaders for life through a positive and inclusive environment that promotes individual growth. We are a Leader in Me school that strives to instill in all students the 7 Habits of Happy Kids, which will allow them to reach their highest academic, social, and emotional potential.

- Gifted and Talented Programs and Primary Talent
- National Elementary Honor Society
- Mental health counselors and social/emotional counseling

- Focuses on a positive learning environment and the growth and development of every student
- Leader in Me school, which is designed to assist students in their social/emotional well-being
- Student activities: Award-winning Academic Team, band, orchestra, Student Council, technology programs, basketball, cross-country, and soccer



Moore Zone



SCHOOL PROFILES



Hartstern Elementary

Student Enrollment: 606 Phone: (502) 485-8262

Address: 5200 Morningside Way, Louisville, KY 40219 Web: jefferson.kyschools.us/schools/profiles/hartstern

It is our mission to provide high-quality, developmentally appropriate experiences for the successful social and academic growth of all students in a safe, secure, and caring environment. At Hartstern Elementary, we recognize that students' learning styles may differ. We have designed our comprehensive academic programs to capitalize on and maximize each student's learning potential for success in pre-K-5 classrooms.

- A balanced curriculum that ensures student success
- Monitors individual student growth

- Collaboration between Title I, English Language Development (EDL) Program, and Exceptional Child Education (ECE) teams
- Student activities: Band, orchestra, Safety Patrol, Student Council, Disney Musical in Schools, Garden Club, Science Club, and Ecology Club
- Received a 5x5 Fund for the Arts Grant, which is used to host artists-in-residence and arts experiences



Luhr Elementary

Student Enrollment: 542 **Phone:** (502) 485-8295

Address: 6900 Fegenbush Lane, Louisville, KY 40228 Web: jefferson.kyschools.us/schools/profiles/luhr

Luhr Elementary prepares students for the future by providing engaging, developmentally appropriate learning experiences within a caring school environment. At Luhr, our motto is, "Every Student Counts, Every Moment Matters." We work in partnership with parents and the community to meet the needs of students to ensure that they all can reach their full potential.

School Highlights

- Offers instruction on various social skills and character traits in order to build teamwork skills and offers daily recognition for behavior through our positive behavior Lion Card system
- Block-schedule special areas: Science, Technology, Engineering, the Arts, and Mathematics (STEAM); visual arts; music; and physical education (PE)

- Arts program enhanced through our participation in 5x5 grants that allow artists-in-residence to work hands-on with our students and offer opportunities to visit nearby museums
- Family Resource Center (FRC) after-school activities and family involvement opportunities: basketball, cheerleading, volleyball, soccer, tennis, Quick Recall, Future Problem Solving, Scrabble, Bricks for Kids, robotics, Girls Who Code, band, orchestra, Art Club, and student Lighthouse Team
- Identifies and builds leadership skills in all students through the Leader in Me Program
- Exceptional Child Education (ECE) and additional student support services offered



Smyrna Elementary

Student Enrollment: 490 **Phone:** (502) 485-8329

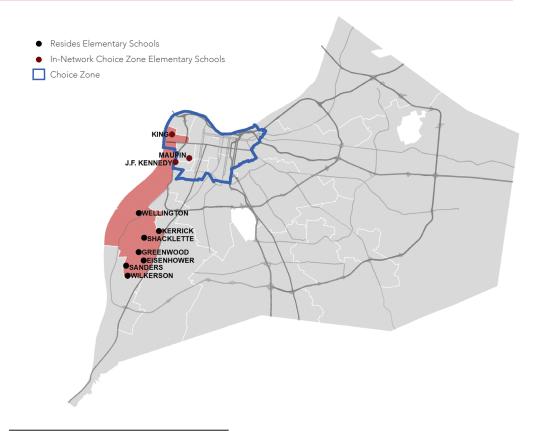
Address: 6401 Outer Loop, Louisville, KY 40228 Web: jefferson.kyschools.us/schools/profiles/smyrna

The staff, parents, and community of Smyrna Elementary are committed partners, ensuring that our students achieve academic proficiency, develop socially and emotionally, and create an equitable environment where all students have access to high-quality instruction and a variety of learning experiences.

- Uses schoolwide House System that promotes a sense of belonging for students, staff, and families
- Full-time library media; music; Compassionate Schools Project (CSP); Science, Technology, Engineering, the Arts, and Mathematics (STEAM) Lab; and physical education (PE)
- Partnership with the Parklands of Floyds Fork Park Outdoor Classroom
- Increased exposure to the arts through a 5x5 Fund for the Arts Grant

- Student-led conferences that allow students to share their accomplishments, areas of growth, and goals with their parents
- Student activities: Robotics, Quick Recall and Problem Solving teams, Student Technology Leadership Program (STLP), Extended School Services (ESS), band, orchestra, basketball, volleyball, tennis, soccer, and cross-country
- Student voice, advocacy, and service-learning platforms supported through problem-based and Project-Based Learning (PBL) opportunities
- Exceptional Child Education (ECE) and additional student support for all students through small focus groups in math and reading

Pleasure Ridge Park Zone



SCHOOL PROFILES



Eisenhower Elementary

Student Enrollment: 601 Phone: (502) 485-8244

Address: 5300 Jessamine Lane, Louisville, KY 40258

Web: jefferson.kyschools.us/schools/profiles/eisenhower

At Eisenhower Elementary, we are Learners! Leaders! EAGLES! We provide opportunities for all students to help them acquire the necessary academic and social skills to become productive citizens. Our school offers a safe and nurturing environment that supports success for all students while promoting high expectations for learning and behavior.

- Ranked as one of the top-achieving schools in Southwest Jefferson County
- Strong parent and community involvement
- Gifted and Talented Program and Talent Pool classes with accelerated-learning opportunities

- Extracurriculars: Volleyball, basketball, cheerleading, flag football, archery, golf, tennis, Girl Power, band, orchestra, robotics, Safety Patrol, Student Council, art club, Girls on the Run, and academic teams
- Enrichment programs: Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (STEM) Lab; physical education (PE); art; music; foreign language; and library media
- Personalized learning supported through instruction, interventions, Exceptional Child Education (ECE) services, Study Island, Accelerated Reader, Lexia, Dreambox, and various other digital learning opportunities



Greenwood Elementary

Student Enrollment: 455 Phone: (502) 485-8260

Address: 5801 Greenwood Road, Louisville, KY 40258 Web: jefferson.kyschools.us/schools/profiles/greenwood

At Greenwood Elementary, our mission is to prepare students to be academically and socially ready for middle school and beyond. We will provide a safe, equitable learning environment, promoting high expectations and high-quality instruction for all students in every classroom. Greenwood will be recognized as a model school for high levels of teaching, learning, and positive school culture. Greenwood students will be collaborative, innovative, global, and resilient ambassadors who positively impact the school and community.

School Highlights

- Offers Advance Program, Extended School Services (ESS), and research-based interventions/supports
- Recognized for implementing Positive Behavioral Interventions and Supports (PBIS) with fidelity

- Promotes leadership through such programs as Safety Patrol and student ambassadors
- Extracurricular activities: Basketball, soccer, cheerleading, cross-country, volleyball, band, orchestra, Safety Patrol, drama, and Academic
- Leading Health Promotion School of Excellence
- Offers unique family and community events, including the annual Greenwood Color Walk, Fall Festival, cooking nights, dances, and student showcases



Kerrick Elementary

Student Enrollment: 340 Phone: (502) 485-8284

Address: 2210 Upper Hunters Trace, Louisville, KY 40216 Web: jefferson.kyschools.us/schools/profiles/kerrick

- Instruction that challenges students while focusing on the joy in learning
- Uses an "all-hands-on-deck" approach to meet the diverse needs of every student through small-group enrichment and intervention supports
- Frequent family partnership opportunities to enrich students' social-emotional and academic experiences
- Restorative Practices (RP) and Positive Behavioral Interventions and Supports (PBIS)

- Parent Teacher Association (PTA)
- Family Resource Center (FRC) that provides a wide array of family support services
- Full-time nurse and mental health practitioner on-site



King Elementary

Student Enrollment: 306 Phone: (502) 485-8285

Address: 4325 Vermont Avenue, Louisville, KY 40211 Web: jefferson.kyschools.us/schools/profiles/king

King provides rigorous, engaging instruction and removes barriers to learning so that students believe in their own ability to achieve success. Our goal is that all students demonstrate academic proficiency, develop individual talents, and display leadership throughout our school and community. Our mission at King is to celebrate diversity and cultivate an atmosphere of respect and understanding by providing rigorous instruction, innovative teaching, and personalized attention to empower students to excel academically and develop essential skills for success.

- Community events and partnerships: Monthly Family Events Decode Project; Engaging Children Outdoors (ECHO) School; The Hope Buss; Change Today, Change Tomorrow; Men of Quality; yearbook staff; Student Government; Leader in Me school; and a partnership with Blessings in a Backpack
- Extracurricular activities: Basketball, cheerleading, mini-cheer, Academic Team, Student Technology Leadership Program (STLP), and an award-winning dance team





Sanders Elementary

Student Enrollment: 395 **Phone:** (502) 485-8322

Address: 8408 Terry Road, Louisville, KY 40258

Web: jefferson.kyschools.us/schools/profiles/sanders

At Sanders Elementary, our mission is to provide a collaborative learning community that educates, empowers, and inspires all students to achieve and become lifelong learners. We offer high-quality, research-based instruction in order to teach in ways that students learn at high levels, and we promote a positive, equitable culture where high expectations, authentic learning, and support are the foundations that allow our students to be confident, prepared, and kind leaders.

School Highlights

- Developing leadership skills through the Leader in Me Program
- Extracurricular and student activities: Academic Team, archery, volleyball, basketball, cheerleading, cross-country, Girls on the Run, robotics, math and literacy nights, talent show, career day, field day, special fall and spring events, and student award recognitions

- Specialized instrumental programs: Weisberg Suzuki Violin Program, band, and orchestra
- Special areas: Compassionate Schools Project (CSP), art, music, library media, and Chrome Lab/Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (STEM)
- Student leadership opportunities: Student Council, Newscast Team, Safety Patrol, Student Technology Leadership Program (STLP), and grade-level community leadership project
- Support services through the STAR Family Resource Center (FRC), full-time mental health practitioner, and Exceptional Child Education (ECE) implementation coach



Shacklette Elementary

Student Enrollment: 332 Phone: (502) 485-8325

Address: 5310 Mercury Drive, Louisville, KY 40258

Web: jefferson.kyschools.us/schools/profiles/shacklette

At Shacklette Elementary, our mission is to educate each student with respect, honoring cultural backgrounds, and to work to promote academic and behavioral success for college and career readiness. Here at Shacklette, all students belong. "A Community of Champions where we develop the champion in your child."

- Leader in Me school
- Recognized by the Commonwealth of Kentucky for implementation of Positive Behavioral Interventions and Supports (PBIS)

- A Restorative Practice (RP) school
- Awarded the Disney grant for musicals in schools
- Reaching Academic Potential (RAP) Program for kindergarten through grade-three students who may qualify for the Gifted and Talented Program
- 14+ languages spoken by students
- Student activities: Academic Team, basketball, cheer, and more



Wellington Elementary

Student Enrollment: 407 **Phone:** (502) 485-8343

Address: 4800 Kaufman Lane, Louisville, KY 40216 Web: jefferson.kyschools.us/schools/profiles/wellington

Wellington's North Star is to improve student outcomes. We aim to be a top-performing academic institution that provides a caring environment, cultivates a culture of wellness, and instills a love of learning that lays the foundation for students to become tomorrow's leaders. Our mission is to teach all students the value of community, achievement, teamwork, and success.

School Highlights

• Extracurricular activities: Team sports, Field to Fork, Student Council, chess, Academic Team, and Scholar Society

- Project-Based Learning (PBL) through community service, including Love the Hungry food packaging for victims of famine and the Pennies for Patients partnership to assist children with leukemia
- Guidance counselor, Family Resource Center (FRC), and school nurse to provide academic, social, mental health, and economic supports for students and families



Wilkerson Elementary

Student Enrollment: 484 **Phone:** (502) 485-8351

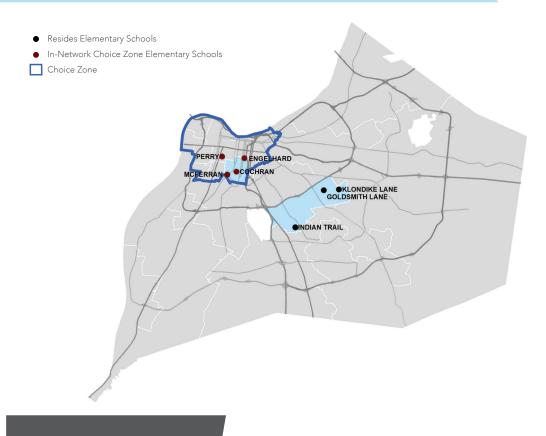
Address: 5601 Johnsontown Road, Louisville, KY 40272 Web: jefferson.kyschools.us/schools/profiles/wilkerson

Wilkerson Elementary is a community of lifelong learners where diversity is valued and all students belong. We are committed to the academic and social-emotional growth and development of each student.

- Recognizes the six pillars of character: Trustworthiness, responsibility, caring, respect, fairness, and citizenship
- Primary Talent Pool, Gifted and Talented, and Advance Program

- Extracurricular activities: Basketball, cheerleading, soccer, bowling, art club, Academic Team, chorus, Girls on the Run, and more
- Student leadership opportunities: Safety Patrol, Student Council, Justice Now, and Newscast Team
- Parent Teacher Association (PTA)-sponsored

Seneca Zone



SCHOOL PROFILES



Cochran Elementary

Student Enrollment: 393 Phone: (502) 485-8230

Address: 500 W. Gaulbert Avenue, Louisville KY 40208 **Web:** jefferson.kyschools.us/schools/profiles/cochran

At Cochran Elementary School, we focus on the four Cs: Culture and Climate, Classroom, Collaboration, and Community. We are determined to #CTheSuccess on a daily basis as we endeavor to provide a caring, supportive, and inclusive environment for all.

- Proximity to local universities and performing arts groups for unique opportunities to attend art events and interact with many groups
- **Student activities:** Student Council, Safety Patrol, band, orchestra, basketball, Girls on the Run, Men of Quality, G.R.E.A.T. Program, and a schoolwide holiday program

- Primary Talent Pool and Advance Program
- Signature Partnership Initiative School with the University of Louisville (UofL) and a professionaldevelopment school that houses a Technology Enabled Active Learning (TEAL) classroom
- Special area classes: Art, physical education (PE), music, and Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (STEM)
- Receives a 5x5 Fund for the Arts Grant
- Designated as a Trauma-Informed Care and Restorative Practice (RP) school; also implements Character Strong as our Tier 1 Social Emotional Learning (SEL) curriculum



Engelhard Elementary

Student Enrollment: 259 Phone: (502) 485-8246

Address: 1004 S. First Street, Louisville, KY 40203

Web: jefferson.kyschools.us/schools/profiles/engelhard

Engelhard Elementary provides a comprehensive curriculum that includes practical living, arts and humanities, and the Compassionate Schools Project. Engelhard welcomes the support, interest, and participation of parents in all aspects of the program. Our Family Resource Center (FRC) and Parent Teacher Association (PTA) provide numerous services, workshops, and activities for all members of the family to participate in positive lifelong learning experiences. Within our beautiful facility, parents, students, and teachers work together to create a warm and caring environment allowing every student an opportunity to develop to their full potential.

School Highlights

- Small classes and a full-time, on-site nurse
- Differentiated instruction for all students
- FRC that provides many student activities, including basketball, cheerleading, and chess club
- Offers Student Council



Goldsmith Elementary

Student Enrollment: 651 Phone: (502) 485-8258

Address: 3520 Goldsmith Lane, Louisville, KY 40220 Web: jefferson.kyschools.us/schools/profiles/goldsmith

At Goldsmith Elementary, all children will learn. We embrace our diverse culture. We are here to improve the lives of students. Students will transition from Goldsmith reaching their full potential and demonstrating independent problem-solving skills to take them to the next level. We proudly instill the Three R's in each of our students: Respect, Responsibility, and Ready for Success! At Goldsmith Elementary, it is our vision that every day, every student excels.

- Diverse, vibrant student body and staff representing 60 countries and speaking 25+ languages
- Places a high value on student and teacher relationships, with fourth- and fifth-grade classes that loop (i.e., teachers who move up to the next grade with students)
- Yearlong extracurricular offerings: Cross-country, basketball, cheerleading, band, orchestra, robotics club, drama club, dance, Step, Cheerleading, Safety Patrol, Student Council, Art Club, Girls on the Run, and Academic Teams

- Committed to deeper learning experiences for students through Project-Based Learning (PBL)
- Special areas: Arts and humanities; music; Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (STEM); Spanish; library media; and physical education (PE)
- Gifted and Talented Program and Talent Pool with accelerated learning opportunities
- Home of the first American Heart Association Teaching Garden in Kentucky; offers students gardening and cooking experiences
- Home of a well-supported English Language Development (ELD) program for Multilingual Learners (MLs), parental support, and co-teaching experiences.
- Gold-Level Positive Behavioral Interventions and Supports (PBIS) Program
- Strong partnership with parents and the community



Indian Trail Elementary

Student Enrollment: 632 Phone: (502) 485-8268

Address: 3709 E. Indian Trail, Louisville, KY 40213

Web: jefferson.kyschools.us/schools/profiles/indian-trail

At Indian Trail Elementary, a MicroSociety Magnet School, our Cardinals Cooperate, Always Try, are Respectful and Responsible Citizens, and are **E**ager to Learn (CARE). We educate all students, encouraging them to become lifelong learners and responsible citizens. Together, we envision an academically excellent and community-spirited program in which all students are performing at the Proficient level.

School Highlights

- National-award-winning MicroSociety Magnet Program offered to students in the Seneca, Southern, and Moore Zones
- Extracurricular activities: Student Technology Leadership Program (STLP), Academic Team, robotics, and sports teams
- Recognized as a Health Promotion School of Excellence (HPSE) and Green School
- Special areas: Arts and humanities, computer skills, physical education (PE), and music



Klondike Lane Elementary

Student Enrollment: 516 Phone: (502) 485-8286

Address: 3807 Klondike Lane, Louisville, KY 40218 Web: jefferson.kyschools.us/schools/profiles/klondike

Our mission at Klondike Lane Elementary is for all students to demonstrate growth through researchinformed practices. Our staff is committed to building relationships with, and providing relevant and rigorous instruction for, all students.

- Site for before-/after-school care through Child Enrichment Program (CEP)/YMCA
- Community Eligible (CE) School that provides breakfast and lunch at no charge to students
- Art, music, world language, physical education (PE), and access to Library Media Center

- Offers extracurricular activities beginning in grade four (Bluegrass, Archery, Soccer, Minecraft, Student Technology Leadership Program [STLP], Basketball, Problem Solving, Quick Recall, and Written Assessment)
- Title I, no-fee school



McFerran Preparatory Academy

Student Enrollment: 495 Phone: (502) 485-8297

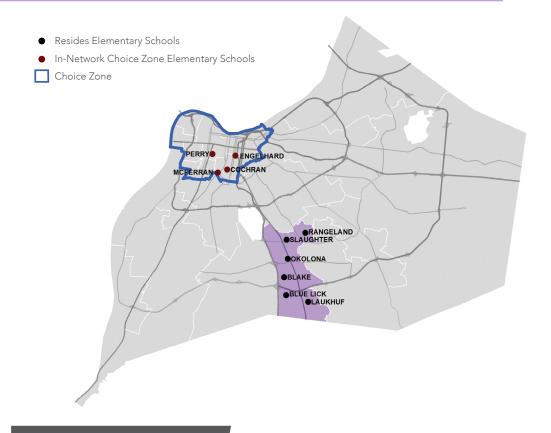
Address: 1900 S. Seventh Street, Louisville, KY 40208 Web: jefferson.kyschools.us/schools/profiles/mcferran

McFerran Preparatory Academy is a choice school focused on serving the needs of students with varying abilities. Offering a learning environment that emphasizes a structured and orderly setting, our mission is to prepare our scholars academically, socially, and emotionally for middle school. Together, we aim to be an elite academy that engages all students in high-quality learning experiences through a culture of consistency, intentionality, and collaboration.

- Awards badges for academic achievement, leadership, and behavior
- Uses a dress code that requires uniforms, including vests and ties
- Offers basketball, baseball, cheerleading, Quick Recall, Problem Solving, Student Technology Leadership Program (STLP)/Robotics Team, Girls on the Run, Science Club, and Safety Patrol



Southern Zone



SCHOOL PROFILES



Blake Elementary

Student Enrollment: 542 **Phone:** (502) 485-8210

Address: 3801 Bonaventure Boulevard, Louisville, KY 40219 Web: jefferson.kyschools.us/schools/profiles/blake

At Blake Elementary, we actively challenge, engage, and support every student in meaningful learning every day in order for students to reach their full potential. We focus on instruction that is based on standards and strive to meet the needs of students with diverse learning styles. We believe that students come first and offer a caring, supportive school community.

- Small-group intervention and enrichment sessions
- Special areas: Art, music, library media, physical education (PE), Compassionate School Project (CSP), and Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (STEM) Lab

- Student activities: Band, orchestra, Student Council, Safety Patrol, basketball, cheerleading, soccer, drama club, Girls Who Code, Tae Kwon Do, and Student Technology Leadership Program (STLP)
- Engineering design process (STEM Lab), robotics, coding, green screen technology, digital art and graphic design, and digital music
- Primary Talent Pool and Advance Program
- Restorative Practices (RP) and Positive Behavioral Interventions and Supports (PBIS)



Blue Lick Elementary

Student Enrollment: 478 Phone: (502) 485-8212

Address: 9801 Blue Lick Road, Louisville, KY 40229 Web: jefferson.kyschools.us/schools/profiles/blue-lick

At Blue Lick Elementary, we believe that children come first. We provide a safe, student-centered learning environment with engaging instruction that inspires all students to achieve at high academic, social, emotional, and physical levels. Our instruction is standards-driven and research-based, providing classwork that is both valuable and engaging.

School Highlights

- Technology, physical education (PE), library, and arts and humanities classes
- Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Program

- Clubs and activities: Band, orchestra, Student Technology Leadership Program (STLP), robotics, cross-country, soccer, Academic Team, Safety Patrol, basketball, and cheerleading
- Character Education taught in all classes
- Small-group support for all students in reading and math
- Family engagement events: Movie nights, craft nights, special lunches, Fall Festival, and more



Laukhuf Elementary

Student Enrollment: 644 **Phone:** (502) 485-8289

Address: 5100 Capewood Drive, Louisville, KY 40229 Web: jefferson.kyschools.us/schools/profiles/laukhuf

Laukhuf Elementary is a place where learners become leaders. We believe Laukhuf Elementary provides all students a challenging education that prepares them for success by developing the skills necessary to become responsible adults in a competitive world. Laukhuf is a place where students learn to read, write, and solve problems while working as part of a team. Students are actively involved in an instructional program that ensures their success. In addition, we have full-time instruction in library/media; Science, Technology, Engineering, the Arts, and Mathematics (STEAM); physical education (PE); and art and music.

- Student Technology Team that helps provide technical support to students and staff
- Weekly instruction in art and music, STEAM, library, literacy, and PE
- Weekly Gifted and Talented class for identified students
- Student Technology Leadership Program (STLP) with students who have competed in state-level competitions for the past several years

- Enhances arts and humanities instruction by collaborating with Disney, StageOne Family Theatre, Louisville Orchestra, Kentucky Opera, Louisville Ballet, and Kentucky Shakespeare
- Extracurricular activities: Academic Team, Student Leadership Team, basketball, Men of Quality, GIFTED GIRLS, cheerleading, chess, Safety Patrol, Girls on the Run, band, orchestra, soccer, and Disney Play
- Recognizes student achievements through quarterly town halls



Okolona Elementary

Student Enrollment: 418 Phone: (502) 485-8309

Address: 7606 Preston Highway, Louisville, KY 40219 Web: jefferson.kyschools.us/schools/profiles/okolona

The mission of Okolona Elementary is to value each student as a unique learner and to provide engaging learning opportunities within a safe and caring environment. Our vision is that all Okolona students will develop socially, emotionally, and academically through authentic learning experiences in order to become productive members of society. Okolona Elementary became a Leader in Me school in 2019 and gained Lighthouse Certification in 2022. This leadership model assists in integrating a culture of character and leadership into our students, staff, and community.

School Highlights

- Uses an approach to leadership development that focuses on identifying and nurturing each student's strengths so that every student's strengths and abilities can be developed to help them become effective leaders in their own right
- Provides a caring, nurturing environment with a wide range of educational and extracurricular opportunities and a variety of programs: Student Technology Leadership Program (STLP), Future Problem Solving, Robotics Club, Quick Recall, Chess Club, Academic Team, 4-H, Sport Stacking Club, Kaleidoscope Camp, Safety Patrol, Boy and

- Girl Scouts, Girls on the Run, Leader of the Month, Spelling Bee, and many others
- Uses an all-hands-on-deck approach to meet the diverse needs of every student
- Offers leadership opportunities in the classroom as well as schoolwide
- Provides extra support for students through small focus groups in math and reading and Extended School Services (ESS)
- Student activities: Chess club, Academic Team, 4-H, Sport Stacking Club, Kaleidoscope Camp, Safety Patrol, Boy and Girl Scouts, Girls on the Run, Leader of the Month, Spelling Bee, and other afterschool programs sponsored by the staff members and the Family Resource Center (FRC)
- Weekly visual and performing arts (art and music), physical education (PE), library, and Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (STEM) Science Lab
- Offers an increased exposure to the arts through a 5x5 Fund for the Arts Grant, which allows the school to host artists-in-residence and visiting artists



Rangeland Elementary

Student Enrollment: 552 **Phone:** (502) 485-8317

Address: 1701 Rangeland Road, Louisville, KY 40219 Web: jefferson.kyschools.us/schools/profiles/rangeland

We are STARR scholars! We are committed to S— Self-Control, T—Teamwork, A—Accountability, R— Resilience, and R—Respect! We are STARR scholars, all day, every day!

- Student-designed classrooms of innovations with flexible seating options for students
- Incorporates personalized learning that promotes voice, choice, and pacing for students using standard-aligned instruction and providing all students with a viable curriculum
- Academics and curriculum: Exceptional Child Education (ECE), math and reading interventions, EL Reading, Illustrative Mathematics, writing, social studies, and science incorporated through reading and math classes

- Student-led conferences that allow students to share with their parents their accomplishments, areas of growth, and goals
- Student activities: Quick Recall and Problem Solving Teams, Student Technology Leadership Program (STLP), robotics, Extended School Services (ESS), band, orchestra, basketball, track, volleyball, soccer, tennis, cheerleading, and Art Club
- Character Strong curriculum used to develop strong social and emotional leaders



Slaughter Elementary

Student Enrollment: 464 Phone: (502) 485-8328

Address: 3805 Fern Valley Road, Louisville, KY 40219 Web: jefferson.kyschools.us/schools/profiles/slaughter

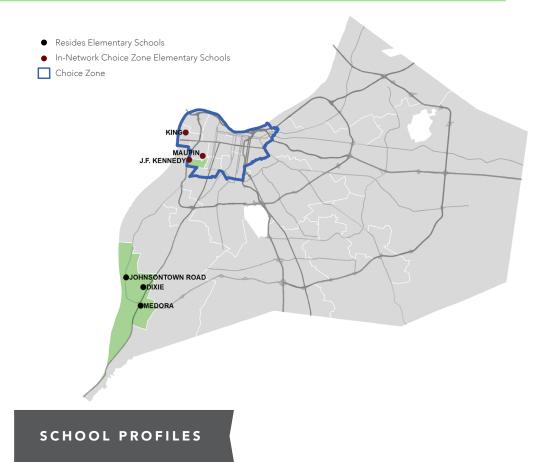
Slaughter Elementary offers everything your student needs to become a star student. Our innovative programs and range of extracurricular activities motivate your student to build skills, discover new interests, and develop talents. Our teachers strive to ensure that every student masters all core subjects in order to build a strong foundation of basic knowledge.

- Project-Based Learning (PBL) opportunities
- Provides student leadership opportunities, including Student Council, Student Technology Leadership Program (STLP), Academic Team, and Robotics Team
- Student activities: Band, orchestra, cross-country, basketball, cheerleading, soccer, tennis, volleyball, chess, Girls on the Run, Men of Honor, and Girls of GEMs (Girls Excelling in Math and Science)

- Hands-on science education through outdoor gardens, wetlands, an inquiry-based science lab, and a deeper learning lab with Project Lead The Way (PLTW) kits
- Award-winning Positive Behavioral Interventions and Supports (PBIS) and Restorative Practice (RP) school
- Offers the Slaughter 21FUN CLUB, a before- and after-school program for grades two through five that provides a broad array of enrichment activities and extra assistance with core academic subjects, such as reading and math
 - —Meets after school Monday through Thursday and before school Tuesday and Wednesday
 - —Includes extra academic support; students referred based on academic progress
 - —Offers adult family members access to educational opportunities through the program too



Valley Zone





Dixie Elementary

Student Enrollment: 342 Phone: (502) 485-8238

Address: 10201 Casalanda Drive, Louisville, KY 40272 Web: jefferson.kyschools.us/schools/profiles/dixie

We are a professional learning community dedicated to improving the skills and knowledge of educators through collaborative study, expertise exchange, and professional dialogue as well as improving the educational aspirations, achievement, and attainment of students through stronger leadership and teaching.

- Intentional small-group instruction for reading and math, Primary Talent Pool, Advance Program, Extended School Services (ESS), Lexia Core 5, and EL Education and Illustrative Mathematics (IM)
- Health Promotion School of Excellence (HPSE)
- Excellent Family Resource Center (FRC)

- Student Technology Leadership Program (STLP), band, basketball, cheerleading, volleyball, crosscountry, student advisory council, Men of Quality and Man to Man (M2M) mentoring programs, and Dixie Student Ambassador Program
- Multiple reward initiatives/programs centered on citizenship, leadership, and attendance, such as Student of the Week for each classroom and ClassDojo rewards
- Dixie Gatherings offered monthly to reward students for attendance, behavior, and academics
- Daily exposure to Character Strong socialemotional learning program
- Recognized as an Energy Bus school, which supports social-emotional learning through the positive promotion of a growth mindset as it applies to both school and life



Johnsontown Road Elementary

Student Enrollment: 416 Phone: (502) 485-8278

Address: 7201 Johnsontown Road, Louisville, KY 40272

Web: jefferson.kyschools.us/schools/profiles/johnsontown-road

Johnsontown Road Elementary students are proficient learners who are able to make decisions based on reason, compassion, and understanding.

School Highlights

- Offers scholastic program for Primary Talent Pool and advanced learners as well as interventions and supports for all levels of ability
- Leadership opportunities, including National Elementary Honor Society, Student Council, Safety Patrol, and community-service projects
- Extracurricular activities: Academic Team (Quick Recall and Future Problem Solving), band, orchestra, basketball, cheerleading, volleyball, soccer, cross-country, drama club, choir, and enrichment clubs

- Health Promotion School of Excellence (HPSE)
- Rates high in parent satisfaction on Teaching, Empowering, Leading, and Learning (TELL) survey
- VEX Robotics Program and Choose Love Social/ Emotional Learning Program
- Partners with neighbor Dynacraft Company for Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (STEM)
- Parent Teacher Association (PTA)-sponsored
- Provides weekly Blessings in a Backpack to families in need



J.F. Kennedy Elementary

Student Enrollment: 478 Phone: (502) 485-8280

Address: 3800 Gibson Lane, Louisville, KY 40211

Web: jefferson.kyschools.us/schools/profiles/kennedy-montessori

Our mission is to educate the whole child by providing authentic learning opportunities to prepare our students to be global citizens. This work really begins the moment your student enters this world. You are your student's first teacher, and you play a vital role in their success. We welcome you as a critical partner with us in the education of your student.

- Offers Primary Talent Pool, Advance Program, and Extended School Services (ESS) and implements research-based reading and math programs to provide quality and rigorous instruction
- Full-time school nurse, Family Resource Center (FRC) coordinator, and mental health practitioner
- Fresh fruit and vegetable grant and Health Promotion School of Excellence (HPSE)
- Offers weekly library, physical education (PE), music, and art

- Restorative Practices (RP) and Positive Behavioral Interventions and Supports (PBIS), Leader in Me, and Olweus Bullying Prevention Initiative
- Child Enrichment Program (CEP) site through YMCA
- Parent Teacher Association (PTA)
- Student activities/clubs: Band, cheerleading, soccer, basketball, choir, Safety Patrol, Gifted Girls, track, Student Council, Quick Recall, Gentlemen Cub's Program, and Kindness Crew
- Clubs: Primary—Coding Creators and Intermediate—Science, Technology, Engineering, the Arts, and Mathematics (STEAM) Inventors



Medora Elementary

Student Enrollment: 476 Phone: (502) 485-8298

Address: 11801 Deering Road, Louisville, KY 40272 Web: jefferson.kyschools.us/schools/profiles/medora

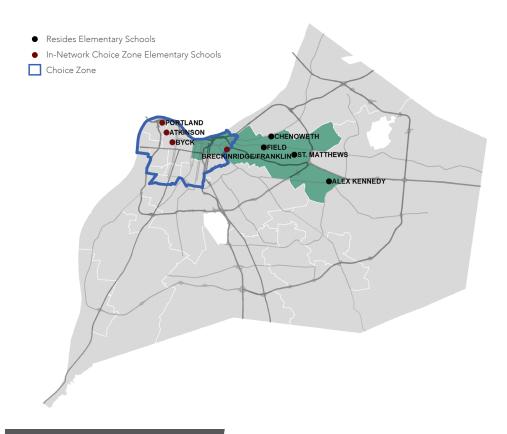
At Medora Elementary, we strive to achieve a nurturing environment that promotes health and wellness, social competence, and academic achievement for every student. We provide a safe and nurturing environment, recognize academic and social growth, and prepare each student for the next level of learning. Medora monitors each student's performance daily and implements research-based practices. It is our goal to teach the way students learn. Through partnerships with staff, parents, and the community, we will ensure that each student reaches their highest potential.

- **School Highlights**
- Leader in Me school focused on creating caring classroom communities and cultivating leadership skills in all of our students
- Primary Talent Pool and Gifted and Talented Program
- Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (STEM) Lab and Google-certified
- Special areas: STEM Lab, physical education (PE), arts and humanities, and library

- Student activities: Basketball, volleyball, crosscountry, soccer, cheerleading, Student Technology Leadership Program (STLP), Safety Patrol, band, orchestra, Turkey Trot, Field Day, Talent Show, Career Day, Color Run, Science Night, and Math/ Literacy Night
- Award-winning Parent Teacher Association (PTA)
- Full-time mental health practitioner



Waggener Zone



SCHOOL PROFILES



Breckinridge-Franklin Elementary

Student Enrollment: 384 **Phone:** (502) 485-8215

Address: 1351 Payne Street, Louisville, KY 40206

Web: jefferson.kyschools.us/schools/profiles/breckinridge-franklin

In order to develop lifelong learners, our community at Breckinridge-Franklin Elementary School (BFES) will cultivate a compassionate learning environment that sparks curiosity and promotes perseverance in every student. Breckinridge-Franklin uses a rigorous English/Language Arts (ELA) (Expeditionary Learning) and math (Illustrative Mathematics) curriculum that challenges and engages students to meet the depth of the Kentucky Academic Standards (KAS).

- Participates in small class size program
- Two-acre campus with outdoor play space and new playground equipment

- Offers related arts classes each week in art, music, library media and technology, physical education (PE), and communications
- Offers every student an LTE-enabled Chromebook to use during their tenure at BFES
- Student activities: Basketball, cheerleading, band, volleyball, Girls on the Run, Environmental Club, Quick Recall, and Future Problem Solvers (which has won several Mayor's Cup competitions)

Chenoweth Elementary



Student Enrollment: 597 Phone: (502) 485-8227

Address: 3622 Brownsboro Road, Louisville, KY 40207 **Web:** jefferson.kyschools.us/schools/profiles/chenoweth

At Chenoweth Elementary, we envision our school to be a safe, secure place where all students can reach their full potential. We ask our Chargers to be safe, be kind, and be respectful and responsible every day. We live by our school pledge, which states, "I am a responsible member of the Chenoweth Family. I'll be the best person I can be. I'll help you, and you'll help me."

School Highlights

- Special areas: Art, physical education (PE), library, music, and world language
- Award-winning and newly renovated outdoor classroom
- A focus on meeting individual student needs:
 Family Resource and Youth Services Center (FRYSC),
 Extended School Services (ESS), and full-time Gifted and Talented interventionist
- Extracurricular activities: Academic teams, band, orchestra, Safety Patrol, athletics, Jump Rope for

Heart, Student Technology Leadership Program (STLP), Environmental Club, and various clubs based on student interests (e.g., Kindness Club, Comic Club, League of Logic, Ukulele Club, Books and Beats, and Run Club)

- Positive Behavioral Interventions and Supports (PBIS)
 Bronze Award, No Place for Hate School, and Leader
 In Me
- Purple Star Award for programming to support our military-connected youth
- Social Emotional Learning (SEL), including monthly counseling core instruction, monthly schoolwide morning meetings, daily class meetings with focus on community, full-time mental health practitioner and two counselors, and the use of Character Strong and Leader in Me
- Strong family engagement and partnership with the Parent Teacher Association (PTA), monthly collaborative PTA meetings, family nights, garden parties, showcases of learning, dances, and more



Field Elementary

Student Enrollment: 463 **Phone:** (502) 485-8252

Address: 120 Sacred Heart Lane, Louisville, KY 40206 **Web:** jefferson.kyschools.us/schools/profiles/field

The mission of Field Elementary is to ensure learning for all students through a community of support. We work collaboratively using a guaranteed, viable, and relevant curriculum to ensure that all students will be proficient and well-rounded and have a thirst for learning in a safe and protective environment.

- Recognized for academic excellence as a No Child Left Behind (NCLB) Blue Ribbon School and a Model Professional Learning School
- Provides distinguished teaching through daily enrichment and intervention programs for students, including What I Need (WIN), Primary Talent Pool, and Gifted and Talented Programs
- Provides student leadership opportunities through the Student Technology Leadership Program (STLP), Beta Club, and community-based service projects
- Support from Parent Teacher Association (PTA), Crescent Hill businesses, and various community organizations

- Mandarin Chinese classes; musical theatre; Science, Technology, Engineering, the Arts, and Mathematics (STEAM) with 3D printing; library media; and physical education (PE)
- Monthly collaborations with the PTA and Family Resource Center (FRC) to plan family nights, including Fall Festival, Field Trek, Ugly Sweater Dance, STEAM Night, Comic Con, Family Health Night, Chinese New Year, Trunk-N-Eat, and an annual musical theatre performance
- Extracurricular activities: 3D printing, Quick Recall, Problem Solving, Academic Teams, STLP, 24-hour film festival, LEGO We Do, Chinese Club, Kicks Soccer Academy, chess, Morning Magic Club, Drama Club, band, orchestra, robotics, and an annual musical theatre performance
- Sports teams: Basketball, soccer, cross-country, floor hockey, and basketball



Alex R. Kennedy Elementary

Student Enrollment: 394 **Phone:** (502) 485-6950

Address: 4515 Taylorsville Road, Louisville, KY 40220

Web: jefferson.kyschools.us/schools/profiles/alex-r-kennedy

"Every Child Matters" reflects our mission to provide an educational foundation and environment that foster positive self-esteem and support learning to help our students become productive, responsible, and caring members of society. We strive daily to create a school environment that enhances self-esteem, increases student achievement, and promotes joy in learning. Our rigorous literacy curriculum and inquiry-based math and science programs will maximize learning for greater academic success.

School Highlights

- Biweekly Science, Technology, Engineering, the Arts, and Mathematics (STEAM) instruction in a collaborative setting between the lab and classroom educators
- Friday electives in STEAM, art, physical education (PE), and library
- Participates in the 5x5 Fund for the Arts Grant in collaboration with StageOne Family Theatre, University of Louisville (UofL) Repertory Company, Kentucky Shakespeare, and the Louisville Orchestra



St. Matthews Elementary

Student Enrollment: 598 **Phone:** (502) 485-8321

Address: 601 Browns Lane, Louisville, KY 40207

Web: jefferson.kyschools.us/schools/profiles/st-matthews

At St. Matthews Elementary, we are committed to empowering the learning and character of our students. We believe that every person matters and every moment counts. Our mission is for students to leave St. Matthews Elementary as compassionate and courageous lifelong learners with a diverse knowledge and a vision for their future.

- Nationally recognized School of Character (2020)
- Provides art; music; Spanish; Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (STEM); and a robust Advance Program/Gifted and Talented Program

- Offers every student the opportunity to participate in a class musical
- Named a Parent Involvement School of Excellence by the National Parent Teacher Association (PTA)
- Student activities: Academic Team, band, basketball, cheerleading, orchestra, cross-country, track, Student Technology Leadership Program (STLP), Safety Patrol, chess club, robotics, art club, and community-based service-learning projects
- Award-winning Character Education Program with a House System

Magnet Schools

Fast Facts



Application required

What magnet schools are in the district?

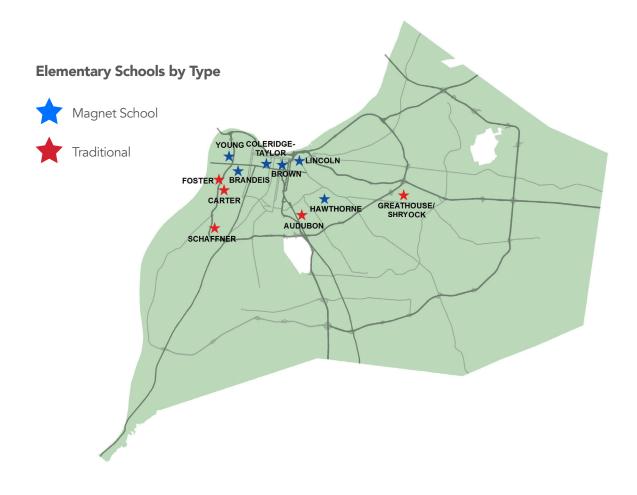
There are 11 districtwide elementary magnet schools. These schools accept students from across the district and do not fall within a zone.

- Brandeis Elementary offers the Science, Technology, Engineering, the Arts, and Mathematics (STEAM) Magnet, engaging students in projectbased learning opportunities.
- J. Graham Brown School is a Self-Directed Learning school, encouraging reasoned minds and educated hearts through independence, empathy, innovation, and advocacy.
- Coleridge-Taylor Montessori **Elementary** offers the Montessori Program. This self-directed learning fosters rigorous, self-motivated growth in all areas of development.
- Hawthorne Elementary is the only Spanish Immersion Magnet in JCPS. Every student who comes to Hawthorne will experience a Spanish Immersion learning environment in all grades.
- Lincoln Elementary Performing Arts School (LPAS) is Kentucky's only public elementary magnet school focused on the performing arts.

• Whitney Young Elementary is an International Baccalaureate (IB) school that encourages students to become thinkers and inquirers through the comprehensive and globally recognized IB Primary Years Programme (PYP).

JCPS also has five boundary-based magnet elementary schools, Audubon, Carter, Foster, Greathouse/Shryock, and **Schaffner**, offering the Traditional Program as their magnet. Eligibility is dependent on your student's home address. The Traditional Program provides a highly structured, back-to-basics learning environment with the following:

- High academic standards, proper conduct, citizenship, and development of self-discipline
- Nightly homework and strict adherence to school rules (including dress codes)
- Opportunities for students to build basic knowledge and gain high competence in fundamental skills



SCHOOL PROFILES



Audubon Traditional Elementary

Student Enrollment: 610 Phone: (502) 485-8205

Address: 1051 Hess Lane, Louisville, KY 40217

Web: jefferson.kyschools.us/schools/profiles/audubon

Audubon Traditional provides a challenging academic program in a structured, self-disciplined environment that promotes traditional values, high expectations, and data-driven instruction. Our reading and math instruction are standards-based, research-based, and integrated with technology.

- Active Parent Teacher Association (PTA) that donates many hours of service and purchases educational materials
- Family Resource Center (FRC) tasked with helping students and families overcome nonacademic learning barriers

- Fosters community involvement through such organizations as Junior Achievement (JA), Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts, Cultural Arts Assemblies/ Programs, and more
- Curriculum offerings: Art and music, band and orchestra, computer lab, library, chorus, physical education (PE)/health, and science lab
- Extracurricular activities: American Sign Language (ASL), archery, Art Club, basketball, Beta Club, cheerleading, chorus, cross-country, Drama Club, field hockey, Gardening Club, Health Promotion Schools of Excellence (HSPE), Student Council, and Yoga Club

Brandeis Elementary

Student Enrollment: 425 Phone: (502) 485-8214

Address: 2817 W. Kentucky Street, Louisville, KY 40211 Web: jefferson.kyschools.us/schools/profiles/brandeis

Welcome to Brandeis Elementary, the STEAM School! At Brandeis, perseverance defines who we are as a community of learners! As a school community, it is our unwavering commitment to deliver top-notch, challenging instruction within a nurturing environment, ensuring that every student thrives academically, socially, and creatively. We have cultivated a dynamic atmosphere where academic success, social advancement, and innovative thinking flourish. At Brandeis Elementary, we don't just educate; we empower students to conquer challenges, embrace curiosity, and excel in every facet of life.

School Highlights

- Districtwide magnet school where students are selected by random draw
- · Classrooms that integrate Science, Technology, Engineering, the Arts, and Mathematics (STEAM) with an interactive twist, complemented by a state-of-theart Innovation Lab

- Students who take charge of their learning journey, honing problem-solving skills and critical thinking
- A dedicated Sensory Lab that aids emotional exploration and supports social and emotional development
- Project-Based Learning (PBL) that immerses students in real-world scenarios, augmented by enriching before- and after-school programs
- Curriculum that includes student rotations to the following special area classes: Art, music, world language, and STEAM Lab
- Extracurricular activities: Basketball, track, soccer, debate, Fusal, Quick Recall, drama, LEGO Robotics, Girls on the Run, Chess, Student Technology Leadership Program (STLP), and so much more



J. Graham Brown School

Student Enrollment: 292 (K-5)

Phone: (502) 485-8216

Address: 546 S. First Street, Louisville, KY 40202 Web: jefferson.kyschools.us/schools/profiles/brown

The J. Graham Brown School, the original magnet school, is a districtwide magnet school for students who thrive in a Self-Directed Learning environment. Our mission is to foster independence, cultivate empathy, ignite innovation, and inspire advocacy within a culturally responsive learning environment. J. Graham Brown School students have the "reasoned minds and educated hearts" of self-directed, lifelong learners.

- Districtwide Self-Directed Learning Magnet School serving kindergarten through grade-twelve students
- Provides an academic program that cultivates critical, open-minded, and creative thinkers who are willing to take risks and are eager for new knowledge
- Offers a learning environment that develops compassionate, tolerant, and respectful human beings who value cultural diversity and contribute to the community
- Grade-level academic performance and ageappropriate social skills that are expected for success in this informal educational setting

- Student voice, problem solving, and advocacy through Project-Based Learning (PBL)
- Student goal setting and self-monitoring of progress through student-led conferences
- Access to a variety of walking field trips throughout downtown—museums, parks, and more
- Extracurricular Activities
 - -Sports: Soccer, cross-country, basketball, cheerleading, and volleyball
 - —Academic competitions: Quick Recall, Written Assessments, Future Problem Solving, robotics team, and Student Technology Leadership Program (STLP)
 - —**Clubs:** Beta Club, Drama (including an annual schoolwide play), and Not Your Stereotypical Kids
 - —Parent Teacher Student Association (PTSA) After-School Enrichment Program



Carter Traditional Elementary

Student Enrollment: 490 Phone: (502) 485-8225

Address: 3600 Bohne Avenue, Louisville, KY 40211 Web: jefferson.kyschools.us/schools/profiles/carter

Jessie R. Carter Traditional Elementary has served students in its predominantly African-American community since 1922. Our mission is to embrace the whole child by providing rigorous academics in a structured, safe environment while promoting self-discipline, character development, and service leadership. We pride ourselves in high accountability for academic achievement, behavior, and parental involvement. We provide standards- and researchbased content, data-driven instruction integrated with technology, and ongoing opportunities for kindness, laughter, friendship, and fun!

School Highlights

- Active Parent Teacher Association (PTA) with many volunteer opportunities
- Full-time Family Resource Center (FRC) coordinator and full-time mental health practitioner tasked with helping students and families overcome nonacademic barriers to learning
- Strict adherence to school rules, including dress
- Extracurricular activities and clubs: Basketball. cheerleading, dance/step team, cross-country, soccer, band, orchestra, Men of Quality, Girls on the Run, Art Club, Extended School Services (ESS), and quarterly Family Engagement Nights



Coleridge-Taylor Montessori Elementary

Student Enrollment: 334 **Phone:** (502) 485-8232

Address: 1115 W. Chestnut Street, Louisville, KY 40203

Web: jefferson.kyschools.us/schools/profiles/coleridge-taylor

Coleridge-Taylor Montessori Elementary has an educational setting that offers instruction rooted in the Montessori Method and social justice. Students are taught using scientifically designed Montessori materials to match individual learning levels. We provide our students with as many community and cultural experiences as possible and relate learning activities to real-world situations so that all students grow, reach their potential, and succeed.

- Montessori approach to education
- Provides hands-on and experiential learning that is accelerated or individually paced for optimum educational success
- Tuition-based Montessori Program for 3- and 4-year-olds
- Provides many special area opportunities to experience the arts, including band, physical education (PE), music, visual art, and Science, Technology, Reading, Engineering, the Arts, and Mathematics (STREAM)

- Offers Intermediate students trips to local and regional destinations, such as Pine Mountain, Kentucky
- Additional instructional assistants supporting Montessori co-teaching
- Student activities: Science Club, Chess Club, basketball team, Step/Dance, soccer, Student Technology Leadership Program (STLP), Student Voice Team, Student Ambassadors, Academic Team, robotics, Student Garden, Clucker's Club (student-raised chicken husbandry), and Writing Club



Foster Traditional Academy

Student Enrollment: 336 Phone: (502) 485-8253

Address: 1401 S. 41st Street, Louisville, KY 40211 Web: jefferson.kyschools.us/schools/profiles/foster

We are Foster! Our mission is "Touch the Heart, Teach the Mind."Foster strives to ensure that all students succeed academically, socially, and emotionally. Together, we will equip students with the skills necessary to lead successful and productive lives, ensuring that they are prepared for college and/or the career of their choice.

School Highlights

- Traditional Magnet Program that puts students on track to attend a Traditional Magnet middle school
- Uses a uniform policy

- Student activities: Student Technology Leadership Program (STLP), drama, basketball, cheerleading, dance, orchestra, choir, and Extended School Services (ESS)
- **Special area classes, including:** Physical education (PE), art, music, and library as well as Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (STEM) Lab (five different special area classes each week for students)
- Beautiful facilities on 40-acre campus



Greathouse/Shryock Traditional Elementary

Student Enrollment: 588 Phone: (502) 485-8259

Address: 2700 Browns Lane, Louisville, KY 40220

Web: jefferson.kyschools.us/schools/profiles/greathouse-shryock

At Greathouse/Shryock Traditional Elementary, the teachers and staff will provide a student-centered and rigorous academic curriculum in a highly structured learning environment that is essential for developing college and career readiness. The staff will contribute to a student's growth by emphasizing high academic standards and responsible conduct. The focus is placed on the core subjects with an emphasis on developing complex thinkers who are self-directed learners and problem solvers striving for individual excellence and reaching their fullest potential in academics, character, citizenship, and leadership.

- Districtwide Traditional Magnet Program with a long history of academic excellence
- Highly structured, orderly environment emphasizing high academic standards and responsible conduct

- Extracurricular activities: Academic Team, basketball, chess club, Chinese club, cross-country, Gifted Girls, LEGO club, musical theatre, NASA club, Problem Solving Team, Quick Recall, video club, soccer, Student Technology Leadership Program (STLP), and WAGS
- Strong partnership agreement between student, parent, and school
- Part-time Family Resource Center (FRC) coordinator to help students and families with nonacademic learning barriers
- Full-time mental health practitioner
- Active Parent Teacher Association (PTA) with many volunteer opportunities
- Special areas: Art, band, library, music, orchestra, and physical education (PE)/health



Hawthorne Elementary

Student Enrollment: 412 Phone: (502) 485-8263

Address: 2301 Clarendon Avenue, Louisville, KY 40205 Web: jefferson.kyschools.us/schools/profiles/hawthorne

We do it in Spanish too! At Hawthorne Elementary, it is our vision that every student will develop into a globally and culturally competent learner. Our mission is that we will cultivate learning experiences in a Spanish Immersion environment that will prepare our students to be biliterate, bicultural, and bilingual. We ensure this success with high levels of learning, recognizing and valuing differences in our classrooms through a multicultural educational experience, and partnering with families and the community.

School Highlights

• The only Spanish Immersion Magnet in JCPS where students develop language proficiency in reading, writing, listening, and speaking in both English and Spanish

- Pathway to Seal of Biliteracy offered
- Family Resource Center (FRC) coordinator and mental health practitioner
- A variety of extracurricular activities engaging kindergarten through grade-five students in crosscurricular topics
- Strong focus on family and community engagement
- Adopted Compassionate Schools Project (CSP) and recognized as 2019 Most Welcoming School by Louisville Metro Government



Lincoln Elementary Performing Arts School

Student Enrollment: 560 Phone: (502) 485-8291

Address: 930 E. Main Street, Louisville, KY 40206 Web: jefferson.kyschools.us/schools/profiles/lincoln

As Kentucky's first public elementary performing arts school. Lincoln commits to educating the whole child through a rigorous, arts-infused curriculum to best prepare students for future success. In addition to quality instruction in math, reading, social studies, writing, and science, students engage in a variety of arts instruction, including vocal, instrumental music, dance, drama, band, orchestra, piano, and visual arts. The arts are also integrated into lessons across various content areas, and students, families, and the school commit to students' being active participants in the arts!

- Districtwide magnet school
- A 40,000-square-foot performing arts wing that includes a 200-seat black box theater, two dance studios, a drama room, a piano lab, vocal and instrumental rooms, and a visual arts room

- Community partnerships with leading arts groups that allow students to experience professional performances in school and at outside venues, such as the Kentucky Center for the Arts
- After-school instruction provided by professional instructors from several organizations, including the Louisville Ballet, Louisville Orchestra, and StageOne Family Theatre
- Clubs and sports activities in addition to the arts programming





Schaffner Traditional Elementary

Student Enrollment: 580 Phone: (502) 485-8217

Address: 2701 Crums Lane, Louisville, KY 40216

Web: jefferson.kyschools.us/schools/profiles/schaffner

We will provide a comprehensive approach to teaching the whole child through physical, social, emotional, and intellectual work. This will be achieved within a highly structured school environment where high expectations are a daily requirement. To be consistent with the JCPS core values of instruction, we will use manipulatives and engage students in hands-on activities through small-group instruction while facilitating many student-directed structured learning activities. We also concentrate on many foundational pillars of fundamental concepts and standards in rich and rigorous methods of teaching and learning.

School Highlights

- Blue Ribbon School of Excellence
- Rigorous intervention and enrichment opportunities
- Offering many after-school club and team opportunities
- Highly structured learning environments
- Self-discipline expected
- Expectation of strong parental involvement
- Three intervention teachers



Whitney Young Elementary

Student Enrollment: 105 Phone: (502) 485-8354

Address: 1107 S.17th Street, Louisville, KY 40210

Web: jefferson.kyschools.us/schools/profiles/young-elementary

Whitney Young Elementary is an International Baccalaureate (IB) World School. The IB Primary Years Programme (PYP) for children ages 3 through 12 nurtures and develops young students as caring, active participants in a lifelong learning journey. Our PYP empowers school-aged students to take ownership of their learning and helps them develop future-ready skills to make a difference and thrive in a world that changes fast. For more information, visit www.ibo.org. Students have the opportunity to continue their IB education at the district's other IB Magnet Schools, Highland Middle and Atherton High.

- First primary IB World School in Kentucky established in 2010
- Kentucky's only public IB World elementary school
- Offers all students the opportunity to study French, participate in Global Game Changers, and have a specialized IB curriculum
- Full-time Family Resource Center (FRC) and mental health consultant
- Offers students the opportunity to participate in the Global Game Changers (GGC) after-school and summer programs with no cost to families



www.ibo.org



Global Game Changers

Magnet Programs

Fast Facts



Application required

Magnet programs have a specific theme and focus or provide a specialized learning environment.

- All students applying for elementary magnet programs during the application period will be included in a lottery for admission. No additional selection criteria or materials are required for elementary magnet program admission. If you're not initially accepted at one of the schools you've listed, you will be notified in the spring of your place on the waiting list.
- Siblings of current or former magnet program students do not receive preference in the application process. However, applications for siblings who share the same birth date (twins, triplets, etc.) who are applying to a program will be treated as one application. Parents/Guardians must still submit separate applications for each student.

SCHOOL PROFILES

MicroSociety

Indian Trail: Seneca, Southern, and Moore Zones

The MicroSociety Program encourages students to become responsible, caring, and productive citizens in a community of their own design. A rigorous academic curriculum aligned with Kentucky Academic Standards (KAS) connects learning to the real world, making each student's education relevant. Student entrepreneurs produce goods and services, elected officials establish laws, judges arbitrate disputes, and reporters track down stories. MicroSociety students are empowered with next-generation skills that are essential to their future, including communication, critical thinking, creativity, initiative, and innovation.

Talent Development

Byck: Districtwide

The Talent Development Program is based on the principles of active learning, multiple intelligences, arts in education, integrated themes, project-based learning, and student choice. Through a combination of an arts-infused curriculum and rigorous academic expectations, students develop academic, artistic, and creative talents. Gifted and Talented services are provided along with differentiated instruction for all Advance Program students.



Services for Multilingual **Students**

The Office of Multilingual Learners (OML) Welcome Center, located at 1325 Bluegrass Avenue, is where international or multilingual families can receive guidance on how to access educational services within JCPS. The office also offers language services and facilitates communication between families and schools to help maintain a strong connection in the educational process. Families can reach this office by calling (502) 485-3623

Please note:

Every school in the JCPS District offers English Development Programming for students who qualify for Multilingual Learner (ML) programming.

Services for Students With **Educational Disabilities**

Exceptional Child Education (ECE) services are available for students with disabilities under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA) and Kentucky Administrative Regulations (KARs). The ECE student receives specially designed instruction in the Least Restrictive Environment (LRE) closest to their home as determined by the Admissions and Release Committee (ARC) to meet the student's needs described in their Individual Education Program (IEP).

FAQs





Q: How do I register and apply to schools?

A: For more information on how to register and apply, see pages 6-7.

Q: What does School Choice mean?

A: JCPS offers a school choice system that lets parents apply to the school that best meets their student's needs and academic interests. (See the School Choice QR code above.) JCPS also offers students living in the Choice Zone the option to attend school close to home or far away.

Q: How many magnet choices can I submit for my student?

A: Parents may select up to two magnet choices on the application.

Q: How can I change the application to a different school or program?

A: An online application can be changed until December 20, 2024. Changes are not permitted once the application period closes.

Q: How do I find out my student's resides school?

A: Use the SchoolFinder tool on the JCPS website to find your student's school. (See the SchoolFinder QR code above.)

Q: I have applied, but my address has changed. What do I do?

A: Call the Office of School Choice at (502) 485-6250 to determine if the change of address will impact your student's application. Some schools or programs have boundaries. A change of address could mean your student, if accepted, would have a different school assignment.

Q: When and how will I find out about my student's assignment?

A: Students who apply during the application period will be notified by letter, email, or phone of the status of their application by April 2025.

Q: I missed the magnet application period. What are my options?

A: You may submit a magnet application after December 20, 2024, but the application will only be considered if the school has openings for additional students. Students may always attend a school within their zone. (See School Choice QR code.)

Q: I don't live in Jefferson County right now but will be moving there before school begins. Can I submit a magnet application for my student?

A: You may submit a magnet application in order for your student to be considered for your school choice option. Students may always attend a school within their zone. You must provide proof of residence in Jefferson County before your student can enroll in a JCPS school. Call the Office of School Choice at (502) 485-6250 for more information.

Q: I'll be moving to Jefferson County after school begins. What are the magnet options for my student?

A: Students who relocate to Jefferson County after the start of the 2025-26 school year can inquire about a magnet school option at the time of their arrival through **December 31, 2025**, but options may be limited. Students may always attend a school within their zone. Call the Office of School Choice at (502) 485-6250 for more information.

Q: Does JCPS offer before-/after-school childcare programming?

A: Yes, the Child Enrichment Program (CEP) is offered through a partnership with the YMCA. (See the CEP Program QR code.) Contact the YMCA for more information.

CEP Program

