

Administrative Offices

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Dear JCPS Parent,

You are your child's first and most important teacher. The role you play in your child's education is invaluable. The staff members of Jefferson County Public Schools (JCPS) need you as our partner to work together toward our common mission of providing a quality education to your child and to the nearly 100,000 students in the JCPS District. As a parent, you provide a unique perspective of your child to their teachers and school staff. We are grateful for that perspective, and as a partner in your child's education, we would like to offer you a glimpse into the work of our classroom teachers.

We would like to invite you to visit our schools as our staff members demonstrate their skills working within a Professional Learning Community (PLC). A PLC offers our staff the opportunity to work together as cross-content teams to focus on individual analysis of student achievement. It is a fascinating window into the classroom, the profession of teaching, and how our teachers work together to provide our students with the tools they need to be successful in the future.

We have opportunities every month, at various times throughout the day, for you to experience this glimpse into our education system. The list of schools and times is attached. You are welcome to attend as many sessions as you would like; we only ask that you call to reserve a spot. We try to keep these sessions small and intimate so that the time is spent as effectively as possible for our teaching staff, and so that you have a chance to ask questions and talk with staff about what you witness. The school principal, along with additional school leadership staff, will also be on hand for additional dialog.

We are excited to share with you a behind-the-scenes look at our fantastic schools. Please contact Veronda Hawkins at 485-3506 to reserve your spot for this one-of-a-kind enlightening experience.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Donna M. Hargens".

Donna M. Hargens, Ed.D.
Superintendent
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A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "John D. Marshall".

John D. Marshall
Chief Equity Officer
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