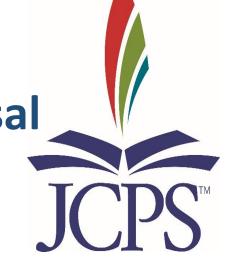
2018-19 School Allocation Proposal



Jefferson County Board of Education December 12, 2017

Principals' Budget Review Committee

- 12 elementary principals
- 6 middle school principals
- 9 high school principals
- 2 special school principals
- Dr. Marco Munoz

Facilitators

- Finance administrative team
- Dr. Florence Chang and her staff in Planning and Program Evaluation Department



Two Areas for Committee to Explore

 What are the recommendations to make school allocations more adequate and equitable?

• What are the recommendations that can improve the budget process?



Activity on School Allocation Proposal

- May 9th 16th Survey principals on School Allocation formula
- May 25th through November 9th Development of art and music proposal
- June 30th –Survey results shared with Assistant Superintendents.
- July 21st Focus group discussions with small sets of principals.
- October Review of school allocation proposal with Superintendent
- November 14th through 17th Allocation proposal shared with:
 - Chief of Academic Services
 - Assistant Superintendents
 - Principals' Budget Committee
- December 12th Allocation proposal shared with the Board of Education



Impact of School Allocation Proposal

- Notify schools of approvals in February rather than March.
- Restore funding levels to non-priority schools (3.1.2)
- All elementary school students have access to a robust music and arts education (1.1.2, 1.1.7), <u>and</u> increase special area allocation to ensure coverage of teacher planning time.
- Increase 5th day safety net from 0.5 teacher 1.0 teacher.
- Continue to exempt priority schools from negative 5th day adjustments
- Lower school tiers to accommodate smaller enrollment schools



Changes in the allocations to schools

- Art & Music Elementary School Allocation:
 - standardized along with increasing planning time for teacher.
 - based on standard of 50 minutes of art and 50 minutes of music per week for every elementary student.
- School Allocation Reductions of FY 2017-18 fully restored in 2018-19.
- Elementary Assistant Principal removed from "add-on" and included within the allocation formula for increased school decision-making
- Increase High School Assistant Principal allocation at highest enrollment tier
- Create lower tiers to accommodate schools for an appropriate level of staffing.

Cost Details of Proposal – Elementary Level

	Add	
	to schools	
ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS		
Increase Special Area Teacher	3,525,363	
Allocation to cover add'l 50 minutes		
of planning time while insuring		
allocation adequate for General		
Music and Art for each child.		
Restore Add-on Reductions	1,407,170	
Subtotal Elementary		4,932,533



Cost Details of Proposal – Middle School Level

Add to schools

MIDDLE SCHOOLS

Restore Section 6 904,950

Restore Add-on Reductions 665,220

Subtotal Middle 1,570,170



Cost Details of Proposal – High School Level

HIGH SCHOOLS

Restore Section 6	347,400
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Restore Add-on	Reductions	997,225
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Top Tier Threshold for Asst Principal 78,075 change 3.75 to 4.00.

Subtotal High

1,422,700



Breakdown of School allocation restorations

Detail of school budget restorations	Section 6	Add-ons	<u>Total</u>
ELEMENTARY	n/a	1,407,170	1,407,170
MIDDLE	904,950	665,220	1,570,170
SECONDARY	347,400	997,225	1,344,625
	1,252,350	3,069,615	4,321,965

50 minutes of planning time including Art and Music at elementary level

3,525,363

TOTAL



Next steps

- Board presented for approval revised allocation standards on January 23rd, 2018.
- Board presented for approval initial enrollment projections on January 23rd, 2018.
- Schools receive initial allocations on February 5th, 2018

