

## Jefferson County Public Schools Racial Equity Policy

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# The Purpose









### Access

Improve access for underserved students

GT, IB, AP, Employment, Magnet Schools, Out of School programs

### Diversification

Diversify all aspects of Jefferson County Public Schools

Staff, Contracts, Classroom, Employees

### Curricula/Pedagogy

Correct/Modify Curricula to be more reflective and inclusive of students of color

Create a culture of inclusion

### Training

Offer training that addresses implicit bias, anti-racism, cultural competence, restorative practice, high expectations etc.,

# **Equity Scorecard Utility**



## District Racial Equity Plan

Each district will create a Racial Equity Plan to address their (in)equities

### **Superintendent**

Accountability Reporting on Equity

Superintendent and/or designee will report to the JCBE and community about status of Equity Plan

## School level Racial Equity Plan

Each school will create a Racial Equity Plan to address their in(equities)

### **Community Taskforce**

A community taskforce will assist in district and community accountability as it relates to racial equity

## Racial Equity Monitoring

Diversity, Equity, and Poverty will assist in monitoring and developing district, city, and school level Racial Equity Plan

# Implications and Opportunities

### Deeper Learning

#### **Alignment**

The Racial Equity Policy will fortify deeper learning by assessing student gifts, student interests, and student culture(s).

### Policy Review

### **Racial Equity Tool**

By using a racial equity tool, the taskforce will be able to assess the unintended outcomes of some of the policies that may attribute to disproportionality, mistreatment, exclusion, etc.

#### **Practices**

The Racial Equity Policy calls community and staff to review of practices the improve or impede equity.

