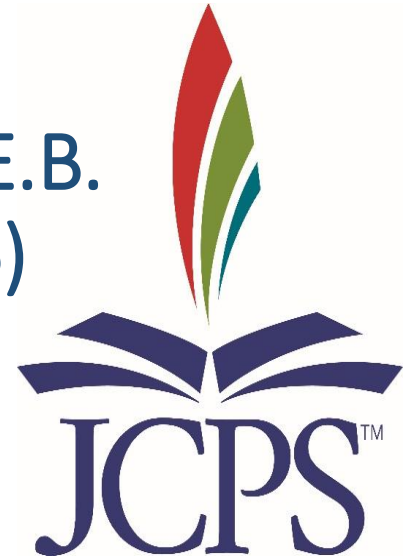


Recommendation for Approval of the W.E.B.
DuBois Academy to serve Grades Six (6)
Through Twelve (12)

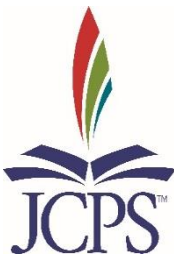


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W.E.B. DuBois History

On June 27, 2017, the Board approved the creation of a Young Males of Color Academy Program, to serve grades six (6) through eight (8). The W.E.B. Dubois Academy current structure is:

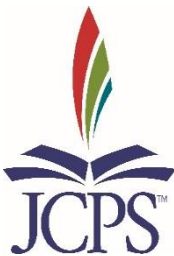
- 2018-19 sixth grade (150 students)
- 2019-20 Sixth and seventh grades (300 students)
- 2020-21 Sixth through eighth grades (450 students)



W.E.B. DuBois Proposal for Adding 9th-12th

Proposed Expansion:

- 2021-22 ninth grade (450 MS +150 students)
- 2022-23 tenth grade (450 MS+ 300 students)
- 2023-24 eleventh grade (450 MS + 450 students)
- 2024-25 twelfth grade (450 MS + 600 students)



W.E.B. DuBois Proposal for Adding 9th-12th

- Very engaged student body around the principles and values of the DuBois Brotherhood
- Highly sought after by students and families
- Strong interest in extending the grades served from the middle school grades to grades six through twelve
- Intentional inclusion of families and community partners to provide support and motivation

