Fast Facts

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DPS Mission
To equip our students to achieve success in a global society by implementing an effective and rigorous curriculum with fidelity.

Our Budget*
Operating budget (FY16) .................... $248,419,000
Per pupil expense ................................ $18,105
Beginning teacher salary ................. $38,336
Average teacher salary .................... $53,171
*General Fund

District Revenue**
Local funds .................................. 23%
State funds .................................. 67%
Federal funds ................................. 10%
**FY16

Our Schools
Number of schools ............................... 28
PK-8 schools .................................. 18
Middle schools ................................ 2
High schools .................................. 6
Special centers ................................. 2

Our Employees
Full-time employees .......................... 2,062
Part-time employees .......................... 580
Administrative staff .......................... 124
Classified staff ................................. 896
Certified employees .......................... 1,042
Teachers with advanced degrees ........ 739

Our Students
PreK .............................................. 893
K-6 .............................................. 7,086
7-8 .............................................. 1,908
9-12 ............................................ 3,905
Total ........................................... 13,792

Student Ethnicity
African American ............................. 68.0%
American Indian ............................. 0.2%
Asian .......................................... 0.5%
Caucasian .................................... 28.0%
Hispanic ...................................... 2.0%
Multi-Racial .................................. 2.0%
Hawaiian or Pacific Rim .................... 0.1%

Academic Programs
English as a Secondary Language (ESL)
Early College
Single-Gender Education
Gifted Programs
Summer Learning Institute
STEM
Visual and Performing Arts
Career Technology Education
Innovative Virtual Online Academy
Honors Courses
Neighborhood School Centers*
College Credit Plus
*Supports classroom success

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