

# PREPARING FOR YOUR RISE




Welcome  
Wednesdays  
Fall Virtual Open  
Houses

Welcome!



# Welcome!

## Housekeeping Items

-  Please mute audio
-  Please type all questions into the chat box.
-  If you lose connection or need to leave early, a follow-up email and call will be sent to all participants.





# Today's Moderators – We're Glad You're Here!

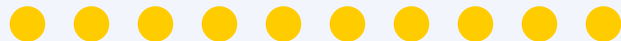
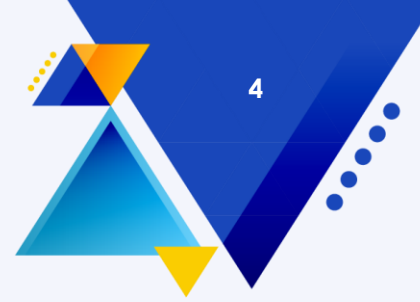


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# Today's Agenda

- ★ District Highlights
- ★ School Presentations
- ★ How to Apply and Enroll
- ★ Questions and Answers Session



# District Priorities & Highlights



## Transformative Culture

- **Parent & Volunteer Engagement – FACE!**
- Reduced Chronic Absenteeism
- Parent-Teacher Home Visits
- PTA's & School Advisory Councils



## Outstanding Achievement

- **M-STEP Assessments**
- NAEP Assessments
- K-8 Reading Growth – 58% 1 yr.
- K-8 Math Growth – 26% 1 yr.



## Whole Child Commitment

- **Cultural Passport & Partnerships**
- Resurgence of Arts & Music
- Mental Health Support & Referrals
- Meals (Online and F2F)



## Exceptional Talent

- **Highest starting teacher salary in Michigan**
- Core Vacancies- 275+ to below 20
- Added 1000+ school-based positions



## Responsible Stewardship

- **Balanced Budget & Clean Audit**
- Expanded 1:1 Technology
- 51k+ Connected Futures Devices
- Clean Water For All Schools





# Schools and Family Supports Today!



## Online Learning

- To protect students and staff, DPSCD **shifted to online learning** for Nov. and Dec, 2020
- Students **stay connected** to their school
- **Mix of live instruction** with certified teachers and **independent work time** – limits screen time



## Technology Supports

- Connected Futures  
text "HELP4CF" to (562) 372-6925 or [help4cf.org](http://help4cf.org)
- Loaner device help - 1-833-466-3978



## Health and Well-being Supports

- **Nurses at all schools (COVID testing coming to Regional Hubs Dec. 1)**
- Parent Hotline 313-240-4377
- Mental Health Hotline 1-833-466-3978
- Meal distributions at all schools



## Academic Supports

- **FACE Parent Academy Trainings – [detroitk12.org/parentacademy](http://detroitk12.org/parentacademy)**
- Homework Hotline 1-833-466-3978
- Online Learning support  
1-833-466-3978



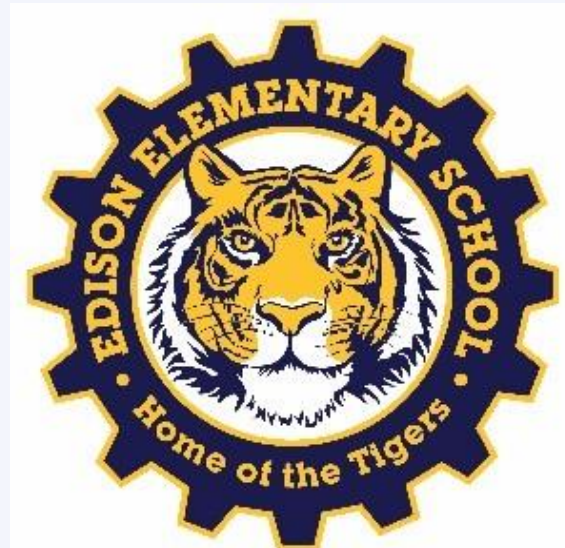
## Technology and Family Resource Hubs

- **13 locations, 10 a.m. – 6 p.m. (7 p.m. on Wednesdays)**
- Technology, academic, and health supports
- For locations, visit [detroitk12.org/hubs](http://detroitk12.org/hubs)





# Edison Elementary School



# Edison Elementary School

## *Home of the Tigers, Grades Pre-K - 5*



**Principal:** Akeya Murphy



**Email:** [akeya.myurphy@detroitk12.org](mailto:akeya.myurphy@detroitk12.org)



**Address:** 17045 Grand River, Detroit MI, 48227



**Phone:** 313-852-1066



**School Hours:** 7:30 a.m. to 2:40 p.m.



***Check out [detroitk12.org/edison](https://detroitk12.org/edison)***



# Edison Elementary School

- **School Points of Pride:** Our students have increased M-Step scores in Reading, Math, Social Studies, and Science. The average student makes over a year's worth of growth in Reading and Math. Edison is in its third year of being Model School for Reading and Math instruction in DPSCD.
- **Academic Offerings:** Traditional/Montessori Education, Spanish, Art Road, Academic Games, Physical Education, Music, Orton Gillingham, High Achievers, STARBASE ONE-STEM Education
  - **Montessori Curriculum Components: Pre-K thru 3rd**
    - Self-directed learning
    - Multi-age classrooms
    - Workstations model
- **Sports:** Cheer, Basketball
- **Extracurriculars:** National Honors Society, Edison News Team, Safety Patrol, Flagpole Squad, and Technology Squad
- **Student & Family Support Resources:** Counselor, School Facilitator, Parent Teacher Association, School Advisory Committee, F.A.C.E Representative, and Parent to Parent Program

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# Edison Elementary - Culture & Community





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# Edison Elementary School

## Why I take pride in serving as Principal at Edison Elementary

I take pride in serving as Principal at Edison because we are learning community that is devoted to our students. We are willing to go over and beyond to ensure students are successful academically, behaviorally and socio-emotionally. Our commitment to the whole child is the primary reason students leave Edison as technology savvy individuals who are prepared for Middle School and beyond.

## I invite you to join our school community!

I invite you to join our school community because we have high expectations of our students, staff and families. We embrace parental engagement, and it is expected that every child makes a year's worth of growth. How do we do this? Our teachers engages in on-going professional development to ensure our students receive a top-notch education. Our students are actively engaged in goal setting and data chats to ensure that they are self reflective and embrace a growth mind set to become world class leaders.



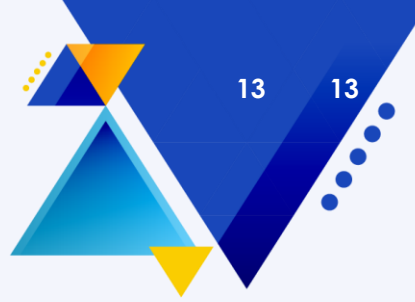
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### Join Us!

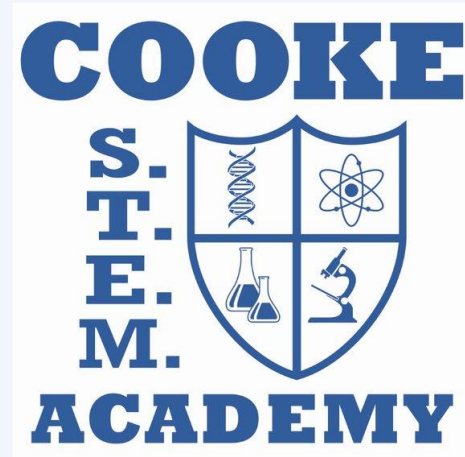
PTA Meetings are 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesdays of the Month  
Email [akeya.murphy@detroitk12.org](mailto:akeya.murphy@detroitk12.org) to join!

### Follow us!

**Twitter:** ThomasEdison\_DPSCD or @EdisonDPSCD



# Cooke S.T.E.M. Academy





# Cooke S.T.E.M. Academy

## *Grades Pre-K - 6*



**Principal:** Deanna Hunt



**Email:** [Deanna.hunt@detroitk12.org](mailto:Deanna.hunt@detroitk12.org)



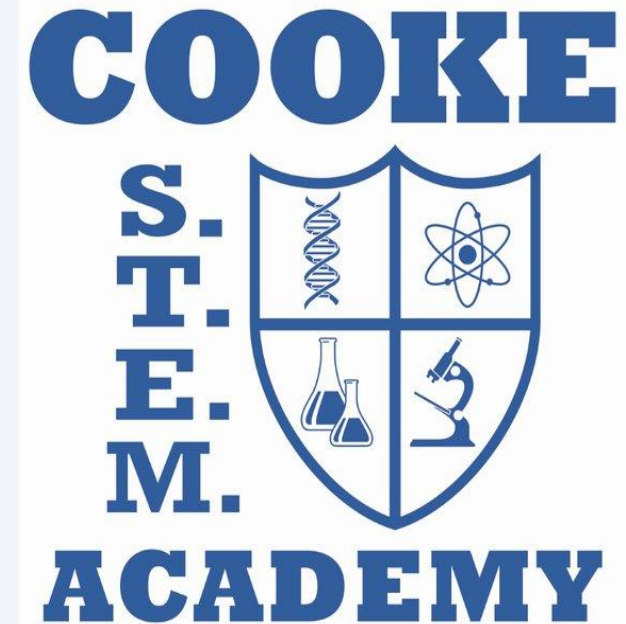
**Address:** 18800 Puritan Detroit Mi 48223



**Phone:** (313) 494-7458



**School Hours:** 7:30 am – 2:40 pm



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# Cooke S.T.E.M. Academy

## School Points of Pride:

- Brand new \$100,000 STEM Lab focused on robotics and engineering
- Junior Researchers Award at the 9th Annual DAPCEP Real McCoy Awards presented by DTE Energy
- Exceptional projects for submission to the Science and Engineering Fair of Metropolitan Detroit
- Presentations received "Gold or Grand Award" recognition in the Science and Engineering Fair of Metropolitan Detroit

**Partnerships:** TCF Bank, Cornerstone Church, Young Black Business Association

**Academic Offerings:** State of the Art STEM LAB, Coding class, Microsoft licensing, 3D Printing Certification, Monthly STEM Challenges

## **Sports:**

**Extracurriculars:** Chess Club, Robotics, PBIS Games Club



# Cooke Culture & Community



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# Cooke S.T.E.M. Academy



## Why I take pride in serving as Principal at Cooke S.T.E.M. Academy

I take pride in serving as the Principal at Cooke S.T.E.M. Academy because in addition to offering the rigorous curriculum as directed by the district, we offer specific Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics learning activities.

## I invite you to join our school community

I can guarantee a community where your child feels welcomed, wanted and is challenged academically. A principal who listens to your concerns and takes your ideas to the staff.

## Let's Stay Connected!

- *Upcoming PTA meeting – 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursdays of the Month*
- Follow up on Twitter - @cookestem and Instagram- @cookestemacademy
- *Principal Office Hours – Daily from 11:00 - noon*

***Check out [detroitk12.org/cooke](https://detroitk12.org/cooke)***





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# Foreign Language Immersion & Cultural Studies School (FLICS)





# FLICS

*Home of the Firebirds, Grades Pre-K - 8*



**Principal:** Zetia Hogan



**Email:** [zetia.hogan@detroitk12.org](mailto:zetia.hogan@detroitk12.org)



**Address:** 6501 W. Outer Drive



**Phone:** 313-651-2500



**School Hours:** 8:00 am – 3:10 pm



*Check out [detroitk12.org/flics](https://detroitk12.org/flics)*



## FLICS – School Points of Pride

*Families have the option to select from one of four full language-immersion tracks: Chinese, French, Japanese or Spanish. Our students are immersed in the rich culture of their language track with the help of our diverse staff, many of whom are native speakers.*

- **Academic Offerings:** 1:1 Technology, National Junior Honor Society, Algebra I,
- **Sports:** Basketball Cheerleading, Soccer & Track
- **Extracurriculars:** Chess club, Robotics, Dance classes, Language Clubs, and Michigan Youth & Government.
- **Student & Family Support Resources:** PTSO



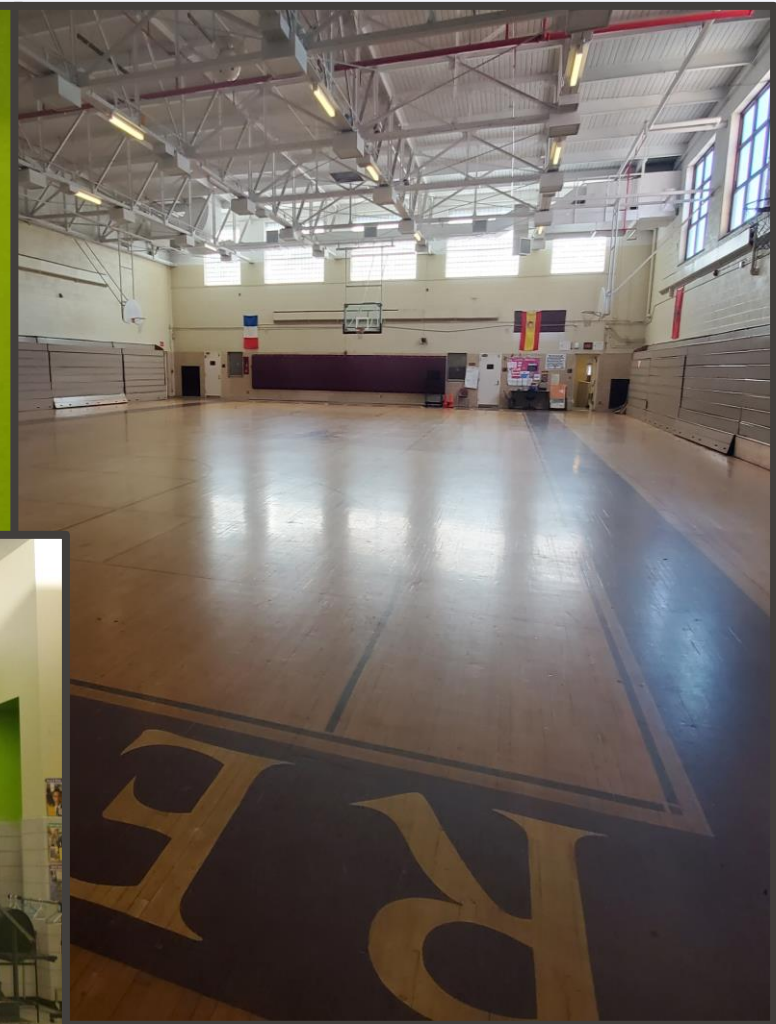
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# FLICS Culture & Community

**School Wide Expectations • Conduite générale à suivre à l'école  
がっこうのきそく • 校規 • Las Normas De La Escuela**

| Location  | Be Safe                                                                                                                   | Be Respectful                                                                                                                                | Be Responsible                                                                                                                    |
|-----------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| cafeteria | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Leave no trace of food behind</li> <li>✓ Keep hands to yourself</li> </ul>       | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Use talking voice level 2</li> <li>✓ Listen to adults</li> <li>✓ Use good manners</li> </ul>        | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Clean up after yourself</li> <li>✓ Stay seated</li> <li>✓ Sit correctly</li> </ul>       |
| フエテリア     | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ きれいに保ちます。</li> <li>✓ て、あし、じもつは他の人に当たらないように気をつけます。</li> </ul>                     | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ レベル2のこえで。</li> <li>✓ よいマナーで。</li> <li>✓ 大人のいうことをききます。</li> </ul>                                    | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ 食べたあとはきれいにかたづけします。</li> <li>✓ 自分の席を離れません。</li> <li>✓ 良いしせいですわります。</li> </ul>             |
| cafeteria | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Ne laisser pas de déchets</li> <li>✓ Eviter de toucher les autres</li> </ul>     | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Parler à voix basse de niveau 2</li> <li>✓ Écouter les adultes</li> <li>✓ Soyez courtois</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Nettoyer après vous</li> <li>✓ Rester assis</li> <li>✓ S'asseoir correctement</li> </ul> |
| cafeteria | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ No dejes comida en la mesa</li> <li>✓ Evita molestar a tus compañeros</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Nivel de voz 2</li> <li>✓ Escucha a los adultos</li> <li>✓ Usa buenos mod</li> </ul>                | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Limpia tu espacio</li> <li>✓ Pide permiso para levantarte</li> </ul>                     |
| 餐厅        | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ 勿遗留食物</li> <li>✓ 手放好残渣</li> </ul>                                                | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ 勿大声喧嘩</li> <li>✓ 听从大人指挥</li> </ul>                                                                  |                                                                                                                                   |





# FLICS Culture & Community

**A December to Remember at FLICS**

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|                                                                                                                         | <b>December 1</b><br><b>College Holiday Spirit:</b><br>Wear your College Shirt!<br>                            | <b>December 2</b><br><b>It's Beginning to Look a lot Like Christmas:</b><br>Wear your favorite Holiday Shirt<br>              | <b>December 3</b><br><b>Baby It's Cold Outside:</b><br>Wear your Favorite Winter Accessories (scarf, gloves, hat, earmuff)<br> | <b>December 4</b><br><b>Jingle Bells :</b><br>Wear Firebird Spirit Shirt and Bells!<br>           |
| <b>December 7</b><br><b>'Rockin' Around the Christmas Tree:</b><br>Rock your Holiday Shirt with your Holiday Socks!<br> | <b>December 8</b><br><b>Isn't Dreaming of a White Christmas:</b><br>Wear White!<br>                            | <b>December 9</b><br><b>Mad About Plaid:</b><br>Wear your Favorite Plaid/Flannel Shirt!<br>                                   | <b>December 10</b><br><b>Ugly Sweater Day:</b><br>Wear your Ugly Festive Sweater!<br>                                          | <b>December 11</b><br><b>Candy Cane Christmas</b><br>Wear Red and White or Dress like a candy<br> |
| <b>December 14</b><br><b>Santa Claus is Coming to Town:</b><br>Wear Red and White and Santa Hat!<br>                    | <b>December 15</b><br><b>Rudolph the Red Nose Reindeer:</b><br>Dress like Rudolph or Wear Reindeer Antlers<br> | <b>December 16</b><br><b>Shine Bright, Little Lights:</b><br>Wear Lighted Wardrobe, (tinsel, glitter, garland, necklaces)<br> | <b>December 17</b><br><b>Grinch Day:</b><br>Wear Jeans and Grinch/Green Shirt<br>                                              | <b>December 18</b><br><b>Polar Express:</b><br>Wear your Festive Pajamas!<br>                     |



The selected Scholar's work will be featured Across The District!!!

**FLICS Generosity Stories Contest**

submit an essay or poem about generosity  
 Choose one topic below to write about

1. You do not have to be rich to be generous.
2. Giving freely without expecting anything in return.
3. Do all the good you can.
4. Find your gift and give it away.

One Essay or Poem will be selected from FLICS and will be included in a Expect Respect book shared across the district.  
 DUE DATE December 14th



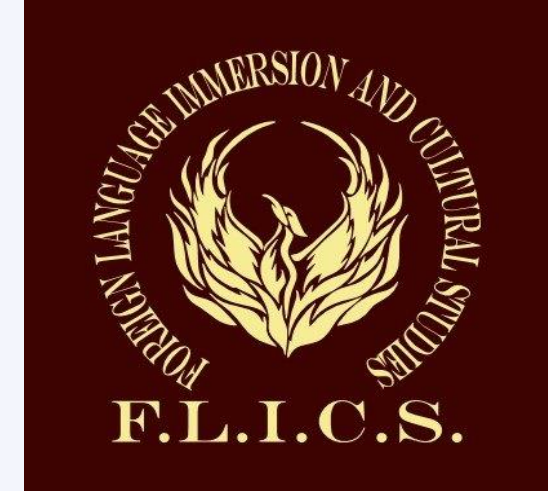
# FLICS/Firebird Pride

## Why I take pride in serving as Principal at FLICS

We have an involved parent community, and we prepare our scholars for the 21st century through the mastery of global foreign languages.

### The benefits of learning a second language.

Children are more curious, children understand other countries better. Children understand their own culture better, children enhance their listening skills, and children learn to appreciate the people and culture of other countries.



## Let's Stay Connected!

Principal Coffee Hour Third Thursday of each month @ 5:30, email Principal Zetia Hogan to participate: [zetia.Hogan@detroitk12.org](mailto:zetia.Hogan@detroitk12.org)

Follow us on Social Media. Facebook: Foreign Language & Cultural Immersion (FLICS) or Twitter: @FLICSDPSCD

*Check out [detroitk12.org/FLICS](http://detroitk12.org/FLICS)*



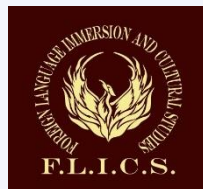


# Admission and Enrollment



# Application School Admission

- ✓ Visit [detroitk12.org/applicationschools](https://detroitk12.org/applicationschools)
- ✓ [Complete Interest Survey](#)
- ✓ Online Application Available: Spring 2021
- ✓ We're Here for Support!  
313-873-6345  
[application.schools@detroitk12.org](mailto:application.schools@detroitk12.org)



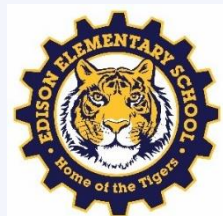
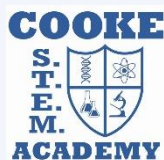
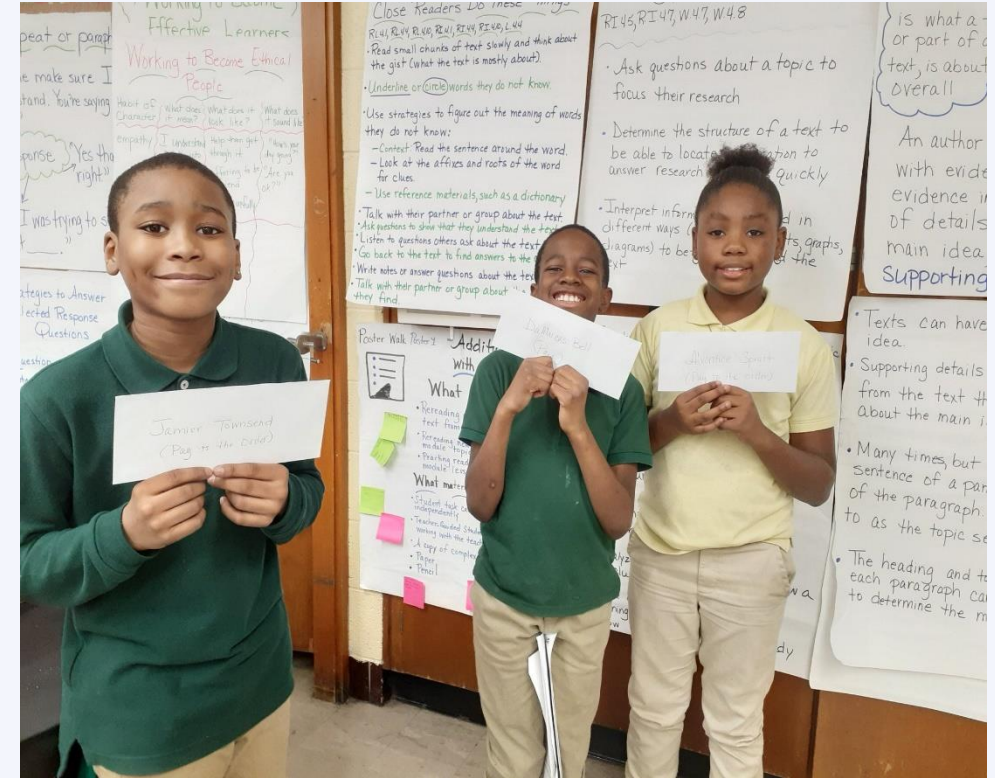
# Montessori Schools Admission

- ✓ Visit [detroitk12.org/montessori](https://detroitk12.org/montessori)
- ✓ [Complete Interest Survey](#)
- ✓ Application Available: Spring 2021
- ✓ Montessori experience required for grades 2 – 8. Edison offering Pre-K – 3 in Fall 2021.
- ✓ We're Here for Support!  
[Info.curriculum@detroitk12.org](mailto:Info.curriculum@detroitk12.org)



# Enrollment

- ✓ Visit [detroitk12.org/enrollnow](https://detroitk12.org/enrollnow) - still enrolling for 2020-21 school year
- ✓ Complete post-event survey - stay in touch for fall 2021 enrollment
- ✓ We're Here for Support!  
313-873-6345  
[Enrollment.growth@detroitk12.org](mailto:Enrollment.growth@detroitk12.org)








# Early Childhood – Pre- K

- ✓ Visit [detroitk12.org/earlychildhood](https://detroitk12.org/earlychildhood)
- ✓ Student must be 4 years old by December 1 of the current school year.
- ✓ Enroll via Great Start Readiness Program (GSRP) Application. Excludes Montessori.
- ✓ We're Here for Support!  
313-347-8923  
[Prek@detroitk12.org](mailto:Prek@detroitk12.org)



# Stay in Touch!

- 1** Follow Us! Join our social media.  
- 2** Connect with Parents: Experience a parent workshop or family event! 
- 3** Learn More. Sign up for the District newsletter. 
- 4** Complete Feedback Survey. We will stay in touch! 



● ● ● ● ● **Share your feedback!**

**Complete the Post-Event Survey**

Stay in touch

**AND**

qualify for our Detroit City gift basket raffle!

(check chat box for survey link!)

***Survey must be submitted by Friday, Dec. 11 at 9 AM  
to qualify for raffle drawing***

***Check out [detroitk12.org/welcomewednesdays](https://detroitk12.org/welcomewednesdays) to learn about more schools!***



● ● ● ● ● Questions and Answers

