

BOOKER T. WASHINGTON HIGH SCHOOL



VISION FOR THE FUTURE









Booker T Washington Feasibility Study

TOWN HALL MEETING

THURSDAY, OCT 6 @ 6 PM

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TONIGHT'S AGENDA:

WELCOME Dr. Diron T. Ford, Principal

INTRODUCTION of STUDY TEAM

PURPOSE of the STUDY

NPS FINANCIAL COMMITMENT

THE PROCESS

HELP SHAPE THE FUTURE

INTRODUCTION of STUDY TEAM





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Educational Facilities Planning





PURPOSE of the STUDY



Excerpts from December 2019 NORFOLK SCHOOL BOARD RESOLUTION BOOKER T. WASHINGTON HIGH SCHOOL PHASE 1 FEASIBILITY STUDY

...Whereas, it is critically important to ensure that all five of Norfolk High Schools have an <u>active and academically challenging</u>

<u>Academy program</u>

...Whereas, it is the desire of the school and surrounding community to ensure that Booker T. Washington High School has a *vibrant and* competitive Academy that will retain and attract a diverse group of students from across the city,

...Whereas, it is essential to <u>bring stakeholders together to provide</u> <u>input into what the future academic program has in store</u> for Booker T. Washington High School;



The Academy of The Arts at Booker T. Washington High School

- Drama / Theatre Arts Program
- Instrumental Music Program
- Vocal Music Program
- Visual Arts Program
- Dance Program
- Multi-Media Program

NPS FINANCIAL COMMITMENT

The division's *current* financial commitment to BTWHS includes funding for roof replacement, HVAC replacement, window replacement, and electrical upgrades:

- Ensuring warm/safe/cool/dry facilities for all students
- Furthering the mission of buildings that are worthy of our students as stated in the "Drive for Five"



This feasibility study will "define the future need": what space, equipment, furnishings, and technology renovations are needed to best support the *Academy for the Arts* at Booker T. Washington as well as a modern, comprehensive high school program.





THE PROCESS

Norfolk Public Schools
The cornerstone of a proudly
diverse community

Align with BTWHS Mission & Vision

Facilitate
NPS goals
for teaching
and learning

Focuses on the Whole Student: Academic, Social, Physical, & Cultural

Create opportunities for community partnerships in learning

Respond to Community's expectations for learning

Plan Flexible & Adaptable Space that is Futureready

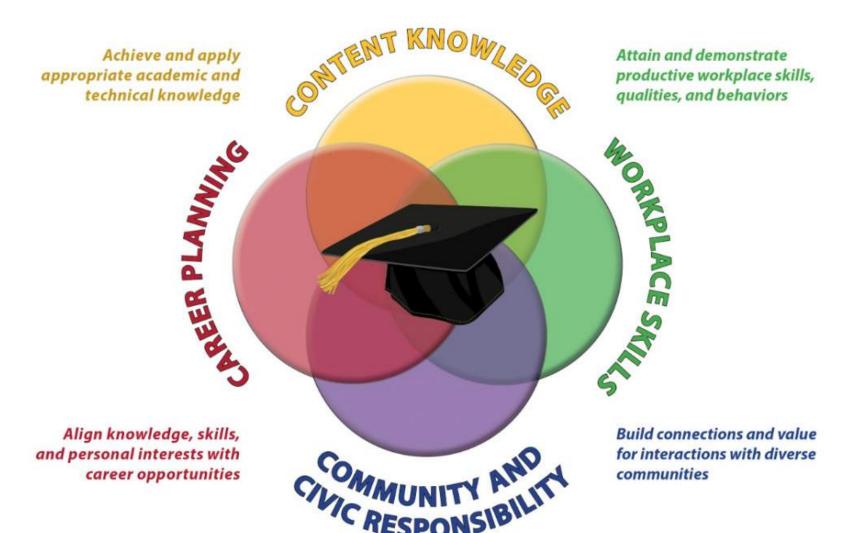
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Goals of the Educational Specifications Process

THE PROCESS



In Virginia, the Life Ready Individual Will During His or Her K-12 Experience:



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THE PROCESS



DATA GATHERING & ANALYSIS

COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

EDUCATIONAL FACILITIES PLANNING

ANALYSIS RECOMMENDATIONS REPORTING

Existing BTWHS Space Utilization Analysis

"A day in the life" of a BTWHS Student

Exemplar School Tours

Student Visioning Workshops

School Staff Interviews Community Engagement Web Portal

> Community Engagement Meetings

Special Interest Group & Focus Group Interviews

Community Partner Interviews

Education
Specifications
Planning Labs with
Stakeholders

Conceptual Design
Test - Fit Overlays on
Existing Footprint

Preliminary
Implementation
Budget Cost
Estimating

Develop Draft Report & Recommendations

Present Draft Report to School Board

Solicit Stakeholder Feedback

Solicit Community Feedback

Final Report & School Board Presentation







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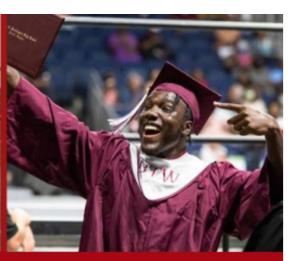


Q1

What does being a "Mighty Booker" mean to you?







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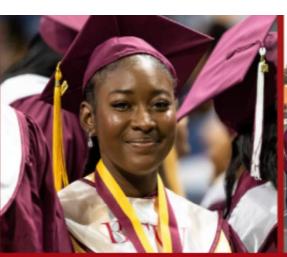
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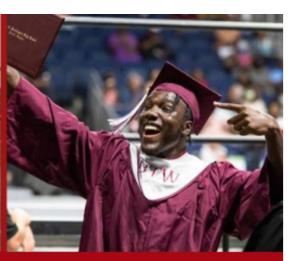


Q2

What are Booker T.
Washington High
School's greatest
strengths?







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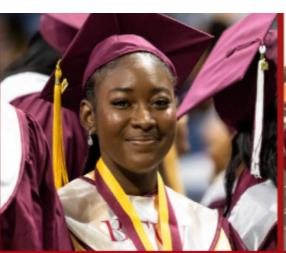
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Q3

What are the opportunities for improvement?







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Q4

What should learning look like at Booker T.
Washington High
School?







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Q5

What should Booker
T. Washington High
School students be
prepared for?







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Q6

What should Future
Booker T. Washington
High School be?



Email us at: edplanning@nps.k12.va.us with your questions or concerns, or if you would like to schedule a project briefing with your organization.

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Thank You!