MISSION
John Hope Franklin Elementary School is a proud community that believes in educating the whole-child by providing an equitable, joyful, top-notch learning experience. Academic excellence is what we do!

SCHOOL PRIDE
John Hope Franklin Elementary School formed in 2018 through a combination of ECDC Bunch and Gilcrease Elementary. Named for famed historian Dr. John Hope Franklin, our students feel a sense of pride, culture and history as we work to create a school that is equitable and connected to the community. Our 3rd and 4th grade students conduct thematic lessons each year about the race massacre, and our school is represented at the annual John Hope Franklin Center for Reconciliation Symposium.

AFTER-SCHOOL CLUBS
John Hope Franklin Elementary School offers the L.I.F.E (Literacy is for Everyone) After-School Program through the Tulsa Dream Center. This free program consists of reading and mathematics tutoring, homework assistance, STEM enrichment activities, field trips and other exciting experiences for students! In addition, our teachers and community partners sponsor a wide range of clubs, including ballet, tumbling and debate.
A COMMUNITY OF SUPPORT
Students at John Hope Franklin Elementary have a multitude of partners in education who support our school. The Ed Darby Foundation and All Souls Unitarian Church host a family dinner each month feeding more than 200 people in our community. In addition, we have numerous organizations who provide transportation for field trips, one-on-one tutoring and clothing for students in need. As a neighborhood school, we are anchored by the support of a community that deeply cares for our scholars.

SOCIAL EMOTIONAL LEARNING FOCUS
John Hope Franklin Elementary School is one of five recipients of the Wallace Foundation’s Social/Emotional Learning Grant, aimed at supporting the development of children’s cognitive, interpersonal and character-building skills through an improved curriculum. Social and emotional learning (SEL) is the process through which children and adults acquire and effectively apply the knowledge, attitudes and skills necessary to understand and manage emotions. In addition, we have an embedded therapy team, social worker and care coordinator on-site to provide students with the support they need to thrive!

With strong social and emotional skills, our students will be able to set and achieve positive goals, feel and show empathy for others, establish and maintain positive relationships, and make responsible decisions.

CLUBS AND PROGRAMS
Book Club, Physical Education Club, Gardening, Business Management, Game Club, Soccer, Basketball, Cooking Club, Tumble, Discovery Club, Computer Games, Reading Club, Ballet (Dance), Student Council, Girls DIY, Boys DIY, Debate, Bike Club, Newspaper Club

TULSA PUBLIC SCHOOLS AT-A-GLANCE
Our mission is to inspire and prepare every student to love learning, achieve ambitious goals and make positive contributions to our world.

- 81 Schools and public charters
- 23 Schools offering career and technology education programs
- 3 High schools nationally ranked in the US News and World Report
- 7 Schools with dual language programs
- 1 Public Montessori school

6,441 DEDICATED EMPLOYEES
3rd LARGEST EMPLOYER IN TULSA COUNTY

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