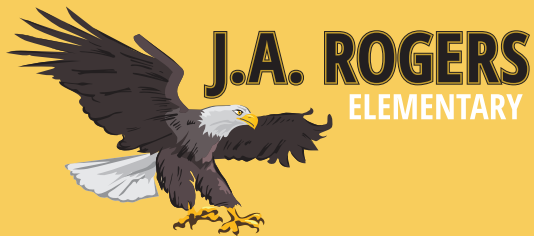


## HISTORY OF J.A. ROGERS

### Celebrating Culture

The school was named after Joel Augustus Rogers (September 6, 1880 – March 26, 1966), an African-American author, journalist and historian. He contributed to the history of Africa as well as to the history of African-Americans in the United States.

His academic fields encompassed history, sociology and anthropology. By challenging existing ideas about race, and revealing the connections between civilizations, he became a legendary figure in the promotion of the knowledge of African history in the 20th century.



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**LEAD  
LEARN  
ACHIEVE**

**WELCOME TO J.A. ROGERS**



**J.A. Rogers Elementary School**  
*Serving pre-kindergarten through sixth grade*



**THE MISSION OF  
J.A. Rogers Elementary is  
to build a community of  
leaders and learners  
committed to the success  
and achievement of all.**



## ABOUT J.A. ROGERS

**Serving students**  
Pre-Kindergarten thru  
Sixth Grade

At J. A. Rogers, we provide experiences and programs that will enhance teaching, learning, environmental awareness and healthy living.

**Bell Times:**  
9:00 am – 4:00 pm

### Creating a Caring Community

Our shared vision for the community is that we build on its strengths to provide meaningful opportunities for children, families and individuals to achieve self-sufficiency, attain their highest potential and contribute to the public.

**Your Neighborhood  
Schools:**

- Northeast Middle
- East High

### Celebrating Diversity

J.A. Rogers has more than 600 students, making it one of the largest elementary schools in the city. Our student population includes children from several different countries and who speak many different languages. We are proud of our diversity and believe celebrating our different cultures leads to better classroom instruction.

### One-to-One Digital Devices

Each student at J.A. Rogers school will receive his/her own digital device in the classroom. This device can house student materials, textbooks and help increase digital literacy.

## EAGLE PROGRAMS

### English Language Learners (ELL)

The English as a Second Language program is designed to teach students who speak languages other than English how to understand, speak, read and write in English and to support students' home cultures and languages whenever possible.

### Free Before- and After-School Care

Rogers is proud to partner with LINC to offer free-of-charge high-quality before-and after-school care.

Students are able to engage in a variety of safe, fun and engaging activities. LINC provides a caring environment that supports children's social, emotional and physical development.



### PROGRAMS:

- Clean Streams
- D.A.R.E.
- Dental Clinic
- Healthy Snacks
- LINC
- National Honor Society
- Jackson County Spelling Bee
- Score 1 for Health