

Jonesboro Public Schools

A Legacy of Excellence

Annual **Report**

About JPS

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Pre-Ks 4yrs old	Kindergarten	Elementaries 1–6th Grade	Junior Highs 7–9th Grade	High School 10–12th Grade

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Enrollment:

Pre-K - 285
JKC - 482
Elementary - 2937
Junior High - 1430
High school - 1449

Total - 6596

Vision

Jonesboro School District empowers every student to learn at high levels and pursue lifelong success.

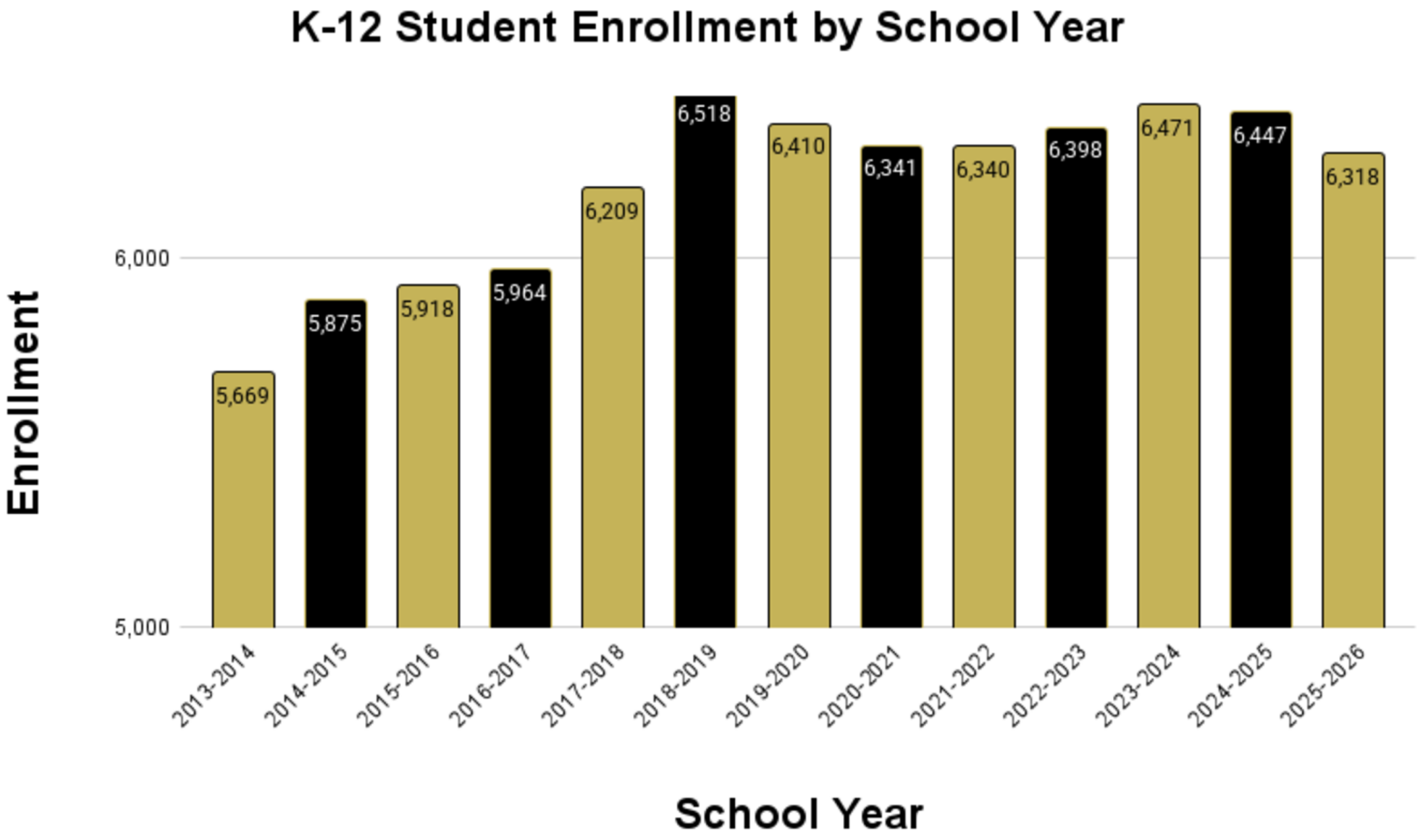
Mission

Jonesboro School District is a community where every student is inspired to discover their strengths, pursue their passions, and achieve excellence in an innovative learning environment.

Strategic Plan

As part of a five-year strategic plan, the Jonesboro School District has identified five key priorities to guide the work moving forward. These priorities include: Enhancing Partnerships for Student Success, Academic Excellence, Empowering Student Success Through Teacher Retention, Diversity, and Strategic Staffing, Student Support Services, and Future Planning and Growth.

Enrollment


K-12 Student Enrollment by School Year
Enrollment
6,000
5,000
5,669
5,875
5,918
5,964
6,209
6,518
6,410
6,341
6,340
6,398
6,471
6,447
6,318
2013-2014
2014-2015
2015-2016
2016-2017
2017-2018
2018-2019
2019-2020
2020-2021
2021-2022
2022-2023
2023-2024
2024-2025
2025-2026
School Year

Sharing Academics

JHS Class of 2025

138
Honor Graduates

115
Arkansas Scholars

1,123
AP Exams in **29** AP Courses

58
AP Scholars

276
Scores of **3 or higher** on AP Exams

18
Hours of concurrent credit through ASU at JHS

74
Students had a 4.0 or above

11
Students with ACT scores of 30+

215
Students completed CTE program

8M+
Offered in scholarships. 750K for Band alone.

Summary of Academic Achievement

Grade	ATLAS ENGLISH	ATLAS READING	ATLAS MATH	ATLAS SCIENCE
	2025	2025	2025	2025
3	27%	26%	32%	25%
4	29%	29%	31%	27%
5	26%	27%	35%	33%
6	32%	34%	40%	31%
7	26%	27%	31%	27%
8	24%	24%	8%	23%
9	24%	22%	24%	
10	28%	29%	8%	30%

Sharing Academics

Curriculum

K - Literacy Curriculum: CKLA Knowledge & Skills

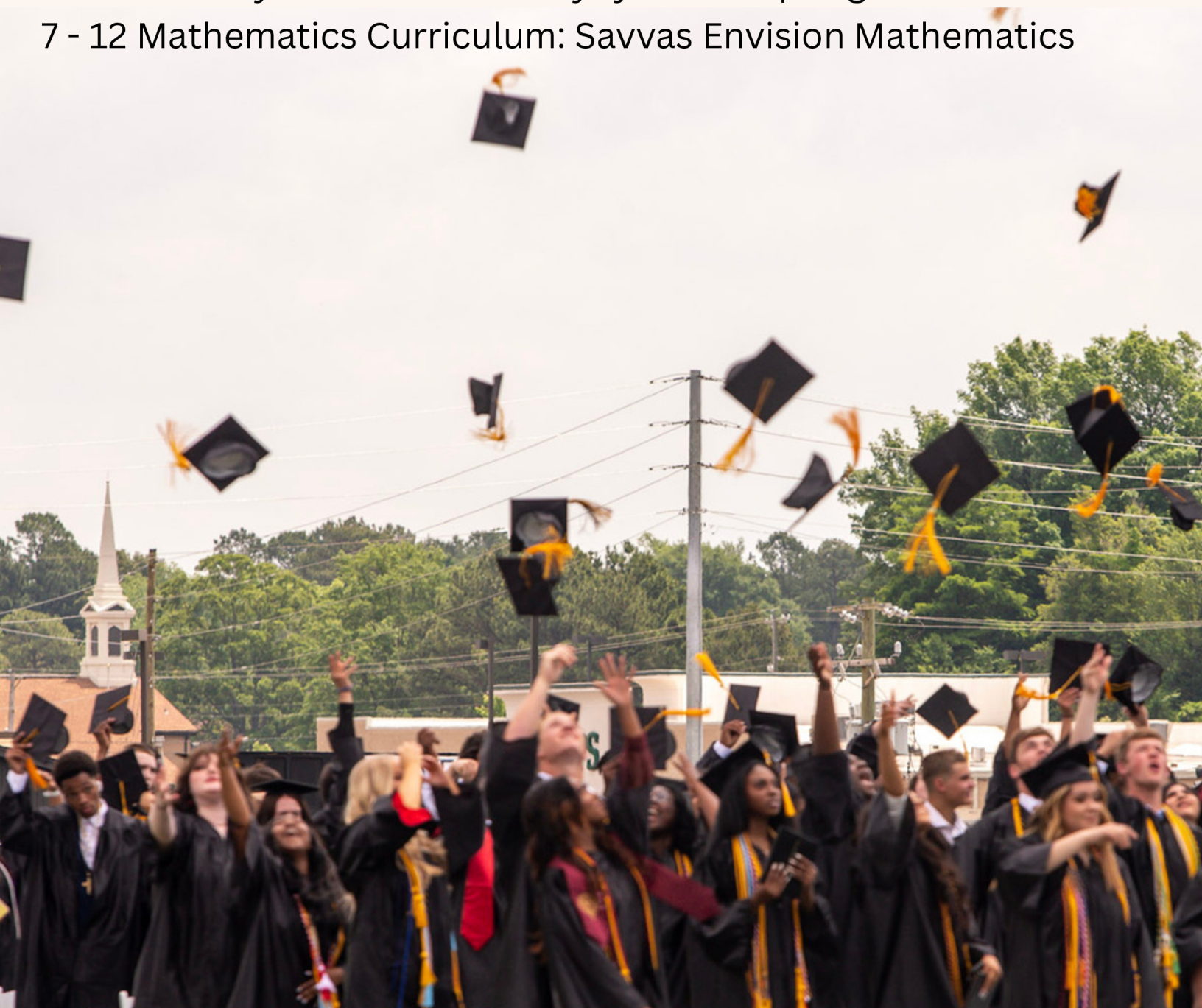
1 - 2 Literacy Curriculum: CKLA Knowledge & UFLI Foundations

3 - 6 Literacy Curriculum: Arts & Letters

K - 6 Math Curriculum: iReady

7 - 12 Literacy Curriculum: StudySync and SpringBoard

7 - 12 Mathematics Curriculum: Savvas Envision Mathematics



Beyond The Classroom

- **Athletics**

-Dance Team All Academic State Champions
-25 student athletes who have signed to play college sports
-State Championship in Wrestling and eSports

- **Art**

-2024 10th Annual Inspire Student Show at BAM: 13 JHS works accepted, 2nd place winner.
-2025 Mid-South Scholastic Awards: 2 Silver Key Recipients and 18 Honorable Mentions
-2025 Congressional Art Show: 3 students were division finalists, 1st place category winner.

- **Theatre**

-Gold Troupe Honor Status
-Fall Play - PUFFS, Young Wizards Edition
-One Act - DARKLIGHT, Superior Rating and State Showcase Invitation
-10 Superior Rated Thespys at State, qualifying for National Competition
-Spring Fine Arts Department Musical - HADESTOWN, TEEN
-15 HSMTA (High School Musical Theatre Award) Nominations for -- Hadestown:Teen Edition
-HSMTA Supporting Actor Winner - Kadarius Williams, Hermes

- **Band**

-6A State Champions Symphonic Winds
-20 students earned All-State positions

- **Choir**

-3 Superior Ratings in SATB Ensemble at Region Choral Performance
-1 Superior Rating for SATB Ensemble at State Choral Festival

Facilities

Projects



< NEACTC
Cost: $1,526,947.17
Completed: 10/2025

Annie Camp Elevator >
Cost: $223,604.64
Completed: 10/2025





< Alumni Plaza
Cost: $281,515.00
Completed: 10/2025

Pre-K — 6th Grade Campuses

Jonesboro Pre-K Center



Jonesboro Pre-K Center North



Jonesboro Kindergarten Center



Health, Wellness & Environmental Studies Magnet



International Studies Magnet



Leadership Magnet



Math & Science Magnet



Visual & Performing Arts Magnet



Junior Highs/High School/NEACTC & SUCCESS Campuses

Annie Camp Junior High



Douglas MacArthur Junior High



The Academies at Jonesboro High School



Northeast Arkansas Career & Technical Center



SUCCESS Achievement Academy



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Best Public School District

14 YEARS IN A ROW









Jonesboro OCCASIONS Readers' Choice WINNER© 2025





Best School Administrator Finalists

Jonesboro OCCASIONS Readers' Choice FINALIST© 2025

Superintendent
Dr. Kim Wilbanks

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Athletic Director
Trey Harding

2025 Kids' DIRECTORY BEST CHOICE AWARDS FOR KIDS & FAMILIES

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