

FREDERICK DOUGLASS ACADEMY FOR YOUNG MEN

School of Applied Science and Innovation

"Building Purpose, Building Professionals, Building Leaders, Building Men"

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Good day to the Frederick Douglass Academy for Young Men families!

It is an honor to be afforded the opportunity to participate in the educational and social development of your young man/men. Our quintessential goal at Douglass is to foster the "whole-child" development of your son at the secondary educational level. In doing so, we are aware of the trust and belief that you have in our remaining on course with the state, district, and parental expectations. That being stated, we are committed to maximizing our efforts to achieve lofty goals.

The Covid-19 virus was an unforeseen catastrophe that was ultimately unaccounted in most educational plans; nevertheless, our district and school remain staunch in ensuring that your son will be educated despite the virus. To that end, we will be offering on site and virtual learning to students. In an act of transparency, all teachers at Douglass (other than Physical Education and Music) have selected to teach virtually; therefore, students that attend school physically will be in cohorts with safety measures applied that are in concert with the district and State of Michigan mandates. Students that are will be in "learning centers" and receive virtual lessons under the supervision of a certified teacher.

We are steadfast in our energies to properly educate your son. Therefore, please do not hesitate to call at (313) 596-3555 or email my Administrative Assistant Ms. Tilmon at delphona.tilmon@detroitk12.org if you have any concerns about your son's educational wellbeing. Finally, I wish you good health.

Yours in Education,

Dr. Willie L. White II