

# Presentation to Public Safety Committee



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# Agenda

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- A Snapshot of Our Students
- What We Want For Each Student (Vision 2020)
- Our System of Supports
- Collaboration With Community Partners
- Questions and Answers



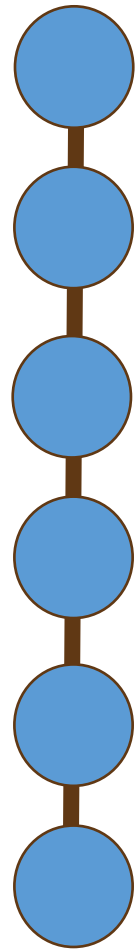
# A Snapshot of Our Students

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- 100,600 Students (3 to 21 years of age)
- 123 Languages Spoken
- Attend 172 schools, including 18 magnet schools and 52 magnet programs at all levels
- 47.22% White 35.91% African American 9.25% Hispanic  
3.65% Asian 3.97% Other
- 41 National Merit Scholars (Class of 2015)
- Earned \$172,000,000 in scholarships (Class of 2015)



# Snapshot (continued)



**64,000** Are eligible for free or reduced lunch

**6,448** Homeless Students (2014-2015)

**3,161** Psychiatric Hospitalizations (7/1/15 to 5/8/16)

**1,637** Mental Health Mobile Assessments (7/1/15 to 5/8/16)

**867** Students with an Emotional-Behavioral Disability

**27,778** Louisville Linked requests for students (Thru 8th Pupil Month)

**27,222**

**Basic Needs**

**21,929** **Academic**

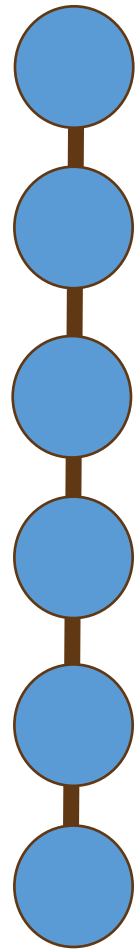
**11,395**

**Social-Emotional/Mental Health**

**6,045** **Physical Health**



# Snapshot (continued)



**6,034 Grandparents are raising their grandchildren**

**2,044 Children exposed to domestic violence that resulted in an LMPD report  
(3/2014 to 5/2016)**

**1,500 Children, each year, live in a home where police are  
not called but a parent files a petition for an  
emergency protection order due to domestic  
violence**

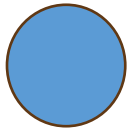
**Note: Data on slide was obtained from Louisville Metro Office for Women**



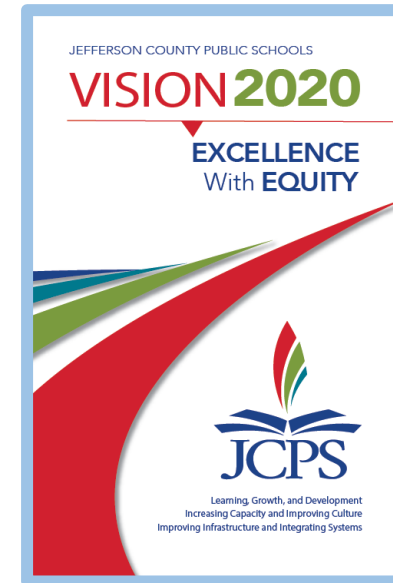
# What JCPS Wants For Each Student

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## Vision 2020 Excellence With Equity



Each student will progress toward mastery of both academic standards and the development of capacities and dispositions necessary for success in college, career, and life.



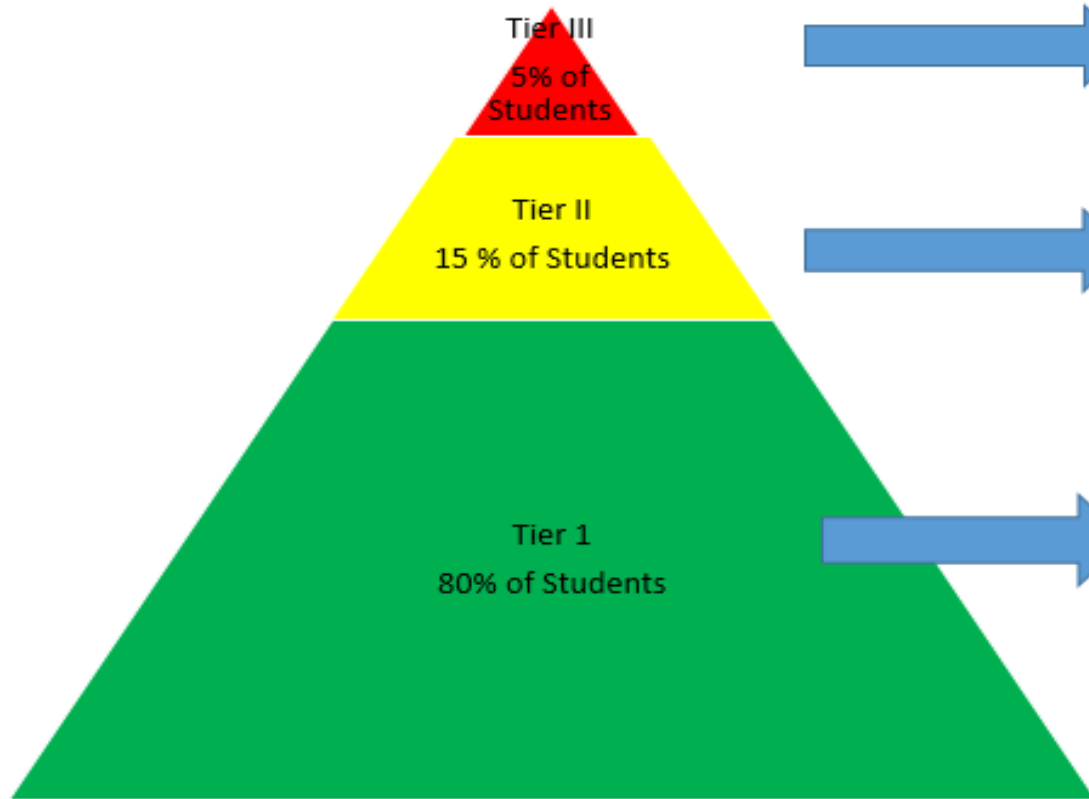
# Capacities and Dispositions

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- Creativity
- Critical Thinking
- Self-regulation
- Persistence
- Empathy
- Responsibility



# Three-Tiered Approach for Behavioral/Mental Health Support



- **Intensive and Individualized Interventions**

- JCPS Mental Health Counselors
- Substance Abuse IOP
- Seven Counties School-Based Program
- Mobile Assessments
- JCPS Crisis Response Team

- **Targeted Interventions and Reactive Consequences**

- School Based SRT Coaches
- Bullying Prevention Lessons for Selected Students
- Consultation Services to Schools on Trauma
- Suicide Prevention Drop in Centers
- JCPS Crisis Response Team
- Seven Counties School-Based Program
- YMHFA

- **Proactive and Universal Interventions**

- **Louisville Linked**
- JCPS Positive Behavior Intervention Supports – Training and Resources
- Bullying Prevention Training for All School Staff
- Trauma Prevention Training
- Suicide Prevention Lessons for All Middle/High School Students
- Bounce
- Restorative Practices
- Social-Emotional Skills Instruction





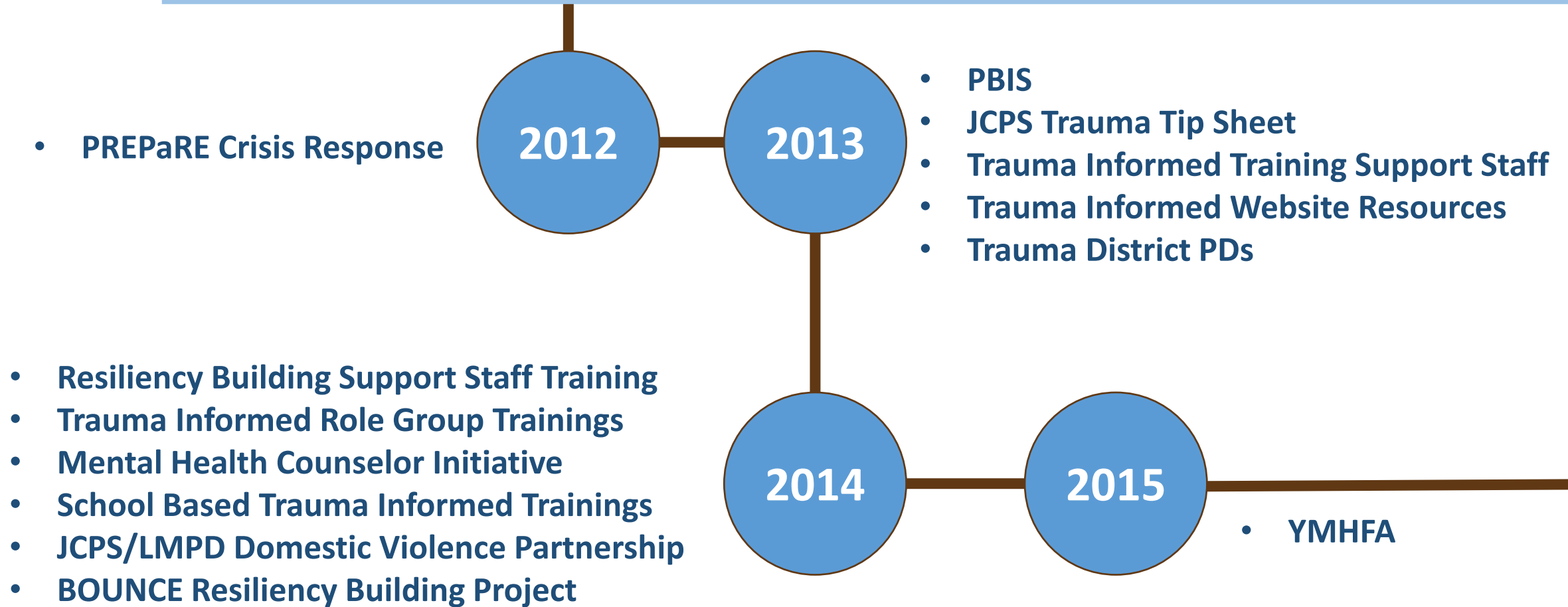
# Mental Health Supports

- **School counselors: 257**
- **FRYSC: 96 (Serving 131 Schools)**
- **Psychologists: 39.5**
- **Mental health counselors: 18**
- **Social workers: 9**
- **Mental health first aid trainers: 9**
- **Seven Counties school-based sites: 120**
- **Louisville Linked**
- **Domestic violence collaboration with LMPD**
- **Substance Abuse Intensive Outpatient Program**
- **Independent counselors (FRYSC funded)**
- **Western Day Treatment (grades K – 5)**
- **State Agency Schools/Hospital Programs (13)**

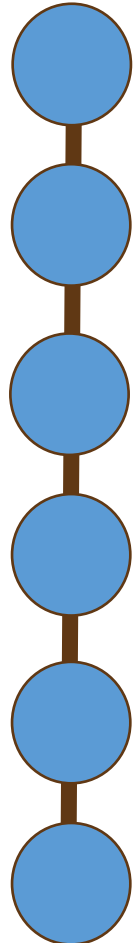


# Trauma Informed and Resiliency Building Approaches

## Research Based and Best Practice Models



# Positive Behavioral Interventions Supports (PBIS)



Framework that helps school leaders identify the best behavior strategies

Proactive & Positive

103 Trained Schools by May 2016

136 Trained Schools By May 2017 &  
168 Trained Schools by May 2018

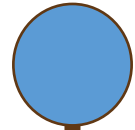
Trauma Informed Values apply across all 3 tiers of the  
PBIS Framework

Chafouleas et al. (2015). Toward a blueprint for trauma-  
informed service delivery in schools. *School Mental Health*.

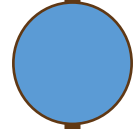


# Trauma Informed Professional Development

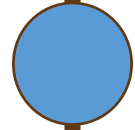
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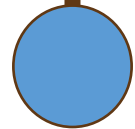
**Over 980 JCPS certified and classified staff trained**



**Trauma Informed Care- Training Integration**



**School Staff Trainings- Faculty Meetings, PD Days**

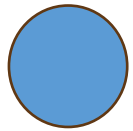


**Support Staff Trainings- Trauma, Resiliency, ACEs Study**



# What is Youth Mental Health First Aid (YMHFA)?

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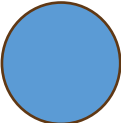


**Youth Mental Health First Aid is the help offered to a young person experiencing a mental health challenge, mental disorder, or a mental health crisis. The first aid is given until appropriate help is received or until the crisis resolves.**

- **Research-based and on the national list of effective programs**
- **A cadres of 10 JCPS staff certified as YMHFA trainers**
- **We have trained 195 JCPS staff**
- **Training is available to both certified staff and classified staff**



# The Agents of Resilience for Our Students



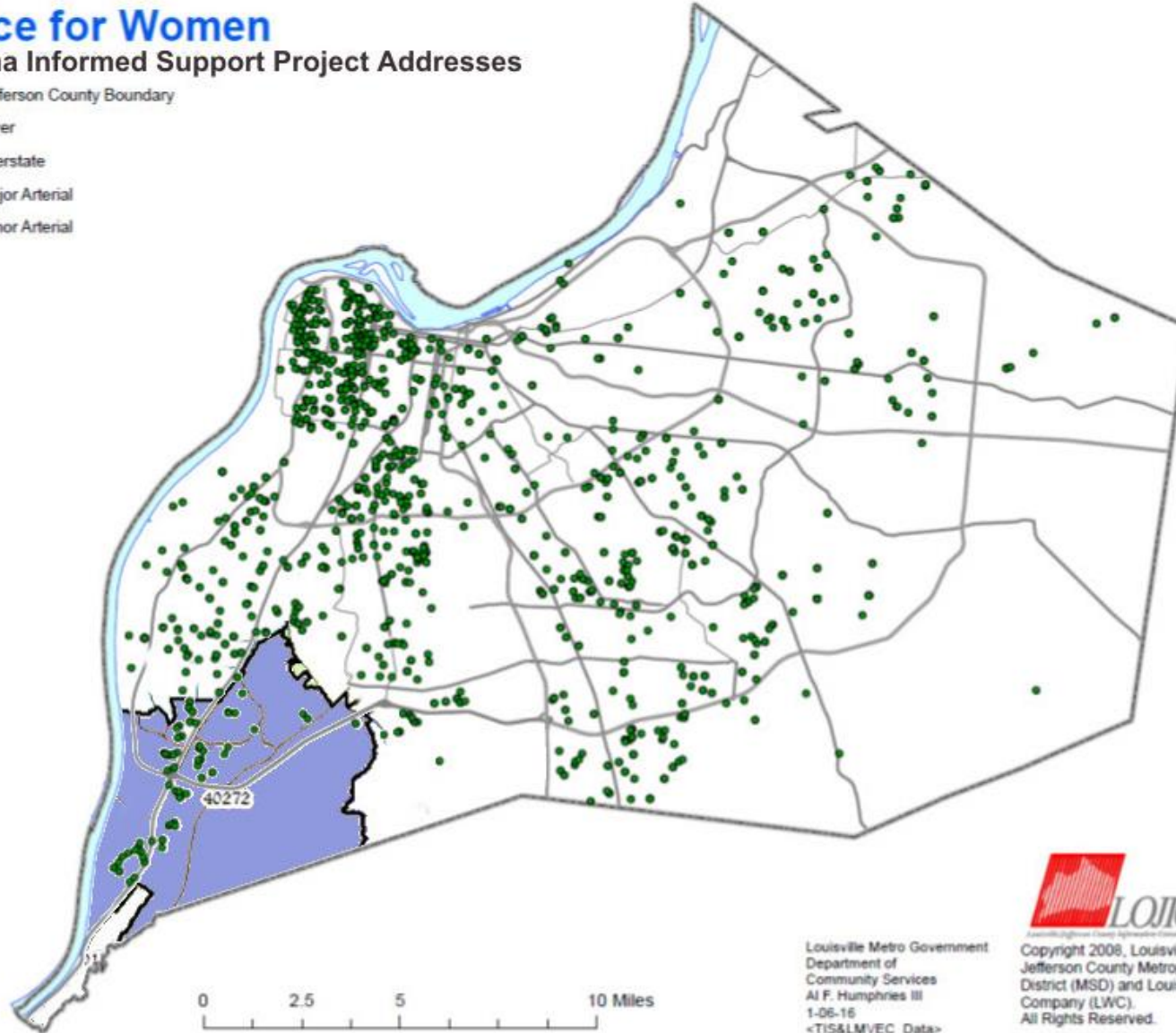
## BOUNCE

Infusing trauma awareness, knowledge, and skills into the cultures, practices, and policies of Jefferson County Public Schools and out-of-school-time provider agencies to foster the resiliency of vulnerable children and families.



# Office for Women Trauma Informed Support Project Addresses

- Jefferson County Boundary
- River
- Interstate
- Major Arterial
- Minor Arterial



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# Collaboration With Community Partners

Jefferson County Public Schools

Valley Station  
Community Event: **Stand Up!**  
**For Families & Against Violence**

**Community Awareness Event**  
**March 24, 2016**  
**6–7:30 p.m.**  
**Southwest Community Library**  
**9725 Dixie Highway**  
**(The meeting will take place in the Community Room.)**


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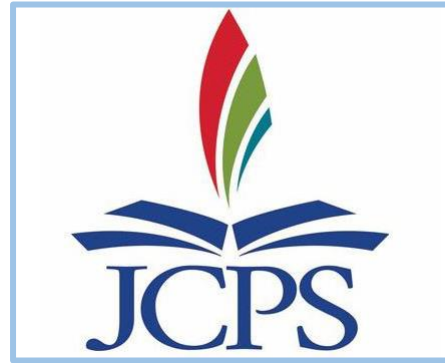
You are invited to attend this forum to discuss strategies to build resiliency as well as ways to support children, adults, and families with issues surrounding trauma and domestic violence. We all have a role to play in building a healthy and supportive community within Valley Station. Please join us in making our neighborhoods, schools, churches, and ball parks the best they can be!

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# Community Resources



# Questions and Answers



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