
Notable APS Graduates

T. M. ALEXANDER, JR	Howard HS Insurance Magnate, deceased
IVAN ALLEN, JR.	Boys HS Former Mayor of Atlanta
MARVIN ARRINGTON	Turner HS Former President of Atlanta City Council and partner/owner of Arrington & Hollowell's law firm
CAROLINE LONG BANKS	Turner HS Former city council woman
WALTER S. BELL	Tech HS Director of Audio Visual Education, Coordinator of APS history for Centennial Celebration; established and organized the first Archives Department for a public school system and functioned as its first Historian/Archivist
ROBERT (BOB)BELL	Boys HS Former State Senator and candidate for governor
ELDRIN BELL	Howard HS Former Chief of Atlanta Police Dept
EUGENE BLACK	Boys HS Former head of World Bank
FRANK BLACKSHEAR	Booker T. Washington HS Atomic Energy Program
STANLEY BLALOCK	Northside HS Graduate 1984 Olympic Team, placed 2nd in 100 meter heat U. S. Olympic Trials
HORACE BOHANNON	Booker T. Washington HS Deputy Civil Rights Commissioner, Washington, D. C
NATHANIEL BRONNER, SR	D. T. Howard HS/ Washington HS Philanthropist and World renown leader in hair care industry; deceased
JOE BURTON	Commercial HS State Senator
RORY CALHOUN	Booker T. Washington HS Heavyweight boxer
JOHN CARSON	Roosevelt HS UGA HALL OF FAME, Washington Redskins Football Player, Minnesota Vikings Organization

TRUETT CATHY	Commercial & Tech HS Founder & Owner of Chick-Fil-A
JOHN S. CHANDLER	Boys HS Chief Justice Georgia Supreme Court
BARBARA COOK	Girls HS Opera singer performed for President Truman's Inauguration and many other Presidents' of the USA; sometime during 1998 she performed for the Queen of England in England
ED. S.COOK, SR.	Boys HS Former president of the Atlanta Board of Education
CLARENCE COOPER	David T. Howard HS Judge of Georgia Court of Appeals; Federal Judge of U. S. District Court
T. RENEE CRUTCHER	Northside HS (Now North Atlanta HS) Opera singer
RUTH A. DAVIS	Booker T. Washington HS Former Vice Consul in charge of American Affairs in the Congo
RICHARD DENT	Murphy HS (now Crim HS) Professional football player for Chicago Bears' Championship Super Bowl Team
MATTIWILDA DOBBS	Booker T. Washington HS World famous Opera singer
PEARLIE DOVE	Booker T. Washington HS Chairman Education Dept. of Clark College
DOROTHY MAE STINSON DUHART	Booker T. Washington HS One of the First African-American Female Deputy Sheriff in Fulton County
STEWART EIZENSTAT	Grady HS Domestic Policy Advisor for President James Earl Carter's Administration
CAROLINE EMBRY	Commercial HS V.P. Fulton Federal S & L, retired
DR. SIDNEY ESTES	Booker T. Washington HS Director of Doctoral Program of Atlanta University
WYCHE FOWLER	O'Keefe Jr. HS and North Fulton HS U. S. Representative, Senator and Ambassador to Saudi Arabia in President Clinton's administration
WALTER FRAZIER	Howard HS Profession basketball New York Nicks
COLLINGTON FREEMAN	Northside HS World Class Opera Singer
FRANKLIN GARRETT	Boys HS Official Historian for Georgia
ROBERTS GIBBS	Booker T. Washington HS First African-American to enter and graduate from Harvard

"BITSY" GRANT	D. T. Howard HS Famous tennis champion
JASMINE GUY	Northside HS Actress, singer, dancer, movies, TV and stage
JACK HAMILTON	Commercial HS Former Mayor of Decatur, Georgia
GRACE TOWNS HAMILTON	State Representative
JUDGE GLENDA HATCHETT	Harper HS Currently star of TV series Judge Hatchett
FANNIE HINTON	Girls HS Former Head of Library School at Emory University
MICHAEL HOLLIS	Booker T. Washington HS First and only Black owner of an airlines; AIR ATLANTA
DR. HAMILTON HOLMES	Henry McNeal Turner HS First Black Male to integrate University of GA, Executive Director of Grady Hospital and a section of GA I-285 is named for him..
EVANDER HOLYFIELD	Fulton HS Three Time World Heavy Weight Champ & Entrepreneur
CLARK HOWELL	Boys HS Editor of Atlanta Constitution Newspaper
WILLIE E. HUNTER	Carver HS Teacher and coach for Sylvan, Carver & Fulton HS; Head Football Coach for Clark Atlanta University & Football of Coach Morris Brown College
CHARLAYNE HUNTER-GAULT	Turner HS First Black Female to integrate University of GA, Journalist , author and anchor for McNeil Lerher News Hour
JOHNNY ISAKSON	Dykes HS Chairman of the State Board of Education & Congressional candidate 6th Dist
MAYNARD HOLBROOK JACKSON	David T. Howard HS First African American Mayor of the City of Atlanta
DR. IRAJARRELL	Girls HS First Appointed Female Superintendent of Atlanta Public Schools
LEROY JOHNSON	Booker T. Washington HS First Black State Senator in the South since Reconstruction
LOUIS JOHNSON	David T. Howard Grammar School Tuskegee Airman
BOISFEUILLET JONES	Boys HS Former President of Woodruff Foundation
ROBERT TYRE JONES	Tech HS Champion Golfer
HARRISON JONES	Boys HS Former president of Coca Cola Co

MACK JONES	Turner HS Pro Baseball Player, 1960
VERNON JORDAN	David T. Howard HS Former Executive Director of Urban League and member of President William Jefferson Clinton's Cabinet
WILLIAM JUDSON	Sylvan HS Professional Football Player, Miami Dolphins
LONNIE KING	David T. Howard Civil Rights Activist and activists of desegregation of the APS schools
MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR.	David T. Howard HS Graduate & Booker T. Washington Alumni Civil Rights Activist, minister, and recipient of the Nobel Peace Prize
GLADYS KNIGHT	Archer HS Winner of Ted Mack's Amateur Hour and lead singer of Gladys Knight and the Pips; actress
SIDNEY MARCUS	Boys HS State Former Representative and former candidate for mayor of Atlanta
EDITH MCGUIRE-DUVALL	Archer HS Olympian and teacher of East Lake ES
ANTONIO MCKAY	Medallist Roosevelt HS All American Track & Olympian
CYNTHIA MCKINNEY	Collier Heights ES, Frederick Douglass & Charles Lincoln Harper HS U.S. Congresswoman, current; State Senator
MARGARET MITCHELL	Tenth Street Elementary Author of <i>Gone With the Wind</i>
J. Y. MORELAND	Booker T. Washington HS Former teacher, principal of BTW and Associate Superintendent of APS
JESSIE MUSE	Girls HS Former principal of GHS, deceased
WAYNE F. OLIVER	Fulton HS 1988 Atlanta Hawk Mascot, Toured with Shalimar Singing Group, Owns Flava Records Label and has an album <i>River of Life</i> , he raps for Jesus.
RUE PAUL	Northside HS Singer, Dancer, Model & Entertainer
MEL PENDER	D. T. Howard & Turner HS Olympian & Atlanta Hawks Organization
LUCILE PALMER PERRINO	Booker T. Washington. HS President of Gate City Teachers Association
JOHN PORTMAN	Tech HS Millionaire Architect
ROMAE POWELL	Howard HS Former Superior Court Judge
LARRY RAKESTRAW	Fulton HS

	Professional Football Player; Chicago Bears
	Booker T. Washington HS
CHICO OTHELLO RENFROE, SR.	Played professional ball in the Negro Leagues; teammate and roommate to Jackie Robinson who integrated professional baseball league; broadcasted the first live football game from Fam U's campus in Florida; WIGO, radio personality and sports advocate for all Metropolitan Atlanta Public School children.
WALTER RICH	Boys HS Owner of Rich's Department Store
ANGELA ROBINSON	Grady High School Broadcast Journalist; former Anchor Women on WXIA Channel 11 Atl. TV
TRACEY ROCKER	Fulton HS Professional Football Player, Washington Redskins Super Bowl Champs
DAVID ROCKER	Fulton HS Professional Football Player, Los Angeles Rams
TOMMY ROE	Brown HS Recording Star
DEAN RUSK	Boys HS Former U. S. Secretary of State
JULIAN "NIPSIE" RUSSELL	Booker T. Washington HS Comedian, singer , dancer, stage, TV & movies
HERMAN RUSSELL	Howard HS Millionaire Construction Magnate, Member of 100 Black Men
MILDRED MCDANIEL SINGLETON	Howard HS Olympian, APS teacher, 1st African American female to win a gold and only gold medal for the U.S. for Archer HS (now Harper/Archer) in addition she taught & coached Mrs. Edith McGuire at Archer
ELMO SPENCER, III	Booker T. Washington HS NBA Clippers Pro Basketball Team, featured on cover of Sports Illustrated
DR. LOUIS A. SULLIVAN	Booker T. Washington HS Former Secretary of Health and Human Services under the Bush Administration and President of the Morehouse School of Medicine
WILLIS SUTTON, JR	Tech HS Professor of University of Kentucky, APS teacher, principal and the Eighth Superintendent of APS
GWEN TORRENCE	Booker T. Washington HS Olympian
LYNDON WADE	Booker T. Washington HS Director of Urban League, Atlanta
DR. PAUL D. WEST	Anne E. West Grammar School Superintendent of Fulton County Public Schools and has a /school named in his honor
MARGARET MATTHEWS WILBURN	David T. Howard HS Olympian Georgia State Hall of Fame

JAMES WILLIAMS

David T. Howard HS
ParaOlympian

MRS. ANNIE T. WISE

Girls HS
Principal of Commercial HS, deceased

CARL WRIGHT

David T. Howard HS
Entertainer, TV, Movie, Radio, played the preacher in 'SOUL
FOOD', playing lead in play as well as other movies and plays i.e.,
LAUGHING ON OUTSIDE, CRYING ON THE INSIDE".

RONALD YANCEY

Booker T. Washington. HS
First African-American to graduate from Georgia Tech

DR. ASA YANCY

Booker T. Washington HS
Medical Director of Grady Hospital and former APS Board Member