

Benjamin E. Mays High School 3450 Benjamin E. Mays Dr. SW Atlanta, Georgia 30331

May 22, 2019

Dear Benjamin E. Mays High School Faculty, Staff, Parents and Community:

I am honored to introduce myself as your newly appointed principal of Benjamin E. Mays High School. Mays High School has a rich history and tradition and I look forward to getting on board as we begin our quest to continue and enrich that proud history.

I am sure the team is interested in knowing more about who I am, my experiences, and my vision for the future of Mays High School. I am eager to know about you as well. There will be numerous opportunities to meet with many of you over the next several months in the form of informal or small group meetings. This will allow me to gain input from you and the community to help shape the future of Benjamin E. Mays High School.

Who am I? I am a native Atlantan—a true southerner. My family is incredibly important to me and I am blessed to be married to my husband of 8 years, a talented Engineer. I have a four-legged baby named Paris, who means the world to me. My parents are here in Atlanta and I have one sister and a nephew. As you can imagine, they are elated about this new opportunity. I am sure you will see them around. Feel free to come up for an introduction and show them that great Mays spirit.

Professionally, I have been an educator for 19 years. I began my career as a high school science teacher at Southwest DeKalb High School. Shortly after graduating with my Doctor of Education degree, I was offered a wonderful opportunity to serve as the Curriculum Assistant Principal at Tech Charter High School. I was later offered a unique opportunity to serve as the Assistant Principal of the school from which I graduated, Tri-Cities High School. Most recently, I served as an Assistant Principal at North Springs High School. These experiences have shaped who I am professionally as a collaborative leader. I believe strongly in people and children. This leadership style has enriched my life and validated my beliefs about how children learn and what make schools great.

Great schools are a product of staff, students, parents, and community working together for the success of students.



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Success is attained when EVERY student is empowered to be college/career ready as they walk across the graduation stage on their way to being a contributing member of society. This is an audacious goal; I am confident that when all stakeholders work together as change agents towards a common goal to support student success, the sky is the limit on how much students can achieve. I am proud of how the schools I have served have rallied around this simple principle, and I am proud of the results we have achieved with this focus. As your principal, this will be my guiding focus to ensure all stakeholders are positioned to help our students achieve success. This is a servant leadership style and something you can expect from your administrative team at Benjamin E. Mays High School.

As the school year draws to a close, I am excited about being your next principal and eager to meet the staff and community over the next two months. I am looking forward to listening to your input on how to continue building on the successes of Benjamin E. Mays High School. As community and staff meetings are scheduled, we will make sure our message, direction and vision are all consistent with the concepts mentioned above. You can expect meaningful conversations about the future of Mays High School with all stakeholders.

Your proud Raiders Principal,

Dr. Mulanta Wilkins



Meet and Greet

Welcome the New Principal

Time: Tuesday, June 4, 2019

Date: 4:00 pm - 6:00 pm

Location: Benjamin E. Mays High School in the Media Center.

In addition, please take the time to complete the provided survey to ensure you have a voice on how to continue building on the successes of Benjamin E. Mays High School.

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Listening Tour

Please take an opportunity

to tell the administrative team about Benjamin E. Mays High School.



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