### **Rooted in Tradition**

John F. Kennedy High School began operation in the fall of 1966. John F. Kennedy once occupied 17.5 acres at 5700 Wisner Blvd next to the historic Bayou St. John. Renowned as one of the premier high schools in the city of New Orleans, John F. Kennedy is known for its historic marching band and its ability to develop leaders within the New Orleans community. The original site of John F. Kennedy closed in the fall of 2005 due to flood damage caused by Hurricane Katrina. The school returned to the community at 6026 Paris Ave. in the fall of 2018. In July 2020, KIPP (Knowledge is Power Program) New Orleans Schools became its charter management organization. At JFK, we are committed to continuing the tradition of excellence in everything we do.



# **Enroll Today**

To apply for a seat, visit *enrollnolaps.com*, click "Enroll Now", and select John F. Kennedy High School!

To find out more about John F. Kennedy High School and KIPP New Orleans Schools, visit us on social media.





CREATING UNLIMITED OPPORTUNITIES FOR ALL STUDENTS



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# **Academic Excellence**

- All KIPP High Schools in New Orleans offer multiple Advanced Placement pathways and include rigorous core curriculum. This combination, along with frequent teacher feedback and selective teacher hiring has led our schools to be among the top open-enrollment schools in New Orleans.
- John F. Kennedy High School has a recently revised core curriculum focused on ensuring that all Kennedy Cougars are prepared for college or career. Students at JFK can apply for the Bard Early College program where they can earn an Associate's Degree and 2 years of college credits. Students can also join the Alumni Teaching Force, a rigorous pathway to a career education that provides hands-on teaching experience and leads to a future teaching role with KIPP New Orleans Schools.

# **Focused on the Future**

- KIPP students across the country have access to our KIPP Forward team that focuses on supporting our students two years beyond high school graduation. At John F. Kennedy, we ensure that all college counselors have a 50:1 ratio -five times less than the national recommendation and nine times less than the state average. This means that each student and family gets significantly more personal attention. We support students from the beginning of their post-secondary planning until two years after they graduate from KIPP.
- If students choose a career pathway, we have extensive partnerships within the city to ensure that every student who graduates is prepared for a high-demand, high-wage job or apprenticeship.

# **Unlimited Opportunities**

- At KIPP, we believe that school plays a role in developing well-rounded students. At John F. Kennedy High School, students have the opportunity to participate in a wide array of extracurricular activities. Whether performing in the band at football games or during Mardi Gras, to playing football at Pan Am Stadium, our students are active members of both school and the New Orleans community.
- In addition, our facility offers students world-class spaces to showcase their talents. From the school's black box theater to our digital media lab, Kennedy students have access to all the resources they need.



#### Facts

12 Graduation PathwaysBard Early College Program

KIPP's only Gifted and Talented Arts Program
10 Advanced Placement courses offered

100% of 10th-12th graders enrolled in AP Course
9x more attention from College Counselors