

This form is for the Parent/Guardian of \_\_\_\_\_\_ who is currently an 8<sup>th</sup> grade student at Gunston or Jefferson Middle School and resides in a planning unit that is proposed for reassignment to Washington-Liberty High School effective for the start of the 2022-23 school year

Families may receive additional forms to complete if they have multiple students who would be impacted by the boundary proposal for the 2022-23 school year

APS is conducting a boundary adjustment process in Fall 2021 that is limited in scope, focusing on schools where enrollment currently exceeds capacity and/or enrollment exceeded capacity for the prior two school years, and a nearby school has capacity to accommodate additional students.

APS is proposing to reassign the following <u>planning units</u> from Wakefield High School to Washington-Liberty High School: 46110, 46120, 46111, 48160, 48180, 48290, 46140, 48150, 48280, 48281. The change will be effective for the start of the 2022-23 school year. **The boundary proposal applies to all current 8**<sup>th</sup> grade students and all new and future incoming students. Please note that current 8<sup>th</sup> grade students enrolled in the Immersion program may continue with that program at Wakefield and are not impacted by this change. Students attending Wakefield who are currently in grades 9-11 can also remain at Wakefield or may attend Washington-Liberty (newly assigned neighborhood high school) beginning in the 2022-23 school year.

The purpose of this form is to confirm that you have received information about this proposed boundary adjustment and to acknowledge that your current 8<sup>th</sup> grade student is proposed for reassignment to Washington-Liberty High School at the start of the 2022-23 school year.

## **Grandfathering Eligibility, Siblings, and Transportation Information**

- **Grandfathering:** APS staff are proposing a grandfathering provision that allows students attending Wakefield who are currently in grades 9-11 to remain at Wakefield through completion of 12<sup>th</sup> grade or attend their newly assigned neighborhood school (Washington-Liberty) beginning in the 2022-23 school year.
- **Siblings:** Younger siblings of current grade 9-11 students at Wakefield, who reside in one of the planning units proposed for reassignment, are not eligible for grandfathering under this proposal and would attend Washington-Liberty (newly assigned neighborhood school) when they matriculate to high school.
- Transportation: APS transportation will be provided to the current 8<sup>th</sup> grade students as they matriculate to Washington-Liberty at the start of the 2022-23 school year and will continue to be provided to grade 9-11 students in these planning units whether they remain at Wakefield or choose to attend W-L (newly assigned neighborhood school). The current grade 9-11 students in these planning units who remain at Wakefield would be provided transportation via <a href="https://doi.org/10.1007/jhub.2007

If you need assistance completing this form, please email <a href="mailto:apsboundaries@apsva.us">apsboundaries@apsva.us</a> or contact the Gunston or Jefferson main office and ask to speak with the bilingual family liaison.

Please visit the Fall 2021 Boundary Process webpage at <a href="https://www.apsva.us/engage/fall-2021-boundary-process">www.apsva.us/engage/fall-2021-boundary-process</a> for additional details about the process.

1.	Student's First Name
2.	Student's Last Name
3.	Student's ID
4.	Student's current neighborhood school
5.	Student's current grade
6.	I acknowledge the proposed boundary changes would reassign my current 8th grade student to Washington-Liberty High School effective at the start of the 2022-23 school year.
	Yes
7.	Parent/Guardian Name
8.	Day Phone
9.	Cell Phone
	Date

11. Do you have questions about the proposal or boundary process?