



This form is for the Parent/Guardian of _____ who is currently a 5th grade student at Hoffman-Boston and resides in a planning unit that is proposed for reassignment to Jefferson Middle 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 was at or 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 [planning units](#) from Gunston Middle School to Jefferson Middle School: 46140, 48150, 48280, 48281, 48290. The change would be effective for the start of the 2022-23 school year. **The boundary proposal applies to all incoming 6th grade students (currently in 5th grade in 2021-22), and all new and future incoming middle school students.**

The purpose of this form is to confirm that you have received information about this proposed boundary adjustment and to acknowledge that your current grade 5 student is proposed for reassignment to Jefferson Middle 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 Gunston who are currently in 6th or 7th grade to remain at Gunston through completion of 8th grade or attend their newly assigned neighborhood school (Jefferson) beginning in the 2022-23 school year.
- **Siblings:** Younger siblings of current 6th and 7th grade students at Gunston, who reside in one of the planning units proposed for reassignment, are not eligible for grandfathering under this proposal and would attend Jefferson Middle School (newly assigned neighborhood school) when they matriculate to middle school.
- **Transportation:** APS transportation will be provided to the current 5th grade students as they matriculate to Jefferson at the start of the 2022-23 school year and will continue to be provided to 6th and 7th grade students in these planning units whether they remain at Gunston or choose to attend Jefferson (newly assigned neighborhood school). The current 6th and 7th grade students in these planning units who remain at Gunston would be provided transportation via [hub stops](#).

If you need assistance completing this form, please email apsboundaries@apsva.us or contact the Hoffman-Boston main office and ask to speak with the bilingual family liaison.

Please visit the Fall 2021 Boundary Process webpage at www.apsva.us/engage/fall-2021-boundary-process 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 5th grade student to Jefferson Middle School effective at the start of the 2022-23 school year.

_____ Yes
7. Parent/Guardian Name- _____
8. Day Phone- _____
9. Cell Phone- _____
10. Date- _____
11. Do you have questions about the proposal or boundary process?