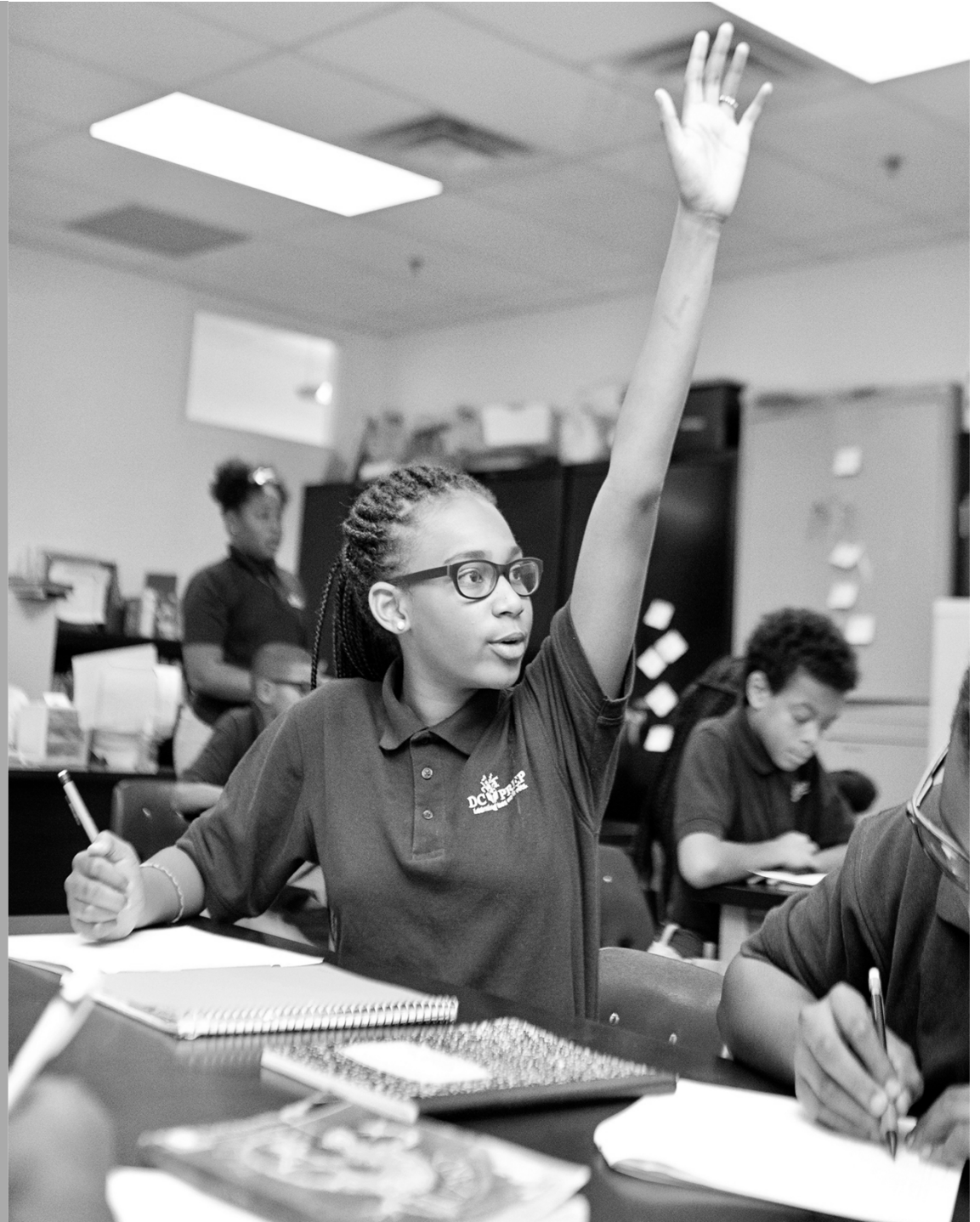




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Anacostia Middle Campus



DC Prep History

- **Founded in 2003**
- **6 campuses located in**
 - Ward 5 (Edgewood)
 - Ward 7 (Benning)
 - Ward 8 (Anacostia)
- **Foundation of program is Social-Emotional Learning, Wellness, and Identity**
- **Support Alumni through College Graduation/Career**



Timeline

- **Anacostia Elementary Campus (AEC) PK-3 - opened in 2015**
- **Anacostia Middle Campus (AMC) 4-8 - opened in 2020 in its temporary location (2 years) in the Birney Building with first class of 4th grade students**
- **During search for long-term facility for AMC, purchased 1619 Frankford St in Dec 2019**
- **After frequent dialogue with members of the Fort Stanton community, paused all work on 1619, and pursued other facility options (including Birney Building)**
- **Summer 2020, Mayor's budget released sharing that Birney was no longer an option, but Wilkinson could be an option**
- **Made commitment with neighbors to no longer work on 1619, and fully focus efforts to locate AMC in Wilkinson**
- **Fort Stanton residents were very supportive and submitted letters of support to the City**

Wilkinson Facility (2330 Pomeroy Rd SE)

What have we been doing? -

- Learning more about the facility
 - Tour, assessment, talking with neighbors, other orgs, etc.
- Putting together a Project team
- Learning/Troubleshooting potential concerns in the Facility



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Once we are in Wilkinson –

- Neighborhood Advisory Committee
- Community Meetings
- Fundraisers
- Events at the Amphitheater
- Community Partnership (Martha's Table)
- And more



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- Monthly Newsletter
- Quarterly Virtual Community Meetings
- Neighborhood Advisory Committee

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