



KIPP:NEWARK
NEWARK LAB HIGH SCHOOL

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At KIPP Newark Lab High School we know that students who become innovators, leaders, and influencers will have started as students who wrote, designed, built, and experimented every day.

90.4%

ELIGIBLE
FOR FREE OR
REDUCED-PRICE LUNCH

14%

QUALIFY FOR
SPED SERVICES

81%

AFRICAN AMERICAN
STUDENTS

6%

LATINX STUDENTS

12%

MULTIRACIAL STUDENTS

499

OF STUDENTS

9-12

GRADES

ABOUT KIPP NEWARK LAB HIGH SCHOOL

KIPP Newark Lab High School opened in 2019 as KIPP New Jersey's second high school and has grown to educate 499 students in grades 9-12. NLHS educates students from KIPP middle schools along with some new-to KIPP students from other Newark schools. Located in the Central Ward near NJIT and Rutgers Newark, NLHS offers a progressive, college preparatory educational experience, with a focus on project-based learning and design. AP course options offer students the chance to engage in rigorous learning, and students participate in clubs and sports at either KIPP NLHS or in conjunction with KIPP NCA.

ABOUT KIPP NEWARK

KIPP Newark schools are part of the nationally recognized "Knowledge Is Power Program" non-profit network of college preparatory, public charter schools educating elementary, middle, and high school students. In 2002, 80 fifth graders walked through the doors of our first middle school in Newark, New Jersey. KIPP Newark has since grown to teach 6,321 students in

grades K-12 across 12 schools in Newark. Ninety of KIPP Newark students currently qualify for free or reduced meals.

KIPP Newark alumni earn college degrees at more than three times the national average compared to their peers. By offering highly effective educators with strong bonds to families, more time in school learning, services that support a variety of student needs, and a culture focused on achievement, our students are on the path to and through college, career, and beyond.



WHAT MAKES KIPP NEWARK LAB HIGH SCHOOL UNIQUE?

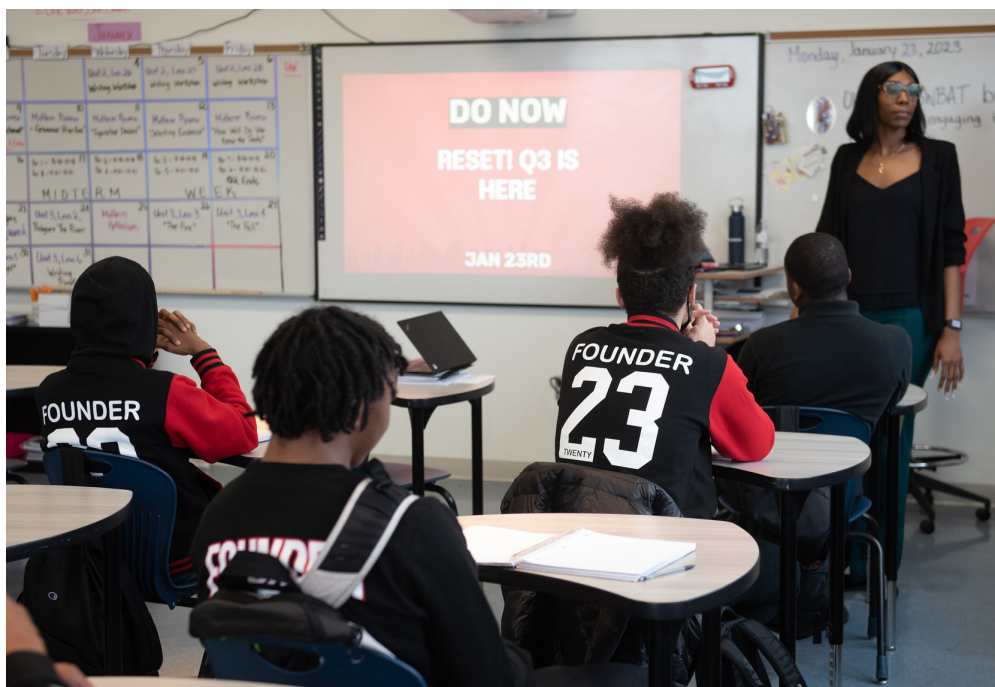
DESIGN THINKING

"Design thinking" is a framework for solving problems. Beginning in 9th grade, students enroll in a Design Elective, where they learn some of the basic tenets of design thinking and engage in several design projects and challenges. Students follow criteria like budget, size, or duration, map out the creation of a product, structure, or project, and then create! Be it documentary films, tiny houses, furniture, or functioning robots – all can be created using the techniques of design. Freshman present projects to their peers and family at the Freshmen Design Fair. And, by the end of 12th grade, seniors will use their knowledge of design

to present their Life Design, where they will describe to an invited audience their five-year plan from the end of high school.

COLLEGE & CAREER SUPPORT

We support our students on their journeys to college and careers. This goes beyond simply helping students find the school that's right for them. Our KIPP Forward counselors arrange over 50 college visits, regularly meet students on campus, and host alumni events. KIPP Forward's career-readiness programming offers students the opportunity to learn valuable skills like writing a resume, mock interviews, and more.



HOW ARE STUDENTS PROGRESSING?

MEASURING PROGRESS

NLHS provides students and families with ample data to measure progress. They include regular ACT diagnostics each year so students can see their progress on college readiness standards, regular progress reports with academic data on class performance, reading growth data, among others.

RESULTS THAT MATTER

Though we focus on character, our students also receive an education that prepares them for college and beyond. A

2023 study by Mathematica showed that KIPP middle and high school students are 31% more likely to complete college than their peers who did not attend KIPP. The study found the effect was great enough to nearly close college completion gap between Black and Hispanic students and their peers.

Our dedicated KIPP Forward team of college and career counselors will support high school alumni long after they've left our classrooms.

VALUES

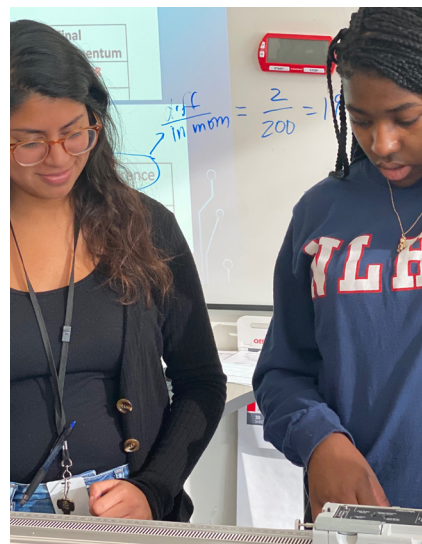
CONNECTION

CREATIVITY

CRITICAL THINKING

UNDERSTANDING OF SELF

PROBLEM SOLVING



MEET DANIELLE BURROUGHS, SCHOOL LEADER

Danielle Burroughs serves as the school leader of **KIPP Newark Lab High School** and is a proud Newark, New Jersey native. She joined the NLHS community in July 2020 serving as Assistant Principal. Prior to joining NLHS, she was an English teacher at the region's first high school, **KIPP Newark Collegiate Academy**, before serving as the department's Grade Level Chair and then the school's Dean of Students. Danielle earned her bachelor's degree from Temple University, a master's degree in Teaching, Learning and Curriculum from Grand Canyon University, and is currently obtaining a Doctor of Education in Learning and Organizational Change from Baylor University.