



# *James B Dudley Academy*

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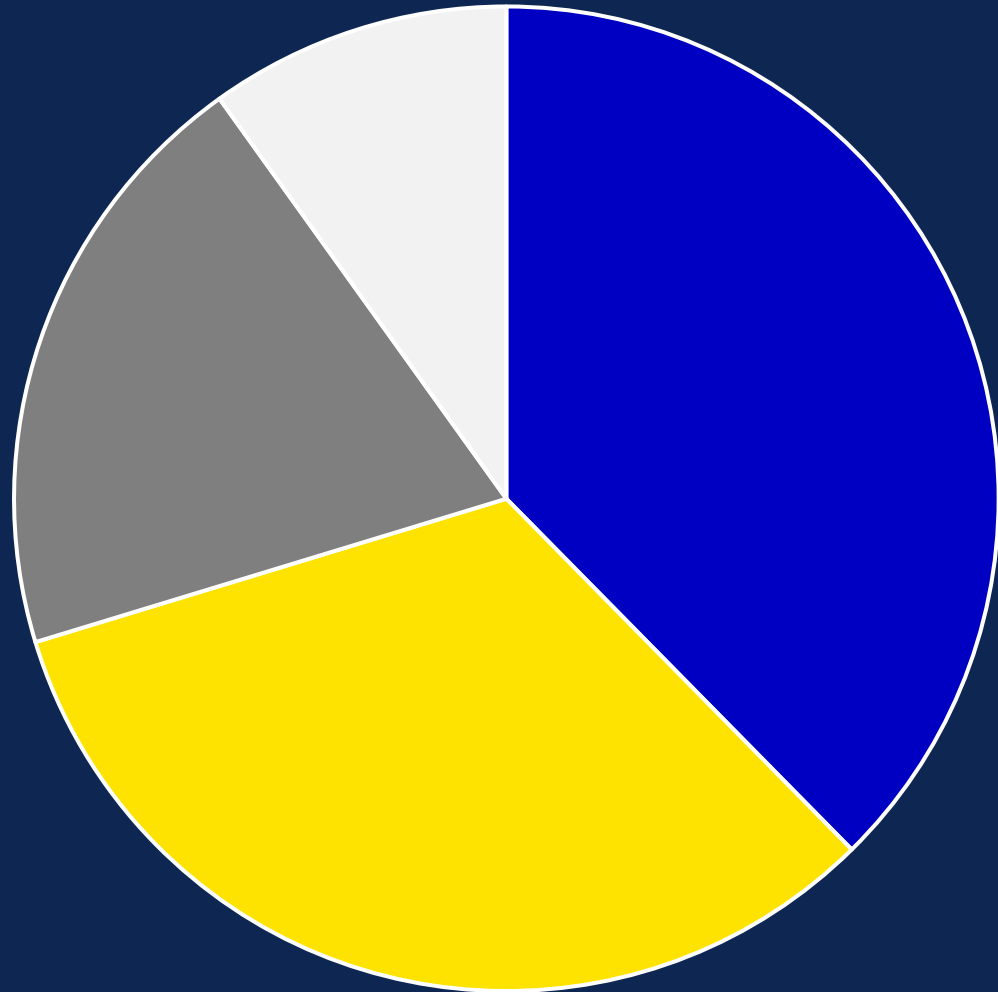
Annual Fund July 2023

# Mission



*The mission of the James B Dudley Academy is to provide high quality affordable education. We provide safe and reliable spaces for learning. We strive to be on the front line of innovation. We are a community of lifelong learners. We have a common goal of developing resilient education opportunities.*

# Allocation/innitiviative



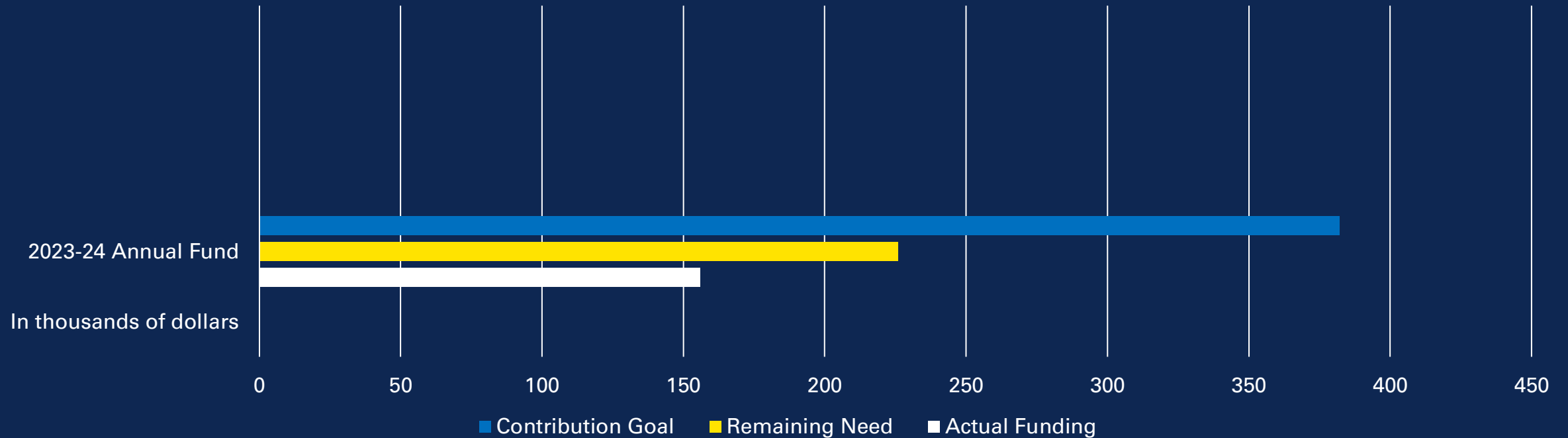
# Annual Fund Campaign



- Academic Achievement 38%
- Learning Environment 33%
- Whole Child Enrichment 20%
- Extra Curricular Development 10%

# Annual Fund Goals

Chart Title



# *Initiatives*

## ❖ *Academic Achievement*



## ❖ *Learning Environment*



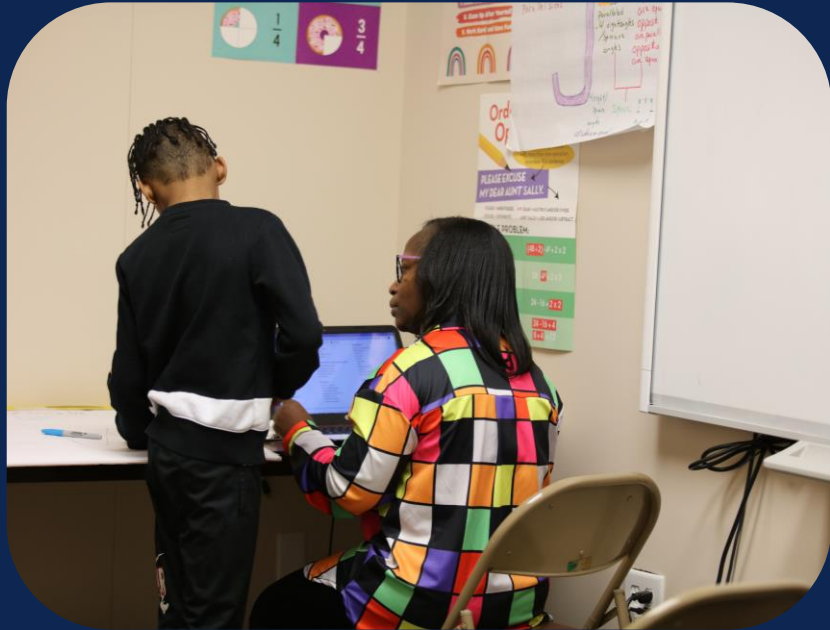
## ❖ *Whole Child Enrichment*



## ❖ *Extracurricular Development*



# Academic Achievement



Implement innovative strategies in reading and math



Accomplish IEP and other individualized objectives



Developing appropriate and realistic goals.



Improved assessment outcomes in Winter/Spring ERB



Implementation of advanced and intervention small groups.



Expand technology exposure and develop fundamental skills



Offer engaging opportunities and spark student excitement

# Learning Environment



Reliable transportation increases student attendance



Breakfast & Lunch improve student nutrition and engagement



Innovative learning spaces promote student ownership



Small class size improves participation and achievement.



Gym access provides safe, unique, outlet for stress and distractions.



Learning labs provide access to technology and safe internet exploration



Expansion building will provide additional learning lab, dedicated music/art space

# *Whole Child Development*

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- ❖ *Art- students experience 2D/3D digital art and more.*
- ❖ *Computer Basics- students become confident, and proficient with everyday technology*
- ❖ *STEM- students learn coding, graphic design, and computer science with relevant applications like Roblox*
- ❖ *Music students explore music and sound technology and can delve into private lessons*
- ❖ *Martial Arts- Students learn nutrition and self defense through kickboxing and jiu jitsu*

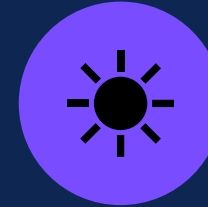


# Extracurricular Activities

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After-school provides additional academic support, physical education, enrichment programs in arts, games, music & technology



Summer programs hosts summer care and specialized week classes for the community



Martial Arts increases, confidence while making new friends, learning self defense, and competing.



Part-time learning gives students a chance to participate in one or more of Dudley's programs as supplement to an alternative school environment or homeschool.

# Reviews from annual fund contributors



**Pasha Krise**

4 reviews

★★★★★ a year ago

Our three boys have been taking classes (martial arts and preschool) at Dudley since November 2021. We cannot sing enough praises about our experience and the positive effect it has had on our children and family. This was our older boys first experience in martial arts and the coaches have been fantastic role models and teachers. They competed with Dudley and my oldest won two gold medals after only 4 months in jujitsu! They've gained confidence, have learned greater self-control and have a way to get out all their energy in a safe space and way. We were seeking an inclusive, early education environment for our four-year-old. As homeschoolers, we are less concerned with the type of curriculum, as we follow our own, but more so the energy and compassion in social structures in this age group. Kwabene Williams (owner/director and current preschool teacher) has not only met our youngest's needs, and fulfilled our hope for his early education, he has been understanding, kind and flexible with the needs of our whole family. We recommend Dudley 100% to homeschooling, after-care, remote learners, martial arts and preschoolers. We are so thankful for this resource in our community. And best of all - our kids LOVE Dudley and Coach Bene!



**Jessica Brown**

Local Guide · 25 reviews · 4 photos

★★★★★ 9 months ago

10/10 would recommend Dudley Academy to anyone with children! My 2 boys have started coming here for their after school program. I couldn't be more happy with my decision to have my boys attend. Owner/director Kwabene Williams and staff are some of the nicest people I have ever met! My children come home and say nothing but good things about the teachers, their friends, and their experiences here. My favorite part of the day is picking the boys up and hearing all about the things they did that day! So happy with every part of my experience!!



**Eric Riley** ★

recommends **The James B Dudley Academy of Wilmington.**

April 15, 2022 · 🌐

My son learns, grows, and thrives at James B. Dudley. He loves going there and is picking up Spanish very well. I can't recommend Kwabene Williams enough!



**Patrick Nora**

2 reviews

★★★★★ a year ago

Our son has been taking classes for guitar, kick boxing, wrestling and a game development course here for months now. He loves the people, the instructors, and being able to learn so many different things that interest him in one place. He is looking forward to the Summer camps! Highly recommended!



**Andrea Myers** ★

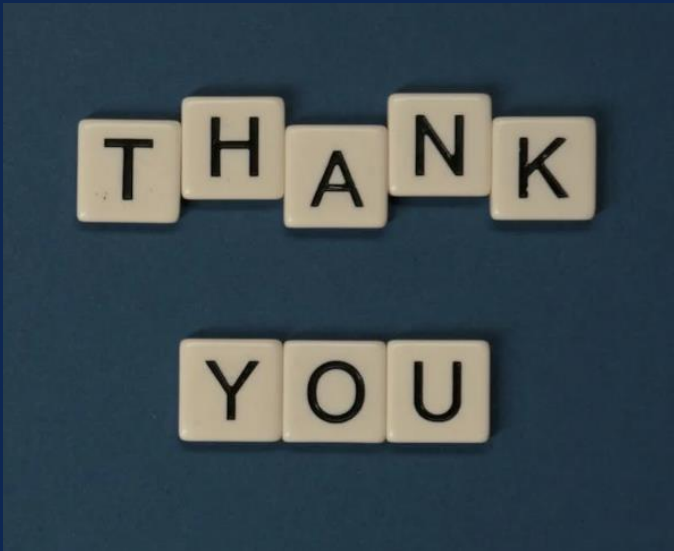
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April 16, 2022 · 🌐

We started going here in February as supplemental learning to homeschool. Our son loves this school so much and so do we! We love the variety of learning that he is able to get along with being able to drop off for just a class or the whole day. The overall concept is very flexible and evolving as are the needs of the community for an awesome place just like this!



# 2022-23 Annual Fund Contributors



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