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1st Floor

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2nd Floor

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3rd Floor
INTERPRETIVE GATEWAYS
CONCEPT SKETCHES

INTERPRETIVE MONUMENT
VACATION LANE
>50% student body and most visitors arrive here

students entered here 1st day

protests occurred in 1958 attempt and successful 1959 integration

sitelines from private home where parents watched in 1959
THEATRE ARTS WING
INSPIRATION IMAGES

INTERPRETIVE MONUMENT

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On the morning of February 2, 1959 four African American seventh graders entered Stratford Junior High School and joined the student body, making this the first school in the Commonwealth of Virginia to be successfully integrated.

We honor their bravery and the commitment and hard work of their families and the community members who supported them on that day, and before and after, breaking down barriers of prejudice and ignorance.

Throughout our school and our campus you will find stories and testimony of Michael Jones, Lance Newman, Ronald Deskins and Gloria Thompson and other pioneers who remind us of our heritage and the values we share: respect, inclusiveness, tolerance, and courage.
HEART OF SCHOOL GALLERY

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VOICES OF FREEDOM
“Darkness cannot drive out darkness; only light can do that. Hate cannot drive out hate; only love can do that.”

MARTIN LUTHER KING JR.
STORY SHARING
OUTSIDE NEW ENTRY