



MEET MS. MICHELLE FELTON

Principal of Harrisburg High School, John Harris Campus

“It is my honor to be entrusted with leading Harrisburg High School, John Harris Campus with a team of dedicated teachers, staff members, and administrators in a manner that ensures all students have the opportunity to share their excellence.”

Michelle Felton’s life’s work and passion is education! As the newly appointed principal of Harrisburg High School, John Harris Campus, Ms. Felton brings 22 years of service in public education; 18 of those years have been dedicated to serving the students, families, and teachers of the Harrisburg School District. Ms. Felton joined the Harrisburg School District in 2003 as one of the founding teachers of Harrisburg High School, SciTech Campus. Prior to becoming an administrator, Ms. Felton served as a social studies teacher, team leader, and social studies department chair during her 13-year tenure at the SciTech Campus. Ms. Felton later joined the District’s Academic Services team as a teacher on assignment to provide professional development and instructional coaching support for the District’s social studies teachers. In this role, Ms. Felton invested significant time supporting teachers and students at Harrisburg High School, John Harris Campus, and when the opportunity presented itself, she accepted a position as the building’s instructional coach. Prior to assuming the helm of leadership as principal of Harrisburg’s flagship high school, Ms. Felton served John Harris students, families, and staff in the role of assistant principal and associate principal. In addition to her educational contributions, Ms. Felton proudly served in the United States Air Force for four years. She has served the community of Harrisburg in a variety of capacities to include serving as the advisor to the Harrisburg City Council’s Youth Commission, a board member of the Harrisburg Public Schools Foundation, and as a member of the Harrisburg Alumni Chapter of Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Inc. She has been recognized for her leadership in the field of literacy by the Capital Region Literacy Council and the American Literacy Corporation. Ms. Felton is a graduate of Shippensburg University and holds a Bachelor’s degree in Secondary Social Studies Education, a Master’s degree in Special Education, and a Principal’s Certification through the Learning to Lead Urban Residency Program. Ms. Felton recently returned to Shippensburg University to pursue her Superintendent’s Letter of Eligibility and Doctorate in Educational Leadership. During her free time, Ms. Felton enjoys spending time with her son, family, and friends, going to the beach, and dining at unique, unknown restaurants.

