

# WASHINGTON LEADERSHIP ACADEMY

*TECHNOLOGY AND SERVICE  
FOR TOMORROW'S LEADERS*

## AWARD TYPE

New start

## GRADES SERVED

9; ultimately 9-12

## OPERATOR TYPE

Charter

## STUDENTS SERVED

110; ultimately 400

## LOCATION

Ward 5

Washington Leadership Academy (WLA) is a public charter high school dedicated to providing students from disenfranchised Washington, D.C. communities with high-quality educational experiences. From **four years of cutting-edge computer science instruction** to an internship in the real world to international travel, WLA students will be prepared not only for success in college but for **lives of public leadership**. WLA is also a **research and development laboratory school for innovative education interventions**, such as trauma-informed restorative justice system and student-led town hall meetings on current issues.