

Houston County Education Timeline

- 1870** School commissioner position created
- 1871** County BOE appointed by Grand Jury
- 1873** 1st reporting of schools to the State (36 community schools in Houston County)
- 1889** 1st high school opened in Houston County (Perry High School)
- 1901** 1st BOE facility purchase
- 1904** Taxes were levied on property to support public schools statewide
- 1911** Public high schools added statewide
- 1915** BOE, consisting of 5 board members and one superintendent, elected by the people
- 1917** 1st federal funding for vocational education through Smith-Hughes Act
- 1921-1925** Rosenwald Schools built with matching funds from the BOE
- 1927** 1st high school accredited by Southern Accreditation (Perry High School)
- 1935-38** Free textbooks for all students
- 1936-37** Transportation provided by BOE
- 1946** Compulsory attendance for ages 6-16
- 1947-48** 12th grade added
- 1950** BOE began matching Social Security



Perry High School, 1889
1st High School in Houston County
(Previously Houston Female College)



Kings Chapel School, 1920
1st School Built by Board of Education
(Rosenwald School)



Perry Consolidated School, 1925
1st Brick School Building and 1st
fully-equipped Science Lab in Georgia

Houston County School Superintendents

Charles M. Neel	1871
Capt. D. M. Brown	1876
William Francis Killen	1877-1892
W. B. Dew	1893-1895
Edward Shelley Wellons	1896-1900
George W. Smith	1900-1911
Frank M. Greene	1911-1921 1941-1944
Millard C. Moseley	1921-1925
Rev. Wade Hampton Lord	1925-1926
Houston P. Houser	1926-1934
Walter Bower Evans	1934-1938
Seabie W. Hickson	1938-1940 1944-1950
Lewis Tabor	1950-1959
David Alfred Perdue	1960-1980
Matthew C. Arthur	1981-1988
Dr. Harold Chapman	1989-1992
Tony Hinnant	1993-1998
Dr. Charles Holloway	1998-2003
Danny Carpenter	2003-2007
David Carpenter	2007-2010
Dr. Robin Hines	2010-2014
Dr. Mark A. Scott	2014-

**Schools Built by Houston County
Board of Education**

**Schools Built by Houston County
Board of Education, continued**

**Schools Acquired by Houston
County Board of Education**

Kings Chapel School	1920
Byron School	1921
Jerusalem School	1922
Mt. Nebo School	1922
Myrtle School	1923
Powersville School	1923
Green Grove School	1924
Henderson School	1924
McKenzie School	1924
Mt. Olive School	1925
Houston County Training School	1925
Perry High Consolidated School	1925
Thomas Elementary	1945
Warner Robins High (Rumble)	1945
Watson Elementary	1946
Perry Elementary	1946
Westside Elementary	1952
Pearl Stephens	1953
Lindsey Elementary	1954
Houston High	1955
Warner Robins High	1955
Southside Elementary	1955
New Hope Elementary	1955
Miller Elementary	1956
Perry High	1956
Bonaire Elementary	1960
Tabor Middle	1960
Kings Chapel Elementary	1962
Northside High	1963
Parkwood Elementary	1963

Tucker Elementary	1963
Shirley Hills Elementary	1964
Centerville Elementary	1967
Elberta Elementary	1967
Morningside Elementary	1970
Northside Middle	1970
Warner Robins Middle	1970
Russell Elementary	1971
Houston County Vocational	1971
Northside Elementary	1989
Houston County High	1991
David Perdue Elementary	1993
Quail Run Elementary	1994
Feagin Mill Middle	1996
Bonaire Middle	1996
Perry Middle	1997
Eagle Springs Elementary	1999
Matt Arthur Elementary	1999
David Perdue Primary	2003
Lake Joy Elementary (Lake Joy Primary)	2003
Thomson Middle	2004
Huntington Middle	2005
Hilltop Elementary	2007
Lake Joy Elementary	2007
Mossy Creek Middle	2007
Veterans High	2010
C. B. Watson Primary	2013
Langston Road Elementary	2015

Perry Public School
Ben Hill School
Bonaire School
Centerville School
Cleveland School
Dunbar School
Elberta School
Elko School
Fairview School
Feagan School
Fitzgerald School
Grovania School
Hattie School
Hayneville School
Henderson School
Kathleen School
Lakeside School
Lakeview School
Linwood School
Murph School
Oakland School
Small's Academy
Springhill School
Tivola School
Union School
Wellston School