Dr. Talisa Dixon

Dr. Talisa Dixon is Columbus City Schools’ 21st Superintendent since 1847. She is in her first full school year as Superintendent, but she is no stranger to Columbus.

She spent nine years in our District from 2001 to 2010, as a principal at Brookhaven High School and at Columbus Alternative High School.

Dr. Dixon returned to Columbus last March after serving for five years as Superintendent of the Cleveland Heights-University Heights City School District. She previously was the Deputy Superintendent for the Saginaw Public School District in Michigan.

She began her career in education first as a social studies teacher and then an assistant principal in Akron Public Schools.

A native of Oxford, Mississippi, Dr. Dixon received her Bachelor of Arts degree in Sociology from Mississippi Valley State University. She earned three Masters of Arts degrees and a Doctor of Education degree from the University of Akron.