Department of Correction

2023 Non-Traditional and Alternative Education Summit

Building Bridges Over Troubled Waters for Juveniles in TDOC Custody

Virginia Crump, Superintendent of Education

2023-2028 School District Strategic Plan

2023 - 2028

Tennessee Department of Correction
EDUCATION 5 YEAR STRATEGIC PLAN
Effective February 1, 2023

A Five-Year Comprehensive Plan for providing Academic and Career and Technical Education programs to eligible offenders incarcerated within the Tennessee Department of Correction.

Reviewed by the Strategic Plan Committee January 26, 2023

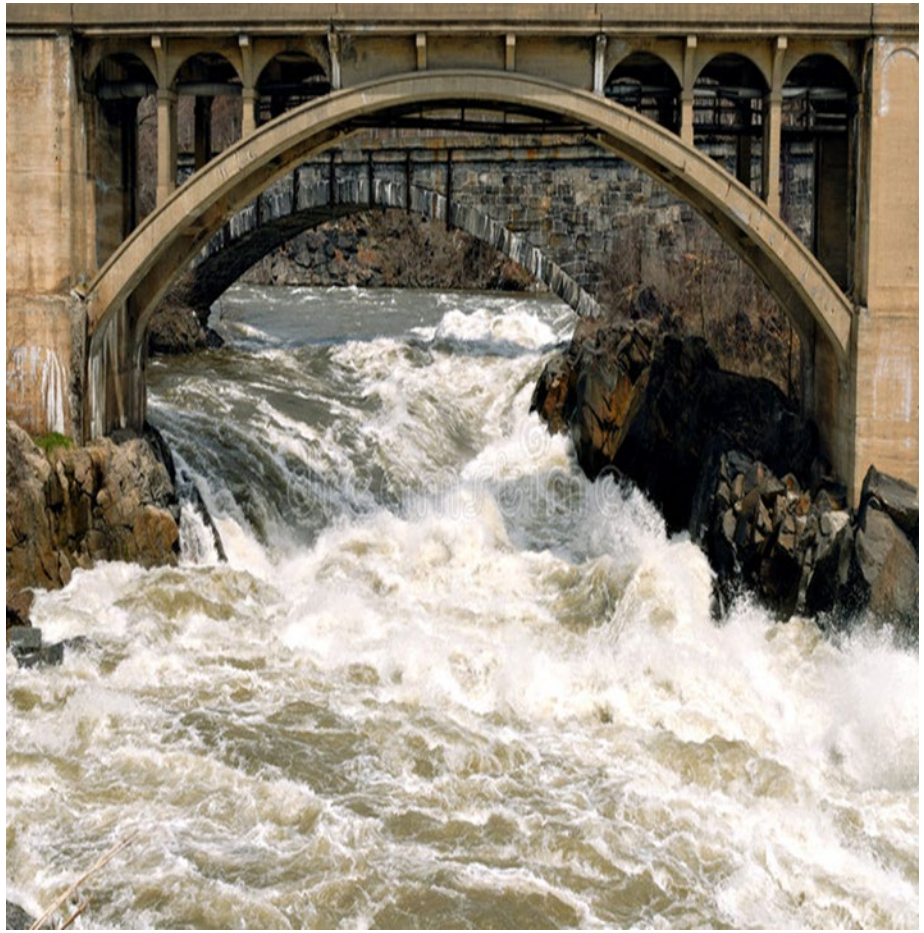
Reviewed and Approved by the Tennessee Department of Education
February 15, 2023

TN Department of Correction

6 C's of Correction Education

- **Culture** of High Expectations & Accountability
- Rigorous **Curriculum** and Instruction
- Effective **Communications**
- Recruiting & Retaining **Competent** Staff
- Reintegrating Students with **Communities**
- Maximizing **Computer** Technology

TDOC Education – Building Bridges



Sharing Strategies

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6 C's of Correction Education

TAKE NOTES ON STRATEGIES TO SERVE JUVENILES (get prizes)

CULTURE	CURRICULUM	COMMUNICATIONS
COMPETENT	COMMUNITY	COMPUTERS

MISSION

To provide a personalized, safe, and orderly learning environment for all students to:

- excel on all tests;
- receive a high school equivalency diploma, a CTE certificate of completion, a post-secondary degree; and,
- be successful in reintegration with their families and communities.

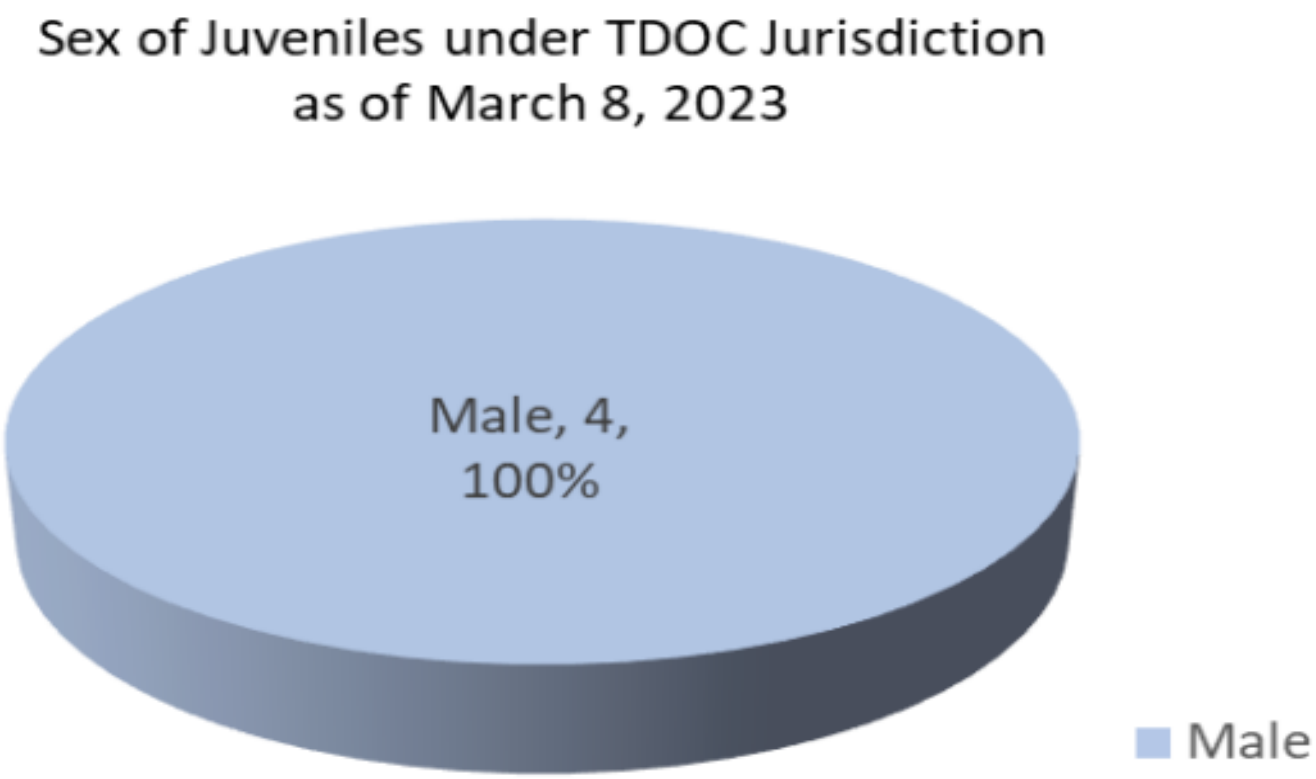
Intake Facilities

Correctional Complexes (Long-Term Placement) Northwest TN Correctional Complex and Debra K. Johnson Rehabilitation Center for Women

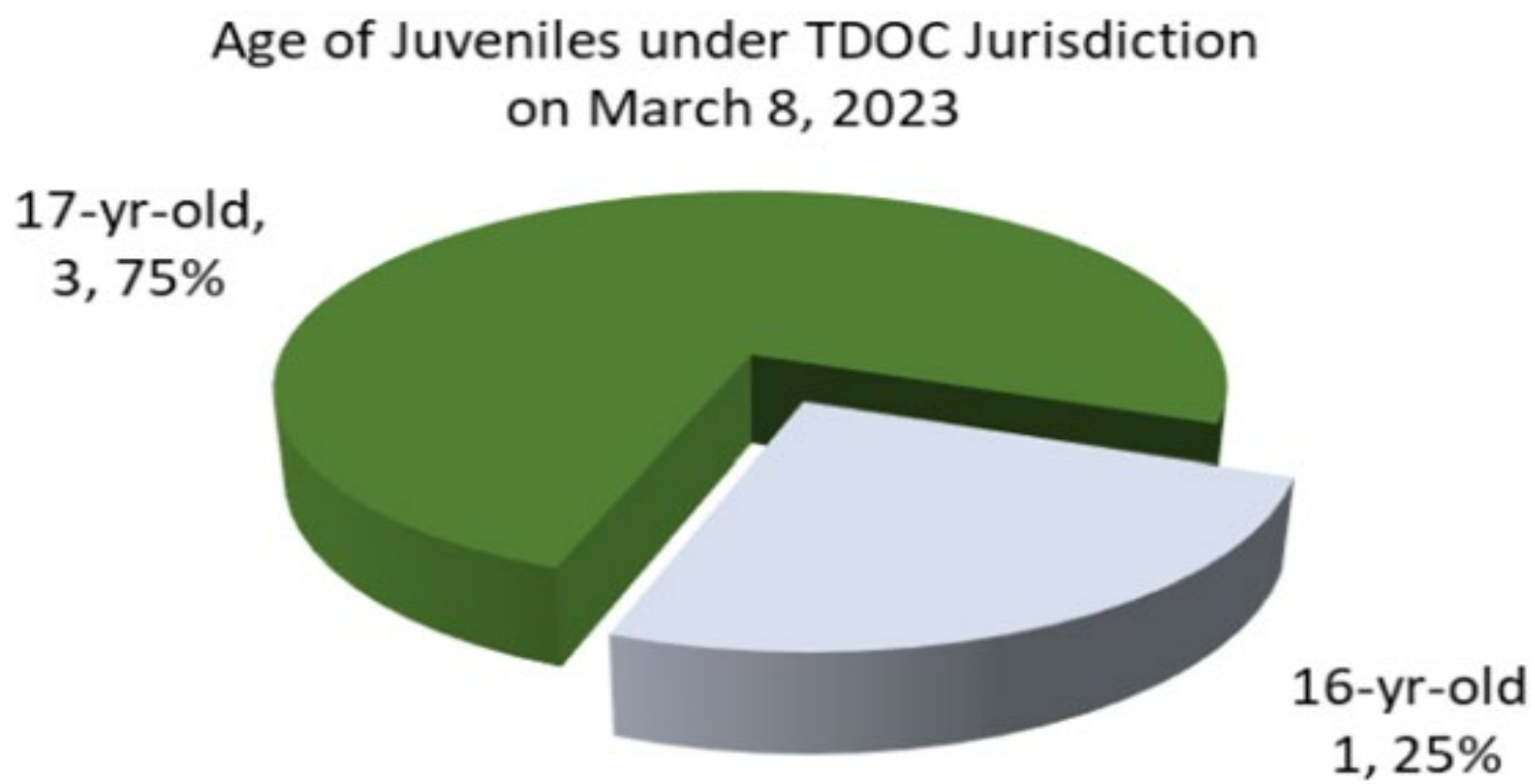
Youth are placed in “prison” when they are charged as an adult and found guilty of at least one aggravated felony offense

Juveniles may be remanded to TDOC custody for safekeeping if they pose a threat to security in a juvenile facility. They may also be placed in protective custody for their personal safety at an adult facility.

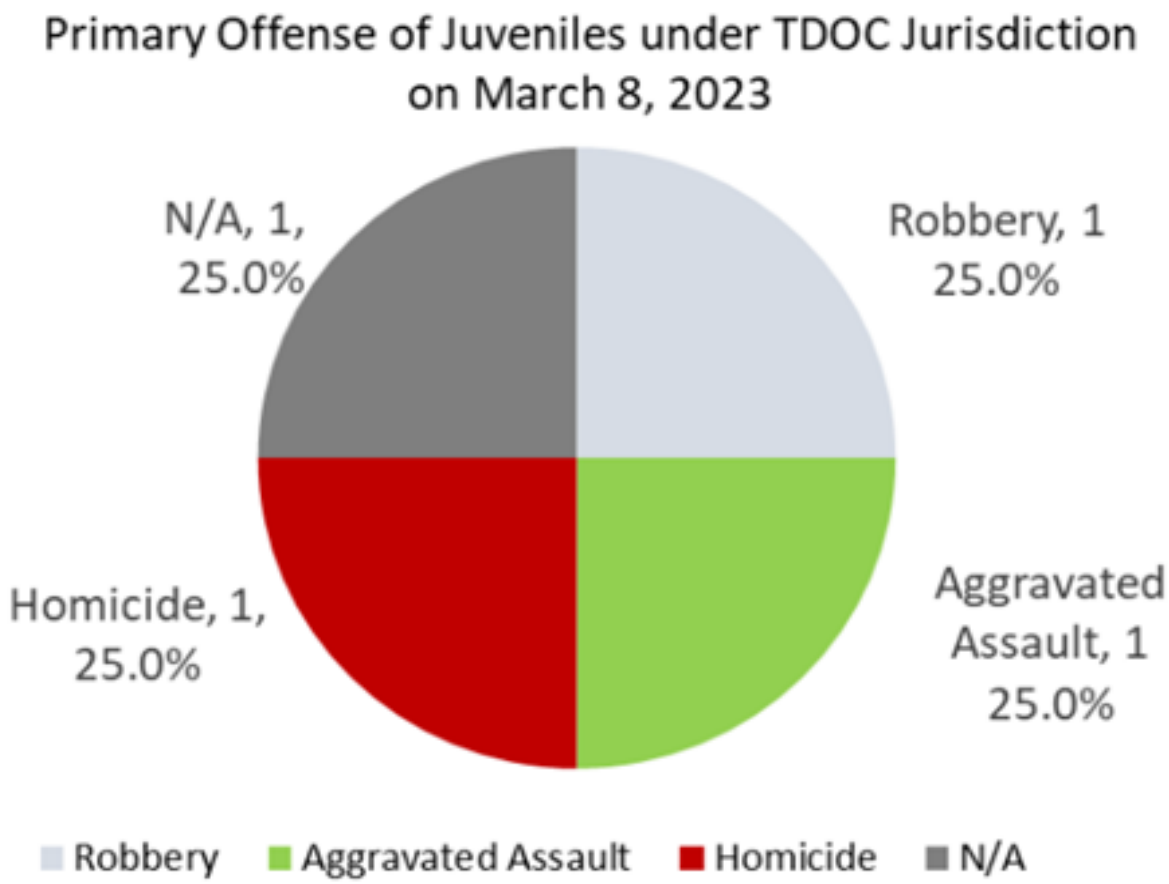
Juveniles


Sex of Juveniles under TDOC Jurisdiction
as of March 8, 2023
Male, 4,
100%
Male

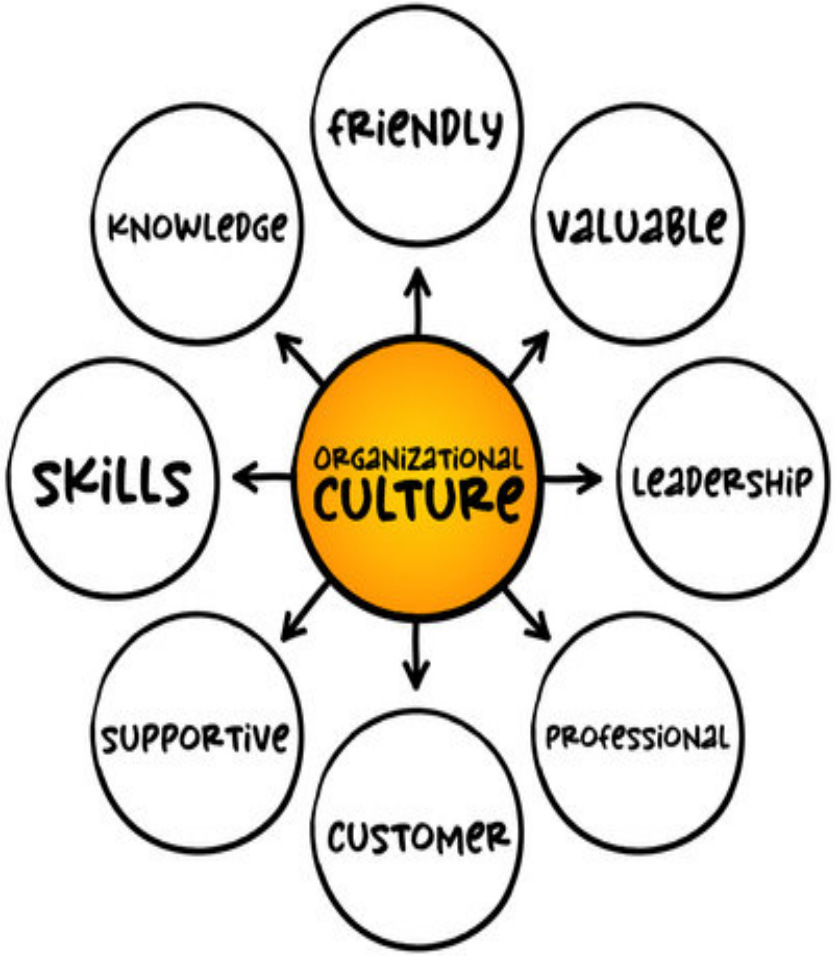
Juveniles


Age of Juveniles under TDOC Jurisdiction on March 8, 2023
17-yr-old, 3, 75%
16-yr-old 1, 25%

Juvenile Offenses

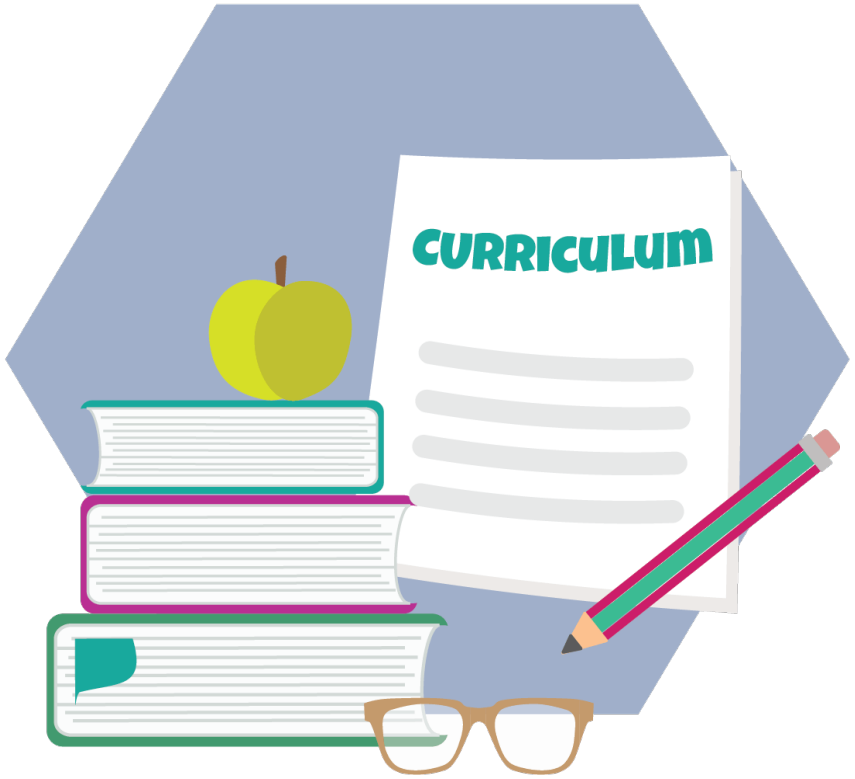


Strategic Goal 1 - CULTURE



Build a district culture based on high expectations, respect, and co-accountability for performance that recognizes and rewards excellence at all levels of the district

Strategic Goal 2 - CURRICULUM



Ensure curriculum, instruction, and assessment are designed and delivered with a focus on content rigor, student engagement, and continuous improvement of academic achievement

Strategic Goal 3 - COMMUNICATIONS

Improve internal and external communications throughout the district

Strategic Goal 4 - COMPETENT

Develop systems for recruiting, selecting, hiring, developing, evaluating, and retaining highly competent, caring, and student-centered Instructors and School Leaders throughout the district

Strategic Goal 5 - COMMUNITIES

Reintegrating with communities

- YAOP
- General Populations
- Reentry

Strategic Goal 6 - COMPUTERS

Maximize computer technology applications and resources to facilitate effective instructional delivery and student learning

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Juvenile Program to Bachelor's Program

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Discussion

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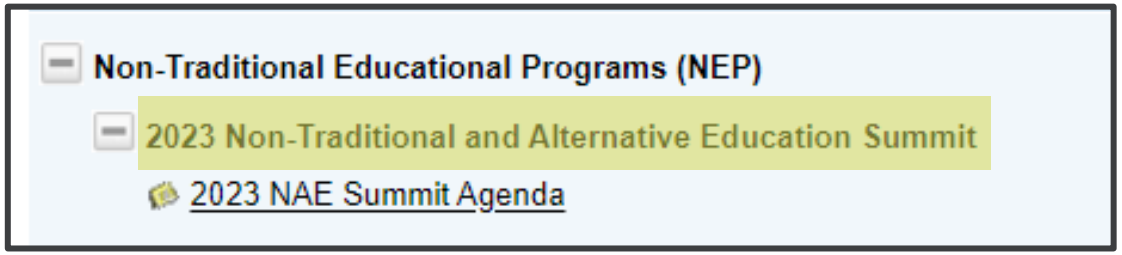

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