





**Will Pinkston – District 7**

Metropolitan Nashville School Board member Will Pinkston has represented District 7 since 2012. Mr. Pinkston is a communications professional working in K-12 and postsecondary education reform. He previously served as senior advisor to former Tennessee Governor Phil Bredesen and helped develop nationally recognized policies including Tennessee's First to the Top and Complete College Tennessee initiatives.

In 2010, Mr. Pinkston served as managing director of advocacy for the State Collaborative on Reforming Education (SCORE), a nonprofit group founded by former U.S. Senate Majority Leader Bill Frist. Mr. Pinkston has worked as a reporter for The Wall Street Journal, The Tennessean and the Clarion-Ledger in Jackson, Miss. Mr. Pinkston currently works as a communications consultant for Sync Strategies, a company he founded. He earned his bachelor's in communications at the University of Tennessee.

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METRO  
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SCHOOLS

**Schools in District 7:**

- Croft Middle Design Center
- Glenclyff Elementary
- Glenclyff High School
- Glengarry Elementary
- Glenview Elementary
- John B. Whitsitt Elementary
- MNPS Middle School Alternative Learning Center
- New Vision Academy
- Norman Binkley Elementary
- Rocketship United Academy
- Una Elementary School
- Wright Middle
- Waverly-Belmont Elementary
- Smith Springs Elementary