

Little Learners, Big Questions: Second Graders Visit the District Court

On March 28, 2025, a group of curious and enthusiastic second graders from St. George's Independent School made a memorable stop at the U.S. District Court during a walking history tour of downtown Memphis.

The students visited the courtroom of U.S. District Judge Mark S. Norris, who welcomed them from the bench before stepping down to interact with the young visitors more personally. Judge Norris spoke to the students about the U.S. Constitution, the differences between state and federal courts, civil and criminal cases, jury service, and the roles of court staff in the courtroom. The students asked Judge Norris many thoughtful questions, sparking a lively exchange.

