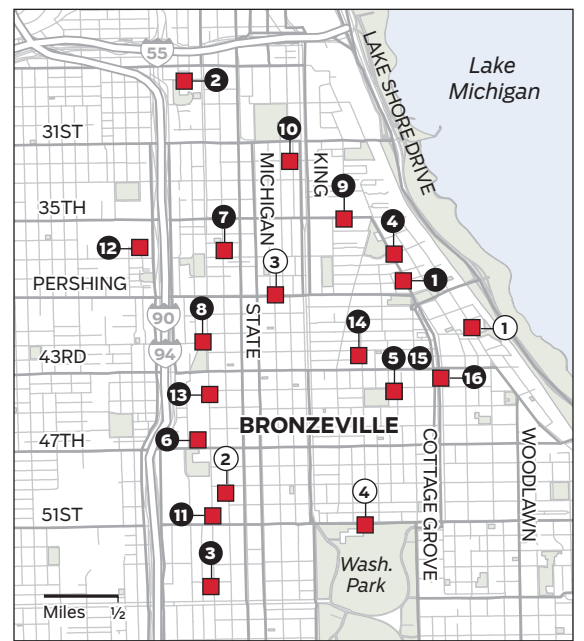


CPS shake-ups bounce Bronzeville students from school to school

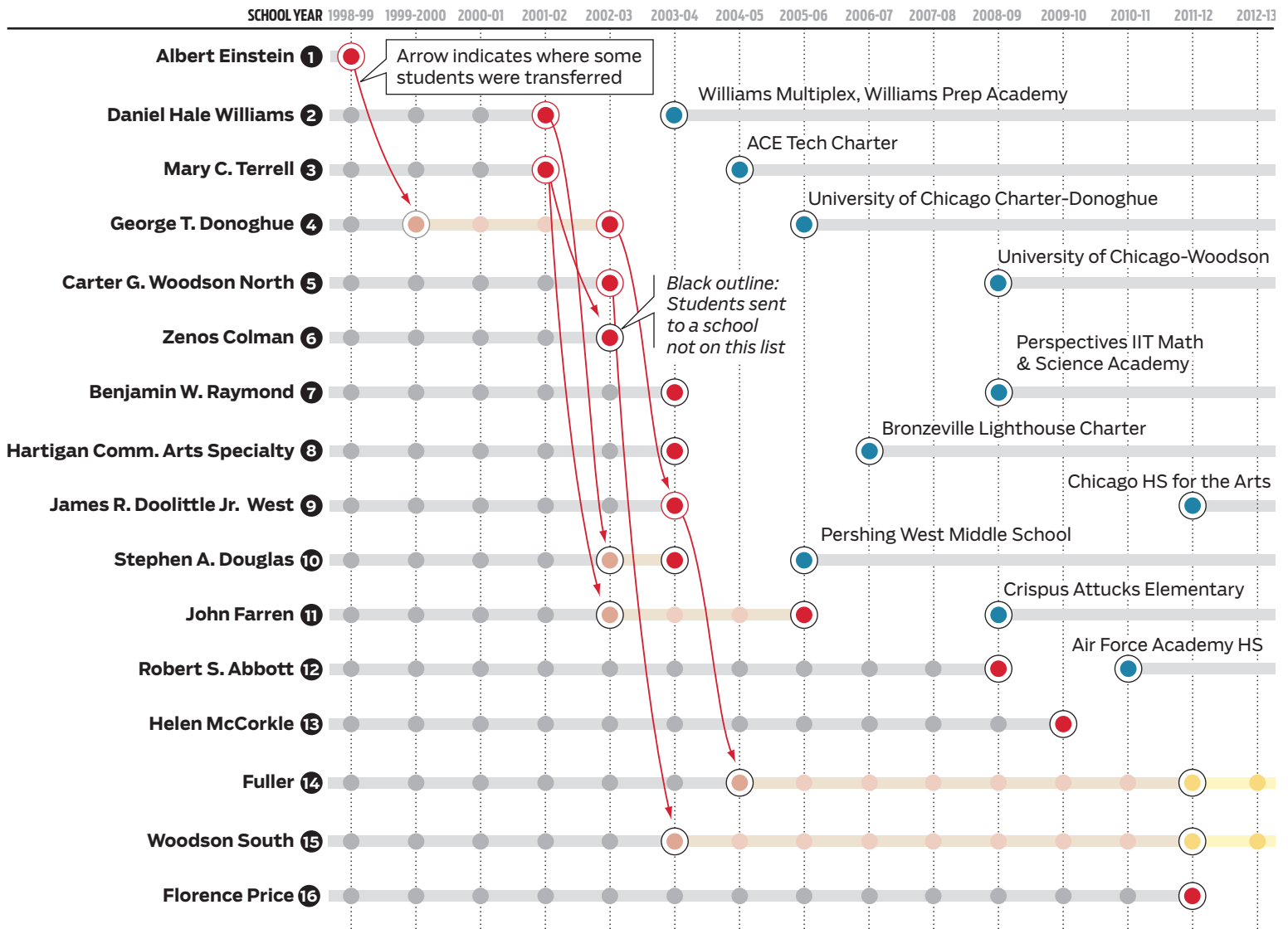
If the latest round of school closings is approved, 17 Bronzeville-area public schools will have closed since 1999. One has undergone a “turnaround” and two more are proposed for similar staff overhauls this year. Students from closed schools transferred to other schools designated by CPS, often lead to bloating classroom size and depleting school resources. Many of those receiving schools, in turn, were later identified by the district as underutilized or underperforming, leading to their closing or “turnaround.” This has led at times to students attending two or three elementary schools. Meanwhile other schools – largely charters – have moved into closed-down neighborhood schools but with restrictive enrollment based on lottery or other admissions criteria.

Bronzeville-area school closures and ‘turnarounds’

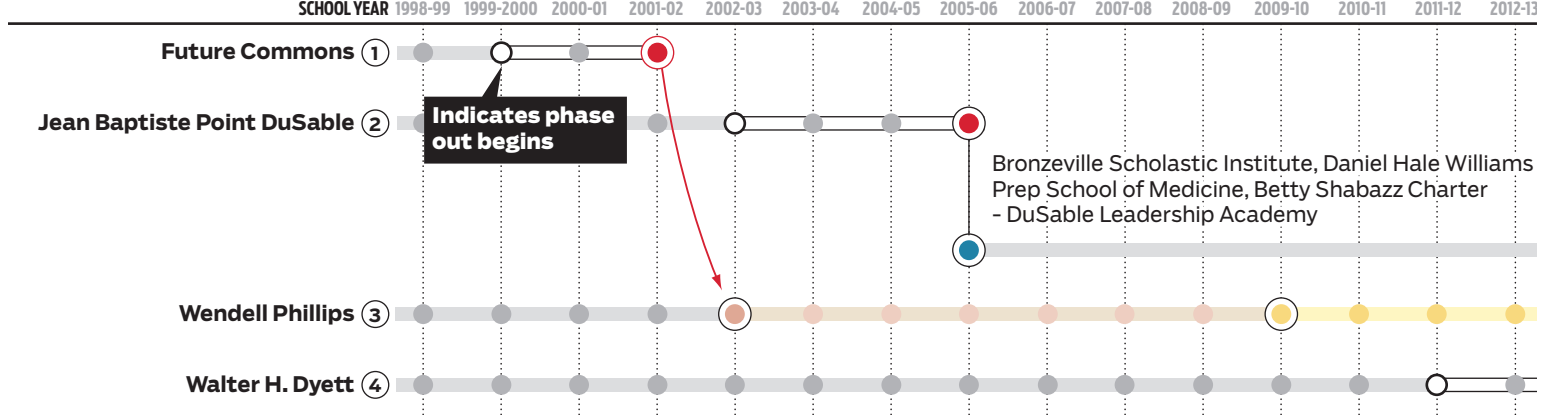
- School closed after school year
- School received students from a closing school
- School identified for turnaround
- New school moved into same building



ELEMENTARY AND MIDDLE SCHOOLS



HIGH SCHOOLS



NOTE: Starting next school year, freshmen who would have attended Walter H. Dyett High School will now attend Wendell Phillips High School
 SOURCES: Chicago Public Schools, Consortium on Chicago School Research, Tribune reporting