ABOUT US
At John Hopkins, classrooms are inquiry based and conceptually focused, so students make connections between each of the eight required subject groups and the real world. The Center for Communications, Journalism and Multimedia (CJAM) develops broadcast and print journalism skills that students will be able to directly use if they choose to continue in an similar program and into the professional business world. Students will also utilize 21st century industry equipment to enhance their learning experience. They will select a “focus class” in which they will study their point of interest in great depth each day.

PROGRAM STUDY AREAS
Within the CJAM program, students will study each of the following areas (not limited to):
- Journalism Writing / Newspaper Prod.
- TV Broadcasting / Morning News Show
- Photography
- Multimedia Journalism
- News Interviewing / Press-conferences
- Video Production / Editing
- Yearbook production

PROGRAM AIMS
The aims of the CJAM program is to enable students to:
- Allow students to specialize in Journalism, TV Production, or Multimedia Technology.
- Develop real-world skills that they can use later in their careers.
- Have students be involved in our school newspaper and website, TV morning news show, and our annual yearbook production.
- Understand the importance of reliable journalism
PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

• We are visited annually by international journalists from around the world. Our students have a chance to demonstrate their skills, as well learning even more from our visitors!

• Our school newspaper - JHOP Times is a three-time National Scholastic Press Association award winner (2014-2016).

• We have a fully digital broadcast studio - exclusively for our magnet students to utilize.

• Program students fully design and publish our school yearbook.

• Photos taken by students are displayed throughout the community and featured at an annual photo exhibit at The Studio@620.

HOW TO APPLY
Go to www.reservation.pcsb.org during the application period.

OUR MISSION
To create a population of global citizens who are principled, reflective, and strong communicators.

EDUCATION BRIDGE
John Hopkins Middle is a bridge between Melrose Elementary and the Center for Journalism and Multimedia Studies at Lakewood High. We are one strand of the “Journeys in Journalism” program.