

Elkridge Elementary School

PROFILE

2016-17

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Elkridge strives for excellence in teaching and learning by providing a strong academic program, ongoing recognition of student progress, interesting extracurricular activities, community involvement, and a safe, orderly school environment.

Our strong academic program is guided by our School Improvement Team. Learning outcomes emphasize critical thinking skills as well as content mastery. We celebrate students' progress. Students who are "on track to ELKcellence" for being safe, responsible, and respectful are rewarded every week with Track Star Medals.

Student needs and interests are met through Gifted and Talented programs, ESOL (English for Speakers of Other Languages), and Special Education services. Related arts programs include art, general music, media, physical education, and technology.

Our celebrated traditions include our the annual October parade, Grandparents and Special Persons Day, The Turkey Trot, concerts and musicals. Dress-Up Days such as Reading Character Day and Crazy Hat Day enhance school spirit.

Our school is linked closely to the community. We have an active PTA and strong parent volunteer network.

Michael Caldwell, Principal
Katherine Carter, Assistant Principal
Nancy H. Richardson, Assistant Principal

Fast Facts

Facility opened - 1992

Additions/Renovations
1998 (R), 2009 (A)

School Capacity: 760
(This does not include additional capacity provided by 4 portable classrooms.)

Total Enrollment (K-5): 870

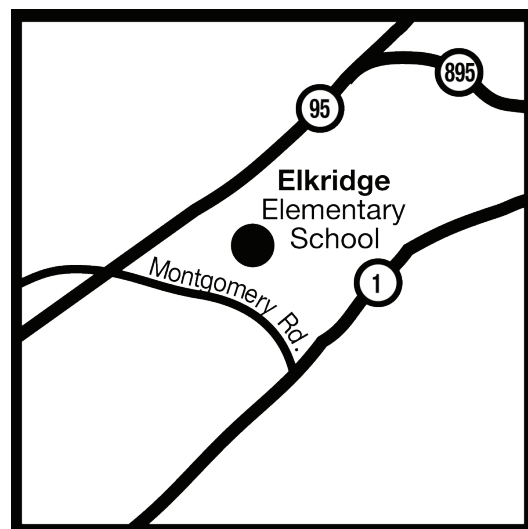
Ethnicity

American Indian/Alaskan	0.1%
Asian	13.5%
Black/African American	23.9%
Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	0.3%
Hispanic/Latino	8.2%
White	47.6%
Two or more races	6.4%

Students Receiving Special Services 2015-16

Free/Reduced Lunch	25.6%
Ltd. English Proficient	≤5.0%
Special Education	9.6%
Title I	0 or <10 students

PTA members: 225

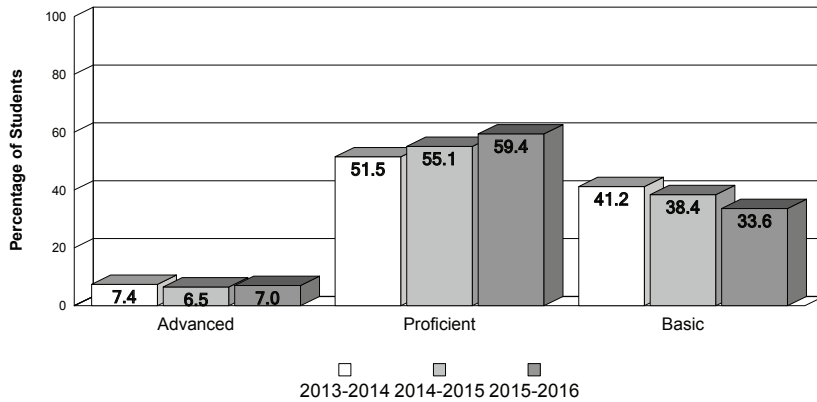


Achievement Data

Elkridge Elementary PARCC Assessment Performance Results

Performance Level	Mathematics		English Lang. Arts	
	2016	2015	2016	2015
Level 5: Exceeded expectations	5.3%	<=5%	<=5	5.2%
Level 4: Met expectations	34.6%	30.5%	42.8%	40.6%
Level 3: Approached expectations	34.1%	31.5%	24.8%	25.1%
Level 2: Partially met expectations	18.2%	22.9%	19.5%	17.7%
Level 1: Did not meet expectations	7.8%	12.6%	9.4%	11.3%

MSA - Science



State accountability information can be accessed at www.mdreportcard.org.

Accomplishments

- PBIS (Positive Behavioral Interventions and Supports) Gold Ribbon, 2011–14
- Recognized by the Howard County Library for having the second highest level of student participation in the Summer Reading Club, 2014; highest level of student participation, 2013

Special Programs

- Alternative Education Program
- Elkster 5K - April
- Fifth Grade Musical - November
- Grandparents and Special Persons Days – November
- Positive Behavior Interventions and Supports (PBIS)
- Professional Development School (PDS) with University of MD, College Park
- Reading Recovery® - one-on-one reading intervention for first-graders
- Simulated Congressional Hearings – 5th grade
- Turkey Trot - November
- Volunteer Appreciation Breakfast – May

Educational Partnerships:

- Green Valley Marketplace
- Howard County Library, Elkridge Branch
- The Soccer Dome
- Pump It Up Party Center (Elkridge)
- Elkridge Furnace Inn