

# Waverly Elementary School

## PROFILE

2017-18

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The staff, students, and parents of Waverly Elementary School are proud of our tradition of academic excellence, utilizing exemplary practices to ensure student success. We value the importance of developing an inclusive and nurturing environment in which our students will thrive. As we strive to ensure academic success and social-emotional well-being for each of our students, our PBIS (Positive Behavioral Interventions and Supports) program holds high its mission: We are a diverse learning community of students, staff and families committed to...Being respectful to others...Being responsible for our actions and our work... Including everyone...and Practicing safe behaviors. We are pleased to sponsor our Kid Council, in partnership with the PTA, offering students in Grades 3-5 the opportunity to engage in leadership activities supporting schoolwide initiatives and activities.

Our strong partnership with parents contributes greatly to the success of our students. We are deeply enriched by the level of community involvement at Waverly. Our PTA boasts 358 members, and actively supports many of our programs in both the related arts and academic areas of the curriculum.

We are pleased to be a Professional Development School in partnership with Towson University. Our PDS promotes learning and enhances the instructional climate of our school, while supporting the professional growth of our teaching staff and the development of teaching interns from the University.

The 2017-18 school year has been very exciting as our building undergoes major expansion and renovation. Our sparkling new look provides the perfect setting as we work together to build success for all of our students.

Kathy Jacobs, Principal  
Rachel Edoho-Eket, Assistant Principal

### Fast Facts

**Facility opened:** 1990

**Additions/Renovations:** 2007 (A)

**School Capacity:** 616

*(This does not include additional capacity provided by 9 portable classrooms.)*

**Total Enrollment (PreK-5):** 770

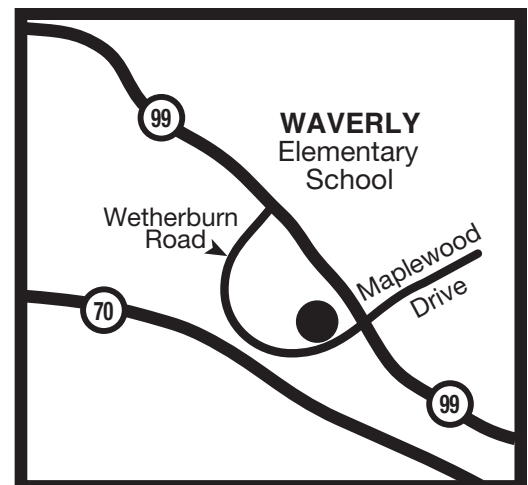
#### Ethnicity

American Indian/Alaskan	0.1%
Asian	41.2%
Black/African American	6.9%
Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	0%
Hispanic/Latino	2.3%
White	45.5%
Two or more races	4.0%

#### Students Receiving Special Services 2016-17

Free/Reduced Lunch	≤5.0%
Ltd. English Proficient	≤5.0%
Special Education	12.7%
Title I	0 or <10 students

**PTA members:** 358



## Achievement Data

### PARCC Assessment Performance Results – Waverly ES

Performance Level	Mathematics			English Language Arts		
	2017	2016	2015	2017	2016	2015
Level 5: Exceeded expectations	27.4%	20.7%	16.7%	15.5%	10.4%	8.9%
Level 4: Met expectations	48.9%	56.3%	49.5%	62.5%	60.2%	61.1%
Level 3: Approached expectations	16.8%	16.8%	22.7%	16.6%	21.9%	19.3%
Level 2: Partially met expectations	6.1%	<=5	7.8%	<=5	6.3%	8.1%
Level 1: Did not meet expectations	<=5	<=5	<=5%	<=5	<=5	<=5%

State accountability information can be accessed at [www.mdreportcard.org](http://www.mdreportcard.org).

## Special Programs

- AAA Safety Patrol
- Kid Council
- Family FIT Night
- Howard County Public Library Spelling Bee, Battle of the Books, and Rube Goldberg participant
- Professional Development School with Towson University supporting the professional growth of our teaching staff and the development of teaching interns from the University.
- PTA Cultural Arts Program
- Recipient of PTA Council of Howard County Reflections Contest Awards
- Regional Early Childhood Center – designed to meet the special needs of youngsters with various disabilities from birth to age five.
- Schoolwide Science Fair
- Simulated Congressional Hearing
- Special education and related services are provided in a variety of settings, and all classrooms include typically developing peers. Continuum of Comprehensive Services: Resource, Regional Academic Life Skills, Elementary-Primary Learner
- STEM Day
- World Language Program: Students in grades 1–5 receive daily Spanish instruction

## Accomplishments

- 2017 Counselor of the Year
- NICHE.com #1 Ranked HCPSS Elementary School 2018
- PBIS (Positive Behavioral Interventions and Supports) School, 2017 Silver Award Recipient, 2015 and 2016 Bronze Award Recipient
- Maryland Green School, 2015-2016
- Jump Rope for Heart Award Winning School – #1 in Maryland for Top School Award

### Educational Partnerships

- Howard County Library, Miller Branch
- Towson University
- We Promote Health

### Our Mission

The Waverly Elementary School Community will create an environment of excellence in teaching and learning where all students reach high academic standards and learn to be caring and responsible citizens.

### WAVES

sharing and promoting...

\*Wisdom \*Achievement \*Values

\*Enthusiasm \*Success