

Bollman Bridge Elementary School

PROFILE

2009-10

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Bollman Bridge...EXCELLENCE IN EDUCATION!

Our staff is dedicated to ensuring excellence in education for all students. As a school we will ensure excellence by...

- Active Participation in Collaborative Planning
- Creating a Culture of Data Collection and Analysis
- Delivering High Quality Instruction

This year, the school is implementing a school-wide focus on reading comprehension instruction. Each team meets weekly with our Reading Resource staff to collaboratively plan reading instruction. Research-based instructional strategies along with data analysis help in creating a framework for instruction. Instruction is systematic and explicit as we develop readers who can construct meaning in all content areas. Lessons encourage all students to make connections and share openly during class. We are seeing students who are excited to learn and to share about what they are reading and learning.

All teams are utilizing an updated school-wide process for data collection and analysis. Teachers are analyzing each student's individualized data and making instructional decisions based on this information. This is allowing teachers to strategically group and instruct students by using both their strengths and areas of need. Our staff is excited to see the academic gains our students are making thus far this school year.

Bollman Bridge continues to participate as a Positive Behavioral Interventions and Supports (PBIS) school. This initiative has helped us support all students by using effective behavioral practices and processes. During the past four years, we have been recognized as a PBIS Maryland Exemplar School, earning a Gold Standard in 2008, 2007, and 2006 as well as a Silver Standard during the 2009 school year.

Jonathan Davis, Principal
Tricia McCarthy, Assistant Principal

Fast Facts

Facility opened - 1988

Additions/Renovations;
1994 (A), 2008 (C)

School Capacity: 566

Total Enrollment (PreK-5): 605

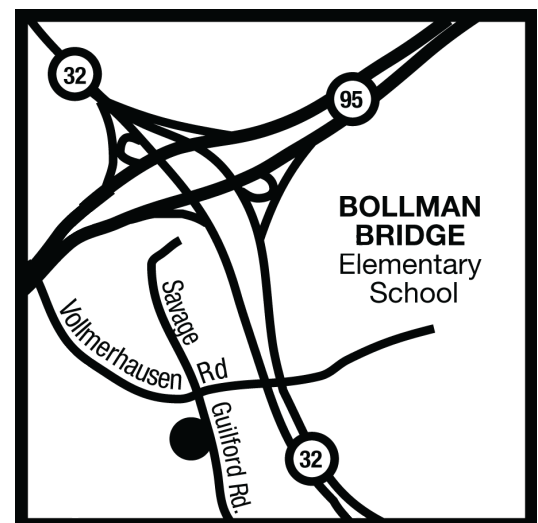
Ethnicity

White	43.1%
African American	32.9%
Asian	12.4%
Hispanic	10.4%
Native American	0.8%
Not Reported	0.3%

Students Receiving Special Services 2008-09

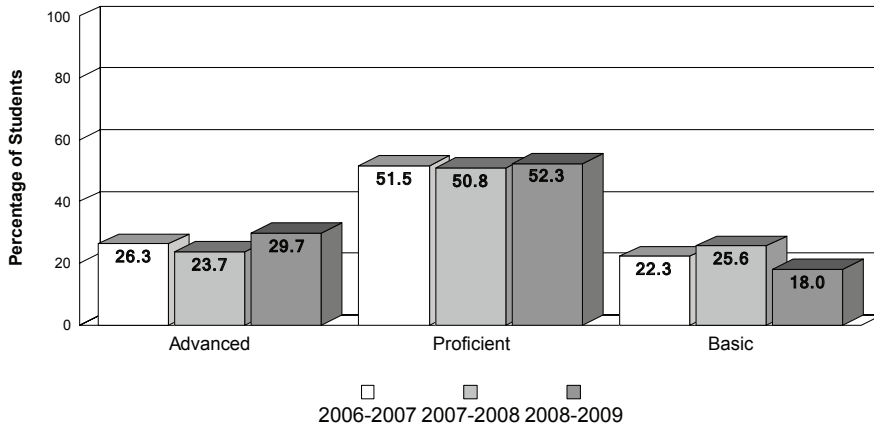
Title I	0%
Ltd. English Proficient	10.2%
Free/Reduced Lunch	28.1%
Special Education	12.3%

PTA members: 350

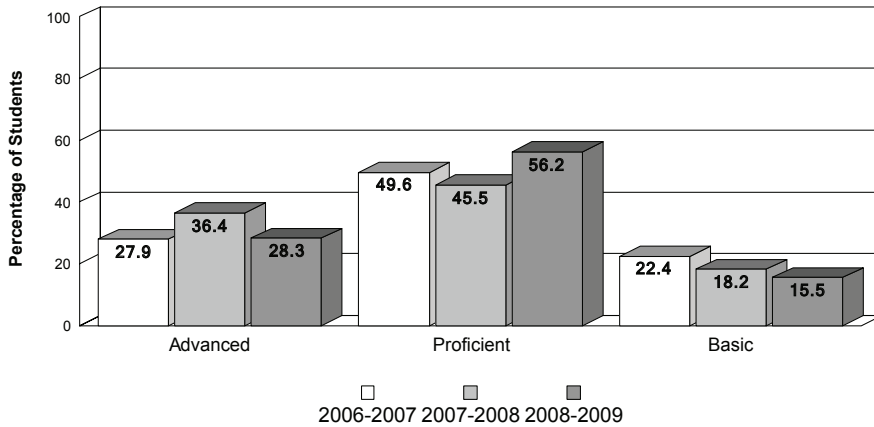


Achievement Data

Bollman Bridge Elementary School MSA - Mathematics



MSA - Reading



MSA Standards - Percent Advanced/Proficient

School Year	MSDE AYP Standards		Howard Cty Standard	Bollman Bridge ES	
	Reading	Mathematics		Reading	Mathematics
2006-2007	67.2	63.9	70.0	77.60	77.70
2007-2008	71.8	69.1	70.0	81.80	74.40
2008-2009	76.5	74.2	70.0	84.50	82.00

Accomplishments

- PBIS Exemplar School Status
 - Silver - 2009
 - Gold - 2008, 2007, 2006
- Improved Student Performance on the MSA - 2009, 2008, 2007
- Ongoing Professional Development: 300 minutes per month focusing on Reading Instruction

Special Programs

- Pre-Kindergarten
- Reading Recovery: one-on-one reading intervention for First Graders
- Math and Reading Tutoring - before and after school programs
- Reading and Math Support Teachers provide ongoing professional development for our staff within the school day
- Bi-Lingual Community Liaison
- BSAP (Black Student Achievement Program) Mentoring
- LEAP After school tutoring program in Collaboration with FIRN
- Professional Development School: Loyola University and UMCP
- PBIS School focusing on reinforcing Positive Behaviors
- Peer Mentoring Reading Program with Patuxent Valley Middle School
- RECC (Regional Early Childhood Center)
- Local Academic Lifeskills (ALS) Program