At Clarksville Elementary School, we are proud of our diverse community, excellent faculty and supportive school community.

Our school continues to provide access to quality education that all students deserve. Teachers are involved in staff development and professional learning communities focused on equitable, collaboration and continuous improvement. Clarksville Elementary’s highly qualified staff is committed to helping each student reach his or her potential by providing exemplary instruction and supports. An emphasis on relevant and engaging learning opportunities, which are differentiated and based upon the strengths and needs of the individual student, is at the center of instruction.

The CES PTA is a true partner, providing support for school programs and academic/social goals, and promoting health and wellness. CES parents volunteer, serve on committees, and support initiatives such as cultural arts, parent education workshops, family fun nights, green school awareness, and several community drives.

Clarksville’s achievements are a result of the dedication and commitment toward teaching and learning. The school’s success is reflected in its selection as a Maryland Blue Ribbon School and a National Blue Ribbon School. Clarksville was ranked by U.S. News and World Reports as #1 in Howard County and #5 in the state of Maryland for 2021.

Clarksville Cougars ROAR with Awesome Achievement and Attitude!

Fast Facts

Facility opened: 1964

Additions/Renovations
1980 (A), 1986 (HVAC), 2002 (R/A), 2006 (A)

School Capacity: 543
(This does not include additional capacity provided by 2 portable classrooms.)

Total Enrollment (K–5): 581
Official count 9/30/22

Ethnicity FY23
American Indian/Alaskan ≤5.0%
Asian 38.2%
Black/African American 21.0%
Hawaiian/Pacific Islander ≤5.0%
Hispanic/Latino 9.3%
White 26.7%
Two or more races ≤5.0%

Students Receiving Special Services FY22
Free/Reduced Meals 13.2%
English Learners 12.2%
Special Education 9.1%

Administrators:
Michael Caldwell, Principal
Myra Byrom, Assistant Principal

Educational Partnerships
- Chick-fil-A, Clarksville
- Giant Food, Daybreak Circle
- Grotto Pizza, Columbia
- HomeSlyce, Clarksville
- Howard County Government, Department of Public Works
- Howard County Library, Central Br.
- Kendall Hardware
- Ledo Pizza, Clarksville
- McDonald's, Daybreak Circle
- Monarch Sister Schools Program
- Planet Aid
- Rotary Club of Greenbelt
- Trout Unlimited, Trout in the Classroom
- Washington Suburban Sanitary Commission (WSSC), Green School Program
Academic Achievement Data

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*State tests were not administered in FY20 or FY21 due to the pandemic. 2022 state assessment results have delayed reporting due to the standard setting process.

State accountability information can be accessed at [https://reportcard.msde.maryland.gov/](https://reportcard.msde.maryland.gov/)

Special Programs

- 4th and 5th Grade Chorus
- Academic Life Skills Classes
- After School Program- HC Recreation and Parks (Kidz Art, Music, Kid Empowerment)
- Artists in Residence
- Career Day
- Comprehensive Cultural Arts Program
- Daily 5 Reading Program (K–2)
- Donations and Fundraising
- Family Fit Night
- Field Day
- Gifted and Talented Program
- Green School Initiative
- Green Team
- Healthy Howard participation
- Hour of Code
- Howard County Library Battle of the Books – 5th Grade
- Jump Rope for Heart
- Maryland Green School
- PBIS Program
- PTA Cultural Arts Program, Reflections, and International Night Events
- PTA International Night
- PTA Sponsored Programs (Chess, Drama, LEGOS, Art, Roller coasters/STEM focus activities, Science, Dance, Literature)
- Rube Goldberg Competition
- School Based Mental Health
- Schoolwide Food Composting Program
- Schoolwide food drives for 5th grade Community Service Project
- Simulated Congressional Hearing
- Spelling Bees
- Spirit Days
- STEM Parent and Family Nights
- Student Leadership Council
- Trout in the Classroom
- Turkey Trot
- Young Author’s Contest

Accomplishments

- Healthy Howard Gold Award
- Maryland Green School Certification
- NAACP Exemplary School Award
- Governor’s Citation for Superior Building Maintenance
- 2005 Blue Ribbon School
- Howard Community College Partnership with Department of Teacher Education
- Student participation in GT/Enrichment Bands
- Student participation in Howard County Children’s Chorus
- Participation in the BSAP Evening of Excellence
- 1st Place in Battle of the Books – 5th Grade
- National Math Olympiads
- One National Board Certified Teacher
- Staff co-director of the Elementary Honor Band
- U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Award ENERGY STAR
- 2021 Maryland State Winner - Doodle for Google Student Winner
- 2021 US News and World Reports Best Schools; #5 in Maryland, #1 in Howard County