

# Cradlerock Elementary School

## PROFILE

2017-18

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At Cradlerock Elementary School, we greatly value the rich diversity of our school community. We are committed to being a ROCK solid school. Our staff values:

### Relationships

Cradlerock Elementary staff provides a safe and nurturing environment that values our diversity and commonality by building positive and respectful relationships with one another, students, parents/guardians, and community.

### Outstanding Instruction

Cradlerock Elementary staff creates a vibrant learning community that inspires, engages, challenges, and supports students. Staff provide a rigorous instructional program for all students.

### Collaboration

Cradlerock Elementary staff continuously collaborate with one another in order to know our learners and provide high quality instruction in a safe and nurturing environment. We collaborate with parents and the community for a strong partnership that fosters each student's growth.

### Knowledge

Through purposeful focus in the areas of positive relationships, outstanding instruction and collaboration, we increase the knowledge of our students, staff, and community.

We welcome you to visit Cradlerock Elementary School and see firsthand our quality teaching and learning environment. For more information about Cradlerock Elementary, please log onto our website: <http://cres.hcpss.org>, and follow us on twitter, @hcpss\_cres.

Jennifer Zinn, Principal  
Brad Scobie, Assistant Principal

## Fast Facts

**Facility opened:** 1976

### Additions/Renovations

1998 (A), 2001 (R), 2003 (R), 2007 (A)

**School Capacity:** 398

*(This does not include additional capacity provided by 3 portable classrooms.)*

**Total Enrollment:** 519

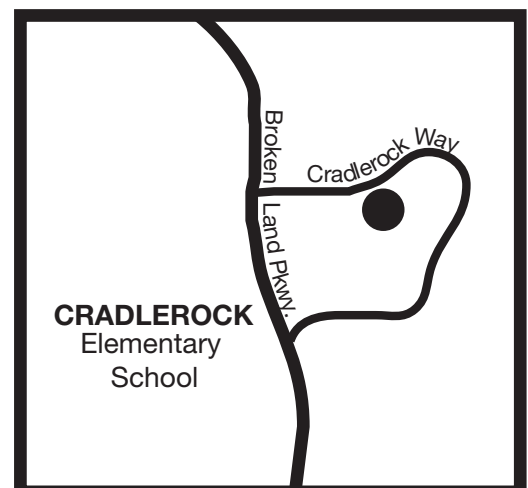
### Ethnicity

American Indian/Alaskan	0.2%
Asian	7.3%
Black/African American	49.3%
Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	0.2%
Hispanic/Latino	14.5%
White	18.9%
Two or more races	9.6%

### Students Receiving Special Services 2016-17

Free/Reduced Lunch	50.7%
Ltd. English Proficient	7.8%
Special Education	13.8%
Title I	≥95%

**PTA members:** 185



## Achievement Data

### PARCC Assessment Performance Results – Cradlerock ES

Performance Level	Mathematics			English Language Arts		
	2017	2016	2015	2017	2016	2015
<b>Level 5:</b> Exceeded expectations	<=5	<=5	<=5%	<=5	<=5	<=5%
<b>Level 4:</b> Met expectations	27.0%	27.0%	25.2%	35.3%	26.9%	26.7%
<b>Level 3:</b> Approached expectations	30.0%	25.6%	25.7%	25.1%	27.8%	26.7%
<b>Level 2:</b> Partially met expectations	20.7%	32.2%	31.0%	18.7%	25.0%	27.6%
<b>Level 1:</b> Did not meet expectations	19.0%	12.8%	17.6%	18.7%	18.9%	17.6%

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

## Special Programs

- 21st Century Learning Grant After School Program
- Academic Competitions: Spelling Bees, Battle of the Books, Math Olympiad, Science Fair, Young Authors' Contest,
- Alternative Education Program
- Black Student Achievement Program Liaison
- Book Mobile
- Columbia Association Points Program
- Daily 5 Reading Program (K–2)
- Educational Partnerships
- Evening of Excellence Fair
- Family Nights
- Girls on the Run
- Hispanic Achievement Liaison
- Hispanic Heritage Month and Black History Month
- Hour of Code
- Independent Daily Reading Program, IDR (Grades 3–5)
- Instructional Intervention Team
- Judy Center Grant for families of young children
- Jump Rope and Hoops for Heart
- Maryland Green School
- Mentoring Programs: A OK, Girls First, Rock Climbers boys group
- MSDE Early Childhood Accreditation
- Positive Behavioral Interventions and Supports (PBIS)
- Reading and Math Support Teachers
- Regional Early Childhood Center
- ROCK TV and ROCK Radio
- Safety Patrol program
- Schoolwide DreamBox Learning Online Math Program
- Schoolwide free breakfast program for all students
- Schoolwide Title I Program
- Second Step, Social Emotional Learning Program
- Simulated Congressional Hearing
- Special Days: Career Day, Earth Day, Read Across America Day, Bike to School Day, Unity Day, and Field Day
- STEM Initiatives
- Turkey Trot Annual Run

## Accomplishments

### 2017

- MSDE Accreditation of Early Childhood Programs
- Marissa Gordon, Carson Scholar Nominee
- Farrelle Adotevi, Spelling Bee Representative
- Battle of the Books - 1st Best Team Costume

### 2016

- PBIS Gold Award (4th year)
- Battle of Books –1st Best Team Costume, 2nd Best Civility, 3rd Best Team Name
- Kiara Williams, Carson Scholar Nominee
- Nadia Walcott, School Representative for HCPSS Spelling Bee (2nd year)
- Jennifer Zinn, Assistant Principal, HCPSS Representative for MSDE Promising Principals Academy
- Maryland Green School Designation
- Seatbelt Awareness Challenge Award
- Special Education Citizens Advisory Committee Award (SECAC) – Several staff members
- Rebecca Salazar, HCPSS Chorus
- Constantino Martzouranis, HCPSS Honors Band

### 2015

- Ben Carson Scholarship winner
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- Battle of the Books - Tied First Place Overall, Best Costume, and Team Spirit Award
- SECAC Award – Kathleen McLamb

### Educational Partnerships

- A-OK Mentoring-Tutoring, Inc.
- Blessings in a Backpack
- Continental Societies, Inc., Columbia, Maryland Chapter
- Howard County Library, East Columbia Branch
- Owen Brown Community Association
- Smoothie King, Columbia