

Hammond Elementary School

PROFILE

2017-18

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Hammond Elementary School is home to over 600 students who are striving to become college and career ready! Our staff is committed to providing a safe and nurturing learning environment that fosters individual success through academic excellence and an appreciation of diversity.

Our school integrates instruction with kindergarten and first grade students remaining with their teachers throughout the day, and second through fifth grade students participating in a departmentalized model. Staff maximizes instructional time with multi-level student groups that aim to provide acceleration opportunities for all students. Hammond staff believes in promoting a growth mindset in both students and staff in order to support a culture of continual improvement within all aspects of the school day. Our praise of students focuses on the processes (effort, work ethic, and persistence) rather than the final outcome or result. Our professional learning as a staff targets strategies for increasing opportunities for student led learning, thus incorporating Student Voice in multiple ways throughout their educational program.

Our PTA is an essential partnership that consistently supports our students and staff. Our PTA sponsors many events, such as Family Restaurant Nights, the Annual Fall Festival, Family FIT Night, the HES Talent Show, and Multicultural Night, just to name a few.

Kimberlyn Pratesi, Principal
Lisa Ciarapica, Assistant Principal

Fast Facts

Facility opened: 1971

Additions/Renovations

1989 (R/A), 1997 (A), 2007 (R), 2011 (R/A)

School Capacity: 653

(This does not include additional capacity provided by a portable classroom.)

Total Enrollment (K-5): 651

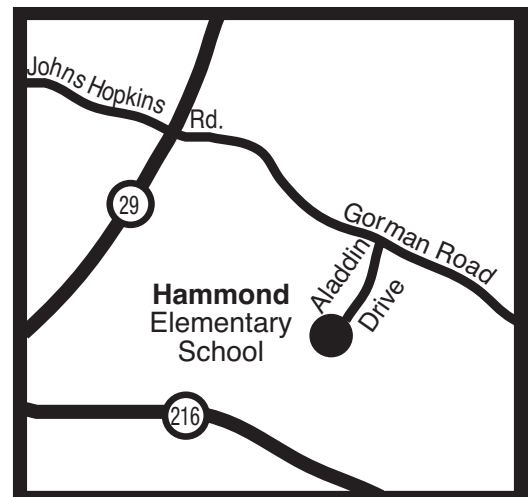
Ethnicity

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| American Indian/Alaskan | 0.3% |
| Asian | 13.7% |
| Black/African American | 29.8% |
| Hawaiian/Pacific Islander | 0.2% |
| Hispanic/Latino | 10.9% |
| White | 37.5% |
| Two or more races | 7.7% |

Students Receiving Special Services 2016-17

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|-------------------------|-------------------|
| Free/Reduced Lunch | 21.8% |
| Ltd. English Proficient | 5.7% |
| Special Education | 8.7% |
| Title I | 0 or <10 students |

PTA members: 410



Achievement Data

PARCC Assessment Performance Results – HES

| Performance Level | Mathematics | | | English Language Arts | | |
|--|-------------|-------|-------|-----------------------|-------|-------|
| | 2017 | 2016 | 2015 | 2017 | 2016 | 2015 |
| Level 5: Exceeded expectations | 15.0% | 13.9% | 10.9% | 8.0% | 11.5% | 11.6% |
| Level 4: Met expectations | 43.3% | 41.8% | 39.7% | 47.1% | 38.2% | 44.2% |
| Level 3: Approached expectations | 24.8% | 24.7% | 25.0% | 24.2% | 26.4% | 24.8% |
| Level 2: Partially met expectations | 11.1% | 11.7% | 18.9% | 12.1% | 12.1% | 11.6% |
| Level 1: Did not meet expectations | 5.7% | 7.9% | 5.4% | 8.6% | 11.8% | 7.7% |

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

Accomplishments

2017

- Silver PBIS Award – Positive Behavioral Interventions and Supports
- Six participating teams in the Howard County Battle of the Books Competition
- LARS Food Drive
- Green School
- Raised over \$2,109.22 (Pennies for Patients) The Leukemia and Lymphoma Society
- Raised over \$14,000 (Jump Rope for Heart) American Heart Association
- Two participating teams in the DC Metro Rubik's Cube Team Challenge

2016

- Gold PBIS Award – Positive Behavioral Interventions and Supports
- Six participating teams in the Howard County Battle of the Books Competition
- LARS Food Drive
- Green School
- Raised over \$3,820 (Pennies for Patients) The Leukemia and Lymphoma Society
- Ben Carson Scholarship Award Recipient
- Gallup Employee Survey Results amongst top in HCPSS

2015

- Gold PBIS Award – Positive Behavioral Interventions and Supports
- Eight participating teams in the Howard County Battle of the Books Competition
- Raised over \$16,000 (Jump Rope for Heart) American Heart Association
- LARS Food Drive
- Green School
- Raised over \$2,200 (Pennies for Patients) The Leukemia and Lymphoma Society

Special Programs

- AAA Safety Patrol
- Alpha Achievers
- Battle of the Books
- BSAP Evening of Excellence
- Fall Fun Run
- Family Fit Night
- Field Day
- Green Team
- Literacy and Math Night
- Mindset in the Classroom
- PBIS (Positive Behavioral Interventions and Supports)
- PTA Cultural Arts Programs
- PTA Restaurant Nights
- PTA Talent Show
- Recycling Team
- STEM and Enrichment Fair
- Simulated Congressional Hearing
- Spirit Days
- Vocal Music/Band/Instrumental Concerts

Educational Partnerships

- A-OK Mentoring-Tutoring, Inc.
- greeNEWit
- Howard County Library, Savage Branch & STEM Education Center
- Subway, Guilford Road
- Trout Unlimited, Trout in the Classroom