Waverly Elementary School
PROFILE

The staff, students, and parents of Waverly Elementary School are proud of the school’s tradition of academic excellence and utilizing exemplary practices to ensure student success. The importance of developing an inclusive and nurturing environment in which all students thrive is strongly valued. The staff’s focus on academic achievement and social-emotional well-being of each student is reflected in the school’s PBIS (Positive Behavioral Interventions and Supports) program. Waverly is a diverse learning community of students, staff and families committed to our ROAR rules: Respectful…Others included…Always safe…and Responsible. The school is pleased to offer students in Grades 4 and 5 the opportunity to participate in Kid Council, engaging in leadership activities that support school wide initiatives and activities. Additionally, new to Waverly students are welcomed as members of the “Welcome Wildcat” group to help ease their transition to the school.

The school’s strong partnership with parents contributes greatly to the success of its students. Waverly is deeply enriched by the level of community involvement. Their PTA boasts several hundred members, and actively supports many programs in both the related arts and academic areas of the curriculum.

Waverly Elementary is fortunate to be a Professional Development School (PDS) in partnership with Towson University. The PDS promotes learning and enhances the instructional climate of the school, while supporting the professional growth of teaching staff and the development of teaching interns from the university.

Waverly’s incredible building expansion and renovation has set the tone for a beautiful learning environment. The sparkling new look provides the perfect setting as staff work together to build success for all Waverly Elementary School students!

Fast Facts

Facility opened: 1990
Additions/Renovations: 2007 (A), 2018 (R/A)
School Capacity: 788
(This does not include additional capacity provided by 5 portable classrooms.)
Total Enrollment (PreK–5): 867
Official count 9/30/22

Ethnicity FY23
- American Indian/Alaskan ≤5.0%
- Asian 54.7%
- Black/African American 8.0%
- Hawaiian/Pacific Islander ≤5.0%
- Hispanic/Latino ≤5.0%
- White 27.6%
- Two or more races 5.2%

Students Receiving Special Services FY22
- Free/Reduced Meals ≤5.0%
- English Learners 5.6%
- Special Education 10.9%

Administrators:
Dr. Rachel Edoho-Eket, Principal
Cheryl Santoni, Assistant Principal

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

Updated December 2022
Academic Achievement

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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/)

Educational Partnerships
- Howard County Library, Miller Branch
- Towson University

Special Programs
- AAA Safety Patrol
- After School PTA-Sponsored Programs: KidzArt, Chess, Drama, LEGOS, Girls on the Run, Science, and Spanish
- Before and After School Program – Howard County Recreation and Parks
- Enhanced instrumental music programs; including Chamber Orchestra and Jazz Band
- Kid Council Leadership program
- Howard County Public Library Spelling Bee, Battle of the Books, and Rube Goldberg participant
- Interactive family math and reading enrichment nights
- International Day
- Professional Development School
- PTA Cultural Arts Program
- PTA Reflections Program
- Regional Early Childhood Center
- Schoolwide Science Fair
- Simulated Congressional Hearing
- Spirit Days
- Welcome Wildcat Program

Accomplishments
- NICHE.com #1 Ranked MD state and HCPSS Elementary School, 2021, 2020, 2019
- 2019 Certified Green School Sustainability Award Recipient
- Recipient of PTA Council of Howard County Reflections Contest Awards