Clarksville Middle School is an engaging learning community that prepares students to be leaders in a diverse and dynamic world. Clarksville’s talented and caring staff is committed to the achievement and well-being of all students. The school’s focus on equity and relationships supports students’ learning as they meet the challenges of a rigorous curriculum. Student voice is encouraged and empowered at Clarksville Middle School. Students take an active role in many schoolwide activities, including celebrating inclusion, planning cultural nights and coordinating various philanthropic efforts.

The middle school years are a period of enormous growth and development in a child’s life. We understand that the middle school child requires a supportive environment for self-exploration and healthy socioemotional development. Our school is committed to providing students with an environment where they are intellectually challenged, provided with guidance and support and enjoy a meaningful school experience. The staff at Clarksville Middle School is dedicated to serving the special academic, physical and socioemotional needs of our students.

Clarksville Middle School’s stellar reputation as a National and Maryland Blue Ribbon School of Excellence is due to the contributions of knowledgeable staff, supportive parents and intellectually curious students. The school provides students with multiple learning opportunities, both in and outside of the classroom. Clarksville Middle has a proud reputation of success in academic competitions; the Math Counts team recently placed 2nd at the state level. Many students compete in the National History Day competition, with many entries advancing to the county and state levels. Annually, students compete in Scripps National Spelling Bee, where several students have advanced to the national level, and in 2019, Clarksville was proud to have a national winner of the spelling bee. Moreover, Clarksville has a robust performing arts program, in which students consistently receive superior ratings at county-level music assessments.

Clarksville’s staff works closely with their incredible PTA and community. The partnership with dedicated parents cements a strong foundation for students as they navigate through a meaningful middle school experience.
Achievement Data

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Special Programs

- Academic and Athletic Intramurals
- Academic Bowl
- Best Buddies
- Beyond School Hours
- BUG (Bring Up Grades) Program
- Chamber Choir
- Chamber Ensemble/Chorus
- CMS-TV25 – Student produced daily Live TV Morning Announcements
- Concert Band
- Cyber Patriots
- Drama Program
- Drone Design and Engineering
- Dungeons & Dragons
- Enrichment Seminars (Memory Book, Film, Engineering, Leadership, Debate, Photography, Writer’s Guild, Book Club, TED Talks, Girl Up, and Model UN)
- Enrichment Fair
- Environmental Science
- Gaming
- Geography Bee
- Gifted and Talented Program
- Girls Code
- Girls on the Run
- HCC Stream Relief Partnership
- Homework Club
- Hour of Code
- Howard County Shakespeare Festival
- Jazz Band
- Kids Heart Challenge
- Let Me Run
- Memory Book
- National History Bowl
- National History Day
- National Scripps Spelling Bee
- Open Art Studio
- Outdoor Education (6th grade)
- PBIS Program
- PTA Reflections
- Recycling/Green Team
- Science Competition
- Science Olympiad
- Service Learning
- Shakespeare Residency
- Sports
- STEM (Math Olympiad, MathCounts, AMC-8, Engineering)
- Stock Market Game
- Student CMS Culture Committee
- Student Government Association
- Spring Musical
- Symphonic Orchestra
- Wind Ensemble
- Writers Workshop

Accomplishments

- National Blue Ribbon School
- Maryland Blue Ribbon School
- Certified Green School
- Numerous Superior Ratings for Band, Orchestra, and Chorus programs, including students performing at the All County, GT, and All State levels
- National Board Certified Teachers
- Many CMS students recognized for accomplishments at local, regional, and state competitions including Young Author's Award, TAWES award, Science Olympiad, Math Counts, Youth Art Month at the Statehouse in Annapolis, Maryland PTA Reflections Program.
- National History Day State competition winners (dramatic performance and individual documentary)
- Student-made environment films shown at the HCPSS GT Film Festival
- National finalist for National History Day (junior group performance)
- Several students published in the "Our Voice" literary magazine
- International Poetry Award Winner by Washington Post Magazine
- Multiple G/T research students finished Honorable Mention in top 10% in National Toshiba Explora-Vision competition
- Academic Bowl National Qualifiers
- Odyssey of the Mind National Qualifier
- Science Olympiad 5th Place Team State Winner with multiple 1st, 2nd, 3rd place event winners