At Elkridge Landing Middle School, students, staff and parents work collaboratively to provide a safe, nurturing, friendly environment that is focused on academic excellence for all. The staff has worked hard to develop a tradition of high academic standards and to provide enrichment activities that promote the development of healthy, productive, ethical and positive citizens. The staff strives to provide a prosocial, nurturing, quality school experience for all students.

Our talented staff recognizes the special needs of young adolescents and is dedicated to providing learning opportunities that foster the intellectual, social, emotional and physical development of our students. In addition, we encourage our students to think critically and creatively by providing challenging and rigorous academic classes, as well as a variety of related arts courses such as Art, Digital Citizenship, Family and Consumer Sciences, World Language, Health, Music, Physical Education, Technology Education, and Theatre Arts.

Elkridge Landing Middle School is committed to having ALL students meet the rigorous county, state, and national performance standards. Also, to ensure a well-balanced educational experience for our students, we provide a number of extracurricular activities such as the Homework Club, Jazz Band, Art Club, SGA, and a variety of intramural sports.

Community involvement is an important component of our school. In addition to our phenomenal PTA, we have established many business partnerships. Our staff is very grateful for all of the support, encouragement, and the collaborative relationship we share with the Elkridge community.

Together, the Elkridge Landing Middle School commUNITY—students, staff, parents and partners—are working to ensure the success of ALL our students. For more information about ELMS, please visit elms.hcps.org.

Fast Facts

Facility opened: 1995
School Capacity: 779
Total Enrollment: 680
Official count 9/30/22

Ethnicity FY23
American Indian/Alaskan  ≤5.0%
Asian 21.0%
Black/African American 26.6%
Hawaiian/Pacific Islander  ≤5.0%
Hispanic/Latino 9.0%
White 36.5%
Two or more races 6.6%

Students Receiving Special Services FY22
Free/Reduced Meals 22.4%
English Learners  ≤5.0%
Special Education 11.3%

Administrators:
David Strothers, Principal
Stephanie Harden, Assistant Principal

Business Partnerships
- Cindy’s Soft Serve, Elkridge
- Coal Fire, Shipley’s Grant
- Daniel’s Restaurant, Elkridge
- Dunkin’, Washington Boulevard
- Elkridge Food Pantry
- Ellicott City Rotary Club
- Grassroots Crisis Intervention Ctr.
- Green Valley Marketplace
- Howard Co. Library, Elkridge Brch.
- Ledo Pizza, Elkridge
- Prepare for Success, Community Action Council of Howard County
- Penniman Park Apartments
- The Kindness Pantry
- Weis Markets, Waterloo Rd.

Updated December 2022
### 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

- Academic Intervention Program
- Art Club
- Athletic, Music, and Art Intramurals
- Belonging Day
- Book Club
- BSAP Evening of Excellence
- Career Day
- Chamber & Concert Orchestra
- Chorus
- Concert Band
- Concert
- Cub Cast TV Morning
- Debate Team
- Drama Program
- DreamBox Learning Online Math Program
- ESOL
- Gifted and Talented (G/T) Program
- GT Enrichment Fair
- Homework Clubs
- Hour of Code
- Jazz Band
- Jump Rope for Heart
- Math Team
- Memory Book
- National History Day
- “Our Voice” Literary Magazine School Newspaper
- Outdoor Education
- PTA Restaurant Nights
- Robotics
- Safe Space Club
- Schoolwide Positive Behavior Programs (PBIS)
- Service Learning
- SGA
- Spirit Days
- Stock Market Game
- Student Ambassadors
- Student Government Association (SGA)
- Student of the Month
- Summer School
- Talent Show
- Wind Ensemble
- World Heritage Night
- World Language Program
- Writers Workshop

### Accomplishments

- PBIS Gold Award
- AFCEA Stem Grant Winner
- National History Day National Winner
- Orchestra, band and choral awards earned at the Music in the Parks Adjudication
- Howard County Library System Award for Second Highest Level of Student Participation in the Summer Reading Club
- Mathalon: First Round Winners in the Inventions and Engineering Category
- Bright Minds Foundation Grant Winner
- Howard County GT band, orchestra, and choir participants
- Maryland All-State Band participant
- Howard County Honor Band participants