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SCHOOL MISSION: Each student is highly educated, prepared for leadership and service, and empowered

for success as a citizen in a global community.

WHAT MAKES THIS SCHOOL OUTSTANDING:

The Dominion staff ensures that students are provided with a high-quality education in a safe, clean, and orderly school environment. The Dominion staff additionally commits to providing outstanding communication to parents, students, and community members. We communicate with parents through a weekly electronic newsletter, weekly automated phone messages, and the Infinite Campus Parent Portal. Strong community ties are another outstanding aspect of Dominion Middle School. Our inclusive community ensures that all students are welcomed into a warm and supportive learning environment. Deaf and Hard of Hearing, and students with autism are mainstreamed and included in regular education classes at Dominion.

SPECIALTY LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES/CURRICULUM:

The staff at Dominion Middle School teaches a core academic curriculum consisting of Ohio's Clear Learning Standards, which were developed by the Ohio Department of Education. These standards are highly rigorous and emphasize critical thinking, argumentative inquiry, with a Constructivist approach to learning. Teaching staff plan with academic rigor and relevance in mind. Therefore, students demonstrate knowledge in a variety of different ways, including projects, labs, and written work.



SCHOOL LEADERSHIP:



Dorothy K. Flanagan, Principal

STUDENT ACTIVITIES/SPORTS:

Students may participate in music through choir, vocal ensemble, instrumental music, jazz band, and musical concerts. Students may also participate in coding club, garden club, vocal ensemble, geography bee, chess club, Math Counts, Mock Trial, debates, newspaper club, Power of the Pen, ski club, Femergy Service Learning, American Sign Language Club, Inklings, school newspaper, spelling bee, science fair, Invention Convention, seventh grade trip to Toronto, eighth grade trip to Washington D.C., various field trips at each grade level, I Know I Can, drum line, Lego robotics, stock market competition, WEB, drama club, Service-to-Self, jazz ensemble, talent show, numerous dances. District-sanctioned sports include volleyball, soccer, boys and girls basketball, track, baseball, and softball teams for seventh and eighth grade students.

FAMILY SUPPORT AND RESOURCES:

The Dominion Parent Teacher Student Organization (PTSO) is a highly active and energetic means of participating in your child's education. The PTSO sponsors quarterly student awards and an annual scholarship recognition ceremony, a quarterly teacher appreciation luncheon, annual fundraising events, and fundraising for the eighth grade Washington D.C. trip, which includes scholarships. The PTSO facilitates communication by using a parent email database and writes our weekly eNewsletter.

COMMUNITY PARTNERSHIPS:

The Ohio State University/I Know I Can, Youth-to-Youth, Clintonville Go Public, Directions for Youth and Families, Clintonville Realtors Association, Dominion PTSO

