

141 Hawkes Avenue Columbus, Ohio 43222 (West Community)

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DRESS CODE: We do not require uniforms; however, we expect all students to comply with the CCS code of dress.

CURRICULUM: All curriculum is based on Ohio's Learning Standards.

READING PROGRAM: K-5 Literacy Collaborative

PARENT INVOLVEMENT: "Muffins with Mom", "Donuts with Dad", Volunteers for Field Day

COMMUNITY PARTNERSHIPS: Columbus Blue Jackets organization; Mt. Carmel College of Nursing; St. John's Episcopal Church; Gladden Community House; Franklinton Library; the Franklinton Ministerial Association; Franklinton Tutoring Program; Homeless Families Foundation and the Dowd Center; COSI; and the North Community Counseling Center.

LATCHKEY: Not available.

WHAT MAKES OUR SCHOOL OUTSTANDING: Avondale focuses on developing self-disciplined, engaged learners. Staff, students, families and community members support our efforts to provide a safe, nurturing learning environment. Our partnerships are very important to our success and make Avondale a unique school. With the Columbus Blue Jackets, our students are involved in a Pen Pal program, get to visit Nationwide Arena to see the team practice, have special visitors to the school, and great incentive programs for perfect attendance. The Mt. Carmel College of Nursing provides a special gift for every student at Christmas.

ACTIVITIES: Franklinton lunch time tutoring program, after school tutoring, special activities for the students through Gladden Community House and the Dowd Center

WHERE WE ARE LOCATED: Avondale is located at 141 Hawkes Avenue, Columbus, Ohio, 43222

ABOUT OUR STAFF: Over 90% of teaching staff members have earned their Master's Degree. All staff members are committed to the Columbus City Schools mission of making certain each student is highly educated, prepared for leadership and service, and empowered for success as a citizen in a global community.