



BROADLEIGH ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

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The teachers, parents and staff at Broadleigh have a strong tradition of working together to create a positive educational environment for children. Our Vision is to provide a caring and engaging environment where children will recognize and achieve their full potential academically and socially.

Our student body includes Special Needs Pre-Kindergarten, regular Pre-Kindergarten, English as Second Language Learners and Gifted /Talented. Approximately 330 students are offered an opportunity to participate in a variety of activities including:

READING PROGRAM: Students in kindergarten through fifth grade are instructed using the Literacy Collaborative Framework. Each student engages in a 120 minute reading block. Students are instructed in phonemic awareness, phonics, vocabulary, comprehension and fluency daily utilizing the Ohio Learning Standards. Teachers provide differentiated instruction through flexible grouping. Great emphasis is to provide students authentic, interesting and relevant texts. Students needing extra reading support receive Leveled Literacy Intervention and Reading Recovery.

MATH PROGRAM: Ready Classroom Math is implemented at Broadleigh. Teachers are given flexibility within the curriculum guides during the 90 minutes math learning block. Problem solving strategies using real world applications and differentiated instruction through flexible small groups occurs during each math block.

CURRICULUM: In addition to an emphasis on reading, phonics, writing, and math, Broadleigh offers a strong curriculum, which includes science, social studies, health, art, music (vocal and instrumental) and physical education. Our curriculum follows the Columbus City Schools Course of Study and the Ohio Learning Standards.

ACTIVITIES: Recognition of student achievement, attendance and special accomplishments are celebrated through quarterly assemblies. Daily, students are recognized for demonstrating the 3 B's: Be Responsible, Be Respectful, Be Safe and for being PAX Leaders.

READING BUDDIES: Once a week, several Pre-K through 1st grade students receive tutoring from PNC Bank executives and other community volunteers.

COMMUNITY PARTNERSHIPS: Broadleigh has formed partnerships with various community agencies and businesses. Annually the Defense Construction Supply Center, Franklin County Retired Teachers and Paramount Church provides school supplies to students who attend Broadleigh. PNC Bank provides supplies and programs for Pre-K, reading tutors and financial support for special projects. Nationwide Children's Behavioral Health and Directions for Youth provide counseling support. Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Inc., Gamma Zeta Zeta Chapter provides resources for students and teachers.