



Cedarwood Alternative Elementary School

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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.

DRESS CODE: Students are expected to follow dress code outlined in the District's Guide to Student Success.

WHAT MAKES OUR SCHOOL OUTSTANDING:

Cedarwood is a Project Adventure Alternative School where students are engaged in hands-on, discovery and inquiry-based educational opportunities that include cooperation, risk-taking, challenge, trust, problem-solving, and communication through Initiatives and High Ropes experiences at Summit Vision, Camp Heartland, Spruce Run, and within our building. All students receive additional Project Adventure time weekly with the Physical Education (PE) teacher. Our specialized facility includes climbing walls and obstacle courses. Students are afforded a variety of educational study (field) trips, some of which include overnight camping at the Heartland Outdoor Environmental Educational Retreat for ALL student-pre-kindergarten through grade five. Students tour art museums and participate in several musical concerts.

STUDENT ACTIVITIES/SPORTS

Fourth and fifth grade choir, band, and string ensemble, chess club, Walk-A-Thon, Read-A-Thon, Literacy and Math/Science Nights, safety patrol, peer tutors, Reading Buddies, Battle of the Books, and adventure field trips. There is a Project Adventure fee.



SPECIALTY LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES/CURRICULUM:

Reading, math, writing, science, social studies, health, art, vocal music, instrumental music, and PE. The Project Adventure program involves cooperative learning experiences based on trust, communication, cooperation, problem-solving, risk and challenge.

FAMILY SUPPORT and RESOURCES

Parent Teacher Organization (PTO), classroom volunteers, parents as tutors, chaperones on study (field) trips (including camp), family ambassador, parent resource center, and workshop sessions to explore third grade reading guarantee, literacy, math, and Positive Parent Involvement.

COMMUNITY PARTNERSHIPS

Cedarwood maintains a positive relationship with Columbus area businesses, with current active support from Scioto Southland, Lowe's, Camp Mary Orton, Camp Heartland, and Junior Achievement.



SCHOOL LEADERSHIP:

Rodney Johnson, *Principal*