



# Colerain ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

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**SCHOOL VISION:** Colerain is a caring community that engages and cultivates respectful and responsible learners who are empowered to reach their greatest potential.

**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 the dress code outlined in the District's Guide to Student Success

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## **WHAT MAKES THIS SCHOOL OUTSTANDING:**

Colerain Elementary School provides a quality educational program for preK-5 students. We have three classrooms at each grade level, a general education classroom, and two classrooms for students with special needs. The teachers in each of these classrooms work collaboratively to meet the needs of every student. Due to the special nature of our school, Colerain has many outstanding staff members available throughout the day to support all students in our school. Every staff member is responsible for helping to develop our All Stars into responsible, caring citizens. We take this job very seriously.

## **SPECIALTY LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES/CURRICULUM:**

All teachers at Colerain adhere to Ohio's Learning Standards in all subject areas. Teachers provide direct research-based instruction to guide students in acquiring strategies for maintaining fluency, text comprehension, and vocabulary development. Phonemic awareness and phonics instruction are provided as students engage in reading, writing, listening, and speaking. Instruction moves from demonstration and explicit teaching to guided practice and then to independent problem-solving. Teachers of students with disabilities use Ohio's Learning Standards--extended and also focus on individualized goals and objectives for our students with special needs.



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**SCHOOL LEADERSHIP:**



Candace Nespeca, *Principal*

**STUDENT ACTIVITIES/SPORTS:**

Chess Club, Book Buddies, Book Club, Instrumental Music and Strings, Student Leadership Team, Literacy Night, Vet Day, Special Olympics, and robotics.

**FAMILY SUPPORT AND RESOURCES:**

The Colerain School Parent Teacher Association (PTA) is an active part of our school. They sponsor many activities throughout the year, such as a book fair, holiday shop, and trunk-or-treat. PTA fundraising creates funds to purchase equipment and materials for the school, such as our new GaGa pit on the playground. Parent volunteers are welcome in our building and work with classroom teachers on a daily basis to support our school in many ways.

**COMMUNITY PARTNERSHIPS:**

Colerain has formed partnerships with The Ohio State University Veterinary School, Rotary Club of Columbus, Maple Grove United Methodist Church, and Weldon, a division of IDEX Corp.