



# GABLES

## ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

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**SCHOOL MISSION:** At Gables, we are committed to creating a community of learners that promotes respectful, responsible, safe, kind and highly motivated students to become productive citizens in the ever-changing world. Through the collaboration of staff with students, families and community, we hold ourselves accountable to maintain a safe, supportive and welcoming environment so our students can achieve a higher level of academic excellence and express their unique talents and diversity through a challenging and rigorous curriculum.

**DRESS CODE:** Students are expected to follow Dress Code outlined in the District's Guide to Student Success.

**LATCHKEY:** Through the Latchkey Program, Gables offers before and after school child care for its students. The Latchkey Program is a PAID service. Parents must apply with the Latchkey Office and receive approval before they can attend. Contact the Latchkey Office if you have questions.

### WHATS MAKES OUR SCHOOL OUTSTANDING

**DIVERSITY:** At Gables we value diversity. Our school community serves students from around the world. Students at Gables represent over 29 countries and speak more than 25 different languages. We offer K-5 English as a Second Language (ESL) services, special education services to include students served by tutoring, high incidence resource room, two emotional disturbance classrooms serving students in grades K-5, and two gifted and talented reading and math classes for grades 3-5.

### SPECIALTY LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES/CURRICULUM

Our curriculum is closely aligned with the Ohio Learning Standards. Gables students also have opportunities to use computers/Chromebooks in their classrooms and in the Media Center. Through the Internet, students access local, national, and international information for classroom research projects and complete classroom assessments online. **READING PROGRAM:** This year at Gables, the students in grades K-5 will receive reading instruction through HMH Into Reading Program. Students will be provided a 90 minute instructional reading block and a 30 minute writing lesson, daily.

### STUDENT ACTIVITIES/SPORTS

Gables students are offered an opportunity to participate in a variety of activities including: Chess Club, Safety Patrol, Right-to-Read Week, district-wide and national academic competitions such as Math Works, Battle of the Books, Invention Convention, the Annual Spelling Bee, Robotics Club, Debate Club and TedX.

### SCHOOL LEADERSHIP



Jill Lausch  
Principal





### **FAMILY SUPPORT and RESOURCES**

Family involvement is welcomed and invited at Gables at all times. Our school benefits from the active participation of many, many parents/guardians and family members. Volunteers donate in excess of 4,000 hours of time to our school annually. Yearly opportunities for family involvement include Family Curriculum Nights, visits from authors/illustrators, Invention Convention, International Day, field day, and Art Show. Parents also provide academic support through tutoring and assisting in classrooms. Gables' active Parent/Teacher Association (PTA) meets on a monthly basis and assists students and staff in many activities and events throughout the school year.

### **COMMUNITY PARTNERSHIPS**

Nationwide Children's Hospital, Columbus Metropolitan Library, ETSS - Refugee and Immigrant Assistance, Ohio Hispanic Coalition, Community Refugee and Immigration Services, State Support Team II - Family Resources