

HAMILTON STEM ACADEMY K-6

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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: Bottoms- khaki, navy blue, or black shorts, capris, skirt, skorts, pants. Tops - white, maroon, navy blue, light blue, or black polo.

WHAT MAKES OUR SCHOOL OUTSTANDING

Hamilton is a Positive Behavior Supports school where the focus is on positive outcomes for all of our students. The school-wide SOAR (Safe, On-time, Accountable, Respectful) behavior system assures all students have success. We have an active Intervention Assistance Team as part of the MTSS process. We have daily tutoring to address those students needing additional reading support in grades K-3. Our focus is on math and reading instruction. Students are recognized monthly for specific character traits. We have many programs to support our students' individual academic achievement. We have a weekly computer lab for all. Hamilton offers a full time Counselor. We have supported Family Group meetings monthly that have students from all grade levels coming together to address character traits. The school is focused on setting a climate that is conducive for learning. With that in mind monthly there is an entire week devoted to a character-building trait (respect, unity, cooperation, etc.). Hamilton also makes books available on several occasions throughout the year for all students so they have something available for them to read.

SPECIALTY LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES/CURRICULUM

Reading, Math, language arts, writing across the curriculum, science, social studies, health, art, music (vocal & instrumental) and physical education. READING PROGRAM: Hamilton READS (Kindergarten Reading Intervention, OSU tutoring grades 1-2, LLI Intervention (Grade 3), HMH Reading in Grades K-6 is taught by direct instruction and uses small groups that are leveled for individual success, and 3rd grade small group tutoring for OST (formerly AIR/ELA) assessment preparation.

SCHOOL LEADERSHIP



Christopher Brady *Principal*





STUDENT ACTIVITIES/SPORTS

Weekly and Monthly SOAR activities for good behavior and attendance. Girls in grades four-six are invited to be a member of a girl's mentoring club, Just for Girls. Boys in grades four-six are invited to be a member of a boy's mentoring club, Just for Boys. We also have an after-school basketball program for grades 4-6. Art, Music, and curriculum field trips take place through the year. Students have opportunities to show school pride by participating in Spirit Week. ACTIVITIES: Monthly assemblies, field trips relating to math and science, art show, anti-bullying activities, winter and spring music concerts, after-school tutoring, math club, science fair, student council, Black History program, Penny Harvest, fishing club, career week, YAP Peer Relations, St. Stephens after-school program, Chess Club, and College Mentors for Kids program (grades 1-5).

FAMILY SUPPORT and RESOURCES

Activities and events our parents are encouraged to participate in are the Parent Teacher Organization (PTO), Curriculum Nights (Math, Science, and Reading), Back to School Ice Cream Social and monthly Pastries for Parents.

COMMUNITY PARTNERS

The school has community partnerships with OSU, United Way, St. Stephen's, YMCA and CVS. Counseling services are available through Nationwide Children's, Youth Advocates and other agencies.

