



HILLTONIA MIDDLE SCHOOL

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SCHOOL MASCOT: Hawk

SCHOOL COLORS: Green and white

CURRICULUM: Unified classes include art, band, vocal music, career technology, computer technology and physical education. Eighth graders can earn up to 2 high school credits in eighth grade. The Gifted and Talented Program is used to enhance the outstanding students' skill level.

EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS:

- **Achieve 3000** - a technology based program is used to increase fluency and increase reading comprehension.
- **Aleks** - a technology based program is used to increase fluency and increase reading comprehension
- **Flocabulary**-Vocabulary program
- **Study Sync**- ELA Instruction
- **Classroom Works**-Response to Intervention program
- **IReady**-Math and ELA Instruction
- **Unique**-Special Education Instruction

ENROLLMENT: Over 400 students from a richly diverse population with 1 English as a Second Language unit, and 6 special education units. Our student population is approximately 3% Asian Pacific Islander, 31% African American, 18% Hispanic, 41% Caucasian and 6% multi- racial.

COMMUNITY PARTNERSHIPS: Children's Hospital Behavior Health Services, Ohio State University – Professional Development School – utilizing and training teacher interns, Columbus Public Schools and Osteopathic Heritage Foundation - Healthy and Fit in School and Beyond Initiative. TRIO – Educational Talent Search program, Girls on the Run, ROX, Communities In Schools, Memorial Baptist Church and North Community Counseling. Nationwide Children's Hospital Mobile Unit, Columbus Public Health Dental Sealant program, Ohio State University Dental Coach, Columbus Public Health Immunization Clinic (Flu and 7th gr immunizations), Nationwide Children's Center for Family Safety and Healing (Safe Dates Curriculum), Ohio Health Wellness on Wheels, Ohio Health- Do Dreams Not Drugs, Care Coalition (Columbus Public Health). YES Group (Columbus Public Health) and YAP group (Community for New Directions)

STUDENT ACTIVITIES: PBIS Rewards Program - A school-wide incentive program is used to recognize the positive behavior of students. Student Council – Well organized program which develops leaders.

ALPHA TEA ALPHA KAPPA SORORITY sponsored to recognize minority students' scholarship.

ATHLETICS: Interscholastic – Grades 7 and 8. Fall sports: Co-ed soccer, girls' volleyball; Winter sports: girls' basketball, boys' basketball; Spring sports: Co-ed track and field, girls' softball, boys' baseball.

DRESS CODE: Uniforms are not required but a conservative dress code is in place.

STAFF: 52 Professional adults who endeavor to be role models for our students and prescribe to the District's mission that *Each student is highly educated, prepared for leadership and service, and empowered for success as a citizen in a global community.* Hilltonia has a full-time nurse, counselor and social worker.