



Woodlands Elementary School (WDES)

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An "A" Rated School District

A Word From Our Principal

Woodlands Elementary strives to achieve the maximum potential of each student, foster a life-long love for learning, and develop responsible and contributing members of society. This school report outlines the key characteristics of our school from both an academic and non-academic perspective. I hope it helps you understand what makes Woodlands unique. Please reach out to us if you have any questions about our school.

Patricia May

What Makes Us Special

- The students are provided the opportunity to develop the essential skills of critical thinking, problem solving and group collaboration through a rigorous, standards-based curriculum.
- Woodlands Elementary cultivates a strong sense of community where families feel welcome and take an active role in partnering with the school in their child's education.
- Woodlands Elementary is proud to be recognized for implementing an outstanding school-wide positive behavior support plan.

Advanced Academics

Rigorous Accelerated Math Pathways for Elementary Students (RAMP) is available for mathematically talented students in grades 4 through 5.

Family Engagement

2021-2022 Data



Dividends is the volunteer program for SCPS. Our incredible Woodlands volunteers gave **7,795** hours of their time to support students.

Technology and the Future



- New technologies and blended learning activities are used to differentiate the learning experiences for each individual student.
- Our Wildcats participate in STEM activities, such as Makerspace, Coding, and Computer Science activities.
- Computer Science 2020 - Our students participate in at least 10 hours of computer science learning each school year.

Student Achievement

2021-2022 Data

- All students in grades K-5 participate in English and Language Arts (ELA) and Math iReady progress monitoring. **75%** of K-5 students were on or above grade level in ELA and **75%** of K-5 students were on or above grade level in Math.
- The Star Early Literacy Assessment is administered to kindergarten students at the beginning of each school year. **44%** of students demonstrated kindergarten readiness compared to the state average of 57%.

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Woodlands Elementary School earned an A grade from the Florida DOE in 2022

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- Woodlands Elementary has been recognized as a Gold Level Model School for school-wide positive behavior support.
- One of the Woodlands Odyssey of the Mind teams won second place in the Odyssey of the Mind World Virtual Tournament in 2020.
- Woodlands Elementary was the recipient of a PTA Reflections award for having participants in the Reflections contest.
- Woodlands Elementary was the recipient of a PTA Scholarship award.
- Woodlands Elementary was the recipient of a PTA award for having a high number of memberships.

Future Middle School Pathways for Our Students



Rock Lake: 57%

Markham Woods: 31%

For additional pathways see [Student Assignment and Program Access](#)

School Health and Safety

The health, safety and security of staff and students is our top priority. We follow CDC COVID mitigation strategies and work closely with local, state, and federal agencies to ensure a sanitized and safe environment for your child's learning. Our School Resource Officer is Jaiver Perez with the SCSO.



The SpeakOut program provides three 24-hour monitored services that allows students, parents, or community members to anonymously report concerns. www.speakouthotline.org

87% of student respondents would recommend WDES



93% of parent respondents would recommend WDES



Here's what students and parents say they like about Woodlands:

" He LOVES it and wants to go to school. Great teachers! "

1st Grade Parent

" A great support staff. The principal is the best I've ever seen. We have a child who requires services and we all work well together. "

4th Grade Parent

" They seem to be super friendly and my kids enjoy their time there. "

3rd Grade Parent

" Focus on holistic development and not only academics for the child. "

Kindergarten Parent

" I like how the teachers are very nice and how they help you when you need it. Another thing I like about my school is that specials is fun. "

5th Grade Student

" The teachers are friendly, I feel safe, and I never feel sad inside when I am at school. "

4th Grade Student

" I like this school because the teachers are nice and the playground is cool. "

5th Grade Student

" I feel safe and do not want to go to any other school. "

4th Grade Student