



ROSA PARKS ELEMENTARY
1210 S. Verity Parkway | Middletown, OH 45044

Phone: 513.420.4552
Student Hours Grades K-5: 9:00 AM - 3:45 PM
Pre School Student Hours: 9:00 AM - 11:30 AM or
1:00 PM - 3:45 PM
Principal-Kee Edwards
Secretary-Peggy Kelly
Total enrollment - Rosa Parks – 427
School designation: Continuous Improvement
Percentage of minority students: 63%
Economically Disadvantaged: 94.7%
Attendance rate: 93.9%

Rosa Parks Elementary Values:

1. We will be results oriented and data driven.
2. We will collaborate with one another and our students so that we can achieve our collective goals more effectively.
3. We will communicate to students they are important and valued.
4. We will communicate to students why the work they do is important.
5. We will communicate to students that we will not let them fail.
6. We will clearly define and model lifelong learning for our students and ourselves.
7. We will identify essential learning outcomes, assess student understanding and provide opportunities for students to demonstrate mastery.
8. We will demonstrate our commitment to ongoing professional development and continuous improvement.
9. We will build effective relationships with students, parents and the community.
10. We will use all available resources to engage students in learning.

Profile:

Rosa Parks Elementary is located on the southwestern side of the Middletown City School District. Rosa Park serves students in grades Pre-K-5 in a brand new spacious building with state of the art classrooms. We currently have a staff of 45 teachers, 21 K-5 regular education classes, 3 special education units, 4 sections of half day preschool and full-time Fine Arts (Art, Music, & P.E.) teachers provide instruction to students in all-day Kindergarten and 1st through 5th grades.

Along with a dedicated staff Rosa Parks offers many programs and services for our students:

- *3 sections of all day Kindergarten
- *4 first grade teachers that reduce class size to 20:1
- *4 second grade teachers that reduce class size to 20:1
- *4 third grade teachers that reduce class size to 20:1
- Rosa Parks Fly High Dance Team
- *Oprah Ambassadors – Student Community Service Group
- Free breakfast program for all students.
- Full time Librarian
- *2 Reading Tutors

An Intervention Assistance Team (IAT) works to support students who are having difficulties in the classroom. Students are referred to IAT by teachers and parents at which time the IAT convenes to learn more about the child and brainstorm strategies to help support their success in the classroom. Parental involvement is a very important piece throughout this process.

Rosa Parks Elementary has a parent activity coordinator who plans four literacy activities a year involving parents and students.

*** New in 2009**