

2016 SCHOOL PROFILE

Pearson's Corner Elementary



Dear Parents and Community Friends:

The School Profile Fall 2016 issued by the Hanover County School Board for each school in the county complements the Virginia School Report Card prepared by the Virginia Department of Education. The Profile offers a comprehensive picture of the school by providing highlights of our students, our school, our teachers, and our parents. Unless otherwise noted, all data reported are from the 2015-2016 school year. We want to present a broader, more detailed view of your school—data about achievement tests, activities, technology, community involvement, and other attributes. You are welcome to visit or call any of our schools or the State Board of Education to obtain additional information, discuss a suggestion, or share a concern.

Thank you for your strong support of our school system.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Michael B. Gill".

Dr. Michael B. Gill, Superintendent of Schools

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Battlefield Park Elementary (K-5)
5501 Mechanicsville Turnpike
Mechanicsville, VA 23111
723-3600

Beaverdam Elementary (K-5)
15485 Beaverdam School Road
Beaverdam, VA 23015
798-5929

Cold Harbor Elementary (K-5)
6740 Cold Harbor Road
Mechanicsville, VA 23111
723-3620

Cool Spring Elementary (K-5)
9964 Honey Meadows Road
Mechanicsville, VA 23116
723-3560

Elmont Elementary (K-5)
12007 Cedar Lane
Ashland, VA 23005
365-8100

Henry Clay Elementary (K-2)
310 South James Street
Ashland, VA 23005
365-8120

John M. Gandy Elementary (3-5)
201 Archie Cannon Drive
Ashland, VA 23005
365-4640

Kersey Creek Elementary (K-5)
10004 Learning Lane
Mechanicsville, VA 23116
723-3440

Laurel Meadow Elementary (K-5)
8248 Lee Davis Road
Mechanicsville, VA 23111
723-2040

Mechanicsville Elementary (K-5)
7425 Mechanicsville Elementary Drive
Mechanicsville, VA 23111
723-3640

Pearson's Corner Elementary (K-5)
8290 New Ashcake Road
Mechanicsville, VA 23116
723-3660

Pole Green Elementary (K-5)
8993 Pole Green Park Lane
Mechanicsville, VA 23116
365-4700

Rural Point Elementary (K-5)
7161 Studley Road
Mechanicsville, VA 23116
723-3580

South Anna Elementary (K-5)
13122 Walton's Tavern Road
Montpelier, VA 23192
749-4222

Washington-Henry Elementary (K-5)
9025 Washington-Henry Drive
Mechanicsville, VA 23116
723-2300

Chickahominy Middle (6-8)
9450 Atlee Station Road
Mechanicsville, VA 23116
723-2160

Liberty Middle (6-8)
13496 Liberty School Road
Ashland, VA 23005
365-8060

Oak Knoll Middle (6-8)
10295 Chamberlayne Road
Mechanicsville, VA 23116
365-4740

Stonewall Jackson Middle (6-8)
8021 Lee-Davis Road
Mechanicsville, VA 23111
723-2260

Atlee High (9-12)
9414 Atlee Station Road
Mechanicsville, VA 23116
723-2100

Hanover High School (9-12)
10307 Chamberlayne Road
Mechanicsville, VA 23116
723-3700

Lee-Davis High (9-12)
7052 Mechanicsville Pike
Mechanicsville, VA 23111
723-2200

Patrick Henry High (9-12)
12449 W. Patrick Henry Road
Ashland, VA 23005
365-8000

The Georgetown School (6-12)
10000 Learning Lane
Mechanicsville, VA 23116
723-3460

**The Hanover Center for Trades
and Technology (9-12)**
10002 Learning Lane
Mechanicsville, VA 23116
723-2020

Our School

Enrollment (Fall 2015)

	SCHOOL	COUNTY
Number of Students	500	17,776

Computers

	SCHOOL	COUNTY
Number	365	12,158
Number of Students per Computer	1.4	1.5

Volunteers

	SCHOOL	COUNTY
Number of Volunteers	457	8,975
Number of Volunteer-hours	1,811	64,045
Number of Volunteer-hours per Student	3.6	3.6

Library

	SCHOOL	COUNTY
Book Inventory	11,858	296,185
Number of Books per Student	23.7	16.7
Books Circulated	32,219	524,078
Classes Taught by Librarian	864	19,386
Student Use of Library Independently	6,138	180,781

\$ Expenditures

	HANOVER COUNTY PER PUPIL	VIRGINIA PER PUPIL
HCPS FY 2015	\$9,549	\$11,523

Our Students

Students with English as Second Language

	SCHOOL	COUNTY
Number	<10	265

Students Receiving Special Education Services

	SCHOOL	COUNTY
Number	38	2,249
Percent (based on enrollment)	8%	13%

Students Receiving Gifted/Talented Services

	SCHOOL	COUNTY
Number	48	2,393
Percent (based on enrollment)	10%	13%

Our Teachers

Staff Members

	SCHOOL	COUNTY
Number of Teachers	35.4	1,322
Teachers with Advanced Degrees	18.0	789.0
Percent	51%	60%

Our Community

Overall Parent Satisfaction (Annual Parent Survey)

	AGREE	DISAGREE
Purpose is clearly focused on student success.	100%	0%
Work is appropriately challenging	96.2%	3.8%
Teachers advocate for my child.	93.7%	6.3%
Staff members are qualified and support student learning.	98.7%	1.3%
School provides a safe learning environment.	98.7%	1.3%
School provides variety of resources to support learning.	93.5%	6.5%
School provides opportunity for students to explore interests.	97.4%	2.6%

PTA/PTO/PTSO Membership (Elementary)

	SCHOOL	COUNTY
Number	468	4,473
Percent (based on enrollment)	94%	64%



Hanover County Public Schools is a student-centered, community-driven school district that assures a quality education for success in a changing world.

HIGHLIGHTS

- The Virginia Department of Education has awarded Pearson's Corner Elementary the 2016 Virginia Index of Performance (VIP) Board of Education Distinguished Achievement Award. This award is given to schools who exceed the minimum requirements for learning and achievement of the Commonwealth's rigorous Standards of Learning program. We attribute our students' success to the solid instruction provided by our staff, as well as the student's support system at home. Congratulations!
- Pearson's Corner Elementary honors the following staff members for their outstanding work: PCES Support Employee of the Year, Erin Decker; PCES Teacher of the Year, Stacy McGrath; and PCES Beginning Teacher of the Year, Sara Parsons. In addition, Ms. LuAnn Morrow was the recipient of the CLD Teacher of the Year Award. The CLD recognizes teachers who are CLD members and who consistently provide quality instruction to students with learning disabilities. Ms. Morrow was one of three teachers to be recognized nationally at the 37th International Conference on Learning Disabilities. Congratulations on this outstanding achievement!
- The inaugural Pearson's Corner Fun Run took place in April 2016. Not only did we raise funds for purchasing leveled reading resources, AV equipment and integrated technology, but we also received a quality 8-day program which promoted leadership and fitness skills for our students to use in daily life! In two separate additional events, our community was integral in fundraising and resource gathering to support families in need throughout the school year. We are thankful for the contributions of our community to make this possible!