

Winston Elementary School

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Why Winston Elementary?

"Not only did I attend school at Winston, but my mother went to school here, too. Winston Elementary IS the Winston community. The teachers are truly vested in my son's education because so many of them went to school at Winston as well. I love that even though Winston has been a staple in the Douglas County School System for so many years, they continue to expand their horizons and bring forth the newest, most innovative teaching practices with each school year. There's nothing more to say except WE LOVE WINSTON!"

—Winston Elementary Parent



Achievements

- ◇ Named Beat the Odds school for seven years
- ◇ 2019-20 Inaugural Chess Team Placed in Top Ten at District Tournament
- ◇ Get Your Pink On - Largest Philanthropic Fun Run in the county with over \$30,000 given to breast cancer research
- ◇ 2019 Tome State Chapter of the Year and State Elementary Chapter of the Year
- ◇ 2016 Bronze School Designation
- ◇ Continuous top placements in Perennial Math and County Math Competitions
- ◇ Home of Avery Zachery - 2021 Elementary TOTY and former Wildcat herself
- ◇ Multiple Jimmy Carter Presidential Awards for Essays, Artwork and Poetry
- ◇ 2021 Group Stock Market Game Winner and Placements
- ◇ Multiple Perennial Math Participants and Recognitions

Inside the Classroom

Step into the halls of Winston Elementary School and it won't take long to discover the tradition of excellence! The Governor's Office of Student Achievement (GOSA) Report Card truly captures the hard work and commitment of the students and staff at Winston. When compared to other elementary schools in Georgia, Winston's academic growth ranks in the top 1% statewide.

Teachers at Winston are highly skilled at meeting the individual development and academic needs of students, while moving all children forward at an accelerated pace. A visitor to the school will quickly realize the effort and attention the staff places on rigorous instruction to ensure achievement and performance.

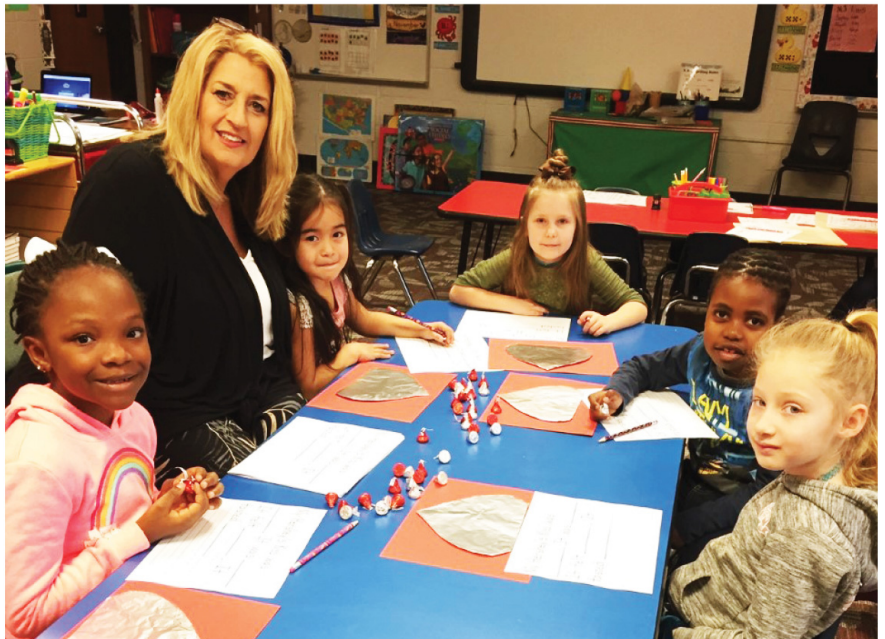
Pride. Excellence. Tradition.

Together, we shape the future.

#teamdouglas

Our Vision

At Winston Elementary School, the staff is committed to providing experiences which will prepare students through learning today for living in our constantly changing world. Through the involvement of home, school and community, students will experience opportunities which promote individual growth and respect for self and others in a safe and caring environment.



Principal's Message

I am not only the proud principal of Winston Elementary, but I am also the mom of two Wildcats. I warmly welcome you to one of the greatest schools in the state of Georgia! Winston is a small, family focused building where we truly know every child and parent. Our building's size and layout allow us to focus on ensuring your child is successful in all aspects of his/her life. From the moment your Wildcat steps foot on campus, I can guarantee he/she will be met with a smile and the understanding that he/she is capable of greatness! Preparing your child for the next level of success is one part of what we do each day. To know Winston, is to love Winston! Go Wildcats!

-Principal Chelsie Goodman

Student Enrollment: 323

Total Staff: 68

Certified Staff: 28

**Certified Staff with
Advanced Degrees:** 82%

Numbers for enrollment and staffing current as of 10/21

To access state-mandated test scores including the Georgia Milestones Assessment System (GMAS), please scan the QR code.

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Beyond the Classroom

At Winston Elementary, the learning does not end when the final school bell rings. There are a number of before school and after school activities that enrich learning, build relationships, and continue the notion of nourishing the whole child.

Every Tuesday morning, students rush to get to Winston for our weekly Praise and Worship (PAW) group. Through partnerships with local ministries and churches, our students are engaged in fellowship with other students in all grades, kindergarten through fifth. Likewise, our WES Live Media Cast made up of fifth grade leaders offers important news and information each morning to the rest of the school.

After school at Winston is even busier! Over 100 students take part in our traditional after school program (ASP) where good, old-fashioned play is encouraged! Road Runners meet weekly to strengthen student endurance and stamina while racing throughout the Douglas county community during racing season.

Members of the Chorus and Drama Club meet weekly to prepare for performances throughout the year. Our award winning club, Tome Society, meets on Wednesdays to share their love and appreciation of children's literature. In addition to the above mentioned activities, our Math, Chess and Word Wizards Clubs continue academic enrichment, critical thinking, and rigor weekly until 4 p.m.

Finally, Winston is also excited to expand our list of weeklong intensives this year with the formation of Tennis and Basketball Camp! Our continued goal is to provide the students with every opportunity to strengthen their physical, intellectual, emotional, and social development each and every day – before, during and after school!