

# Gaithersburg Elementary School - #553

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School Hours: 8:50 - 3:05

Cluster: Gaithersburg

Feeder Schools:

Receiving Schools: Gaithersburg

2003-2004 Official Enrollment = 558								
	% Total	% Gender		% Racial/Ethnic Composition				
		Female	Male	Afr Am	Am Ind	Asian	Hisp	White
All Students		<b>48.2</b>	<b>51.8</b>	<b>25.8</b>	<b>0.2</b>	<b>8.4</b>	<b>52.7</b>	<b>12.9</b>
SPED	<b>6.3</b>	1.4	4.8	2.0	0.0	0.0	2.5	1.8
ESOL	<b>25.1</b>	12.4	12.7	3.2	0.0	2.5	18.6	0.7
FARMS	<b>65.4</b>	29.4	36.0	16.1	0.0	3.8	42.5	3.0

Students now or have in the past received FARMS = 74.9%  
 Mobility Rate (Entrants + Withdrawals) \* = 26.1%

Overall Adequate Yearly Progress *: Not Met				
	% Proficient		Participation Rate	
	Math	Reading	Math	Reading
All Students	Met	Met	Met	Met
African Am.	Met	Met	na	na
Am. Indian	--	--	--	--
Asian	Met	Met	na	na
Hispanic	Met	Met	Met	Met
White	Met	Met	na	na
SPED	Met	Met	na	na
ESOL	Met	Not Met	na	na
FARMS	Met	Met	Met	Met

Attendance Rate: Met

Class Size/Staff Ratio	
Student/Instructional Staff Ratio = 8.7	
Average Class Size	Kindergarten = 13.3
	Grades 1 to 2 = 16.3    Grades 3 to 5 = 22.6

Staff Positions			
Professional		Supporting Services	
<b>Administrative</b>		<b>Instructional Support</b>	
Principal	1.000	Paraeducators	
Assistant Principal	1.000	Regular	6.250
Principal Trainee		Special Education	0.875
<b>Administrative Total</b>	<b>2.000</b>	Teacher Assistant	
		Media Assistant	1.000
<b>Teachers</b>		Instructional Data Assistant	0.875
Kindergarten	6.000	<b>Instructional Support Total</b>	<b>9.000</b>
Classroom	28.500	<b>Other Support</b>	
Staff Development	1.000	Administrative Secretary	1.000
ESOL	7.500	Secretary	1.000
Reading	1.000	Parent/Community Coord	
Physical Education	1.200	Lunch Hour Aide	1.500
Art	1.200	<b>Other Support Total</b>	<b>3.500</b>
Music	1.200	<b>Building Services</b>	
Instrumental Music	0.300	Manager	1.000
Preschool	1.000	Leader	1.000
Special Education:		Worker	3.000
Classroom	1.000	Plant Equipment Operator	
Resource Program	1.000	<b>Building Services Total</b>	<b>5.000</b>
<b>Teachers Total</b>	<b>50.900</b>	Food Services	2.313
<b>Other Professional</b>		<b>Total Supporting Services</b>	<b>19.813</b>
Counselor	1.000		
Media Specialist			
Spec Ed Related Services	1.000		
<b>Other Professional Total</b>	<b>2.000</b>		
<b>Total Professional</b>	<b>54.900</b>		

Enrollment by Grade				
	Number	Percent	Number receiving more than 50% SpEd Instruction	Percent receiving more than 50% SpEd Instruction
Pre K	42	7.5	0	0.0
Half-Day K	0	0.0	0	0.0
Full-Day K	78	14.0	0	0.0
Grade 1	91	16.3	0	0.0
Grade 2	98	17.6	2	0.4
Grade 3	73	13.1	1	0.2
Grade 4	92	16.5	2	0.4
Grade 5	84	15.1	4	0.7
Grade 6	0	0.0	0	0.0
<b>Total</b>	<b>558</b>		<b>9</b>	<b>1.6</b>

Comprehensive Test of Basic Skills (Grades 2, 4) *		
California Achievement Test (Grade 6 Only) *		
Test	Median National Percentile Rank	% at or above 60th National Percentile
<b>Grade 2</b>		
Reading	47	35
Language	55	37
Mathematics	52	47
Language Mechanics	65	53
Math Computation	76	63
Composite Index		47***
<b>Grade 4</b>		
Reading	49	43
Language	57	47
Mathematics	71	58
Language Mechanics	61	53
Math Computation	62	58
Composite Index		52***

Student Participation *		
	Rate	State Standard
Attendance	95.5	Satisfactory

Facilities Data					
Original Construction Date	Year Renovated/Modernized	Site Size in Acres	Gym	Joint Occupancy	Relocatable Classrooms
1947	1982	9.2	Yes	1	15

Core Facility Teaching Stations					
Total	Grades 1-6	Support A/M/R	Pre K	Kindergarten	Special Education
26	10	7	1	7	1

Capacity/Enrollment Projections							
Current Capacity	Future Capacity	2004-05	2005-06	2006-07	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10
444	669	553	549	566	556	561	590

School Operating Costs	
Professional Salaries	\$3,191,117
Supporting Service Salaries	\$615,367
Substitutes	\$89,005
Benefits	\$884,059
Instructional Supplies/Support	\$115,907
Facility Costs	\$208,438
<b>Total Allocated Cost</b>	<b>\$5,103,893</b>

\* 2002-2003 School Year Data  
 \*\* Met local standard    \*\*\* Did not meet local standard