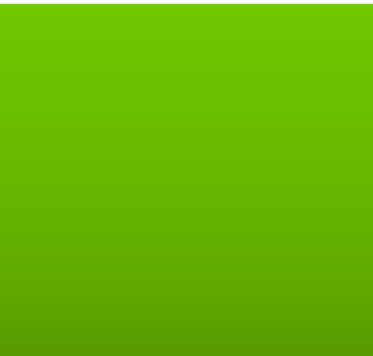




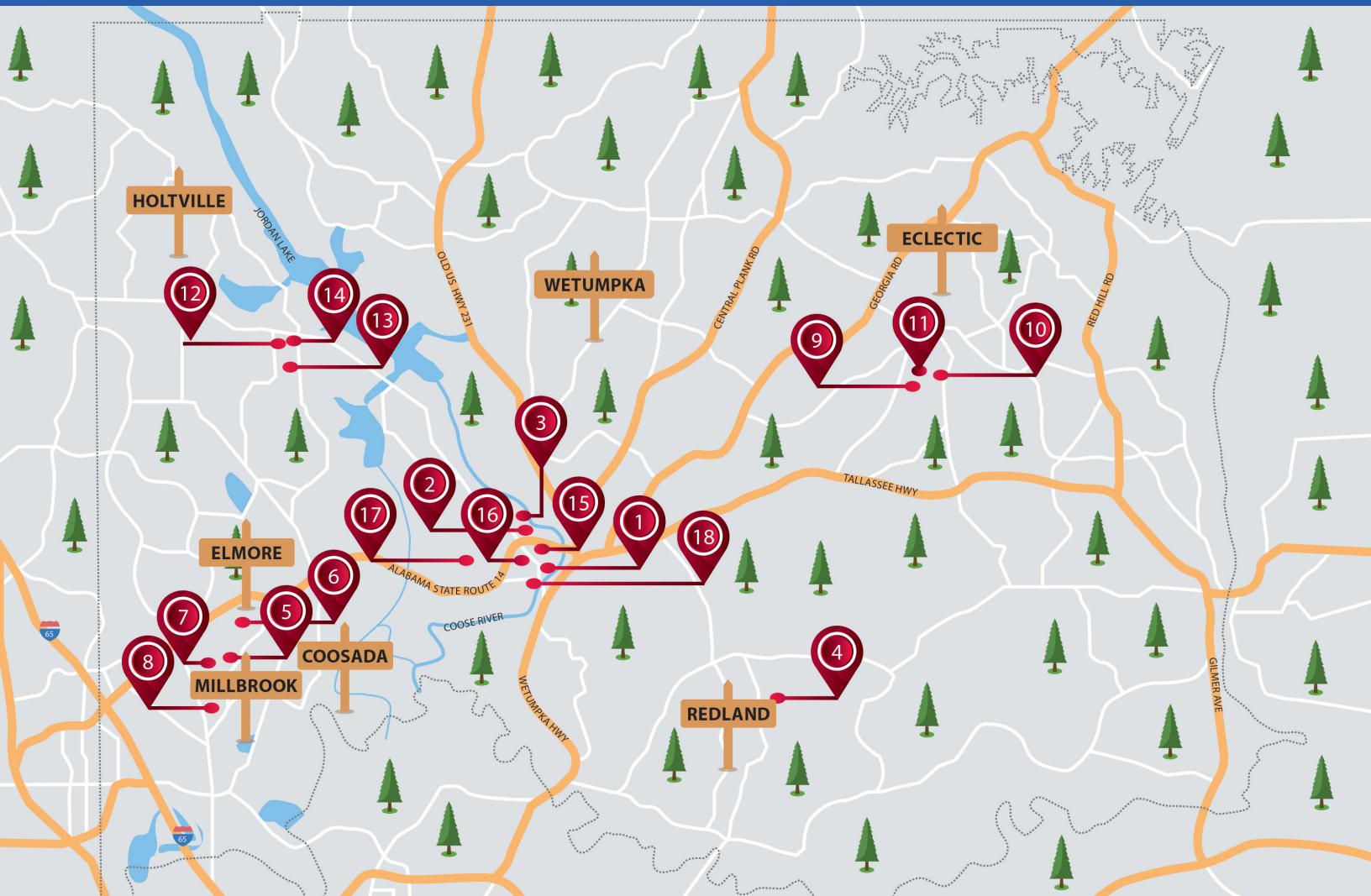
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# Elmore County Public Schools

 Thank you for your interest in Elmore County Public Schools! We believe that our role is to empower students for success by providing a variety of high-quality programs and services which is reflected in our belief statement: Every Student Empowered ~ Every Student Succeeds.

The Elmore County Public School System currently has fifteen schools and continues to expand programs to challenge and engage students to prepare them for their future endeavors. The system strives to provide a safe environment to support students' mental and physical well-being, and we continually strive to grow and develop academic programs in all areas. The expansion of co-curricular and extracurricular programs and facilities is a priority to meet the needs of the local schools and the passions of the students participating.

School culture begins with the mental and physical wellbeing of students and the way each school provides a safe and supportive environment. All traditional schools provide breakfast, lunch, and supper to all students that choose to participate, and virtual students also can receive meal services at assigned distribution sites. A system mental health coordinator works with each school to address concerns and provide additional support as needed. Each Elmore County school actively builds its own culture to provide a positive foundation for every student.

Elmore County students' academic development is a continuous focus and this process has continued to result in system gains each year. The school system offers all traditional curriculums to include Advanced Placement (AP), dual enrollment, advanced curriculum, career-technical education programs, and numerous fine art and athletic courses. Students can pursue these programs at their local base school, The EDGE – Elmore County's virtual school, and the Elmore County Technical Center. Each student receives a Chromebook to use for the school year in class and at home. This allows each school to use a blended virtual/face-to-face curriculum to better engage students whether they are at school, at home, or traveling.

Extracurricular activities are the true passion of many students, and Elmore County continues to expand and develop these opportunities. Athletics and fine arts are vital components of school life, and we enjoy strong community support for these activities. Coordinated efforts with municipalities, the Elmore County Commission, and other Elmore County organizations have allowed schools to plan and use new facilities in all communities. Students' passions are most evident in the extracurricular activities they choose, and we are committed to fostering opportunities for students to explore their interests and potentially discover their life-long passions.

Elmore County Schools strives to provide a high-quality academic program accompanied by a wide variety of co-curricular and extracurricular activities and supported by resources and services to meet the physical and emotional needs of each student. We hope you will visit our school system or our district and school websites to learn more about our programs and services.

**In Elmore County, our belief is Every Student Empowered, Every Student Succeeds.**

**Richard E. Dennis**  
Superintendent

# Welcome to Elmore County!

**The Elmore County Public School System is the 11th largest school system in the state with a student enrollment of approximately 11,180 students. The demographics of our school system include 69.11% White, 26.69% Black or African American, 2.67% Two or More Races, .86% Asian, .56% American Indian/Alaska Native, .11% Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander, and 2.02% Hispanic/Latino. Male students comprise 53.36% of our enrollment, and females comprise 46.64%. Our 2019 overall graduation rate is 90.3% and 82.2% of graduates achieved a College & Career Readiness Indicator.**

# ELMORE COUNTY SCHOOLS



Elmore County is ranked 9th of 67 counties in Alabama in Alabama Kids Count Data Book, a research project by VOICES for Alabama's Children. This ranking is based on the following indicators:

- Low birth weight
- Births to teens aged 15-17
- Children participating in First Class Pre-K
- Fourth grade reading proficiency
- Teens not in school and not working
- Children in poverty
- Medicaid paid births
- Child food insecurity
- Unemployment rate

We employ approximately 1,200 certified and support staff located on 14 school campuses, the Elmore County Technical Center, the Elmore County Alternative Program, and the EDGE (Elmore County's Diverse Gateway to Education) Virtual School, as well as eleven departments within the Central Office:

*Human Resources* **Susanne Goodin, Director**

*Finance* **Jason Mann, Chief School Financial Officer**

*Administrative Services* **Andre' Jackson, Director**

*Federal Programs* **Celeste Tilley, Director**

*Elementary Education* **Steve McKenzie, Director**

*Middle School Education* **Ayena Jackson, Director**

*Secondary Education* **Jamey McGowin, Director**

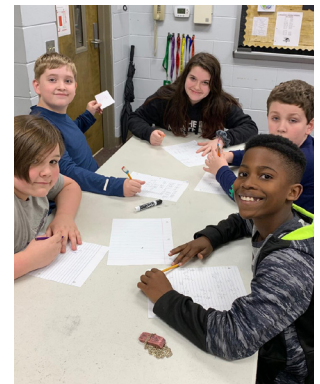
*Special Education/Compliance* **Temeyra McElrath, Director**

*Transportation* **Ray Mullino, Director**

*Information Technology Services* **Barbara Burchard, Director**

*Professional Learning and Assessment* **Amy Harrison, Director**

*Child Nutrition* **Cacyce Davis, Director**



*Of our certified staff, 44% hold a master's degree, and 8% hold a six-year degree or higher.*

*Elmore County is in the east central portion of Alabama and borders Montgomery County, Autauga County, Chilton County, Tallapoosa County, Macon County, and Coosa County. The current population is approximately 81,887: 74.9% White, 21.43% Black or African American, 1.98% Two or More Races, .95% Some Other Race, .48% Asian, and .26% American Indian and Alaskan Native. The overall poverty rate is 12.34%. The median income per household is \$59,347.*

**EVERY STUDENT EMPOWERED. EVERY STUDENT SUCCEEDS.**

# Wetumpka Elementary School

A Cognia certified school, Wetumpka Elementary School is proud to foster the foundational skills needed during the first six years of public school education for students in the Wetumpka community. Through a diverse, inclusive learning community, we offer students in Pre-K through fourth grade a first-rate, student-focused learning experience. We believe that creating lasting relationships among students and staff allows students to excel in a wide variety of domains and develop students' strengths. The facility itself is listed on the Alabama Register of Landmarks and Heritage and that proud legacy of excellence continues today. With the goal of empowering every student to explore and reach their greatest potential, they are equipped to face the challenges of an ever-changing world. Our doors are always open to parents and our community to visit our school, have lunch with us, or participate with us in school events. We would love to show you what we are learning!

## Distinguishing Characteristics:

- *Four 1st Class Funded Pre-K (4yr old) Classrooms*
- *Elmore County Young Engineers STEM Club*
- *Clown Troupe Performing Arts Group*
- *PrimeTime Family Reading Program*
- *Outdoor Classroom with Environmental Activity Centers*
- *School-wide Free Breakfast in the Classroom Program*
- *Play-Based Kindergarten Program*
- *Art Under the Stars*
- *First Fridays – Cultural Enrichment*
- *School-wide Music Program*
- *1:1 Student Technology Ratio*



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# Wetumpka Middle School



Wetumpka Middle School is an academically sound institution that progressively meets and/or exceeds state standards. The academic program is organized on a pod system for grades 5-6 and on a six-period day for grades 7-8. All students take four core classes (Mathematics, Science, History, and English Language Arts) and a Physical Education class. Fifth and sixth grades are offered enrichment classes including music, library, and visual arts. Seventh and eighth grade students get to choose from additional electives including, but not limited to, band, broadcast, art, drama, creative writing, marketing, computer science and robotics.

Wetumpka Middle School is the second largest middle school in the Elmore County Public Schools. Our faculty and staff are a group of caring, compassionate, and dedicated individuals that work towards maximizing students' potential. Not only do we offer several academic, service-based, and competitive extracurricular opportunities, but we also strive to provide the best possible learning environment for the best possible outcome.

## Distinguishing Characteristics:

- *1:1 Technology*
- *21st Century After School Enrichment*
- *Science Technology Engineering Arts Mathematics (STEAM) Initiatives*
- *Award-winning Band and Beta Club programs*

### **WETUMPKA MIDDLE SCHOOL**

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Wetumpka, AL 36092

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# Wetumpka High School



## Alma Mater

We will sing to Wetumpka High,  
winning her way to fame;  
Black and gold in the sunlight blaze,  
and romance lies in her name.  
Singing, singing of you, ah, proudly too,  
all our lives through.  
We'll go singing, singing of you,  
Alma Mater, Wetumpka High.



Wetumpka High School is a 6A school with approximately 1,195 students in grades 9-12. Our school offers a great faculty and staff, talented students, and a supportive community. We strive to educate children and prepare them for a competitive future. Our vision is *Every Student Empowered, Every Student Succeeds*.

Dual Enrollment and Advanced Placement (AP) classes are available that prepare students for further education. We currently offer ten AP courses, and twenty-five advanced courses, not including the offerings provided through ACCESS Distance Learning. Students also have the opportunity to choose from thirteen different career pathways at The Elmore County Technical Center.

Wetumpka High School offers a wide variety of programs. Courses available to students include STEM Engineering, Agriscience, Business Management and Administration, Food and Wellness, Marketing, Management, Television Production, Health Science, JROTC, Visual and Performing Arts, and Foreign Language. These courses provide valuable opportunities for students to explore their interests, gain exposure, and strengthen their education. Other programs offered include a variety of Sports, Robotics, Yearbook, Cooperative Education, Journalism, CyberPatriot, Rocketry, and Green Power Electric Car.

## WETUMPKA HIGH SCHOOL

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# Redland Elementary School

Redland Elementary School embraces the ECBOE mission statement, “Every Student Empowered, Every Student Succeeds.” Academic lessons are presented daily by highly qualified teachers who present research based instructional programs that infuse rigor across the curriculum. Teachers use technology to assist them in presenting meaningful engaging lessons that help students stretch intellectually. Some of the primary programs used by faculty and staff to support student learning include Reading Horizons, Accelerated Reader, IXL and Go Math. Students are also given opportunities to develop socially and emotionally by caring teachers in an environment that is conducive to strengthening the whole child.

RES offers many unique and engaging opportunities for students to learn not only on our campus, but also beyond the classroom. This is possible due, in part, to the strong partnership that exists between the school and community. Families, local businesses, and other area entities offer assistance with a variety of events and experiences made available to our students. Engaging and rigorous lessons delivered by caring teachers, strong community partnerships, and a heightened degree of parent involvement are all an important part of our plan to ensure that our students are prepared for success.

## Distinguishing Characteristics:

- **RES Nature Trail**—over half a mile long and includes two outdoor classrooms; maintained and improved by local volunteers, including Eagle Scouts.
- **RES STEAM Family Fun Night**—an evening of hands-on activities for students and parents to do together; made possible by community partners such as ADEM, Civil Air Patrol, ECTC, and Goodwyn, Mills, and Cawood.
- **RES Track**—recently installed thanks to a grant from ADEM and funds raised by local families and businesses.
- **Enrichment Classes**—art, music, and Spanish taught to all students.
- **Eagle Camp**—fall “retreat” fostering leadership skills and community involvement in 6th graders.
- **RES Choir**—available to every student K through 6th.
- **WRRES News**—Student produced and directed weekly news show.
- **Jr. BETA Club**—overnight trips to the Sea Lab at Dauphin Island (5th) and Space Camp in Huntsville (6th).
- **Book Buddies**—program allowing community mentors to help struggling readers.



### REDLAND ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

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# Coosada Elementary School

The purpose of Coosada Elementary School is Every Student Empowered, Every Student Succeeds. Our students live in Millbrook, Deatsville, Coosada, Prattville and Elmore. We develop a foundation for learning by providing a safe environment where students are guided and challenged to reach their greatest potential. Education is a team effort among staff, students, parents, and community to provide appropriate opportunities for learning. All students are treated with dignity, respect, and are nurtured so that they feel a sense of belonging.

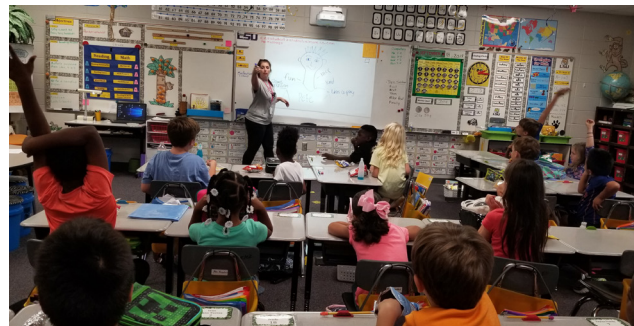
Our teachers use a variety of performance assessments and strategies to maximize opportunities for successful learning. Numerous programs and services support and enable students to achieve high student performance. Students have access to daily reading intervention services, English Language Learners (ELL) services, STAR EL/Reading/Math monitoring, special education services, and Positive Behavior Interventions and Supports (PBIS) to promote positive behavior. We encourage community involvement through our Parent-Teacher Organization (PTO). Math and Reading Family Nights are held annually to encourage family involvement. Annually, CES hosts Winterfest which builds relationships between faculty and families.

## Distinguishing Characteristics:

- *Daily reading intervention services*
- *English Language Learners (ELL) services*
- *STAR EL/Reading/Math monitoring*
- *Positive Behavior Interventions and Supports (PBIS)*
- *Math and Reading Family Nights*
- *Prime Time Reading grant (through Alabama Humanities Foundation)*
- *Mustang Chat & Chew Student Advocacy Program*
- *Winterfest*

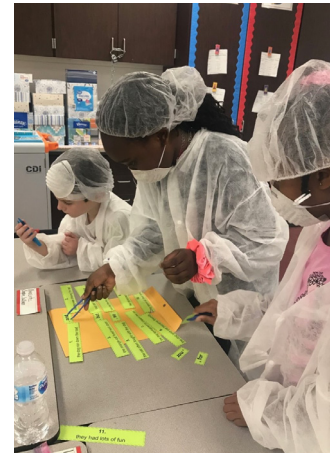
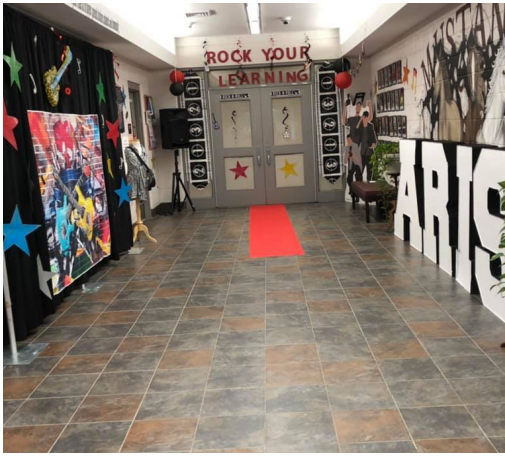
### COOSADA ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

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# Airport Road Intermediate School



Airport Road Intermediate School has a reputation of excellence with a dedicated team of educational professionals who focus on student learning and are committed to high expectations. Airport Road Intermediate has always been a champion when it comes to improving student achievement. Our story is purpose driven, utilizing our needs as a basis for making intentional choices which provide high quality educational experiences that stimulate a student's social, physical, and intellectual abilities through participation in activities with their peers. We provide a "World Class" educational experience. Our school is representative of a combination of excellent teachers and staff working together to do what's best for all students.

## Distinguishing Characteristics:

- *Differentiated instruction to support each student's learning style*
- *Expeditionary Learning Experiences*
- *Award-winning extracurricular activities*

### **AIRPORT ROAD INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL**

384 Blackmon Farm Lane

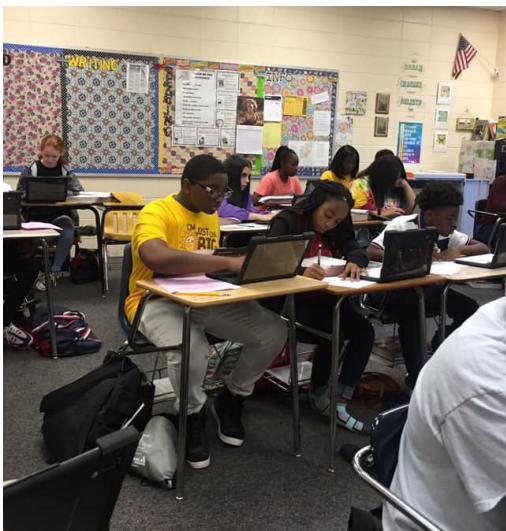
Coosada, AL 36020

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# Millbrook Middle School



Millbrook Middle School embodies the Elmore County Schools mission of Every Student Empowered, Every Student Succeeds. "The family-like atmosphere contributes to the school's main priority, educating the whole child." Whether it is through our second to none honors programs or through our plethora of STEM offerings, the students at Millbrook Middle School are challenged with real-life connections that are sure to prepare them to be college- and/ or career -ready.

Over the past few years, Millbrook Middle School has emerged to become one of the highest performing schools in the county. Our five-period day, increase in technology, and complete stakeholder buy-in has made it easy to rise to the top. The Mustang Nation has embraced the chance to explore their passions through the student-centered, project-based opportunities they are granted in their classrooms.

The Mustangs of Millbrook Middle School are always striving for the top and are proud of all the pride and honor that goes along with being a part of the Mustang Nation!

## Distinguishing Characteristics:

- *Lead the county in growth over the past 3 years.*
- *Flexible 5 period day.*
- *Project Lead the Way gateway courses.*
- *1:1 Technology.*
- *Spanish I course offered for High School credit.*

### **MILLBROOK MIDDLE SCHOOL**

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# Stanhope Elmore High School

Stanhope Elmore High School is a 6A public high school located in Millbrook with over 1,100 students and 90+ faculty, staff and administrators. Our campus, which has recently undergone and continues to undergo many campus improvements, is situated in an established neighborhood providing a safe and quiet location.

At SEHS, we consider ourselves a family rather than a campus of students and teachers. We offer an array of opportunities, overseen by our talented and devoted staff to meet the academic, athletic and extracurricular needs of the entire student body. Among the groups available to our students to make meaningful connections and develop skills and interests that will carry them into adulthood are listed below:

## Distinguishing Characteristics:

- **Academics:** a variety of preAP, AP, and dual enrollment courses, academic FLEX tutoring, an array of career tech courses, class offerings through ECTC, ACT/WorkKeys preparation and remediation
- **Fine Arts:** chorus, band, Mustang Players Theatre, award winning Trumbauer performances
- **Sports:** football, cheerleading, volleyball, bowling, wrestling, basketball, swimming, soccer, softball, baseball, golf, tennis, and track- Many of our teams and individual athletes represent SE well into post season play earning recognition on the regional, state and national levels
- **Extracurriculars:** numerous nationally and internationally recognized social, academic, and community service clubs such as BETA Club, NHS, Future Farmers of America, Future Business Leaders of America, Family and Consumer Sciences, DECA, Junior Civitan, Future Teachers of Alabama many of which are actively involved on campus and throughout the community

## Recent Recognition:

- Career Tech (FBLA, FACS, & DECA) sponsored Reach and Teach ConcertçVelcro Pygmies
- Coach Bradford – 2019 Elmore County Coach of the Year
- Junior Civitan Club – 2019 International Honor Club
- Basketball – 2019 Montgomery Academy Tournament Winner
- Wrestling – 2020 Hornet Slam6 Tournament Winner
- Bowling – 2020 Regional Champs & Girls' 3rd Place State



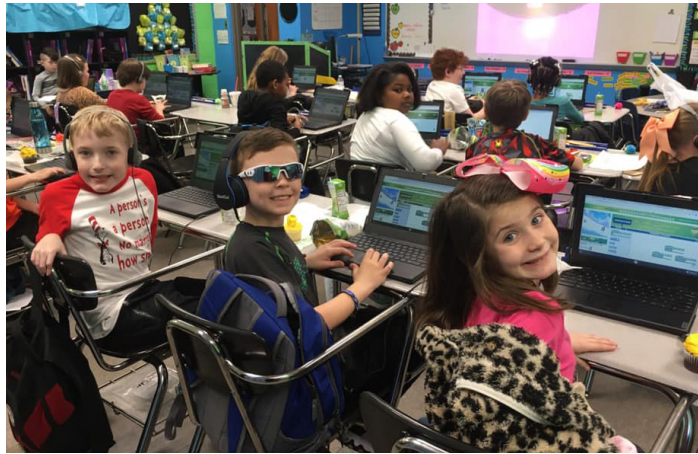
**STANHOPE ELMORE HIGH SCHOOL**

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# Eclectic Elementary School



Eclectic Elementary School is a Kindergarten through fourth grade school that currently serves over 500 students. We foster an environment where students feel safe and supported, and we believe all students can excel academically and in life skills. Our curriculum is designed to challenge students with the use of technology, peer collaboration, and hands-on learning opportunities. Teachers engage in best practice strategies to accommodate various learning styles as well as students' needs and interests in compliance with the Alabama College and Career Ready Standards. We encourage parental and community engagement which includes an active Parent Teacher Organization and volunteer program. EES is a great little place to learn!

## Distinguishing Characteristics:

- *Earned an "A" on the 2018-2019 Alabama State Department of Education Report Card*
- *Eclectic Child Development Program and First Class Pre-K Program based on our campus*
- *Outdoor classroom*
- *Student advocacy program*

### ECLECTIC ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

35 Harden Street  
Eclectic, Alabama 36024  
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# Eclectic Middle School

Eclectic Middle School (EMS) is located in Eclectic, Alabama, in the east central part of Elmore County. EMS is home to approximately 500 students and 50 faculty and staff members. Built in 2001, EMS is the newest of the school facilities in the Eclectic community. Eclectic Middle is one of the four middle schools in the Elmore County Public School System. The school colors are maroon and white. The school mascot is the Panther.

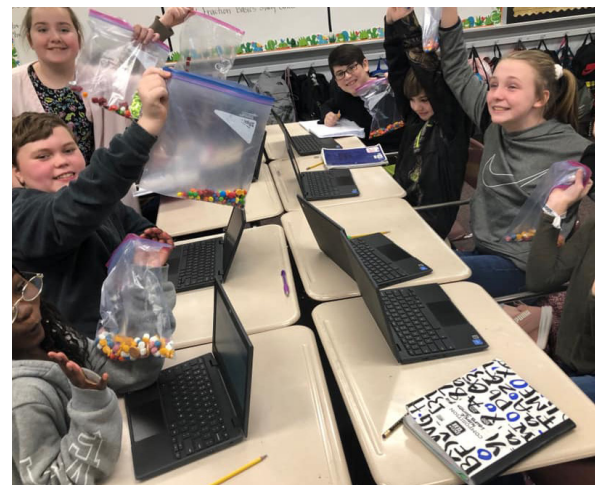
Our school operates with one purpose – Every Student Empowered, Every Student Succeeds. We empower students through several facets, none more important than academics. In the classroom, our faculty employs innovative strategies, technological resources, and engaging methods to empower our students to succeed by preparing them for a life of rigorous learning. Our faculty members are highly qualified in their content area and continually pursue professional development opportunities to better their craft.

The facility includes a full-size competition gymnasium, two science labs, a cafeteria, office complex, and library media center. Outdoor facilities include a softball field, recreation field, and an outdoor classroom. Eclectic Middle School offers extracurricular activities for its students. These activities include band, cheerleading, football, volleyball, softball, baseball, soccer, wrestling, track and field, golf, and basketball. Students may also participate in Jr. Beta Club and Student Council.

Currently, the school boasts the DREAM program, which is an extended day enrichment program for our students. Students are provided a nutritious meal, have physical activities, get assistance with homework assignments, and are engaged in academic and enrichment activities.

## Distinguishing Characteristics:

- *1:1 Chromebooks*
- *Students read approximately 20,000 books annually*
- *7th grade content area teachers are certified eMints instructors*
- *Free breakfast in the classroom for all students*
- *Evolving robotics program*



### **ECLECTIC MIDDLE SCHOOL**

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# Elmore County High School

Located in Eclectic, Alabama, Elmore County High School (ECHS) serves students in central eastern Elmore County. ECHS strongly believes in its purpose statement: Every Student Empowered ~ Every Student Succeeds. To facilitate and encourage student success, the caring and committed faculty and staff provide a variety of educational and extra-curricular activities. Although ECHS is the smallest high school in the county, we are still able to offer many rigorous educational opportunities found at larger institutions. Advanced and standard level classes are instructed by our highly qualified faculty in all content areas. Advanced Placement (AP) courses are offered on campus and delivered digitally through our successful ACCESS program. The ACCESS program also allows us to expand our elective offerings with classes such as Forensic Science, Latin, and Marine Science. Furthermore, our students may choose to enroll in courses at the Elmore County Technical Center to pursue certifications in a wide-variety of technical areas or to take dual enrollment college-level courses. We believe a student-centered approach is the key to increasing motivation and achievement; therefore, teachers utilize technology, collaborative assignments, hands-on experiences, gamification, and other engaging strategies to meet the needs of our students and propel them to success.

While academic growth is of utmost importance, we also recognize that emotional, physical, and social development is essential to shaping students into well-rounded, productive members of society. Our Panther Advisory program fosters a personalized and supportive school culture; essentially, the advisory structure is student empowerment at its best. In addition to advisory, our athletic program allows our staff to mentor and develop students through our many sports. ECHS athletic programs are about more than competition; in addition to building muscle, honing athletic skills, and increasing knowledge of the “game,” we aspire to develop work ethic, character, and collegiality. Moreover, our students find a sense of belonging and shared interests through our many clubs and organizations.

Our ultimate goal at ECHS is to empower students to graduate college and/or career ready. After graduation, we shift from our purpose statement to this revered saying: Once a Panther, Always a Panther! We enjoy hearing from past students and celebrating the successes of our graduates. Quite often, alumni return to ECHS to speak to students, intern, teach, or coach because they want to give back to a community that gives so much. In other words, there’s no place like home! #panthernation

## Distinguishing Characteristics:

- *Located in a close-knit community anchored by its schools with a family-like atmosphere*
- *Panther Advisory program connects each student with a faculty mentor*
- *Active sports and extra-curricular organizations encourage student participation and growth beyond the classroom walls*
- *Rigorous curriculum includes AP classes, online learning and opportunities to earn college credit*
- *Committed faculty dedicated to nurturing the emotional, academic, social and physical needs of each student*



### ELMORE COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL

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# Holtville Elementary School



Built in 1980, Holtville Elementary has transitioned from teaching students from Kindergarten through 6th grade to currently Pre-K through 4th Grade. The teachers of Holtville Elementary are dedicated to providing students with rich opportunities for intellectual, emotional, and social growth. HES provides a fun, stimulating environment that is both challenging and supportive. Holtville Elementary is very community oriented with activities and fundraising efforts throughout the school year. The HES Student Council raises money to help support the local Holtville/Slapout Volunteer Fire Department and Elmore County Humane Shelter. Holtville Elementary hosts annual events such as the Harvest Festival and STEM night that welcomes the entire community to attend. HES has also seen a sharp rise in enrollment with an increase in Kindergarten through 4th Grade by nearly twenty percent over the past eight years. The faculty and administration of Holtville Elementary strive to provide the best education possible by following the Elmore County Purpose Statement of "Every Student Empowered, Every Student Succeeds".

## Distinguishing Characteristics:

- *Setting the bar with academics by scoring the highest in Elmore County on the Alabama State Report Card for the 2017-2018 school year with a score of 89/B and tying with a score of 92/A for the 2018-2019 school year*
- *82% of students scored proficient in Math for the 2018-2019 school year*
- *1:1 student technology ratio*
- *Interactive projectors installed in every classroom*
- *Library Media Specialist provides weekly engaging lessons that include monthly STEM activities, Civil Air Patrol lessons, and Storytime/Studies Weekly*

### **HOLTVILLE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL**

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# Holtville Middle School

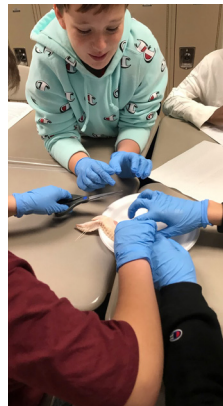
In the Holtville School Community, Holtville Middle School is an essential component in the education of our students. We build upon the foundation from the elementary school to prepare our 5th -8th grade students for the high school and beyond. Middle school is a transformative time, and we strive to foster an encouraging and academically challenging environment that is student centered. We have caring and experienced teachers who use student data to craft engaging lessons. Teachers work with individual students to create learning goals that are obtainable, yet rigorous. Our goal is to educate students and empower them to realize their full potential.

In addition to academics, we offer students a variety of extracurricular activities, such as clubs and athletics. Finding a place for students to feel a sense of belonging is easy because of the options we provide.

Holtville Middle desires to provide the best educational environment for all students. We desire for every student to feel challenged, encouraged, and excited by their time at Holtville Middle School.

## Distinguishing Characteristics:

- *According to state testing, the number one middle school in Elmore County*
- *1:1 learning environment with an emphasis on STEM-based projects*
- *Award-winning robotics program*
- *Highest number of students to win at regional Science Fair and place at state Science Fair*
- *Varied extracurricular activities, including Robotics, Scholars' Bowl, Beta Club, band, chorus, theater, yearbook, and athletics*



### **HOLTVILLE MIDDLE SCHOOL**

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# Holtville High School



Holtville High School exists to help students develop a love of learning that will lead to success now and continue into a lifetime of learning. Holtville High School is in a small rural community located in Deatsville, Alabama, about 10 miles from the Elmore County Board of Education. We have just over 500 students and enrollment is expected to steadily increase over the next 3 years with larger numbers coming up from Holtville Middle School. HHS offers Advanced Placement courses in Math, Science, and English, as well as opportunities for Dual Enrollment courses in History and English. Electives currently offered are agriculture, marketing, athletic training, business technology, computer science, culinary, band/music theory, art, physical education, health, Spanish, Yearbook, and driver's education. Students can also take classes via ACCESS in the Distance Learning Lab that include even more course options. Holtville High School students can compete in 12 different AHSAA sanctioned sports programs in Class 5A, as well as participate in cheerleading, marching band, and fishing.

## Distinguishing Characteristics:

- *A unique schedule that consists of four 90-minute block classes with a 25-minute breakfast period and a 50-minute flex period in the middle of the day called Bulldog Period during which students choose how to spend their time. During this time, students can participate in a wide range of activities and clubs, have access to tutoring, eat lunch, participate in standards and skills remediation, and/or rest, socialize, and collect their thoughts. Students also meet with an academic advisor once per week during this time.*
- *Meaningful, weekly meetings with a faculty advisor as a means of developing interpersonal and relationship skills, as well as academic support and accountability.*
- *Named a National Blue-Ribbon School in September 2013.*
- *Featured in a film documentary by Time magazine in 1940 known as "The Holtville Story."*

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# Elmore County Technical Center



The Elmore County Technical Center (ECTC) offers 12 Career and Technical Educational (CTE) programs on the ECTC campus in Wetumpka. Students from all four Elmore County Public Schools high schools attend ECTC including Elmore County High, Holtville High, Stanhope Elmore High, and Wetumpka High. The Elmore County Technical Center's mission is to prepare all students with the skills and work experience necessary for successful employment and continuing education. At ECTC, students may take high school CTE courses in the following programs: Automotive Service Technology, Aviation Technology, Computer Technology (IT), Construction Technology, Electrical Technology, Hospitality & Tourism, HVAC, Medical Sciences, Plumbing & Pipefitting, Pre-Engineering, Drafting, & Design, Public Safety & Law, and Welding Technology.

Through the courses offered, students not only receive instruction in their chosen field of study, but also are trained in interview skills, public speaking, and problem solving, as well as many other soft skills that are needed to be successful in today's economy. Students also gain nationally recognized certifications and industry credentials that offer them internships and employment opportunities during and after high school. Each program offers a Career Technical Student Organization (CTSO) such as Skills USA, FCCLA, and HOSA through which students participate in skills competitions, community service, and leadership development.

In addition to the high school courses, ECTC offers a variety of technical and academic dual enrollment courses through Central Alabama Community College (CACC) where students earn college credits toward their career aspirations. Dual Enrollment Courses through CACC are offered in Manufacturing Technology, Welding Technology, English, Math, US History, Government, Economics, and Psychology.

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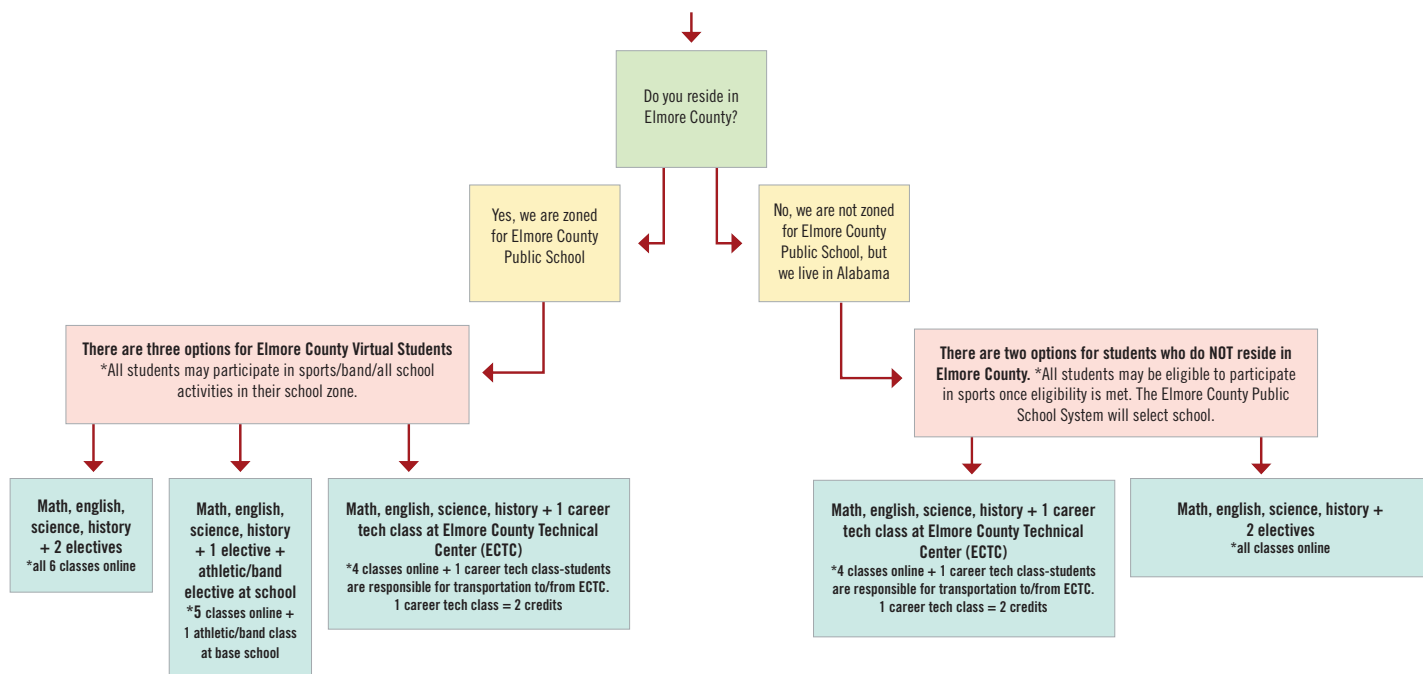


# Elmore County Virtual School – The EDGE

The EDGE is a FREE Cognia accredited, diverse school encompassing virtual, blended, dual-enrollment, Advanced Placement, career tech, athletics, and a variety of elective course options for 3rd–12th grade Alabama state residents who are willing to travel to Elmore County for required exams and mandatory state testing.

Edgenuity Instructional Services, the online platform used for middle and high school students, offers courses monitored and supervised by highly qualified, Alabama-certified onsite instructors. Edgenuity provides flexible online and blended learning solutions aligned to the Alabama College & Career Ready Standards that promote student success and give educators the tools they need to deliver more effective instruction. Odysseyware, our online platform for grades 3-5, offers courses in Mathematics, English Language Arts, Science, and History/Social Sciences aligned to the Alabama Course of Study.

The flexibility of EDGE allows students to do their daily work anywhere and anytime internet is available. Students also get individual attention with certified Alabama teachers available for daily virtual and in-person tutoring. Students who qualify can still participate in clubs, athletics, cheer, dance, band, etc. and “on-campus” electives and Career Technical Education courses. We are a unique and growing school of over 300 students with a dedicated staff and teachers with over 100 years of combined experience in education. Education is changing, and Elmore County is on the cutting EDGE!



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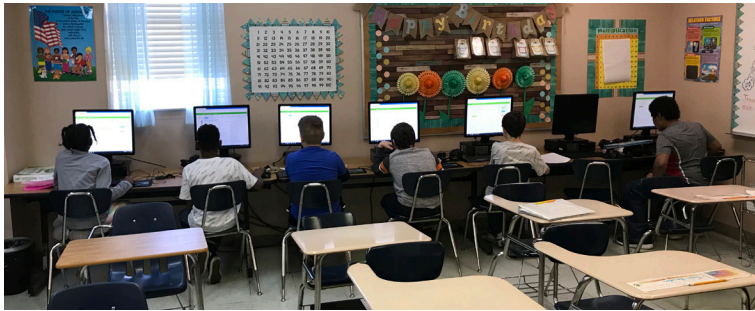
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# Elmore County Alternative Programs



ECPS is proud to be home to Elmore County Alternative Programs. Centrally located in Wetumpka, our Alternative Programs serve all Elmore County schools. In addition to programs dedicated to discipline, ECAP is the home of iCare and the Marshall Anderson Challenge Course.

iCare serves students in grades two through twelve with identified behavioral, emotional, or mental health needs. Smaller classes, additional paraprofessionals, and targeted instruction work together to meet students' academic needs. iCare has a full-time mental health counselor who works with our students, providing group and individual counseling on a regular basis. We also partner with outside agencies committed to meeting the needs of our students.

The Marshall Anderson Challenge Course, named for a beloved, retired Elmore County educator, is a ropes course with both high and low challenges. This course, created to build self-confidence and teamwork, serves every sixth grader in the district on an annual basis, and we also host a variety of groups from throughout the River Region. Each group that visits MACC is conducted through the challenges by knowledgeable staff who provide participants with a safe and rewarding experience.

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# Child Nutrition Program



At Elmore County Public Schools, we believe good nutrition is essential for our students to achieve their full academic potential. Properly nourished students are better learners, and our Child Nutrition team is dedicated to providing nutritious, well-balanced meals to support the academic achievement of our students and to promote life-long, healthy eating habits. We know that good nutrition and learning go hand in hand and we take pride in “fueling” the minds of the future. Our team strives to serve appealing and nutritious food choices with excellent customer service.

Meals, foods and beverages sold or served at schools meet state and federal requirements which are based on the USDA Dietary Guidelines. Menus are provided monthly and can be found on the Elmore County Public Schools website under the Child Nutrition tab. Every school in Elmore County serves breakfast and lunch each operating day. Students who qualify may receive free or reduced-price meals. Parents/Guardians may complete the Free and Reduced Meal Benefit Application at any time during the school year.

**New applications must be submitted each school year and are available in the school office, Child Nutrition Program Office, or online at [www.myschoolapps.com](http://www.myschoolapps.com).**

**Each year, the Elmore County Child Nutrition Program serves more than:**

- 845,000 breakfast meals
- 1.1 million lunch meals
- 95,000 supper meals
- 122,000 summer meals

## **ELMORE COUNTY CHILD NUTRITION PROGRAM**

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