



# Joelton Elementary



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## Facts About Our School

Year School Built	1989
Square Footage	62,600
Number of Students	369
Grades Served	K-4
School Hours	8:00 - 3:00
School Colors	Blue and White
School Mascot	Blue Jay

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Principal	<b>Dianne P. Gilbert</b> dianne.gilbert@mnps.org
School Board Representative	<b>Pam Garrett</b> pamgarr@bellsouth.net, 859-2036
Metro Council Representative	<b>Brenda Gilmore</b> brenda.gilmore@nashville.gov, 876-3665
PTA President	<b>Dean Jones</b> eventzman@comcast.net

## What Makes Our School Unique?

Joelton Elementary School is nestled in the heart of a very proud community. Joelton provides students a wholesome environment with the “traditional” school flair as well as innovative programs and opportunities to meet the needs of our ever changing society.

Many residents of this community attended JES and now we are privileged to educate their children, an opportunity we take very seriously. JES encourages development of those skills necessary for our students to become responsible adults.

A variety of programs and activities enhance our daily schedule. We are especially proud of our emphasis on reading through the MNPS Guided Reading Program, Accelerated Reader Program and the Reading Partners Program. **We believe that every student can and will read.**

Joelton Elementary’s faculty and staff have a commitment to excellence. We share a vision and a mission which has helped us meet AYP for No Child Left Behind. TCAP scores are among the top in Davidson County!

## What Does Our School Offer?

- ♦ Accelerated Reader Program
- ♦ Developmental Spelling Analysis
- ♦ Language!
- ♦ Junior Achievement
- ♦ Student teacher training site
- ♦ Encore program for the gifted
- ♦ Nashville Academy Theater
- ♦ Student Writers Showcase
- ♦ 21st Century Technology Classrooms
- ♦ Hands on Science
- ♦ Conflict Resolution
- ♦ “No Bullying” School
- ♦ NPT Read Across Nashville
- ♦ WJES Studio News
- ♦ Safety Patrol
- ♦ Pilot school for Alignment Nashville Project
- ♦ Electric guitars

## Who Attends Our School?

Students attending Joelton Elementary live in the north-west corner of Davidson County and are zoned to Whites Creek High School. The elementary schools in the Whites Creek cluster are: Bordeaux Enhanced Option, Cumberland, Alex Green, and Joelton. The middle schools in this cluster are Ewing Park, Haynes Design Center and Joelton (Middle).

## Community Partners

- ♦ YMCA Fun Company - Before and Aftercare program
- ♦ Project Neighborhood Aftercare Program
- ♦ A strong, active PTA functions at Joelton. Membership normally numbers nearly 100%. The membership and the community supply hundreds of volunteer hours each year and much appreciated financial support.
- ♦ Whites Creek Community Club
- ♦ Civitan Club

## PENCIL Partners

PENCIL Foundation, a nonprofit organization, links community resources with Nashville public schools. A PENCIL Partner is a business or other community organization that teams up with a Metro school to volunteer time and donate resources that promote student success.

- ♦ The Nashville Branch of the Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta has been an integral part of the education of Joelton Elementary School students for over 20 years. They provide Junior Achievement trainers for our students and volunteers for every program facet.