

Mays Chapel Elementary School
Community School Progress Summary 2019 – 2020
Principal: Steve Coco

<p>BCPS Vision: Baltimore County Public Schools will be among the highest performing school systems in the nation as a result of creating, sustaining, and investing in excellence for every student, every school, and every community.</p>	<p>School Mission: Mays Chapel Elementary School is committed to developing and empowering students to become lifelong learners. Our learning environment is sustained by a safe, supportive, and collaborative culture. Our student-centered community is rooted in the principle that every individual will grow through engaging, real-life experiences to become successful citizens who thrive in a globally competitive world.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Literacy Goal: All students will achieve literacy proficiency as indicated by the MCAP assessment.</p>	
<p style="text-align: center;">Raise the Bar</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Close the Gap</p>
<p>Instructional Focus: Students will be able to use research-based reading comprehension strategies to effectively make meaning of text. Strategies will include predicting, questioning, visualization, monitoring/clarifying, inferencing, retelling, determining importance, summarizing, and synthesizing.</p>	<p>Instructional Focus: Students will engage in explicit vocabulary instruction across all contents; instruction in this area involves strategies to build academic vocabulary and activities to strengthen listening and reading comprehension.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Math Goal: All students will achieve mathematics proficiency as indicated by the MCAP assessment.</p>	
<p style="text-align: center;">Raise the Bar</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Close the Gap</p>
<p>Instructional Focus: Students will engage in authentic mathematical tasks that promote reasoning and problem solving.</p>	<p>Instructional Focus: Students will engage in explicit instructional opportunities using multiple representations (concrete/ representational/ abstract) to show and explain reasoning.</p>
<p>Climate Goal: Students will have a strong sense of belonging in the school environment.</p>	
<p>Focus: Our staff will commit to providing a culturally responsive environment to ensure equitable learning opportunities for all students.</p>	