Mission Statement of School and District

The Edmonds School District engages students, staff, families, partners and the broader community in the district's Strategic Direction. Together, along with every school, results have been identified that we want for our students. The continual improvement of our schools is essential in providing increased student performance and quality results. Innovative, exemplary, and research-based programs, coupled with professional development, focused and aligned resources, and community participation in decision making and planning are essential elements in improving schools. For more detailed information, please visit our school’s improvement plan or give us a call at your convenience.

About Us

Our vision at Sherwood is to prepare students for the world they will be living in by nurturing the development of independent, lifelong learners. We want to create in students the ability to take ownership over their own learning, knowing that learning is a process that will help them understand and be successful in the world around them. In order for students to develop into independent, lifelong learners, our curriculum and our classroom instruction is rigorous and relevant to our student’s lives.

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Our 534 students at a glance:

State Assessments
Washington students are tested annually by the state to assess their progress as they move through school. In grades 3-8 students take tests in English language arts, math and science. Please see our School Report Card.

51.5% male 48.5% female

Academic Accomplishments and Goals – Focus Areas
Our action plan for the 2019-2020 school year has four areas or goals. In essence, we want to be clear and intentional about what we are teaching and why (the standards and importance of learning those standards) in our general education instruction in mathematics, continue to build relationships with students for the purpose of increasing their academic achievement, increasing our belief that our instruction can increase student achievement (collective teacher efficacy), and increase our use of instructional strategies that support students who qualify for ELL (and other special programs) in our general education instruction.

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Sherwood Elementary School

Our 32 teachers at a glance:

- 46.9% of teachers have at least a Master’s Degree
- 14.9 average years of teacher experience

Our school achievement goal as a result of this action is:
Compared to 65% of all students meeting standard, 68% of all students will meet or exceed standard on the math SBA in grades 3-6.
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How You Can Help
Our school's active Parent Staff Organization (PSO) provides support to students, staff and families through a variety of ways. We have many parent volunteers that work in our class-rooms and help with school events such as Back to School Social, Walkathon, Craft Night, Winter Dance and End of the Year Potluck. We welcome you to become involved in our school by becoming a volunteer. Please contact the school office if you are interested, we would welcome your help!

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Financial Resources

Annually, we produce a Citizens Guide to the District’s Budget. One of our highest priorities is being excellent stewards of our community’s resources. Each year, we involve staff, students, families and community members in helping us to set budget priorities. For more information on school funding, we encourage you to refer to the 2018-19 Citizens Guide to the Budget.

$13,093 per-pupil expenditure
2018-19 OSPI

Our Goals

• Equity of Opportunity
• Strong Community
• High Expectations
• Global Readiness
• Culture of Kindness

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The Edmonds School District covers approximately 36 square miles in south Snohomish County and includes the communities of Brier, Edmonds, Lynnwood, Mountlake Terrace, Woodway, and portions of unincorporated Snohomish County.

About Our Building

Opened: 1966
Square footage: 43,284
We are proud that our school facility is used extensively by our community for meetings, events and youth activities.