

# FAIRPLAY MIDDLE SCHOOL

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## Why Fairplay Middle School?

“The teachers, faculty, and entire staff care for each and every one of the children at Fairplay Middle School, and their families. This is shown in countless ways every day. Fairplay is more than a community, we are a family.”

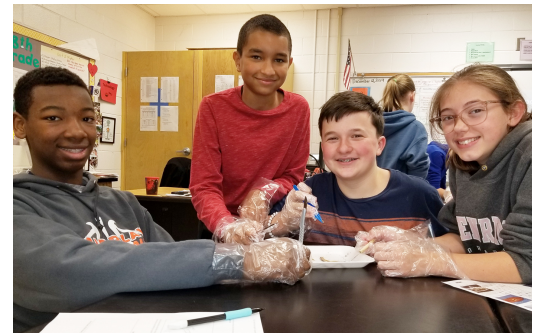
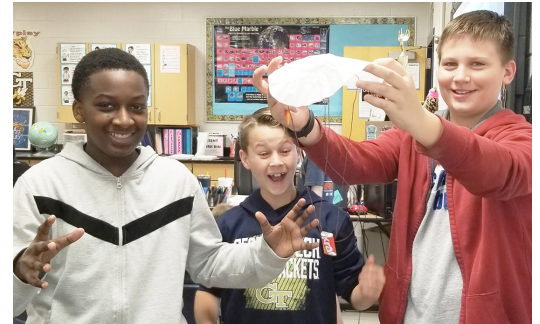
*-Fairplay Parent*

“I love Fairplay so much that I wish my children could go there for all their schooling. There is not another school in Douglas County that I would rather have my children at than Fairplay. They make you feel like family!”

*-Fairplay Parent*

## Achievements

- ◇ Six out of six students placed at the district level in the 2020-21 DCSS Science & Engineering Fair.
- ◇ Two students placed at the Regional Science & Engineering Fair in 2019-20 and advanced to the state competition.
- ◇ 2019 County MS Girls Soccer Champions
- ◇ 2020 County MS 8th Grade Girls Basketball Champions
- ◇ 7th Grade Math Team - 1st place in County Competition
- ◇ 8th Grade Math Team - 3rd place in County Competition



## Inside the Classroom

Fairplay Middle School is a small school with strong community ties. With approximately 564 students, teachers have the unique opportunity to build quick and immediate relationships with students and their families. These relationships assist in fostering a positive learning experience for all students where academic or social needs can be identified and accommodated.

Learning opportunities are maximized with creative and strategic planning that ensures mastery of all standards. With high expectations and accountability, teachers are equipping students with the skills they need to be successful. This success can be seen in Fairplay's overall GMAS performance, which ranks them above both Douglas County and the state of Georgia in all areas. It is for these reasons, and more, that Fairplay continues to be a strong, multi-generational community middle school.

**One Family. One Mission. All Strong!**

# Our Mission

At Fairplay Middle School, our mission is to provide a safe and supportive learning environment to our students and staff.

# Our Motto

One Family, One Mission, All Strong

**Principal:** Fhonda Strong

**Student Enrollment:** 564

*Black 14%; White 71%; Hispanic 9%; Two or more races 5%; Asian 1%; American Indian less than 1%*

**Total Staff:** 52

**Certified Staff:** 40

**% of Certified Staff with Advanced Degrees:** 80

*Due to COVID-19, GMAS was not administered in 2020. Data below, including CCRPI and School Climate Ratings, are from 2019.*

**2019 CCRPI:** 77

**2019 GMAS Scores** (% of students scoring at Developing, Proficient, and Distinguished Learner levels)

**6th Grade:** ELA 87%; Math 93%

**7th Grade:** ELA 94%; Math 95%

**8th Grade:** ELA 91%; Math 87%;

Science 80%; Social Studies 92%

**School Climate Star Rating:** 4 (out of 5)

*Numbers for enrollment and staffing current as of 10/20. Go to [www.gadoe.org](http://www.gadoe.org) for additional information on CCRPI and GMAS.*

<https://fms.dcssga.org>

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# Beyond the Classroom



Fairplay is home to the 2020 Middle School 8th Grade Girls Basketball Champions and the 2019 Middle School Girls Soccer Champions. Their 2019 softball and football teams were runners up in their perspective county divisions while their 7th Grade Basketball teams made it to the playoffs.

Fairplay Middle School also has a strong Fine Arts department with band and chorus programs that do well in their Large Group Performance Evaluations each year. Fairplay owes part of their success to their dedicated and committed coaches/sponsors as well as their faithful following of parents and community supporters.

Some of the clubs available at FMS are: Beta Club, Reading Bowl, First Priority, Fellowship of Christian Athletes, Jaguar Joggers, Math Competition Team, and Fairplay Ambassadors.

