



B³: Believe in Benteen's Brilliance!

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- **Motto:** B³: Believe in Benteen's Brilliance
- **Theme:** We Are Benteen!
- **Vision:** Frederick W. Benteen Elementary School is a school that provides a world class education that prepares students of today to be leaders of tomorrow.
- **Mission:** Our mission is to provide a comprehensive and rigorous curriculum that will prepare all students to be life-long learners and globally minded citizens, who are growing in academics, character, and leadership.

Meet the Benteen Staff



2019 - 2020 Year in Review

- 2nd Highest Culture Score in Jackson Cluster on Gallop Employee Engagement Survey/Among top in district
- International Baccalaureate Candidate School
 - Implemented 6 IB Planners
 - Submitted authorization application
- Increased partnerships & formed a Believing in Benteen Foundation
 - Donate to Benteen ES via AmazonSmile
- Expanded Dual Language Immersion Program for the 2019-2020 School Year
 - Agreed to Pilot a PreK DLI Program along with Garden Hills ES
- 2019 CCRPI Score of 61.2
- 3 Star Climate School
- Transition to Virtual Learning in 24-48 hours
- Virtual Awards Day



2020 - 2021 Enrollment Projections

Grade	Projected Student Enrollment	Current Student Enrollment	Difference
Pre-Kindergarten	40	26	-14
Kindergarten	50	39	-11
1st Grade	51	55	+4
2nd Grade	33	42	+9
3rd Grade	41	39	-2
4th Grade	35	30	-5
5th Grade	35	41	+6
TOTAL	285	272	-13
Total (w/o PreK)	245	246	+1

Spring 2020 Engagement

- 2019 - 2020 Virtual School Engagement Rate: 63.2%
- By Grade Level
- **PreK** – 32.8%
- **K** – 66%
- **1st** – 53.8%
- **2nd** – 48.8%
- **3rd** – 40.9
- **4th** – 71.6%
- **5th** – 59.5%



Students Accessing Benteen Online Learning

Logins by Grade



Percent Logged In

Dual Language Immersion @ Benteen

- Dual Language Immersion is a form of education in which students are taught literacy and content in two languages.
- Target Language – Spanish
- Inaugural Cohort entering 2018-2019 (Kindergarten)
- Current Grades: PreK – 2nd
- Benteen will implement the Two Way Immersion Program where two language groups are schooled through their two languages.
 - Two Classrooms, Two Teachers, Two Languages, Every Day



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Dual Language Immersion @ Benteen

Launched 8.1.18

- 26 PreKindergarten students
 - 13 enrolled in DLI
 - 13 enrolled in traditional
- 39 kindergarten students
 - 30 enrolled in DLI
 - 9 enrolled in traditional
- 55 1st grade students
 - 46 enrolled in DLI
 - 9 enrolled in traditional
- 42 2nd grade students
 - 28 enrolled in DLI
 - 14 enrolled in traditional

New DLI Hires

- 3 Spanish DLI Teachers
 - Sra. Gracia Erazo (PreK)
 - Sra. Nathalie Cadiz-Skinner (1st grade)
 - Dr. Adelmo Sabogal (2nd grade)
- 1 Teacher Assistant
 - Sra. Betania Lopez-Melo (PreK)

Social Emotional Learning (SEL)

- Social Emotional Learning (SEL) provides students, teachers and staff with skills needed to succeed in school work, and life.
- Through SEL, Benteen focuses on building and maintaining strong relationships, supporting positive school culture and promoting student engagement through the Second Step curriculum.
- Second Step curriculum is implemented daily for maximum of 15 minutes each morning.
- The skills learned in the curriculum are practiced throughout the school day to build student competencies in self-awareness, self-management, social awareness, relationship skills, and responsible decision-making.

International Baccalaureate (PYP)



- ***Cluster Signature Program***

- IB World Schools share a common philosophy—a commitment to improve the teaching and learning of a diverse and inclusive community of students by delivering challenging, high quality programmes of international education that share a powerful vision.
- Benteen Elementary is a candidate IB school. A part of becoming an International Baccalaureate school is that the school creates, implements, and share policies to our stakeholders. Information about our policies will be made available on our website in the near future under the about section.
- Authorization Goal: 2021

Administrative Team

- Dr. Andrew Lovett, Jr., Principal
- Mr. Christian Padgett, Assistant Principal
- Ms. Chanel Free, Counselor
- Ms. Aiesha Khan, Instructional Coach
- Mr. Gerard Latimore, IB Specialist
- Ms. Michelle Partridge, Gifted/Instructional Coach

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Question and Answer Time

