




Bay Vista Fundamental

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By the Numbers


A school
for over 20 years

82% 
of 4th and 5th
grade students
met or exceeded
expectations on
the 2019 Math FSA

 **72%**
of students are
reading at or
above grade level

 **100%** of staff are
highly certified

652 
students in K-5

 **Top 10%**
Among Top
10% of high
performing
schools in
Florida

About

Bay Vista Fundamental emphasizes a “back to basics” structure emphasizing student responsibility, parental involvement and positive home-school connectedness. School, parents and students work together to build relationships to foster learning within all our students. Bay Vista is a school of choice with both student and parental requirements.

Points of Pride

- Consistently outperformed district and state averages on state assessments.
- Majority of teachers are Micro-Credential Gifted Certified or Gifted Endorsed
- Cluster Grouping and Differentiation Model
- Javits Gifted and Talented Students Education Program Participant
- Gifted students participate in community-gearred projects to collect or raise donations for pets, homeless shelters, the Ronald McDonald House, and various organizations while logging over 1,000 volunteer hours each year
- Grade 3 students participate in the district Gifted Creativity Olympics and our 4th and 5th graders routinely participate in the South Regional District Gifted Math Meet and have placed in every math meet since 2006
- Robust Volunteer Program & community involvement including PTA and SAC
- Camp SEM (School Enrichment Model), an innovative student-led experience-based curriculum
- Ongoing staff professional development related to Equity and Diversity
- State PBIS Gold Model Award Winner (2020, 2021), State PBIS Resilience Award Winner (2021)

Special Activities & Programs

- Technology integration with SMART Boards in every classroom and large computer labs and mobile labs; 1:1 devices for all 3-5 students.
- Gifted education (including screening for all students in First Grade)
- One School One Book School-wide Reading Initiative
- Commitment to Character Education Program
- Family engagement opportunities: Math Game Night, Literacy Night, PTA Dinner Social Nights, Science Night, Curriculum Night, Chorus concerts, Art Shows, Fall Festival, Treat Trail, Spirit Nights, Be My Valentine Dance, and Movie Night
- Monthly “Jaguar Jamboree” to celebrate students and staff
- Annual Spring Jaguar Jog and Annual Student Color Run
- After-school Enrichment Clubs: Sports and Math, Gardening and Recycling, Chess Club, Soccer Shots, Running Club, Girlfriends Club, Video Production Club, Sunshine State Readers Book Club, Tutoring

