

# SIX BOROUGHES • TEN SCHOOLS ONE DISTRICT WORKING TOGETHER



Proudly Serving the Communities of  
Aldan, Colwyn, Darby, East Lansdowne,  
Lansdowne and Yeadon

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## Our Schools

### **ALDAN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL**

1 North Woodlawn Avenue  
Aldan, PA 19018  
610.626.3410



**Janet Braker**  
Principal

### **EVANS ELEMENTARY SCHOOL**

900 Baily Road  
Yeadon, PA 19050  
610.623.5975



**Dujuana Ambrose-Dessau**  
Principal

### **ARDMORE AVENUE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL**

161 Ardmore Avenue  
Lansdowne, PA 19050  
610.623.7900



**Joseph Denelsbeck**  
Principal

### **PARK LANE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL**

1300 Park Lane  
Darby, PA 19023  
610.534.4880



**Dr. Dawnee Watson-Bouie**  
Principal

### **BELL AVENUE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL**

1000 Bell Avenue  
Yeadon, PA 19050  
610.284.6100



**Javon Oates**  
Acting Principal

### **PENN WOOD HIGH SCHOOL**

600 Cypress Street  
Yeadon, PA 19050  
  
100 Green Avenue  
Lansdowne, PA 19050



**Dr. H. Judy Lee**  
Principal

### **COLWYN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL**

211 Pine Street  
Colwyn, PA 19023  
610.957.5470



**Dr. Matthew Lammons**  
Acting Principal

### **PENN WOOD MIDDLE SCHOOL**

121 Summit Street  
Darby, PA 19023  
610.586.1804



**Kyle Hill**  
Principal

### **EAST LANSDOWNE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL**

401 Emerson Avenue  
East Lansdowne, PA 19050  
610.626.2415



**Phyllis Cubit**  
Principal

### **WALNUT STREET ELEMENTARY SCHOOL**

224 South Sixth Street  
Darby, PA 19023  
610.534.5660



**Joseph Williams**  
Principal

# Academics

## FEATURING

- 100% Highly Qualified Teaching Staff
- Home Access Center for secondary school parents and students
- Home & School Association at all schools
- Elementary, middle school, and high school bands
- Educational Foundation support
- New Standards-based report card for grades K-6
- Research-based curriculum
- New high school courses
- Student Council at all schools
- Art, Music, Physical Education, and Media Center at all elementary schools
- Career and technical education courses through the DCIU

## OPTIONAL OPPORTUNITIES

**Cyber Academy:** We offer, free of charge, a Cyber Academy for parents who wish to educate their children at home. The Cyber Academy is available to students from kindergarten through grade 12. Benefits include:

- computer access and internet access
- certified teachers
- program orientation
- technical support
- access to grade level afterschool activities

**Blended School:** Students in grades 7 through 12 can pay Blended School tuition to take one additional course for enrichment or credit recovery.

## ADVANCED PLACEMENT COURSES

Penn Wood High School was named to the College Board's AP District Honor Roll and the Gaston Caperton Honor Roll for increasing the number of Advanced Placement course offerings and the percentage of students earning scores of 3 or higher on AP exams.

### Advanced Placement Courses Offered:

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| • English Literature & Composition | • Biology    |
| • Spanish                          | • Physics    |
| • French                           | • Chemistry  |
| • American History                 | • Psychology |
| • Computer Science                 | • Studio Art |
| • Calculus                         |              |



## DUAL ENROLLMENT

We offer, free of charge, a dual enrollment program at Delaware County Community College or Drexel University for high school students who qualify. Students earn college credits after successful course completion.

## Special Events and Programs

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| • Free Breakfast and Lunch for All Students | • Annual International Code-A-Thon |
| • Ninth-Grade Academy Program               | • Annual College Fair              |
| • Career Days                               | • Best Buddies Program             |
| • Talent Shows                              | • Annual High School Musical       |
| • Family Fun Nights                         | • Annual Middle School Musical     |
| • Curriculum Nights                         | • Winter and Spring Concerts       |
| • Annual High School Musical                | • Annual Juried Art Show           |

# Beyond the Classroom

## ELEMENTARY CLUBS

Student activities are available at all elementary schools, but vary with each school. Some extra-curricular activities include:

- Sports, athletics, and fitness clubs
- Safety patrol
- Drama club
- Homework clubs
- Social clubs
- Science and math clubs



## SPORTS

Penn Wood Patriots' teams play throughout the school year at our middle and high schools. Sports teams include:

- Cheerleading
- Track & Field
- Football
- Soccer
- Tennis
- Volleyball
- Basketball
- Wrestling
- Baseball
- Lacrosse
- Softball
- Bocce



## CLUBS AND ORGANIZATIONS

Other activities available vary between our middle and high schools.

Some of these include:

- Anime Club
- Band/Choir
- Community Service Club
- Drama Club
- Future Business Leaders of America
- Guitar Club
- Gay Straight Alliance
- Hi-Q Team
- Literary Magazine
- Mock Trial Team
- National Art Honor Society
- National Honor Society
- National Junior Honor Society
- Newspaper
- Robotics Club
- Science Olympiad Club
- Speech & Debate Team
- Student Council
- Yearbook





## Points of Pride – 2017-2018

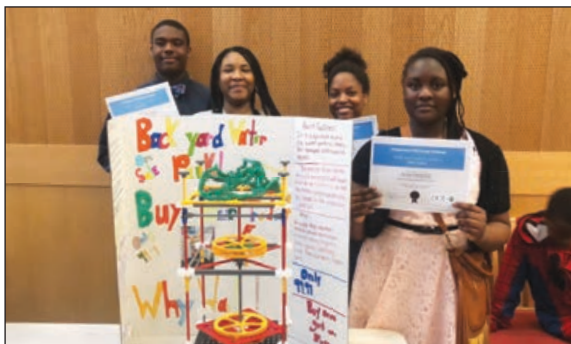


### MADELYN KIEH

*Penn Wood student Madelyn Kieh was selected as the Pennsylvania finalist in the Doodle 4 Google competition. Madelyn's prizes included a trip to Google headquarters in California, a \$5,000 college scholarship, Google hardware and "fun Googley swag."*

### STEM

*Student teams at both Penn Wood Middle School and Ardmore Avenue Elementary School won awards in the Delaware County Intermediate Unit STEM Design Challenge.*



### BALLROOM DANCING

*Fifth-grade students were able to take ballroom dance lessons in the Dancing Classrooms Philly program.*



### STUDENTS HONORED

*Penn Wood High School student Charlene Canning won the American Legion District 8 Oratorical Contest – part of the PA American Legion 2018 High School Oratorical Scholarship Program. Charlene also received the Widener University/NBC10 High School Leadership Award, and was able to participate in leadership activities at Widener.*



*A Penn Wood High School team of students received first place in the Boeing Philadelphia High School Business Proposal Competition.*

# WILLIAM PENN SCHOOL DISTRICT

## OUR VISION

The William Penn School District will nurture and empower all students to become career- and/or college-ready.

## OUR MISSION

The William Penn School District will:

- Support all staff in providing rigorous, data-driven, student centered, differentiated instruction aligned with the academic standards of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.
- Ensure all staff, in partnership with their communities, will create a positive, nurturing, and supportive school climate that encourages all students to discover and pursue their passion for learning.
- Secure and retain dedicated professionals committed to academic success of all students.

## OUR GOALS

- The William Penn School District will ensure the consistent implementation of effective instructional practices across all classrooms in each school
- The William Penn School District will ensure barriers to student learning are addressed in order to increase student achievement and graduation rates
- The William Penn School District will ensure that each member of the district community promotes, enhances, and sustains a shared vision of positive school climate and ensures family and community support of student participation of the learning process



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