

Alderwood Middle School



About Us

At Alderwood Middle School we strive to support our students to receive the support and guidance needed to grow socially, emotionally, and academically so that they can achieve their full potential.

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Mission Statement of School and District

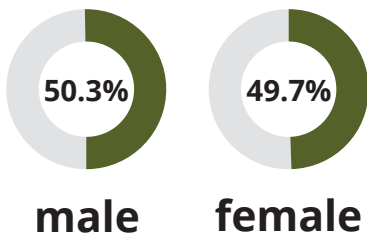
The Edmonds School District engages students, staff, families, partners and the broader community in the district's Strategic Direction. Together, along with every school, results have been identified that we want for our students. The continual improvement of our schools is essential in providing increased 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.

Our 789 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](#).



Academic Accomplishments and Goals – Focus Areas

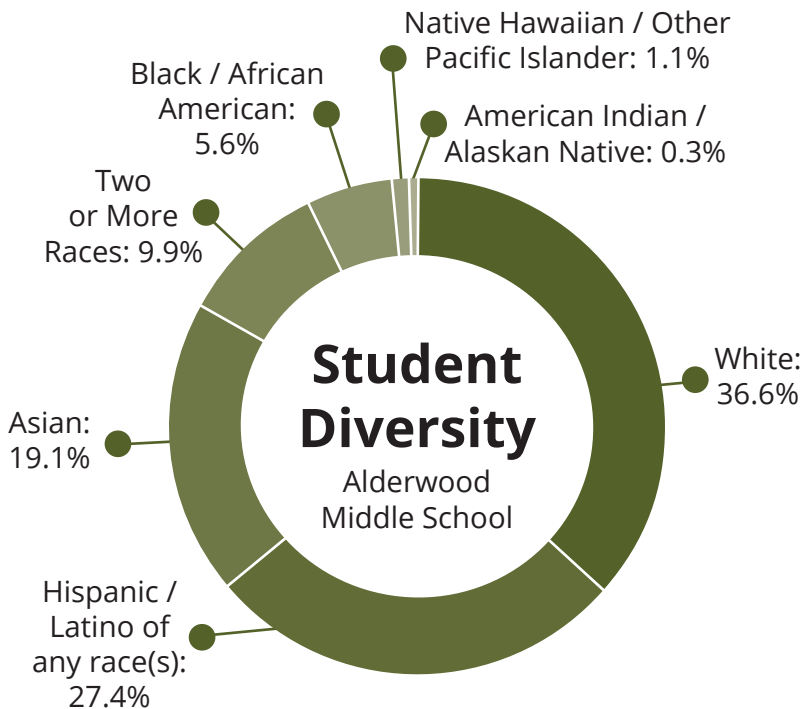
For 2020-21 teachers at Alderwood Middle School will engage in a culture of professional inquiry to support higher levels of student learning.

We will intentionally ask all of our students to engage in higher level literacy skills that require them to regularly justify their answers across all content areas. Our goal is that students will be better able to read, write and speak grounded in evidence.

Our school will achieve this through intentional Professional Learning Communities (PLC) collaboration work that:

- Identifies and uses best instructional strategies for the delivery of specific content knowledge and skills.
- Develops common assessments of learning

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to gather student data to monitor progress towards identified standards.

- Shares classroom data and focus of work to identify interventions for students not meeting standard.
- Seeks diversified and skill based best practices to support all students reaching higher achievement levels.
- Create ways to enhance online learning to provide effective learning opportunities for all students.

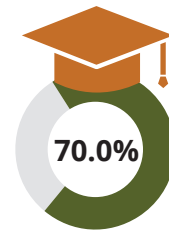
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How You Can Help

Forging a strong relationship between the school and home is beneficial to student performance and academic growth. We have the benefit of an active PTA at our school. We welcome you to become involved in our school by becoming a volunteer, there are many ways that you can participate and we would welcome your support. Please contact the school office if you are interested.

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Our 50 teachers at a glance:



of teachers have at least a Master's Degree

15.8 average years of teacher experience



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Our Goals

We are setting our sights on our strategic plan for the next five years to focus on the following:

- Equity
- Engagement
- Excellence

Edmonds School District

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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.

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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 [2019-20 Citizens Guide to the Budget](#).

\$13,821
per-pupil
expenditure

2018-19 OSPI



About Our Building

Opened: January 2017

Square footage: 114,400 square feet

We are proud that our school facility is used extensively by our community for meetings, events and youth activities.

