



Academic Achievements

- 61% of students are reading at grade level or above
- 40% of students are performing at grade level or above in math
- 50% of fourth-graders are proficient in writing
- 51% of fifth-graders are at grade level or above in science
- Florida school grade 2012-2013 B and 2013-2014 C
- 72% of students are making annual learning gains in reading
- 72% of students in the lowest 25% made annual learning gains in reading
- 62% of students in the lowest 25% made annual learning gains in math



Points of Pride

- First and only school in Pinellas County to be a Stephen R. Covey Leader in Me 2013 grant recipient
- First elementary school Honor Guard
- 2011 National School of Character Award
- Affiliated with Columbia University for reading and writing
- Pinellas District model writing school
- 2009-2011 Florida School of Character winner
- 2 National Board Certified teachers
- Pinellas District model CHAMPS school
- Nationally recognized student character coaches

Special Services & Programs

- The 7 Habits found in Steven Covey's "The Leader in Me" are aligned with the Florida State Standards and integrated across the curriculum
- Gifted Program K-5
- Science Lab for interactive lessons
- Science, Technology, Engineering, & Mathematics (STEM) club to equip students with the knowledge and skills to solve tough problems, gather and evaluate evidence, and make sense of information
- Character education integrated across the curriculum through The Leader in Me program
- Extended learning program offered in partnership with the YMCA
- Chorus for students in grades 4 and 5
- Math Club offered to accelerate math achievement



“ *When educating the minds of our youth, we must not forget to educate their hearts. My priority as principal of Fuguitt Elementary is to develop the WHOLE child – socially, emotionally, academically and ethically. At Fuguitt, we are proud to embrace The Leader In Me program which fosters a climate of self-motivation and personal leadership. Developing a culture of leadership in our school is about encouraging children to be leaders of their own lives, guiding them in identifying their own unique talents and abilities, and encouraging them to make a positive difference in the world.* ”

Dr. Kathi Bentley, principal





About Fuguitt Elementary School

- Principal: Dr. Kathi Bentley
- Grade levels: PreK-5
- Enrollment: 561
- School hours: 8:35 a.m.-2:35 p.m.
- Stephen R. Covey Leader in Me School, National School of Character
- Mascot: Gators
- Uniforms: Required Modified Dress Code
- Before and after school care: YMCA
- Teaching staff: Approximately 50% of faculty members have advanced degrees
- Community Partners: Johnson Controls, Treasure Island Fun Center, Publix, Golden Corral, GatorGal, Jersey Mike's, Pieczonka Trophy, US Best Taekwondo Center, Sam's Club, Red Lobster, City of Largo Parks & Rec, Buffalo Wild Wings, Chick-Fil-A, Horace Mann, Panda Express, Achieva Credit Union, Winn Dixie, McDonald's, Dunkin' Donuts, Home Depot, Authentic Martial Arts, Largo Elks Lodge 2159
- Computers & technology: Dell computer labs, mobile computer lab, 25 SMART boards, ELMO technology, Art iPad lab, Science Kindle Lab



District Vision: 100% Student Success

District Mission: Educate and prepare each student for college, career and life



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SCHOOL MISSION

Inspired by "The Leader in Me" by Stephen R. Covey, the mission at Fuguitt Elementary is preparing tomorrow's leaders today . . . This leadership model is grounded in our belief that building cooperative relationships and nurturing responsibility, kindness and good judgment is the basis for creating a successful community of learners prepared for the 21st century and beyond.

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