



City of Fairfax Schools

School Snapshot

Dr. Peter Noonan, Superintendent

Mission Statement: The City of Fairfax School Board seeks to provide extended support to our city schools. Through a partnership between Fairfax County Public Schools and the City of Fairfax, we support opportunities so all students will receive an education that inspires, enables and empowers them to meet high academic standards, develop 21st century skills, lead ethical lives and demonstrate responsible citizenship.

Our Schools, Our Students

Daniels Run Elementary School (K-6)	
Total Student Population	750
Ethnicity	Percentage
Asian	13
Black	6
Hispanic	30
White	45
Other	6
Free/Reduced Lunch	32

Providence Elementary School (PK-6)	
Total Student Population	953
Ethnicity	Percentage
Asian	14
Black	6
Hispanic	36
White	39
Other	5
Free/Reduced Lunch	39

Lanier Middle School (7-8)	
Total Student Population	1239
Ethnicity	Percentage
Asian	24
Black	11
Hispanic	20
White	40
Other	5
Free/Reduced Lunch	28

Fairfax High School (9-12)	
Total Student Population	2659
Ethnicity	Percentage
Asian	26
Black	10
Hispanic	19
White	41
Other	4
Free/Reduced Lunch	26
AVID students	136

Fairfax Academy for Communications and the Arts, housed within Fairfax High School, is one of six career and technical education centers in FCPS offering elective courses with a career emphasis. The Academy offers outstanding opportunities for FCPS students with career interests in performing arts, design, and media communications. Two additional classes, Chinese and Korean, provide accelerated language instruction.

Environmental Leaders

Three of our four schools earned grant dollars for environmental efforts to study issues such as storm water infiltration, vernal pool education and wetland restoration. LMS was honored as a Green Flag School by the National Wildlife Federation. The Department of Game and Inland Fisheries' Virginia Naturally School Recognition program honored DRE for the past six years as an outstanding school.

State and National Recognition

Daniels Run Singers performed at the 2012 National Cherry Blossom Festival.

In 2013, **Providence Elementary School** received an FCPS Blue Ribbon Mentoring Program for its extensive mentoring program.

In the summer of 2012, a **Lanier Middle School** science teacher studied aboard the Nautilus in the Aegean Sea.

Fairfax High School earned a **gold ranking** in 2013 by *U.S. News and World Report* as the 11th best high school in Virginia.

Fairfax High School (2011-2012)

On-time Graduation Rate	92.7
Virginia state on-time graduation rate	88.0
Average SAT Score	1613
National Average	1498
Percentage of graduates attending a two- or four- year college	93.1

