Caln Elementary School A Community That Cares







Caln Elementary is a **nurturing**, **inclusive elementary school**, where the joy of learning is evident in all we do. Our students feel **safe and supported**, and each child's individual success is celebrated by our **caring**, **dedicated teachers** who pride themselves on making every child know they have a special place at Caln.

Skilled and dedicated teachers

Every teacher at Caln, and every school staff member, is dedicated to the success of our students. We embrace their achievements, work to support their growth areas, and are proud to have each one of them as a member of our school. Our teachers are highly skilled, trained, dedicated, caring, and compassionate. We are educators who love our students.

Parent and Community Support

The Caln Elementary School community is an important part of our school's success. With involvement and support from our parents, and generous support from our community partners and local businesses, Caln is truly a place where students are at the heart of everything.

Our parents are invited and encouraged to be active participants in their child's learning, and to attend events and activities at our school. We offer parent engagement nights that encourage parents to build relationships while learning about how best they can support their child's learning at home.

Positive School Culture

School-wide expectations for all students and positive behavior supports have transformed our classrooms. Teachers work with students to promote positive behaviors and every student is encouraged to be their personal best. Our teachers help our students to be mindful, and the MindUp Curriclum is used as part of our daily work to assist students in becoming more focused and connected to their learning and environment. Distractions are minimized, kindness is rewarded, and learning comes alive. Our school district is diverse and inclusive, and each child's individuality is celebrated and embraced.

Class size

With class sizes ranging from 20-25, teachers are able to provide individual attention and support to each of our students. Our teachers develop relationships with each child and their family, and are able to help tailor their instruction to meet each student's individual needs.

Academics

Our teachers are continually evaluating each student's needs to adjust learning and instruction to ensure the supports and interventions are in place to keep them moving forward. At Caln, we believe that all students can succeed and use research-based intervention programs to provide specialized instruction for students throughout the day.

The entire Coatesville Area School District focuses on Rigor and Relevance, the two R's that make learning meaningful for students. With an emphasis on Reading, Writing, and Math, we provide a strong foundation for our students.

Our literacy program is robust, with a focus on reading, writing, and phonics. Our teachers provide classroom environments that immerse children in literacy and bring words to life. Our math program is the same one used by the region's most elite school districts, with an emphasis on 21st Century learning.

STEAM (science, technology, engineering, arts, and mathematics) programming is infused into our weekly lesson plans, and students have real-life, hands-on activities such as our own hydroponic gardening system where students grow food they can eat and learn about sustainable living.

With a partnership with the Delaware Museum of Natural History, we are able to bring science into our classrooms in other unique and intriguing ways that connect our students to their world.

We know that students do best when learning is fun and meaningful, and that's evident in all we do. Our teachers strive to ensure that every student has the tools, skills, and foundation to become an academic leader.

Clubs and Activities

At Caln we know it's important to nurture the whole child, and provide opportunities for collaboration and team work outside of the classroom. We offer a range of activities and clubs to meet a variety of student interests. Science-minded students can participate in our STEM club, while students interested in learning Spanish can immerse themselves in the Spanish language, culture, and history during our after-school Spanish Club.

We offer a variety of events throughout the school year that celebrate the arts and give our students a chance to perform and practice their public speaking skills. Caln students can also choose to participate in chorus, band, or orchestra, with instrumental lessons offered throughout the school day.



Register your child to attend Caln Elementary: