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STUDENT:TEACHER RATIO

478 STUDENTS 1-4

- 19.9%** Hispanic
- 0.4%** American Indian
- 14.4%** Asian
- 10.5%** Black
- 3.1%** Pacific Islander
- 46.2%** White

OUR STUDENTS

- 28%** of students are English Language Learners
- 22.6%** of students receive Special Education Services
- 66.7%** of students qualify for free/reduced lunches
- 17** home languages spoken

OUR STAFF

- 78.4%** experienced (3+ years) instructional staff
- 50%** of instructional staff hold advanced degrees

(Data via <https://bit.ly/3kJQqEv>)



BANFIELD ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

Banfield Elementary School is a welcoming, diverse, student-centered neighborhood school serving Grades K-4. We strive to engage students and their families in partnership with the goal of educating the whole child.

Banfield provides systematic tiers of support both academically and social emotionally using:

- Morning meetings incorporating SEL skills and strategies
- Strong relationship building opportunities
- Integrated classroom opportunities with garden and outside classroom
- Two MTSS teams to support student behavior and growth: Intensive Support for Tier 3 and Supplemental Support for all students.

Banfield also has unique programming and experiences:

- Horizon Program is a Setting III special education behavioral program for student who qualify.
- Kids Korner Before and After School Care Program on site.
- Student Council for Grades 3rd and 4th providing community and leadership opportunities
- Safety Patrol Grade 4 working to promote safe arrival and departure for our school

Our teachers and staff are champions for all students, challenging them to think critically and demonstrate their knowledge and understanding in a variety of different ways to prepare students for success beyond school.



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- 1:1 technology for students (school issued iPads)
- Talent Development & Academic Advancement Coursework
- Music/Art/PE every week with certified instructors
- MacPhail Community Children's Choir Opportunities
- Positive Behavior Interventions and Supports (PBIS)
- Free breakfast and lunch for all students regardless of family income
- We are a designated Special Olympics Unified Champion School

At Banfield Elementary, we strive to ensure all students find success and growth academically and socially to prepare them for future success. Bobcat Pride!



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