ABOUT OUR SCHOOL

Cumberland Elementary School is dedicated to providing a place where students can excel academically in a safe and secure environment. Our staff works hard to provide a safe, engaging atmosphere for every student by cultivating positive learning environments, establishing genuine relationships and communicating effectively. We offer Reading Recovery to support our early readers, and our teachers and staff weekly plan to ensure that we are meeting state standards and giving each child a high-quality education. We also offer the Encore program for our gifted and talented students. Teamwork is an essential part of our school.

Cumberland's faculty and staff work together to help ensure the success of our students. We know that each child is a unique individual and we spend time getting to know each of them. We are honored to be a part of our students' lives at the beginning of their educational journey and we take our charge very seriously.

A TYPICAL DAY AT SCHOOL

Morning Mile – Day begins with community walk with music! 7:30 a.m.
Breakfast eaten in the classroom: 7:50 a.m.
Morning Meeting to build a sense of community: 8:05 a.m.
Literacy block (210 minutes)
Recess (20 minutes)
Lunch (30 minutes)
Math block (90 minutes)
Science and/or social studies block (30 minutes)
Related arts - P.E., library, art, or music (60 minutes)
Dismissal: 3 p.m.

ACADEMIC PROGRAMS

Core knowledge language arts, guided reading, Go Math and Eurika Math, ENCORE and talent

EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

Choir, Girl Scouts, Cub Scouts, morning mile, chess club, Girls on the Run, YMCA Fun Company

RESOURCES AND SUPPORTS

Social and Emotional Learning, before and aftercare programming: YMCA Fun Company, Communities in Schools

COMMUNITY PARTNERS

Fifty Forward, Lipscomb University, Vanderbilt University

PARENT ORGANIZATION

PTO
Meeting Times: Monthly
Contact Information: cumberlandbearspto@gmail.com

SCHOOL DRESS CODE

Tops: any solid color, collared shirt (polo-style, long-sleeved button up, blouse, etc.)
Bottoms: black, khaki or navy dress pants, shorts, skorts or jumpers; belt required
Shoes: open-toe sandals as long as they have a heel strap. Flipflop-style sandals are not allowed. Students are required to have tennis shoes for PE.