

**Downtown Elementary provides a multi-faceted optional program that inspires children to pursue and achieve their fullest potential in efforts to compete globally in the 21st century.**



**Our students learn from local politicians, professors, doctors, architects and business leaders who work Downtown and partner with our school. Our students are using state-of-the-art technology every day in our classrooms.**

### Points of Pride

- Our parents and community groups support volunteer mentoring, tutoring, Watch D.O.G. Dads and Site-Based Decision Making Committee.
- Several of our dedicated staff members have received grants for technology and learning materials to extend and enrich student learning beyond the books.
- We have an exceptional Orff music program that participates in ChoirFest, Side by Side with the Memphis Symphony Orchestra and various school programs.
- Our students consistently place in local art competitions.
- Many of our students go on to be top performers in middle and high school and gain acceptance into top colleges and universities.
- We are a National Junior Beta Club School of Distinction.

### Academics

- Optional students attend enriched classes in language arts, math, social studies, science and technology.
- C.L.U.E. is available for eligible Pre-K – 5th grade students.
- Our Optional curriculum is designed to maximize learning experiences and enhance the academic and social development of our students.
- Optional classes feature challenging and creative activities that require students to utilize higher-level thinking skills.
- Technology is integrated daily into our academic programs to ensure students can compete globally in the 21st century.

### Activities

- National Junior Beta Club
- Student Council
- Tuition piano classes
- Arts Programs (Chorus and Strings)
- STEM CLUB
- Accelerated Reader
- Grade level "Student of the Month"
- Y-Care before - and after - care school programs
- Partners in Education (PIE)
- Community Partners include: Orion Federal Credit Union, AutoZone, University of Memphis Law School, UT Medical School, Fellowship Memphis, Memphis Public Library and many others

**DOWNTOWN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL (1-5)**  
ENRICHED ACADEMICS / SOCIAL STUDIES

**COME SEE WHAT WE HAVE TO OFFER!**

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