



## Gracewood Elementary School



2032 Tobacco Road  
Augusta, GA 30906



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*The mission of Gracewood Elementary is to provide students a basis for lifelong learning so they may become productive, responsible citizens.*

### Quick Reference

Grades: Pre-K - 5

Principal: Mr. Chris Neal

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School Hours: 8:15 - 3:15

Area Asst. Superintendent: Dr. Malinda Cobb

Superintendent: Dr. Angela Pringle

### Grading System

A (90-100)

B (89-80)

C (79-75)

D (74-70)

F (below 70)

### Student Enrollment

**488**

### Average Daily Attendance

**96.68**

### Special Programs\Fine Arts

Orchestra

Visual Arts

### Points of Pride

- 100% of highly qualified staff
- Recognized for outstanding growth on 2015 CCRPI by RCSS

## School and Community

Gracewood Elementary School is located in Augusta, GA, the third largest city in the state. Augusta is widely known as the home of The Masters golf tournament. City attractions include the James Brown Arena and Fort Discovery. The Richmond County School System is made up of 56 schools and proudly educates over 32,000 students. Gracewood Elementary holds much history. The school was established in 1890 serving the families of the Gracewood Community in South Richmond County. Gracewood Elementary is accredited with providing the first “school bus” in Richmond County. It was a horse and buggy that was driven by the school principal. The current school building still sits on the same grounds as the original building. Renovations and remodeling have resulted in the building as it is known today.

## General Information

Gracewood Elementary follows the Georgia Common Core Curriculum Standards. Teachers and staff work diligently to provide students with rigorous material while maintaining high expectations for all. GES provides students with the opportunity to participate in extracurricular activities such as strings, dance, and student council. Our school has partnered with the Augusta University Men’s Basketball Team to develop our Jocks & Gents male mentoring program. Gracewood Elementary is also very fortunate to have business partnerships with the following: Solvay Advanced Polymers, Georgia Bank and Trust, East Central Georgia Regional Hospital, Big Dog Stump and Tree, and Chick-Fil-A.

## College and Career Ready Performance Index (CCRPI)

College and Career Ready Performance Index (CCRPI) is Georgia’s statewide accountability system. The CCRPI assesses how well students are prepared for college and careers and ensures that schools are focused on improving achievement among all students. The index measures progress on indicators such as content mastery, student attendance, and preparation for the next school level. Schools earn CCRPI points based on indicators that vary by grade and school level and align with measures of college- and career-readiness. Schools may earn up to a set number of points in three main categories, for a total of 100 possible points.

