



ABC-Stewart School

Founded 1969

Mission: We seek to educate and prepare each child to make life's journey as an independent responsible citizen of the world.

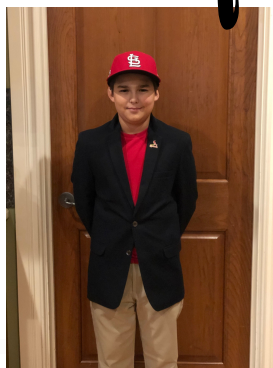
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Meet Our School Family



The Brockhaus Family

**John, Natasha,
August "Gus",
Rosie**



The Brockhaus family arrived at ABC Stewart School after returning to Columbus from Nashville, TN. At the time, Gus was 5 years old and entered the ABC Classroom as a kindergartner. After starting Montessori education in Nashville, it was important to find the right educational community that fit the needs of our family. We couldn't have been happier with the welcoming they received from the teachers and other school families. Three years later, our daughter Rosie entered the same classroom. We made the choice to continue both Gus and Rosie's educational journey at Stewart. After Gus graduated from Stewart in May 2018, he went to complete middle school at St. Bartholomew and is now a freshman at Columbus East High School. His experiences at ABC Stewart have prepared him well both academically and socially. Rosie is now a 5th Year Student at Stewart and has a particular interest in Science. She has cheered for the ABC Stewart Suns basketball team for three seasons. She is looking forward to all of the wonderful experiences of her Graduate year.

John works in Human Resources at Cummins and takes pride in cleaning the gym after each of ABC Stewart's Annual Thanksgiving Feasts. He is sad that he cannot continue the tradition this year, but is looking forward to 2021. Natasha is a lactation consultant and educator. She has volunteered and worked at ABC Stewart for the past 10 years. She loves teaching Culture, Spelling, and Daily Oral Language.

We are grateful for the quality of education and the supportive community at ABC Stewart. With near a decade of experience, we have come to appreciate how unique and special the school has been for our children and our family.



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Alumni Spotlight



For Miranda (Ulery) Edge, a love of learning was cultivated at ABC Stewart Montessori school, which she attended from 1990-1998. She has carried this love through to her job as Agriculture and Natural Resources Extension Educator for Purdue University after earning her B.S. at Purdue and her Masters at University of Kentucky.

As she continued her education, she credits Stewart and the Montessori method for helping her find ways to learn. When she took Organic Chemistry, she was already familiar with the model kits, so the material came more naturally for her.

Despite having graduated Stewart 22 years ago, Miranda still remembers "The Presidents' Song" and the dance movements to "The Yellow Submarine". The holiday concerts are some of her fondest memories. "The Presidents' Song" is still taught today. Ask your child to sing it to you.

Recipe Corner

Savory Morning Muffins

- Adapted from Valerie Bertinelli

These muffins are great for a morning snack, packed full of protein and healthy fats. Make ahead and keep in the freezer. Using almond flour, they are gluten free and denser than regular muffins.

Ingredients:

6 TBS unsalted butter, melted and cooled
 1.5 cups almond flour
 2 tsp baking powder
 ½ tsp salt
 ⅛ tsp dried sage
 ½ cup cooked, crumbled breakfast sausage
 ½ cup shredded cheddar
 3 TBS whole milk
 2 large eggs, whisked



Directions:

1. Preheat oven to 375 degrees. Line muffin pan with butter or paper muffin cups.
2. Whisk together almond flour, baking powder, salt, and sage.
3. In a large bowl, combine sausage and cheddar. Add eggs and milk to mixture and combine. Add butter and flour mixture and blend.
4. Spoon batter into muffin pan. Bake for 15 mixture until golden brown and toothpick comes out clean.

Kids Corner

E-Learning Highlights

This year looks different at ABC-Stewart School with students both in person and e-learning. Our e-learners may not be with us in the building, but they are an important part of our school and we wanted to highlight some of the things they have been working on and their favorite part of the school week!



Neil Phadke
Horizons

"My favorite part is singing and seeing teachers and friends."



Aesop Birkemeier
Third year

"My favorite part of my day is art on Wednesday."

Xavier Zhang
Third Year

"My favorite part is science experiments."

Bella Zhang
First Year

"My favorite part is problem solving."



Veronica Kao
ABC

"My favorite part is the 'Just Remote' session at 3:15 pm"



Watercolor painting in Ms. Signorino's Class.

Upcoming Events

Upcoming Events:

- Parent Teacher Conferences** (refer to your email for date and time)
- Mill Race Fun Fun** - Register with the school and complete the virtual run by 10/31. Don't forget to send your time and picture!
- Thanksgiving Break** November 25 - 27, 2020
- The **Thanksgiving Feast** is cancelled. We are working to plan a food drive in its place.
- The Santa Shoppe** - Start saving your toys in good condition to donate to benefit the school.

Elementary Special Days:

- 10/30 **Halloween Costume Contest**
- 11/10 **Class Dress Up Day**
- 11/24 **Dog Shelter Day**

School Clubs

Elementary

- Drama Club:** Wednesday 4:15- 5:15 pm
- **Spell Bowl:** Tuesday and Thursday 3:15- 5:00pm
- **Art Club:** Tuesday 4:15- 5 pm (starts Nov 3rd)
- Music Club:** 4:15- 5:00pm (Nov 6-18th) Students encouraged to bring their own instruments. Second session in January
- **Basketball (4th-6th grade):** Monday 4:30 - 5:30 pm

Preschool

- Art Club (Ages 3-6):** Thursday 3:30- 5pm (Oct 29 - Dec 17th; no Club Thanksgiving day). Supply fee of \$75 plus Splendid. Space limited



Permission slips were sent home 10/23