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Gwinnett schools honored for healthy school environment

More than two dozen **Gwinnett County public schools** have been named to the **Governor’s Shape Honor Roll**. This award recognizes elementary, middle, and high schools for their dedication to creating a healthy school environment and a culture of wellness for staff, students, and community. With a total of 27 schools recognized, GCPS has more schools on the list than any other school district in the state.

Georgia’s K-12 public schools were invited to submit an application to be recognized by the Governor’s Office, the Georgia Department of Education, and the Georgia Department of Public Health for their exceptional participation in the annual fitness assessment data collection process as well as their commitment to efforts that improve student wellness. Schools received recognition based on four levels of criteria: Bronze, Silver, Gold, and Platinum. Nine schools in GCPS received the Platinum Award while three schools received the Gold Award. The remaining 15 schools received Silver or Bronze.

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2010 and 2014 Winner of



Platinum Recipients (9)	Gold Recipients (3)
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Britt Elementary School • Brookwood Elementary School • Grayson Elementary School • Harbins Elementary School • Jenkins Elementary School • Lovin Elementary School • Mulberry Elementary School • Sugar Hill Elementary School • Gwinnett School of Mathematics, Science, and Technology High School 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Northbrook Middle School • Radloff Middle School • Richards Middle School
Silver Recipients (11)	Bronze Recipients (4)
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cedar Hill Elementary School • Dacula Elementary School • Harmony Elementary School • Harris Elementary School • Lawrenceville Elementary School • Mason Elementary School • McKendree Elementary School • Riverside Elementary School • Stripling Elementary School • Suwanee Elementary School • Gwinnett Online Campus (Middle) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Camp Creek Elementary School • Level Creek Elementary School • Mountain Park Elementary School • Duluth Middle School

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WHY APPLY FOR THE GEORGIA SHAPE HONOR ROLL? This award recognizes elementary, middle, and high schools for their dedication to creating a healthy school environment and a culture of wellness for staff, students, and community. On behalf of the Department of Education, and the Department of Public Health, all applicants who meet the requirements of recognition and submit proper documentation will be rewarded for their outstanding efforts.

LEVELS OF AWARD RECOGNITION

LEVEL	ELEMENTARY	MIDDLE SCHOOL	HIGH SCHOOL
BRONZE	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 90 hrs of PE/health 100% of students complete FitnessGram Principal verification 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 50% of student population completes FitnessGram Principal verification 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 100% of students enrolled in PE classes complete FitnessGram Principal verification
SILVER	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Schedule weekly recess 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 75% of student population completes FitnessGram Regularly scheduled supervised fitness activity before or after school 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Regularly scheduled supervised fitness activity before or after school
GOLD	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Schedule daily recess Wellness committee Alliance for Healthier Generation Assessment Inventory Healthy Success Story Power Up for 30 Pledge 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Wellness committee Alliance for Healthier Generation Assessment Inventory Healthy Success Story 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Wellness committee Alliance for Healthier Generation Assessment Inventory Healthy Success Story
PLATINUM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Power Up for 30 Training Power Up for 30 Story 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Award status from the Alliance 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Award status from the Alliance