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Welcome to Ferndale Area Elementary School. We are ***Big Enough To Challenge, Small Enough To Care!*** Our school district has been referred to as a public school in a private school setting.

Highlights about our school:

- Ferndale Area Elementary School is a K4 to 6th grade building.
- The average class size is 15.
- Extensive Technology integration within classrooms.
- The Ferndale Area Elementary School provides rigorous academics. FAES also offers a variety of activities for students of various ages, including academics, arts, and fitness activities. For a complete list, please review the student handbook or visit the [activities page](#).

2019-2020 Elementary Building Initiatives:

- Continue to align ELA & Math curriculum to PA Core focus on grades 3-6
- Literacy Development focus on grades K4 to 2nd
- New DIBELS Math Screening for Intervention

Future Ready Index Information:

This is a resource that is available to parents, educators, and stakeholders within the community published by Pennsylvania Department of Education (PDE). It provides information and highlights for the school and District utilizing multiple measures. Measures include District targets, State targets for 2030, academic growth, performance standards, and other informational measures.

Future Ready Highlights:

- English Language Arts/Literature- FASD performing at 61.3% (proficient or advanced), state average is 63%
- Mathematics/Algebra-FASD performing at 50.8% (proficient or advanced), state average is 45.5%
- Science/Biology-FASD performing at 86% (proficient or advanced), state average 64.3%
- FASD is meeting the standard of demonstrating growth in Mathematics and Science.
- FASD has an attendance rate of 87.3%, state average is 85.4%
- FASD is exceeding the career standards benchmark at 100%, the state average is 91.8%.

Complete information may be viewed by visiting the [future ready index website](#).



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