



Cody Vaughn and Hudson Kornegay at the Native American SPICE Program sponsored by PTA



Staff members Mrs. Vidal, Mrs. [unclear], and Mrs. Goldman at the NCE Carnival sponsored by PTA

Campus Snapshot

Nottingham Country Elementary

Strategically preparing students for a lifetime of learning

Written by Kirsten Cornell | Photography courtesy of Nottingham Country Elementary



Students Jack Felten, Nick Mosby, and Olivia Costagliola in front of the NCE marquee



Members of the Aerospace Mission program



Students Josh Kleinman and Josh Squyres having a blast at the school carnival



Assistant principal Tracy Stroud as Thing 2 and principal Marlene Bourgeois as Thing 1 in celebration of Dr. Seuss' birthday



Student council president Kyle Wakefield with parent volunteer Mr. Gorman, at the fifth-grade sock hop

Nestled in a community of English Tudor-style homes and caring neighbors, Nottingham Country Elementary (NCE) has served Katy students for over 30 years. "Our team of students, parents, teachers, staff, and community strive for academic excellence for all students," principal Marlene Bourgeois states proudly. "We create a positive and challenging learning environment that enables all students to pursue productive and fulfilling lives."

While the school was named for the neighborhood, a contest was actually held to choose the school's mascot. With a royal name like "Nottingham," the students naturally gravitated toward a castle-worthy representative, the knight.

Knightly Programs

NCE offers a variety of enrichment programs to their students outside of the standard curriculum.

- Aerospace
- Book Trailer Club
- Chess Club
- Choir
- SPICE
- Student Council
- Talent Show

Community Conscious

Students pride themselves on finding ways to give back to the community around them either in their own backyard or a world away.

- Pasta for Patients
- Impact a Hero
- Adopt a Hero
- Sent school supplies to Iraqi school
- Raised funds for Haitian earthquake victims
- Donated to tsunami victims in Japan
- Boy Scouts built picnic tables for the school
- Girl Scouts designed and built school benches
- Assist with volunteer luncheon

Lifelong Learners

NCE's future looks bright as they live out their vision of continuing to work together with the community and providing students with high-quality learning experiences that will prepare them for future endeavors. "We recognize that technology is a very big part of our students' lives, so we aim to incorporate and embed technology into what we do in the classrooms," says Bourgeois. "Our staff members are lifelong learners themselves and stay abreast of teaching strategies that keep students engaged." KM



KIRSTEN CORNELL is the associate editor for Katy Magazine and highly respects her mother who was a public educator for over 30 years.

Nottingham Fast Facts

Principal:
Marlene Bourgeois

Assistant principal:
Tracy Stroud

Location:
20500 Kingsland Blvd.

Phone: 281-237-5500

Mascot: Knight

Colors: Royal blue and gray

Enrollment: 615 students

Opened: 1981

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