

**Shady Spring Elementary School  
Community School Progress Summary 2019-2020  
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<p><b>BCPS Vision:</b> Baltimore County Public Schools will be among the highest performing school systems in the nation as a result of creating, sustaining, and investing in excellence for every student, every school, and every community.</p>	<p><b>School Mission:</b> Shady Spring Elementary School will prepare students with the knowledge and skills necessary to change their world: Critical Thinking, Communication, Collaboration, Creativity, and Computer/Technology Literacy</p>
<b>Literacy</b>	
<p>Goal: All students will achieve literacy proficiency as indicated by the MCAP assessment.</p>	
<b>Raise the Bar</b>	<b>Close the Gap</b>
<p><b>Instructional Focus:</b> Students will improve grade-level reading skills through teachers' use of guided reading and structured word study programs.</p>	<p><b>Instructional Focus:</b> Identified students will receive in-class support for their special learning needs through the infusion by special educators and ESOL teachers of differentiated strategies in reading/ELA.</p>
<b>Math</b>	
<p>Goal: All students will achieve mathematics proficiency as indicated by the MCAP assessment.</p>	
<b>Raise the Bar</b>	<b>Close the Gap</b>
<p><b>Instructional Focus:</b> Students will be provided daily opportunities to participate in on-grade-level "rich mathematical tasks" that promote mathematical reasoning and problem solving and allow multiple entry points and varied solution strategies.</p>	<p><b>Instructional Focus:</b> Identified students will receive in-class support for their special learning needs through the infusion by special educators and ESOL teachers of differentiated strategies in math.</p>
<b>Climate</b>	
<p><b>Goal:</b> Suspensions will decrease by at least 40% from the previous year.</p>	
<p><b>Focus:</b> All students will participate in a positive classroom community through staff members' implementation of selected components of the Conscious Discipline program.</p>	