

DoDEA - *Europe*

(comprised of DoDDS Europe)



*Inspiring & preparing
our students for success in a
global environment.*

Area Overview

DoDEA-Europe operates 81 schools within five districts throughout Europe and serves over 35,000 school-age children of active duty military and civilian employees. Like many schools in the United States, DoDEA-Europe schools are accredited by the North Central Association Commission on Accreditation and School Improvement (NCA CASI).

DoDEA Europe Schools are located in nine countries on the continents of Europe and Asia. Students live and attend school in communities rich in history and culture, neighboring the world's most famous sites such as Rome's Coliseum; Germany's castles; Paris' Eiffel Tower; and London's Buckingham Palace.



Students in DoDEA Europe's schools have many opportunities to meet people from Germany, Belgium, the Netherlands, the United Kingdom, Italy, Turkey, Bahrain, Spain, and Portugal. They learn different languages

and grow accustomed to non-American traditions and customs. They learn how to analyze patterns of cultural behavior and their skills in human relations are sharply honed.

Students become a part of history as they live and learn in places only mentioned in history and geography books. Ancient Greece and Rome, the Dark Ages, Medieval Times, the Renaissance, and World Wars carry a special meaning for students in DoDEA Europe schools because they have first-hand experience with these historical periods. They take these experiences with them as they transition to different places in their educational journeys and move on into adulthood.



Enrollment by Grade Level for DoDEA-Europe

Grade Level	PK	K	Gr 1	Gr 2	Gr 3	Gr 4	Gr 5	Gr 6	Gr 7	Gr 8	Gr 9	Gr 10	Gr 11	Gr 12
No. Enrolled	1210	3187	3245	2993	2972	2868	2882	2688	2493	2388	2466	2034	1881	1615



Dr. Nancy Bresell, Director of DoDEA - Europe

Dr. Bresell joined the DoDEA school system in 1976 as a learning disabilities teacher in Mainz, Germany.

She went on to gain experience in a variety of educational and administrative assignments with DoDEA schools including special education coordinator, assistant principal, principal, Superintendent of Schools for DoDEA schools in the Japan and Wuerzburg districts, Deputy Director of DoDEA's schools in the Pacific, and prior to her current assignment, the Director of DoDEA Schools in Europe.



Area Highlights

Two schools are under construction in Vicenza, Italy and are scheduled to open in School Year 2010-2011:

- The \$31.5 million Vicenza Elementary school will feature art, music, and computer labs, an information center, a multipurpose room with a kitchen, specialized support rooms, Learning Impaired classrooms, an Occupational/Physical Therapy room, and multiple playground areas. The 150,000 square-foot school will be able to accommodate over 1,000 students.
- The Vicenza Middle School has many of the same features as the elementary school and in addition, will have a sports field and playgrounds.

A \$23 million addition to Rota High School in Spain, includes science, art, and computer labs, ROTC facilities, administrative offices, a gym and multiple sports fields.

Ramstein Intermediate School in Germany is currently undergoing \$5.4 million in improvements and renovations that will result in a new gymnasium and a remodeled and expanded multi-purpose room with a kitchen.

Three schools in Wiesbaden, Germany will receive new additions to their schools: A \$5.0 million addition is being constructed at Hainerberg Elementary and Wiesbaden Middle and High Schools are undergoing a \$15.4 million addition. Improvements in these schools include new offices, multipurpose rooms, a gymnasium, a stage with dressing rooms, a JROTC facility, and a bus-loading area.

District Profiles



Superintendent
Mr. Mike Thompson

Bavaria District

2009 Highlights Include:

- Successfully closed schools in the Wuerzburg community. Established Bamberg High School as the attendance site for students from Schweinfurt who previously attended Wuerzburg High School.
- Schweinfurt Middle School was recognized with an award for school-community partnership from the Military Child Education Coalition.
- The district developed a plan to have the school-level education technologists develop online courses for teachers across the district to learn the 16 technology programs available in every school.

Schools

- Ansbach Elementary School
- Ansbach Middle/High School
- Bamberg Elementary School
- Bamberg Middle/High School
- Garmisch Elementary/Middle School
- Grafenwoehr Elementary School
- Hohenfels Elementary School
- Hohenfels Middle/High School
- Illesheim Elementary School
- Netzbarg Elementary School
- Netzbarg Middle School
- Rainbow Elementary School
- Schweinfurt Elementary School
- Schweinfurt Middle School
- Vilseck Elementary School
- Vilseck High School



Superintendent
Dr. Frank Roehl

Heidelberg District

2009 Highlights Include:

- Five Mannheim Elementary School students received outstanding recognition in the Math Olympiad Competition.
- The “Piezoelectric Power Team,” comprised of students from Heidelberg Middle School received an Application of Science, Math, and Technology Sward for its investigation into alternative energy sources to power different types of electrical and battery-operated devices.
- Two Patch High School students were selected as oral presenters for the 2009 National Junior Science and Humanities Symposium. One of the students earned 4th place and traveled to Colorado Springs to compete at the national level.
- One of the three “Odyssey of the Minds” teams from Mark Twain Elementary School participated in the National Finals in Ames, Iowa

Schools

- Aukamm Elementary School
- Boeblingen Elementary/Middle School
- Hainerberg Elementary School
- Heidelberg Middle School
- Heidleberg High School
- Mannheim Elementary School
- Mannheim Middle School
- Mannheim High School
- Mark Twain Elementary School
- Patch Elementary School
- Patch High School
- Patrick Henry Elementary School
- Robinson Brks Elementary/Middle School
- Wiesbaden Middle School
- Wiesbaden High School

Kaiserslautern District



2009 Highlights Include:

- Students from Ramstein High School's Spanish and Multicultural Clubs packaged 368 backpacks filled with school supplies for the Mame Diarra Orphanage School in Dakar, Senegal as well as three other schools in Senegal.
- A student at Kaiserslautern High School was selected as one of two DoDEA student representatives to the United States Youth Senate Program conference in Washington, D.C.
- Kaiserslautern Middle School was one of ten awardees at the American Association of Health Educators National Conference earning the 2009 Blue Apple Award from Health Teacher.
- Vogelweh Elementary School placed 6th in the nation and the world in the Paul Sasso Pace Trek 2009 challenge, clocking 3,560 miles.

Schools

- Baumholder Middle/High School
- Bitburg Elementary School
- Bitburg High School
- Kaiserslautern Elementary School
- Kaiserslautern Middle School
- Kaiserslautern High School
- Landstuhl Elementary/Middle School
- Ramstein Elementary School
- Ramstein Intermediate School
- Ramstein Middle School
- Ramstein High School
- Sembach Elementary School
- Sembach Middle School
- Smith Elementary School
- Spangdahlem Elementary School
- Spangdahlem Middle School
- Vogelweh Elementary School
- Wetzel Elementary School



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Superintendent
Dr. Ronald McIntire

Isles District

2009 Highlights Include:

- Lakenheath Elementary School became a participant in a Seeing Eye dog program sponsored by a United Kingdom organization.
- Lakenheath Middle School sponsored a “UK Day,” inviting local citizens and groups to the school for a day of interactive learning sessions, featuring the local early British history and culture.
- Lakenheath High School conducted several book and clothing drives in support of an orphanage in Poland.
- SHAPE, Brussels, and AFNORTH High Schools formed an All Star Pep Band that performed concerts at Euro Disney in Paris.
- Ten Shape High School students flew to Sicily for “Artward Bound,” an art and architectural learning experience.
- Brussels Elementary/High School students raised over \$1,000 for a program that builds schools and buys school supplies for students in Afghanistan.

Schools

- AFNORTH Elementary School
- AFNORTH High School
- Alconbury Elementary School
- Alconbury Middle/High School
- Brussels Elementary/High School
- Croughton Elementary School
- Feltwell Elementary School
- Geilenkirchen Elementary School
- Kleine Brogel Elementary School
- Lakenheath Elementary School
- Lakenheath Middle School
- Lakenheath High School
- Liberty Intermediate School
- Menwith Hill Elementary/High School
- SHAPE Elementary School
- SHAPE High School



Mediterranean District

2009 Highlights Include:

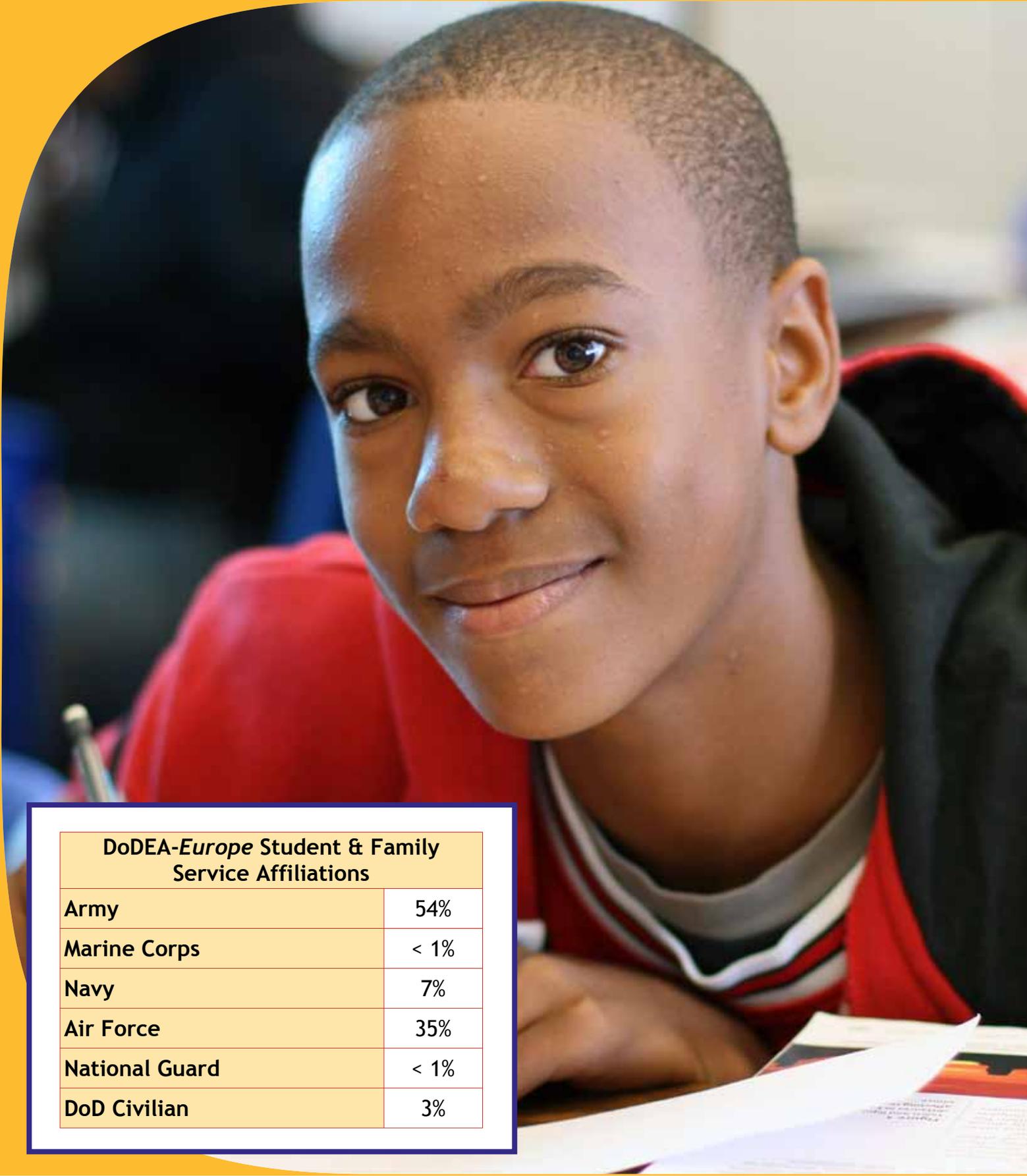
- A Rota High School student was named winner of the United States Senate Youth Program for the Mediterranean District and went on to be named as a delegate to the national conference, receiving a \$5,000 scholarship and trip to Washington, D.C.
- Two students from Naples High School; one student from Vicenza Middle/High School; and One Student from Aviano Middle/High School earned the right to compete at the national level in the National History Day competition.
- Art students from Livorno Unit School wrote and illustrated original educational nonfiction books for the Books of Hope Project and sent the books to schools in Uganda.

Schools

- Ankara Elementary/High School
- Aviano Elementary School
- Aviano Middle School
- Aviano High School
- Bahrain Elementary/High School
- Incirlik Elementary/High School
- Lajes Elementary/High School
- Livorno Elementary/Middle School
- Naples Elementary School
- Naples High School
- Rota Elementary School
- Rota High School
- Sevilla Elementary/Middle School
- Sigonella Elementary School
- Sigonella Middle/High School
- Vicenza Elementary School
- Vicena Middle/High School



Superintendent
Dr. Elizabeth Walker



**DoDEA-Europe Student & Family
Service Affiliations**

Army	54%
Marine Corps	< 1%
Navy	7%
Air Force	35%
National Guard	< 1%
DoD Civilian	3%