

### **Multimodal Access Opportunity Scores**

This score is based on the physical assets and barriers that determine each school or site's potential for increased walking, bicycling, carpooling and bus/transit use. Current travel modes (how people are accessing the school now) are not a factor in the score.



Transit/Bike Share Score = 25

### **Contact information:**

McKinley Elementary School 1030 N McKinley Road Arlington, VA 22205 Phone: 703.228.5280

# **Type of Site:**

**Elementary School** 

# **Grade Levels:**

K - 5

# **Summary Conditions**

McKinley Elementary School is located on McKinley Road in northwestern Arlington County. This school is a ½ mile from the county boundary. In 2013, McKinley Elementary School had 540 students and 71 staff members.

### **Neighborhood Context**

The neighborhood surrounding McKinley Elementary School is predominantly single-family, detached homes located on a connected, gridded street network. The streets allow for street parking, have complete sidewalk networks, and only a few dead-end streets. The campus is located just south of i-66 and the Seven Corners commercial district is located less than one mile to the southeast of McKinley.

### **Transportation Assets**

McKinley Elementary School has access to bus transit within one block of its location. There is no access to Metro or Capital Bikeshare nearby. There are bike lanes along McKinley Road and the Washington and Old Dominion Trail is located one block away. The main entrance to the school is on McKinley Road, although there is a footpath providing access to the campus from 11<sup>th</sup> Street North. McKinley Road is a high-volume street, but there are rapid flashing beacons and signs in both directions that alert drivers that they are approaching a school.

### **Physical Barriers**

McKinley Road is very steep as it approaches the school from the south. Some of the residential streets have significant elevation changes which decreases visibility for pedestrians, cyclists and vehicles. McKinley Road acts as a barrier due to the quantity of vehicles that use this road. Although there are crosswalks making it easier to cross, there are points in the road where visibility is relatively limited.

### **Existing Travel Modes (from 2013 School Surveys)**

