



# The Faces Behind the Names

## Madeira City Schools Celebrating 100 Years of Excellence in Education

### John F. Dumont

After serving in the Army during WWII, John F. Dumont completed his BS and MEd in Education at the University of Cincinnati. He was hired by the Madeira City School District as the Principal of Miami Hills Elementary School in 1954 - a position he held for 24 years until he retired in 1978.

In 1979, after his retirement, Miami Hills Elementary School was changed to John F. Dumont Elementary School in his honor. When grade levels shifted and fourth grade moved to the middle school, it was re-named John F. Dumont Primary School.

That building was torn down after the current Madeira Elementary School was built behind it. When the new school opened and was dedicated in 2006, the new building's John F. Dumont Media Center was as well.

