

ABOUT

Faxon Elementary

Located in the heart of Kansas City, Faxon Elementary is surrounded by the distinguished Faxon neighborhood and sits just to the southwest of the historic Paseo traffic light.

The original Faxon Elementary, just down the street from the current building, was retired from KCPS and was remodeled to serve as senior housing for our neighbors. The current building, previously a Montessori school, now houses kindergarten through sixth grade students and offers a variety of programs and activities to engage the unique Faxon students.

Because parents are the backbone of the school, Faxon created a Parent Empowerment Group, developed to foster every family's potential by empowering parents and students through communication, collaboration, diversity, respect and accountability. In addition, Faxon hosts Parent Academy where parents can learn about the resources available through the school and Kansas City Public Schools.



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WELCOME TO FAXON



Faxon Elementary School

Serving students kindergarten through sixth grade



ABOUT FAXON

Serving students
Kindergarten thru
Sixth Grade

Bell Times:
9:15 am – 4:15 pm

Uniforms:
Solid white or navy
blue short or long-
sleeved shirt (must
have a collar or
turtleneck)

Tan (khaki) or navy
blue pants, skirt,
jumper, or shorts.
No denim is allowed.

At Faxon Elementary, we love our students! Our teachers, administrators and staff strive to provide the best culture and environment each day for every student. As one of KCPS' neighborhood schools, we offer a variety of different programs and services to help both the student and his/her family.

We continually search for innovative activities to engage students. We have a strong literacy focus and our DJ's Discovery Den is an oasis where students have the opportunity to discover books that best meet their interests. Our teachers tap into individual learning styles, demonstrating various problem-solving approaches to help students identify and answer problems by applying appropriate skills.

Develop a life-long love of learning

Every day, our goal is to provide a culture where students can develop a life-long love of learning. Every student at Faxon has his or her own iPad or laptop allowing teachers the opportunity to use innovative teaching and methods to bring lessons to life.

Activities to make school fun (and challenging)

Community partnerships are very important at Faxon. Organizations such as Front Porch Alliance support our school by providing volunteers, who assist daily with programs and activities to help make school both fun and challenging.

Preparing all students for college

Faxon is an AVID Elementary, part of the overall AVID College Readiness System. AVID's mission is to close the achievement gap by preparing all students for college and real-world success.

FAXON LIFE

From sports to field trips and more, we offer a variety of programs and services. As a trauma sensitive school, our goal is that all students feel safe, welcome and supported.

We can't do it alone; our community partners are key to our students' success. Gen KC joins Faxon students twice a month to read to them, raise funding for special programs and help in the school however needed. Through a partnership with Scholastic, Faxon students receive 10 new books throughout the school year to create their own home library.

Partners in Learning (PALS) volunteers from around the community join our students to share the love of reading and math each week. PALS also mentor students for an extra layer of one-on-one support to nurture their growth and to support success.

Programs & Community Partners:

- Scholastic's My Very Own Library
- Front Porch Alliance
- Gen KC
- Derrick Johnson's Dream Foundation Library
- Community Gardens
- Junior Achievement
- Score 1 for Health
- Big Brothers Big Sisters of Kansas City
- Kansas City University
- Champs-Anatomy Academy
- LINC

Free Before & After School Care

Free Breakfast & Lunch

Mentoring Programs

First Lego League Robotics Program
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Student Council

Boy Scouts & Girl Scouts

WIN for KC

Girls on the Run

KC Ballet

Chess Club

Foster Grandparents

Parent Empowerment Group