

Our Students

"We do fun activities but we are learning at the same time. I love activities like that."
-Izreal, Central Park Student



"Our students join us from a variety of cultures and diverse backgrounds, and each child brings a unique and valuable set of skills and talents to school."
-Becky Berkas, Principal



FACTS

Is Central Park a neighborhood school and a choice school?

Yes, those living within Central Park's boundaries will attend Central Park. If you live outside the school's boundaries you can apply for the lottery.

If one child of mine is enrolled at Central Park as an option school, do I have to enter the lottery again for other children?

Yes, but Central Park offers sibling preference in placement.

When do I need to apply for the lottery?

You will need to apply for the lottery drawing a year prior to the year your child will attend. Please contact us for more information.

Is Transportation available?

Free transportation is available within the Roseville Area Schools district boundaries.

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Central Park Elementary



NEW SPARK Program!



School Snapshot

Central Park is a PreK-6 **neighborhood** and **choice school** that focuses on science, technology, engineering, and computer science. The school's SPARK Program offers **hands-on lessons** that challenge students to inquire, investigate, and problem-solve.

The SPARK Program takes an interdisciplinary approach to teaching so students understand subjects from different perspectives. In addition, field trips, family engineering events, and more serve to support student learning inside and outside the classroom.



SPARK Program

Central Park's SPARK Program creates engaging opportunities for students to learn STEAM-based lessons. **STEAM** incorporates elements from **S**cience, **T**echnology, **E**ngineering, **A**rt, and **M**ath to allow students to think across disciplines while developing problem-solving skills.

In our new SPARK Lab, students learn to use both high-tech and low-tech tools to create, design, and build. The SPARK Lab contains innovative technology such as:

- **3D printers and scanners**
- **3D laser printer and engraver**
- **Computer programming software**
- **iPads & Chromebooks**
- **Robotics**

Through the SPARK Program, Central Park students have the opportunity to learn new skills, explore ideas from different perspectives, and apply their learning to real-world challenges.

21st Century Skills

The SPARK Program exposes students to future occupations in science and technology by developing 21st century skills. Students learn:

- **Creative thinking**
- **Problem solving**
- **Innovation**
- **Communication**
- **Collaboration**

In their lessons, students face obstacles similar to those that a scientist or engineer might face when designing a project or proposing a study. The SPARK Program focuses on **enabling students to achieve future educational and professional goals**. Students prepare for careers that will solve the major problems predicted for the future, such as cyber security issues and extreme weather events.

