# **Rahn Elementary School**

### Each Student. Future ready. Community strong.

Burnsville-Eagan-Savage School District 191 is a future-forward school district creating barrier-free pathways for learning for everyone in our community. We believe learning is a lifelong pursuit, and create programs, services and opportunities that inspire this belief.



Rahn Elementary is a very special place. Rahn has been the center of the community since 1969. From its beginning, Rahn has sought to serve and involve the community. And over the years, it has done just that. The past few years have been a challenge, but what I have learned and seen is that in these times, our community keeps us strong. Rahn provides a rigorous learning environment for all students. At the same time, we want our students to experience unique learning opportunities. Rahn Elementary's staff work hard to ensure our students are connected to the community and to the school.

It is an honor to be a part of the amazing Rahn community.

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# ACADEMICS



#### **Pathways**

At the elementary level, our unique Pathways approach to learning excites students and gives them a glimpse into thein future by embedding rich experiences in areas including arts, engineering, entrepreneurship, and health and wellness. Pathways allow students to wonder and reflect on what's next in thein educational journey.

Learn more at **pathways.isd191.org**.



## **Gifted and Talented**

Advanced Learning is a valued part of the One91 learning experience, and is guided by our commitment to equity, access and academic rigor. Our inclusive identification system ensures that these opportunities are available to every student in grades 2-5 across all our elementary schools.

Advanced Learning instruction focuses on helping our students to be future ready by embedding into our instruction the 4 Cs of 21st Century Learning: Communication, Collaboration, Critical Thinking and Creativity. Research projects focus on inquiry and creating solutions to realworld problems.

## Core Areas of Learning

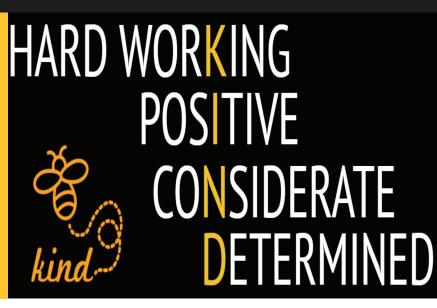
Students receive a wellrounded learning experience that includes rigorous literacy, math, social studies and science instruction, as well as time set aside to meet individual student needs called What I Need (WIN) time. All students also participate in specialist classes including music, art, digital learning and physical education.



# STUDENT EXPERIENCE

### **Bee Kind**

At Rahn Elementary, we are committed to a positive and welcoming school culture and environment. We develop a set of expectations for students to be successful at school. We have developed a theme to help us remember the expectations. "Bee KIND" is posted all throughout the school and in every classroom. KIND stands for hard working, positive, considerate, and Determined. We help our students understand and know what it means to be KIND in various spaces within the school. Then, as students meet those expectations, we acknowledge the students through various fun activities, either in the classroom or as a school. Every month, we bring the school together, as a community to celebrate the hard work of our students. We also encourage them to keep showing KIND behavior each and every day.





## **School Activities**

We know that when students are involved in school activities, they have a sense of belonging and connection to the school community. Because of this, we provide many opportunities for our students to get involved. **Rahn TV News** is a great example. Every day, our 5th grade students produce and share a news broadcast for the school. This is a great way to share important information and build community. **Student council** members from all grade levels share ideas and put into action activities that build school spirit. They are also instrumental in the leading and coordinating the school store on a weekly basis. Our students also get to participate in **field trips**. Learning comes from experiences and we want our students to have as many as possible. There are also various extracurricular activities for students to be involved in, including **soccer skills, chess club, and Girls on the Run**. Our students are connected to the school community through these various activities.

### **Curiosity, Creativity and Achievement**

We believe that students need to be curious about the world around them. We want our students to think critically, ask questions, and wonder about their learning. We also want our students to explore their own creativity. Throughout the school year, ALL of our students participate in our Enrichment Academy. This is a chance for students to try new things shared by staff members. Students get to explore and learn about things that interest them. It is amazing to see our students learn and love different interests. Finally, we have high expectations for our students to achieve. This can be in academics or in navigating school. We are here to help students grow and achieve.





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