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Fort Wayne Community Schools educates all students to high standards enabling them to become productive, responsible citizens.

Fort Wayne Community Schools will be the school system of choice and a source of community pride.

GENERAL INFORMATION

WELCOME TO FORT WAYNE COMMUNITY SCHOOLS

Fort Wayne Community Schools is THE choice district, offering high quality academics and an array of enrichment options outside the classroom.

WHY CHOOSE FORT WAYNE COMMUNITY SCHOOLS?

There is no better place for your child to learn, grow and succeed than Fort Wayne Community Schools. Here is why:

- Every child matters deeply to us. We are committed to their well-being, safety and success. All means All!
- We expect excellence and set high standards for achievement.
- Students are encouraged to pursue their passions we offer a variety of programs of choice and co-curricular activities to meet the needs of every student.
- Our schools are alive with diversity, which enhances the school experience as students learn to interact in a diverse environment and prepare for global citizenship in the United States and the world.
- · Our dedicated, caring staff members are well-qualified and results-oriented individuals who help students achieve their full potential.
- We enable creative and innovative learning through technology to engage each student.
- · We welcome and value parent and community involvement so everyone is included, recognized and valued.

College and Career Readiness

- A wide selection of Advanced Placement classes or Collegiate Connection offered at every high school
- Dual-credit courses offered in high schools and at local universities, give students opportunities for both high school and college-level credits
- Ample opportunities to earn Honors and Technical Honors Diplomas, helping students get into the colleges of their choice
- · Personalized college and career readiness programs and college tours
- · Personalized college and career planning

Magnet Schools and Programs for All Interests

- Montessori at Bunche Early Childhood Center and Towles Intermediate School grades one through five
- · New Tech at Towles Intermediate School grades six through eight
- Fine Arts at Whitney Young Early Childhood Center, Weisser Park Elementary School and Memorial Park Middle School
- STEM at Irwin Elementary School
- Communications at Croninger Elementary School

Specialized Programs of Study at Every High School

- International Baccalaureate (IB) at South Side High School
- Project Lead the Way Engineering at Northrop High School
- Project Lead the Way Biomedical Sciences at Snider High School
- Early College-Business, New Tech Academy and ROTC at Wayne High School
- Early College-Global Studies/World Languages at North Side High School
- Career Education Programs at the FWCS Career Academy
- · Real-world career experiences at Amp Lab at Electric Works

Outstanding Co-curricular Options at Every School

- Strong athletic programs
- · Wide variety of clubs for every interest
- Strong music, art and dance programs
- · Active Academic Bowl groups

Career Education Programs Resulting in Certifications

- Certified Nursing Assistant
- EMT (Emergency Medical Technician)
- Indiana Cosmetology License
- AWS (American Welding Society)
- Careers in Early Education (CDA)
- 7 NIMS Certifications (Precision Machine)
- Comptia A+ (IT Academy)
- Telecommunicator I (Criminal Justice)
- Firefighter I & II (Fire Science)

Educating the Whole Child through the 6 Cs

- Character
- Citizenship
- Collaboration
- Communication
- Creativity
- Critical Thinking

Character Education and Individualized Instruction

- Character education is offered through Positive Behavior Interventions and Supports (PBIS), a research-based, nationally recognized system of proactive behavioral concerns management
- Individualized support for students of all ability levels and social/ emotional needs is offered through Multi-Tiered Student Support.

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SCHOOL CHOICE

At Fort Wayne Community Schools, we are committed to providing your student with top quality educational opportunities and instruction to prepare them for life after high school. All students have an assigned school based on family residence location, but you may apply for admission to any of our schools. Students are accepted based on space availability.

MAGNET SCHOOLS

FWCS offers two magnet early childhood centers, three magnet elementary schools, one magnet intermediate school and one magnet middle school. Magnet schools have no attendance boundaries; students must submit an application for enrollment in these schools. Students are accepted based on space availability. If a school has more applications than space available, names will be selected in a public lottery (with computergenerated lists). Once chosen, students will receive enrollment information from their magnet school principal. Students not selected in the lottery are placed on a waiting list.

Students accepted into a magnet school can break their intra-district transfer to return to their attendance area school only. Once accepted, the student's name is removed from all waiting lists. Parents wanting to make a change after accepting must submit a new application.

PROGRAMS OF STUDY

FWCS offers specialized Programs of Study at each high school, giving students an opportunity to try a career path and develop skills that can be used in the workplace. Students living in the Program of Study school attendance area may enroll, and a maximum of 25 students living outside the school's attendance area will be admitted to the Program of Study. If there are more than 25 applicants living outside the attendance area, names will be selected in a public lottery with computer-generated lists. Programs of Study require a four-year commitment or the student will return to his or her attendance area school.

ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY (MIDDLE AND HIGH SCHOOLS) LOTTERY ASSIGNMENT APPLICATIONS

Elementary, middle and high school students interested in special academic programs at schools other than their assigned school must complete the FWCS lottery application. Applications must be submitted online via the myFWCS parent portal on-time application will be accepted Nov. 4, 2022, and Jan.12, 2023.

KINDERGARTEN REQUIREMENTS

To enroll in kindergarten for the 2023-24 school year, the child must be 5 years old by Aug. 1, 2023. For the 4-year-old pre-kindergarten program, the child must be 4 years old by Aug. 1, 2023. Parents can apply for early entrance into kindergarten only. Applications are available at the Wendy Y. Robinson Family and Community Engagement Center, 230 E. Douglas Ave. Parents may call 467-2120 for additional information.

TRANSPORTATION

Students transferring to a school other than their assigned school will not be eligible for transportation services. Transportation will be provided to magnet schools for students living outside the established No Transportation Zone (NTZ). For the Programs of Study at the high schools, only students who were accepted into the Programs of Study through the lottery process and live outside the NTZ for the school they will attend will be provided bus transportation. Only 25 students living outside the school's boundary per year will be admitted to each program through the lottery. Students enrolled in Program of Study classes who live in the attendance area for the school in which the program is located will be provided bus transportation, if they live outside the NTZ. Students who were accepted through the lottery to attend the general program at a high school but later choose to take classes in a Program of Study will not be eligible for transportation. For more information, please contact FWCS Transportation at 467-1900.

LIVING OUTSIDE FWCS

Students who live outside FWCS boundaries are welcome to attend FWCS schools, based on a school's space availability. A tuition payment may be required. Call 467-7250 for additional information.

Education

AT A GLANCE

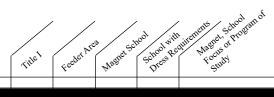
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SS - South Side Area S - Snider Area

W - Wayne Area ++ - Based on home address + - Special Education pre-kindergarten ** - Title I pre-K offered at alternate site

AT A GLANCE



FWCS SCHOOL

| INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL | | | |
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| Towles | W | • | Montessori, New Tech |
| MIDDLE SCHOOLS | | | |
| Blackhawk | S | | |
| Jefferson | N | | |
| Kekionga | SS | | |
| Lakeside | NS | | |
| Lane | S | | |
| Memorial Park | SS | • | Arts Magnet |
| Miami | W | | |
| Northwood | NS | | |
| Portage | W | | |
| Shawnee | N | | |
| HIGH SCHOOLS | | | |
| FWCS Career Academy | | | Career & Technology Education |
| North Side | NS | | Early College Global Studies/World Languages |
| Northrop | N | | Project Lead the Way/Engineering |
| Snider | S | | Project Lead the Way/Biomedical Sciences |
| South Side | SS | | International Baccalaureate Program |
| Wayne | W | | New Tech Academy, ROTC and Early College-Business |
| Amp Lab at Electric Works | | | Career & Entreprenerial Education |

N - Northrop Area NS - North Side Area SS - South Side Area S - Snider Area W - Wayne Area ++ - Based on home address b - before school a - after school + - Special Education pre-kindergarten * - requires Title I home address



CITIZENSHIP



FORT WAYNE VIRTUAL ACADEMY

BYRON BROWN, PRINCIPAL

LOTTERY APPLICATION REQUIRED, LIMITED SPOTS AVAILABLE

1300 S. Clinton St. • Fort Wayne, IN 46802 260.467.7550 1st through 12th Grade

School Summary

The Fort Wayne Virtual Academy is designed to meet the needs of students who would like to continue as fully virtual learners. It is a stand-alone 1-12 school with its own staff, teachers and administrators.

Classes are conducted through Zoom, flexible learning periods, online assignments and more. We also offer a wide range of classes through Edgenuity in order to meet the needs of all our students, regardless of their plan of study.

School Vision

To prepare our students for a rapidly changing world by instilling critical thinking, creating a global perspective and showing compassion for others. Resilience today, leads to success tomorrow.

School Mission

We aim to develop strong connections with students that will encourage them to become well-rounded, thoughtful and competitive in a rapidly changing globalized world.

Applications

- Students must submit a school choice lottery application for enrollment into Fort Wayne Virtual Academy.
- Students are accepted based on space availability.
- If a grade level has more applications than space available, names will be selected in a public lottery (with computer generated lists).
- If selected, students and/or parents will receive enrollment information from the school.
- Students not selected through the lottery are placed on a waiting list.

<u>Eligibility</u>

Any student in grades 1-12 residing in Allen County and any county adjacent to Allen County are eligible to enroll.

Eligible counties: Adams, Allen, DeKalb, Huntington, Noble, Wells and Whitley

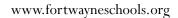
- If a student moves out of the eligible counties, they will be asked to withdraw and enroll at their new attendance area school
- There are no prerequisites to enroll; however, there are expectations that must be met or students will be asked to return to attendance area school

Co-curricular Activities

· Co-curricular activities are not offered for students of the Fort Wayne Virtual Academy

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BUNCHE EARLY CHILDHOOD CENTER

TAMARA MULLINS, PRINCIPAL

MAGNET SCHOOL

1111 Greene St. · Fort Wayne, IN 46803 260.467.4790 Pre-kindergarten through Kindergarten

School Summary

Bunche Early Childhood Center is an American Montessori Society accredited school, focusing on the natural stages of child development in an environment that cultivates the student's desire to learn. Bunche has a Montessori-certified instructional staff and administration, quality Montessori and supplemental materials and a supportive parent community.

Programs

- Magnet school using the Montessori method of instruction.
- Classrooms are multi-age and culturally diverse.
- Children learn by doing and from each other at their own pace. "Follow the Child," was the philosophy of Dr. Maria Montessori when she created the program more than 100 years ago.
- 1:1 iPad use for kindergarten students to connect Montessori materials to student learning, creating portfolios and connecting with home.
- Students learn to initiate and complete work cycles that require greater concentration and fine motor coordination to master facts and concepts through practice with an array of hands-on manipulative materials.
- English Language Learner (ELL) program is offered to students for whom English is a new language.

Co-curricular Activities

- PTA-Sponsored Family Nights
- Kindergarten Clubs: dance, art, piano, math/science and nature
- Garden areas for classrooms
- Peace activities promote kindness and generosity in the community

Community Partnerships

- Aquatic connection with Broadway Aquatics
- Junior Achievement JA in a Day sponsored by Lincoln Financial

Childcare

Before-school and after-school childcare is offered by the YMCA; before care 6:30 a.m.-7:50 a.m., pre-kindergarten afternoon care 11:45 a.m.-2:30 p.m. and after care 2:20-6 p.m.

WHITNEY YOUNG EARLY CHILDHOOD CENTER CLAIRE PAUL, PRINCIPAL

MAGNET SCHOOL

1026 E. Pontiac St. · Fort Wayne, IN 46803 260.467.8950 Pre-kindergarten through Kindergarten

School Summary

Whitney Young Early Childhood Center, following the Reggio Emilia philosophy, seeks to ensure student achievement by providing a nurturing environment in which all children are valued, respected and encouraged to construct knowledge through guided exploration and social interaction as they discover the joy of learning. The school is fully accredited by the National Association for the Education of Young Children. Parents receive a daily e-mail with details and pictures about their child's day. Whitney Young has a STEAM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Art and Math) culture that inspires and cultivates the next generation of problem solvers, inventors and leaders.

<u>Programs</u>

- Magnet school featuring fine arts.
- Children collaborate, investigate and explore in a beautiful, calm, peaceful environment.
- A wide variety of fine arts experiences form a solid foundation for continued participation in the arts magnet program ranging from visual arts to music and theater.
- An inclusive special education pre-kindergarten program is available.
- English Language Learner (ELL) program is offered to students for whom English is a new language.

Co-curricular Activities

• Garden Club for pre-kindergarten and kindergarten students.

Community Partnerships

- Fort Wayne Ballet exposes students to dance with classes at the school.
- Fort Wayne Museum of Art provides experiences for students.
- Various artists from the community visit the school throughout the year.

Childcare

Before-school and after-school childcare is offered by the YMCA.

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ABBETT ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

FRANK KLINE, PRINCIPAL

4323 Smith St. • Fort Wayne, IN 46806 260.467.5800 Pre-kindergarten through fifth grade

School Summary

Abbett Elementary School is a diverse and empowering center for student learning. Curiosity, risk-taking, kindness and collaborative learning are encouraged in each child and adult every day. Abbett is a student and family community center where we believe in the best from every adult and every child.

Programs

- Family events are held throughout the school year to promote parent, child and school relationships while enhancing knowledge of grade level students.
- The Blessings in a Backpack weekend food program is offered to eliminate hunger as an academic barrier.
- English Language Learner (ELL) program is offered to students for whom English is a new language.
- Federally-funded Title I programs support additional resources for improving student performance, including Title I pre-kindergarten.

· Leaders of the Pack

Co-curricular Activities

- BasketballSpell Bowl
- Math Bowl
- Girlson the Run

<u>Community Partnerships</u>

- Pine Hills Church provides volunteers for events, adopts a classroom and hosts a school carnival.
- Love in Action sends home two weeks of food with each child during winter break.
- Boys and Girls Club provides a male leadership program.
- Big Brothers Big Sisters Lunch Buddies and Real Men Read
- Junior Achievement
- Kingdom First
- Christ Community Church

Childcare

Before-school and after-school childcare is offered at Weisser Park Elementary School by the YMCA.



ADAMS ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

ALLISON HOLLAND, PRINCIPAL

3000 New Haven Ave. • Fort Wayne, IN 46803 260.467.5850 Pre-kindergarten through fifth grade

School Summary

Adams Elementary School is a dynamic learning center in which caring professionals provide research-based instruction to ensure each child achieves academic success. Adams staff members provide a student-centered environment that empowers responsible lifelong learners to actively participate in a diverse society.

Programs

- Each classroom integrates technology to enhance the skills and concepts being taught through the FWCS curriculum.
- Adams is a member of the Indiana Association of Student Councils and has been an Honor Council for three consecutive years.
- The Blessings in a Backpack weekend food program is offered to eliminate hunger as an academic barrier.
- English Language Learner (ELL) program is offered to students for whom English is a new language.
- Federally-funded Title I programs support additional resources for improving student performance, including Title I pre-kindergarten.

• Robotics

· Fine Arts Club

Cross Country

• Music Club

- Active PTA supports parents and students.
- Full-day pre-K

Co-curricular Activities

Spell Bowl

- Math Bowl
- Basketball
- JetTV News Crew
- Cheerleading
- Student Council-World Changers
- Student Announcement and Communications Team

Community Partnerships

- Real Men Read
- Junior Achievement
- Harvester Neighborhood Association
- Ferguson Advertising
- Amp Lab
- Boss Lady Dancy Company
- Eagle Marsh Nature Preserve
- Snider High School

Childcare

Before-school and after-school childcare is offered at Forest Park by the YMCA.

ARLINGTON ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

NICHOLAS KIRBY, PRINCIPAL

8118 St. Joe Center Rd. · Fort Wayne, IN 46835 260.467.6000 Kindergarten through fifth grade

School Summary

Arlington Elementary School fosters an atmosphere of excellence and high expectations for all students. Its staff provides a safe, nurturing environment while assisting each student in reaching high levels of academic achievement.

Programs

- · Incentive programs promote excellent behavior and strong academic performance.
- · Active PTA provides many opportunities for parents to be involved.
- Family nights are held throughout the year to promote academics and family involvement.
- English Language Learner (ELL) program is offered to students for whom English is a new language.

Co-curricular Activities

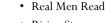
- Fitness Mileage Club
- Spell Bowl
- Cross Country
- Math Bowl
- FWCS Study Connection

Community Partnerships

- Parkview Health and Brookside Church are FWCS Study Connection partners.
- Other partners include Pizza Hut-Stellhorn, Messiah Lutheran Church, Ziano's, Dairy Queen-Chapel Ridge and Culvers-Stellhorn.

Childcare

Before-school and after-school childcare is offered at St. Joseph Central by the YMCA.



- **Rising Stars**
- Philoptochos Society
- Concordia Lutheran Church
- Bowen Center
- Building Stronger Families mentoring program for 5th grade
- JA in a Day supported by Lake Bank

Childcare

Before-school and after-school childcare is offered at Franke Park by the YMCA.

BLOOMINGDALE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

JENNIFER EVANS, PRINCIPAL

1300 Orchard St. · Fort Wayne, IN 46808 260.467.6700 Pre-kindergarten through fifth grade

School Summary

Bloomingdale Elementary School is a community of learners with distinction who embrace a culture of universal achievement and high expectations. Bloomingdale is a childcentered school focused on educating all students to high standards.

Programs

- Full day Pre-K program
- · Girls on the Run, Co-ed Cross Country, Co-ed Cheerleading, Co-ed Basketball Team, Co-ed flag football, Basketball Intermural
- Academic Teams (Mathematics and Reading)
- Family Engagement events throughout the school year
- Conscious Discipline program promoting collaboration, self-regulation and assertiveness
- Federally-funded Title I programs that provides resources to support student performance
- English Language Learners program offered to students for whom English is a new Language with an option of weekly tutoring
- 5th grade students attend Starbase to support STEM education

Co-curricular Activities

- Book Fair
- Spell Bowl
- ELL tutoring
- Title I Events
- Basketball
- Flag Football
- Art Club

Community Partnerships

- Big Brothers/Big Sisters
 - Study Connection
 - · Headwater's Church

McMillen Health

Salvation Army

• Connect



· Cheerleading

• FWCS Study Connection

Musical Performances

· Girls on the Run

Cross Country

• Math Bowl

BRENTWOOD ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

MATT MEIGHEN, PRINCIPAL

3710 Stafford Dr. · Fort Wayne, IN 46805 260.467.6775 Kindergarten through fifth grade and Buschor HEAR Pre-kindergarten

School Summary

Brentwood Elementary School seeks to create an environment of academic enrichment and character building for lifelong learning. It focuses on the whole child through academic pursuits and extracurricular activities to ensure that students are equipped to meet the needs of our global society.

Programs

- Character Education program encourages students to demonstrate positive attitudes and develop habits of community service.
- · English Language Learner (ELL) program is offered to students for whom English is a new language.
- · Federally-funded Title I programs support additional resources for improving student performance, including Title I pre-kindergarten.

Co-curricular Activities

- Student Senate
- Basketball
- FWCS Study Connection

Vocal Choir

· Mileage Club

Community Partnerships

- · Faith Baptist Church is Study Connection partner.
- · Big Brothers Big Sisters Lunch Buddies

Childcare

Before-school and after-school childcare is offered at Forest Park by the YMCA.

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CRONINGER ELEMENTARY SCHOOL RACHEL MERZ PRINCIPAL

MAGNET SCHOOL

6700 Trier Rd. · Fort Wayne, IN 46815 260.467.6050 Kindergarten through fifth grade



School Summary

Croninger Elementary School is a 2022 Blue Ribbon School It is a magnet school providing an environment for mastery of academic skills with special emphasis on communications. The school is child-centered and motivated by what is best for students. Through positive partnerships between school, home and community, children are encouraged to reach their potential academically, socially and emotionally.

Programs

- Magnet school featuring communications, which develops skills that are required for success in learning and leading.
- Students can work on television production, oral speaking and writing skills, producing a biweekly WCKN newscast and "Croninger Clips" video that is aired over the school's closed circuit television system and LTV 54/24.
- Spanish is taught to all students through the study of the cultures, history, landforms and communities where Spanish is the native language, allowing student the opportunity to earn high school credit before entering middle school.
- · Each student is taken through the entire publishing process creating a book or blog of a different genre each year.
- English Language Learner (ELL) program is offered to students for whom English is a new language.
- · Parents and community members are informed through the monthly newsletter, The Croninger Chronicle, individual teacher newsletters and e-mails.

· Young Author's

· Spanish Club

Girl Scouts/Boy Scouts

Co-curricular Activities

- Croninger Kids Care Council Safety Patrol
- Math Bowl
- Vocal Choir
- FWCS Study Connection
- Writing Club
 - Science Fair Cross Country and Mileage Club

Community Partnerships

- Messiah Lutheran Church and Taylor Chapel are Study Connection partners.
- Faith Baptist Church

Childcare

Before-school and after-school childcare is offered at Harris by the YMCA. After-school care is offered by Faith Baptist.

ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS

FAIRFIELD ELEMENTARY SCHOOL AMANDA HENDERSON, PRINCIPAL

2825 Fairfield Ave. · Fort Wayne, IN 46807 260.467.5900 Pre-kindergarten through fifth grade

School Summary

Fairfield Elementary School is an historic neighborhood school located on the southwest side of downtown Fort Wayne. By holding all students to high expectations and maintaining close relationships with our families and community, Fairfield Elementary is able to educate all students to high standards. Our rigorous curriculum focuses on reading and math skills, as well as integrating 21st century technology skills into the classroom. In addition, students are taught to be Respectful, Responsible and Safe leaders in and around the school in order to become productive, proactive adults.

Programs

- Fairfield's PBIS (Positive Behavior Intervention and Supports) Program focuses on teaching students procedures and expectations to be respectful, responsible and safe in all areas of the school. Lessons are taught in the classroom, students create videos modeling appropriate behavior for others, and students are rewarded for following procedures.
- Parents are strongly valued as critical to school success and are provided opportunities throughout the year to volunteer at the school, in the classroom, on field trips and for academic activities.
- Family nights are held during the year to promote academics, family involvement and school-community pride.
- The Falcon Feather program rewards students with "currency" that they can earn for consistently going above and beyond with behavior and academics. Students use their leathers to purchase fun items in the school store.
- Each classroom nominates a "Leader of the Week" every week. This student best exemplifies our school-wide expectations of being Respectful, Responsible and Safe. Students get a picture taken with the Principal and are given a pencil and a special prize. All students who are nominated for Leader of the Week get to participate in a Leader Luncheon at the end of every month with the Principal.
- The Blessings in a Backpack weekend food program is offered to eliminate hunger as an academic barrier.
- English Language Learner (ELL) program is offered to students for whom English is a new language.
- Parent ELL Classes are offered every year for parents and caregivers to improve English speaking and listening skills. Fairfield teachers instruct the classes.
- Federally-funded Title I programs support additional resources for improving student performance, including Title I pre-kindergarten.

Co-curricular Activities

- Rock Band
- Basketball
- FWCS Study Connection
- Cross Country

Community Partnerships

- Big Brothers Big Sisters School Buddies
- Rising Stars Program with Plymouth Congregational Church and Templo Aposento Alto Church
- Center for Non-Violence Leadership Classes

<u>Childcare</u>

After-school childcare is offered on site by Y-Care. In addition, the Boys and Girls Club services Fairfield Elementary students after school.

Spell Bowl

· Fiddle Club

Cheerleading



FOREST PARK ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

SARA WERTMAN, PRINCIPAL

2004 Alabama Ave. · Fort Wayne, IN 46805 260.467.6850 Pre-kindergarten through fifth grade

School Summary

Forest Park Elementary School, an historic neighborhood school, encourages student and adult participation in a variety of experiences to improve student achievement. These include community partnerships, service projects, school productions and after-school activities. The school's academic focus areas are reading comprehension and math computation. Our children are culturally diverse, and we celebrate our differences and similarities.

Programs

- · Character Education Programs and small group instruction encourage students to embrace being Respectful, Responsible and Safe.
- · Active PTA supports students and parents with a Fall Carnival and Cultural Arts Week.
- Students are recognized for attendance, citizenship and academic achievements.
- · Special education pre-kindergarten is offered.
- English Language Learner (ELL) program is offered to students for whom English is a new language.
- · Federally-funded Title I programs support additional resources for improving student performance, including Title I pre-kindergarten and Literacy and Math Nights for families.
- · Club Orchestra, otherwise known as Club O, offers students in grades 3-5 the opportunity to learn to play the violin after school 3 days a week. Preschool participants in Kid O are provided a unique philharmonic experience.

Co-curricular Activities

- Spell Bowl and Math Bowl
- Musical Performances
- Chess Club
- Art Club
- Running Club/Cross Country
- Basketball
- Safety Patrol
- Student Ambassadors

Community Partnerships

- Fort Wayne Ballet

Science Fair

· Club K-O

• Volleyball Club

• FW Ballet Classes

Yearbook Club

Knitting Club

Club Orhestra

FWCS Study Connection

- Junior Achievement
- · Real Men Read
- Fort Wayne Philharmonic
- · Big Brothers Big Sisters Lunch Buddies
- Associated Churches, Lifehouse Church
- · Purdue Fort Wayne

Childcare

Before-school and after-school childcare is offered on-site by theYMCA.

FRANKE PARK ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

JASMINE YOUNGBLUTT, PRINCIPAL

828 Mildred Ave. · Fort Wayne, IN 46808 260.467.6925

Pre-kindergarten through fifth grade

School Summary

Franke Park Elementary School seeks to ensure that all students achieve personal excellence that will further lifelong learning through mastery of the core curriculum. The school provides a positive, diverse setting wherein students learn selfrespect and appreciation for the uniqueness of others.

Programs

- English Language Learner (ELL) program is offered to students for whom English is a new language.
- Federally-funded Title I programs support additional resources for improving student performance, including Title I pre-kindergarten.

Co-curricular Activities

- Spell Bowl
- Girls on the Run • STARBASE
- FWCS Study Connection

· Math Bowl

Science Fair

 Kiwanis Award • K-Kids

Costco

· Music programs at North Side High School

Community Partnerships

- Junior Achievement
- Real Men Read
- TinCaps Reading Program
- Student Council
- Fort Wayne Children's Zoo offers classroom lessons and free tickets
- Komet Hockey student recognition
- · St. Matthew Lutheran Church Rising Star
- Parkview Student Fitness Challenge

Childcare

Before-school and after-school childcare is offered on-site by the YMCA.



GLENWOOD PARK ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

DR. DEREK LEININGER, PRINCIPAL

4501 Vance Ave. • Fort Wayne, IN 46815 260.467.6200 Kindergarten through fifth grade

School Summary

Glenwood Park Elementary School strives to provide personalized, student-centered learning focused on mastery of the FWCS core curriculum while emphasizing creative and critical areas for a diverse student and parent community. The school emphasis is to enhance student achievement in the focus areas of its School Improvement Plan: English/Language Arts and math ILEARN achievement, reading at grade level and Postive Behavior support.

Programs

- Reader's Workshop and small group instruction are stressed as a part of daily reading instruction.
- Literacy and math workstations are experienced daily to meet individual student needs.
- Renewed PTA.
- · Writer's Workshop is emphasized to improve writing skills.
- All students participate in a quarterly celebration to recognize Distinguished Panther Cubs for excellence in academics, citizenship, growth and overall outstanding achievement.
- English Language Learner (ELL) program is offered to students for whom English is a new language.
- Federally-funded Title I pre-kindergarten provided at Forest Park Elementary.

Basketball

Girlson the Run

Cross Country

STARBASE

Flag Football

Co-curricular Activities

- Girl Scouts
- Spell Bowl
- Percussion Ensemble
- Math Bowl
- FWCS Study Connection

Community Partnerships

- Good Shepherd United Methodist Church is Study Connection partner and Rising Stars Community Connection.
- Big Brothers Big Sisters
- PFW pre-service teachers
- Snider High School Tutoring
 Real Men Read
- Christ's Church

<u>Childcare</u>

Before-school and after-school childcare is offered on-site by the YMCA.

HALEY ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

C. BRIAN HOWARD, PRINCIPAL

2201 Maplecrest Rd. · Fort Wayne, IN 46815 260.467.4510 Pre-kindergarten through fifth grade

School Summary

Haley Elementary School works closely with parents and community members to ensure all students are educated to high standards. The school's focus is setting high academic standards for all students, while still providing support for all students. Haley believes the way to a great education is through strong, caring relationships.

Programs

- Haley has one of the largest elementary media center collections in FWCS.
- Students are recognized for making the Honor Roll, attendance, citizenship, leadership, reading accomplishments and birthdays.
- A strong and active PTA supports the school's efforts.
- Special education pre-kindergarten is offered.
- English Language Learner (ELL) program is offered to students for whom English is a new language.
- Federally-funded Title I programs support additional resources for improving student performance, including Title I full-day pre-kindergarten.

Co-curricular Activities

- Basketball Team
- Spell Bowl
- Chearleading
- Math Bowl
- · Girl Scouts and Boy Scouts
- FWCS Study Connection

Community Partnerships

- Big Brothers Big Sisters Lunch Buddies
- · Blackhawk Iministries through Rising Stars
- Junior Achievement
- Real Men Read
- Project READS

Childcare

Before-school and after-school childcare is offered at Forest Park by the YMCA.



HARRIS ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

COURTNEY GREMAUX, PRINCIPAL

4501 Thorngate Dr. · Fort Wayne, IN 46835 260.467.6300 Kindergarten through fifth grade

School Summary

Harris Elementary School focuses on high achievement for all students in a caring, welcoming environment. Rigorous instruction in academic areas as well as integrative arts classes prepare students to become positive contributing members of society through a broad and balanced approach to education.

Programs

- Science Fair
 Young Authors
- Active PTA
- English Language Learner (ELL) program is offered to students for whom English is a new language
- Special Education Program for Hearing Imparied students grades K-5
- Special Education Program for Applied Skills students grades K-5
- Federally-funded Title I programs support additional resources for improving student performance.

Co-curricular Activities

• FWCS Study Connection

- Glitter Cheer
- Math Bowl Team
- Basketball
- Peace PatrolSpell Bowl Team
- Safety Patrol
 - Cross County
- Environmental Center
 Cheerleading
- Soccer Clinic
- Pokemon Club
- Mileage Club
- Harris Helpers
- **Community Partnerships**
- · Rising Stars Program with Central Ministries
- Grace Brethren Church and Crossbridge Community
 Church
- Real Men Read
- FAME Festival
- Junior Achievement
- Building A Stronger Family

<u>Childcare</u>

Before-school and after-school childcare is offered on-site by the YMCA.

HARRISON HILL ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

SHANNON RODGERS, PRINCIPAL

355 Cornell Circle · Fort Wayne, IN 46807 260.467.7000 Pre-kindergarten through fifth grade

School Summary

Harrison Hill Elementary School is dedicated to student

achievement in all areas of study. We are a learning community emphasizing academic excellence and personal growth. All students at Harrison Hill are valued members of the learning community and student celebrations are held monthly to promote academic achievement and positive behavior.

Programs

- The academic program focuses on a differentiated literacy curriculum within all subjects including: reading, writing, math, science, social studies and technology instruction.
- Technology is used in all areas of study, allowing 21st century skills to be applied in the general education setting.
- A technology lab with computers, iPads, coding and robotics is utilized to offer enhanced learning opportunities to all students.
- A code of conduct and standardized dress code are endorsed by parents, staff and students to foster a safe learning environment.
- Students may participate in numerous special projects during the school year including: PTA Reflections, Science Fair, Young Authors, Gobble Off, Read Across America, Yearbook, Cultural Week, Holiday Charity Drive and many other activities designed to enhance student awareness and promote good citizenship.
- Special Education pre-kindergarten is offered.
- English Language Learner (ELL) program is the largest among FWCS elementary schools and is offered to students for whom English is a new language.
- An active PTA promotes teacher and parental involvement, as well as the involvement of business and community leaders with the mission of educational success.
- Federally-funded Title I programs support additional resources for improving student performance, including a NAEYC accredited Title I pre-kindergarten.
- Choice of full-day or half-day pre-K.

Co-curricular Activities

- STARS (Boys group devoted to character building)
- GEMS (Girls group devoted to character building)
- Cheer Team

Science Fair

Choir

- FWCS Study Connection
 - Running Club
 - Math Bowl Team

Spell Bowl Team

• Cross Country

· City Church

Project READS

· Indiana Michigan Power

Basketball Team
 Robotics Club

Community Partnerships

- Lincoln Financial Group (Study Connection partner)
- Big Brothers Big Sisters Lunch Buddies
- ATT Mobility Services, LLC/Pioneer Board
- Boys and Girls Club
- Associated Churches
- Euell Wilson Center
- First Missionary Church

<u>Childcare</u>

Before-school and after-school childcare is offered on-site by the YMCA.

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- Chess Club
 Craft Club
 - Craft Club
 - STEM/Robotics
 - Student Senate

HOLLAND ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

STACEY SCHORTGEN. PRINCIPAL

7000 Red Haw Dr. · Fort Wayne, IN 46825 260.467.7075 Pre-kindergarten through fifth grade

School Summary

Mabel K. Holland Elementary School focuses on high academic achievement for all students. We teach students to become critical thinkers and collaborative problem solvers through rigorous instruction preparing them for higher learning.

Programs

- Students use their laptop or iPad daily to engage in 21st century learning in all classrooms.
- · English Language Learner program is offered to students for whom English is a new language.
- Monthly student assembly celebrations recognize students for their accomplishments once a month in front of their peers.
- · Positive behavior recognition during announcements daily.
- All students write a book and participate in our Young Authors day, complete with a visit from a published author.
- · Choice of full-day or half-day pre-k.

Co-curricular Activities

- FWCS Study Connection
- Spell Bowl
- Basketball Team
- · Math Bowl Team
- Intramural program in the AM
 Cheer Block Lego Robotics Team
 - Student Early Act Club

Community Partnerships

- · Gethsemane Lutheran Church
- Towne House
- Anthony Wayne Rotary Club
- Big Brothers Big Sisters Lunch Buddies
- · Real Men Read

Childcare

Before-school and after-school childcare is offered on-site by theYMCA.

INDIAN VILLAGE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

KARA MILLER, PRINCIPAL

3835 Wenonah Ln. · Fort Wayne, IN 46809 260.467.5200 Pre-kindergarten through fifth grade

School Summary

Indian Village Elementary School is a School of Distinction with a Staff of Distinction creating Students of Distinction. Its theme is "Every Student, Every Day." We are dedicated, determined and dependable.

Programs

· Uniforms are required to establish a strong focus on academics.

- The school's PTA is very active and supports a variety of school initiatives.
- · Fifth-graders participate in the Department of Defense STARBASE program, which is a world leader in introducing the lasts Science, Technology, Engineering, Art and Math (STEAM) curriculum to elementary students. The inquirybased curriculum engages students in exciting "hands-on, minds-on" experiments and technology activities.
- · Quarterly celebrations occur to recognize student achievement, and Students of Distinction.
- English Language Learners (ELL) program is offered to students for whom English is a new language.
- Federally-funded Title I programs support additional resources for improving student performance, including Title I pre-kindergarten. Title I funds also support math and reading intervention for students. Title I parent nights enhance math and language arts learning for students and parents.
- · Character Education Programs focus on developing students socially and teach them how to become Students of Distinction by being respectful, responsible and safe.

Co-curricular Activities

- Student Leadership
- Spell Bowl Math Bowl
- Basketball
- Cross Country Team
- Robotics Club
- **Community Partnerships**
- · Associated Churches Rising Stars Program with First Wayne Street Methodist Church provides 1:1 tutoring, school supplies and extra clothing for students in need
- Real Men Read Program
- Allen County Education Partnership for Project READS
- Practicum experiences are provided for students from Huntington University, University of Saint Francis and Indiana Tech
- Junior Achievement provides JA in a Day for our students
- Purdue Fort Wayne

Childcare

Before-school and after-school childcare is offered on-site by theYMCA.

"Our best hope collectively is that deep learners inherit the world."

~Deep Learning: Engage the World, Change the World

IRWIN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

MARY KINNIRY, PRINCIPAL

MAGNET SCHOOL

3501 S. Anthony Blvd. · Fort Wayne, IN 46806 260.467.5310 Kindergarten through fifth grade

School Summary

Irwin Elementary School is a Science, Technology, Engineering and Math (STEM) Magnet school and an Indiana Department of Education STEM certified school providing meaningful, interactive opportunities for students to become engaged in STEM subject areas, Irwin will prepare students to be qualified and competitive candidates in the future economy and guide them towards the emerging careers of tomorrow.

<u>Programs</u>

- Project Lead the Way
- Magnet school focused on science, technology, engineering and math (STEM).
- Students experience additional hands-on inquiry-based science and math going beyond the District's required curriculum.
- STEM Lab allows students to find the scientists inside themselves through simulation and exploration.
- Art, music and physical education classes integrate math and science concepts with a high value placed on helping students develop the ability to think and analyze critically and quantitatively.
- Character development is an important focus for helping students develop socially as well as academically.
- Students and staff gather weekly to celebrate successes and learn from each other during "Blastoff" where individual accountability and collective responsibility are fostered for the school community.
- All students are part of the Irwin Rocket Team and earn merits for behavior and academics.
- Strong PTA and communication system between school and home support student learning.
- A small school family atmosphere and a diverse population enrich the learning opportunities for all.
- English Language Learner (ELL) program is offered to students for whom English is a new language.

Co-curricular Activities

- Math Bowl Cross Country
- Student CouncilSoccer
- FWCS Study Connection
- STEM Enrichment Clubs
- VEX Robotics TeamProject READS
- **Community Partnerships**
- City of Fort Wayne is Study Connection partner
- Collaboratively sponsoring a community garden with Bethlehem Lutheran Church

- Science Central
- Purdue University Fort Wayne

<u>Childcare</u>

Before-school and after-school childcare is offered at Harrison Hill by the YMCA.



LEVAN SCOTT ACADEMY

CARRIE KENNEDY, PRINCIPAL

950 E Fairfax Ave. • Fort Wayne, IN 46806 260.467.8050 Pre-kindergarten through fifth grade

School Summary

At Levan Scott Academy, all children will achieve grade-level mastery of educational standards through the use of varied teaching and learning styles in an enriched environment that is empowering and nurturing. The school focuses on proficiency in reading and math, as well as technology.

Programs

- Scott's PBIS (Positive Behavior Intervention and Supports) Program focuses on the explicit instruction of procedures and expectations in order to foster respect, responsibility and safety in all areas of the school. Lessons are taught in the classroom, students create videos modeling appropriate behavior for others and students are consistently rewarded for following schoolwide procedures.
- Students are recognized for their positive behavioral achievements often through the school year, including Cadet Cash, Treasure Tower Tokens and quarterly field trips.
- Family nights offer parents the opportunity to enhance their knowledge of school curriculum and instructional strategies.
- The PTA and Quality Improvement Team offer opportunities for parents to become active partners in delivering education.
- English Language Learner (ELL) program is offered to students for whom English is a new language.
- Federally-funded Title I programs support additional resources for improving student performance, including Title I pre-kindergarten.

Co-curricular Activities

- Basketball team
- Hands On Homework

Community Partnerships

- Big Brothers Big Sisters Lunch Buddies
- Bridge of Grace Compassionate Ministries Center
- Many Nations Church
- Hands On Homework tutoring program
- Time Corners Kiwanis
- Junior Achievement
- Real Men Read
- TinCaps Reading Program
- Center for Nonviolence provides leadership classes for students.

Childcare

Before-school and after-school childcare is offered at Weisser Park by the YMCA.

LINCOLN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

J.R. ANKENBRUCK, PRINCIPAL

1001 E. Cook Rd. • Fort Wayne, IN 46825 260.467.5400 Kindergarten through fifth grade

School Summary

Guided by love, respect and a passion for learning, the Lincoln Elementary team educates all students to high standards enabling them to become productive, responsible citizens.

Programs

- Diverse student population enriches learning opportunities for all.
- Strong parent and community involvement and partnerships.
- Active PTA allows ample opportunity for parental participation.
- Positive Behavior Intervention Support (PBIS) program focuses on explicit instruction of behaviors that help our student become respectful, responsible, safe and engaged in their learning.
- Family nights offer parents the opportunity to enhance their knowledge of school curriculum, instructional strategies and ways to support their children's learning.
- Regular implementation of technology in the classroom to engage learners and enhance instruction.
- Whole-group, small-group and one-on-one instruction in literacy and mathematics, ensuring that students reach and exceed mastery of grade-level standards.
- Intervention program to remediate students, closing any gaps in reading and math skills.
- Extended learning opportunities for high-ability learners.
- English Language Learner (ELL) program is offered to students for whom English is a new language.
- Title I pre-K offered at Northcrest Elementary.

Co-curricular Activities

- Spell Bowl Team
- Girls on the Run ClubMath Bowl Team

Basketball Team

- FWCS Study Connection
- Cheerleading Team
- Cross Country Contests

Community Partnerships

- Big Brothers Big Sisters Lunch Buddies
- Rising Stars Program partnered with Covenant United Methodist Church
- PHP Komet Hockey Night
- Junior Achievement (including JA in a Day and Biztown)
- Foster Grandparent Program

<u>Childcare</u>

Before-school and after-school childcare is offered on-site by the YMCA.

LINDLEY ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

DR. JENNIFER NICKELL, PRINCIPAL

2201 Ardmore Ave. · Fort Wayne, IN 46802 260.467.5350

Pre-kindergarten through fifth grade

School Summary

Lindley Elementary School provides students with a solid academic foundation by giving each child a personalized program. It offers a Spanish Language and Culture Program. Both English-speaking students and native speakers of the Spanish language benefit from this program.

Programs

- · The Spanish Language and Culture Program's goal is for students to foster a love of the Spanish Language and Culture. Students will develop increased awareness while reaching a high level of academic achievement. Students receive thirty minutes of Spanish instruction daily in addition to a Special Area class once a week.
- · English Language Learner (ELL) program is offered to students for whom English is a new language.
- Federally-funded Title I programs support additional resources for improving student performance, including Title I pre-kindergarten.
- Full-day pre-K.

Co-curricular Activities

- Math Bowl
- · Robotics
- Basketball

- Spell Bowl

Community Partnerships

- Manchester University
- · Purdue University FW
- · Big Brothers Big Sisters Lunch Buddies
- · Real Men Read
- · The River Church

Childcare

Before-school and after-school childcare is offered at Indian Village by the YMCA.



MAPLEWOOD ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

ALEXANDRA TREVINO, PRINCIPAL

2200 Maplewood Rd. · Fort Wayne, IN 46819 260.467.7150

Pre-kindergarten through fifth grade

School Summary

Maplewood Elementary School focuses on reading, language arts and math. All grade levels concentrate on research-based best practices with an emphasis on the Elementary Literacy Framework.

Programs

- Quarterly parent nights focus on math, reading, writing and science.
- English Language Learner (ELL) program is offered to students for whom English is a new language.
- · Federally-funded Title I programs support additional resources for improving student performance, including Title I pre-kindergarten.
- Full-day pre-K.

Co-curricular Activities

- Basketball
- · FWCS Study Connection Cross Country Team
- Spell Bowl

Cheerleading

Technology Club

· Show Choir

Math Bowl

Community Partnerships

- Big Brothers Big Sisters Lunch Buddies
- · Waynedale Baptist Church offers support and resources
- BAE is Study Connection partner
- Real Men Read
- FAME Festival
- **Brooks Construction**
- · Amani Family Services

Childcare

Before-school and after-school childcare is offered on-site by theYMCA.

NORTHCREST ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

LINDSAY AMSTUTZ, PRINCIPAL

5301 Archwood Ln. · Fort Wayne, IN 46825 260.467.5450

Pre-kindergarten through fifth grade

School Summary

Northcrest Elementary School, a family of multicultural learners, seeks to ensure a safe and caring environment where everyone is valued and all students meet or exceed academic grade-level standards.

Programs

- · A strong emphasis on being respectful toward all individuals and accepting of their ethnic and cultural backgrounds is an important part of the school culture.
- · Uniforms are required to reinforce learning as a priority and promote acceptance of all students.
- · Students are rewarded for following the behavior code with monthly celebrations.
- · Family nights are held during the year to promote academics, family involvement and school-community pride.
- Special education pre-kindergarten is offered.
- English Language Learner (ELL) program is offered to students for whom English is a new language.
- · Federally-funded Title I programs support additional resources for improving student performance, including Title I pre-kindergarten.

Co-curricular Activities

- Project READS
- FWCS Study Connection

Community Partnerships

- · Fort Wayne Newspapers and Ivy Tech are Study Connection partners
- · Big Brothers Big Sisters Lunch Buddies
- Colleges and universities create opportunities to bring the reality of college to life for students.
- Allen County Education Partnership for Project READS

Childcare

Before-school and after-school childcare is offered on-site by theYMCA.



PRICE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

BENJAMIN HARTMAN. PRINCIPAL

1901 W. State Blvd. · Fort Wayne, IN 46808 260.467.4950 Pre-kindergarten through fifth grade

School Summary

Price Elementary School motivates and challenges students to be active and independent lifelong learners. Its focus is on the academic and social development of the individual child.

Programs

- Tutoring and homework assistance programs are offered to help students reach their academic goals.
- Students may participate in Young Authors and Science Fair.
- · Strong parent and community support make Price a neighborhood school.
- · Pre-kindergarten offered at Washington.
- Special Education pre-kindergarten is offered.
- English Language Learner (ELL) program is offered to students for whom English is a new language.
- Federally-funded Title I programs support additional resources for improving student performance, including Title I pre-kindergarten.

Co-curricular Activities

- Community sports
- Cross Country
- FWCS Study Connection
- Math Bowl
- · Safety Patrol Team
- Spell Bowl
- **Community Partnerships**
- · Dana and Design Collaborative are Study Connection partners
- · Big Brothers Big Sisters Lunch Buddies
- · Real Men Read
- Junior Achievement
- Rising Star
- · Price serves as a training and observation school for Purdue University Fort Wayne, University of St. Francis and Indiana Tech
- Three Rivers Wesleyan Church, The Pointe and Trinity Episcopal Church support students and staff

Childcare

Before-school and after-school childcare is offered at on-site by the YMCA.

ST. JOSEPH CENTRAL ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

SUSANNE TIEMAN, PRINCIPAL

6341 St. Joe Center Rd. • Fort Wayne, IN 46835 260.467.6100 Kindergarten through fifth grade

School Summary

St. Joseph Central Elementary School cultivates collaboration between all members of the community to promote academic, physical, emotional and social growth for every child. Together we strive to challenge each learner to think critically, and to solve problems creatively in a safe and caring environment.

Programs

- Life-long sports and health education are promoted in physical fitness programs.
- Rich and varied experiences in art and music promote creativity and cross-curricular connections.
- English Language Learner (ELL) program is offered to students for whom English is a new language.
- Students may participate in Young Authors.
- An active PTA promotes parental involvement and supports a variety of school programs.
- Family events held throughout the year promote an active partnership to enhance student success.
- Teachers regularly employ technology to enhance instruction in math, reading and language arts.
- Fifth grade students collaborate to produce an annual musical under the direction of the specials teachers.
- Students are offered the opportunity to learn about finance through weekly banking at school.
- Special Education services (including self-contained behavior support classrooms, alternative classroom, applied skills classrooms, speech, language, OT, PT, adaptive PE, etc.)
- Title I services are provided supporting students with academic achievement and family and community engagement
- Upper grade students have the opportunity to perform and showcase their physical education, art and music talents at a family and community engagement event
- Students in kindergarten through third grade perform for our families each year in December at Northrop High School
- Reading Intervention with Certified Reading Interventionists
- After-school Orton Gillingham tutoring for select students based on need

Co-curricular Activities

- FWCS Study Connection
- See all Darrol
- Journalism/Yearbook Cheerleading
- Basketball
- Glitter Club
- Little Kidz Rock
- Mileage Club

- ion Cross Country
 - Spell Bowl
 - Cross Country
 - STEAM Club
 - Plant Show
 - PEACE Patrol

- Girls on the Run offered (held when enough participants show interest)
- Walk and Bike to School Days (at least twice yearly)

Community Partnerships

- Medical Protective and St. Joe United Methodist Church are Study Connection partners
- Three Rivers Federal Credit Union
- · Good Shepherd United Methodist Church
- Junior Achievement

<u>Childcare</u>

Before-school and after-school childcare is offered on-site by the YMCA.

SHAMBAUGH ELEMENTARY SCHOOL NEIL RUPP, PRINCIPAL

5320 Rebecca St. · Fort Wayne, IN 46835 260.467.6150 Kindergarten through fifth grade

School Summary

Shambaugh Elementary School provides a student-centered environment focusing on meeting the needs of all students. The school strives to meet or exceed academic benchmarks to ensure each student succeeds academically, socially and emotionally. Shambaugh is committed to partnering with families and the community to build a positive and welcoming culture.

Programs

- Parent involvement programs and family night activities are offered.
- An active PTA promotes parental involvement and offers ongoing support to the school.
- Teachers integrate laptops or iPads into daily lessons to promote technology skills.
- English Language Learner (ELL) program is offered to students for whom English is a new language.
- Title I pre-K provided at Holland Elementary.

Co-curricular Activities

- Young Authors
- Spring concertSafety Patrol

Cheerleading

Basketball team

- FWCS Study Connection
- Mileage Club/City Cross Country
- After-school clubs, grades 4 and 5

Community Partnerships

- Bethany United Methodist Church is Study Connection partner
- Big Brothers Big Sisters Lunch Buddies
- LifeBridge Church through Rising Stars Program
- Bethany United Methodist Church

<u>Childcare</u>

Before-school and after-school childcare is offered on-site by the YMCA.

SOUTH WAYNE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

BRENDA WEST, PRINCIPAL

810 Cottage Ave. • Fort Wayne, IN 46807 260.467.8100 Pre-kindergarten through fifth grade

School Summary

At South Wayne Elementary School, students, parents and staff members value learning, learn aggressively and work collaboratively to ensure success for every child. The school is driven by the relentless pursuit of exceptional performance on work products and authentic tasks that result in mastery of state and national standards. High expectations are clearly visible in the way students and staff interact and in the work they produce.

Programs

- Students complete relevant and rigorous standards-based learning projects based on Indiana Standards and FWCS curriculum.
- A growing PTA and Quality Improvement Team provide opportunities for parents to become active partners in improving learning for all students.
- Fun family events throughout the school year promote parent, child and school relationships while enhancing knowledge of grade level standards.
- The Blessings in a Backpack weekend food program is offered to eliminate hunger as an academic barrier.
- English Language Learner (ELL) program is offered to students for whom English is a new language.
- Federally-funded Title I programs support additional resources for improving student performance, including Title I pre-kindergarten.
- Club Orchestra, otherwise known as Club O, offers students in grades PK-5 the opportunity to learn to play the violin after school 3 days a week. Students in lower grades have the opportunity to participate in dance and movement classes 1 time each week during the school day.

Co-curricular Activities

- Before-school and after-school clubs combined with lunch recess opportunities enhance reading, writing, math and service skills.
- FWCS Study Connection
- Basketball
- Cheer Squad/Dance Student Council

Music

Math Bowl

Robotics

School Post Office

- Soccer
- Service Work
- Student Ambassador
- Cross Country
- Girls on the Run
- Violin

- **Community Partnerships**
- Big Brothers Big Sisters Lunch Buddies
- First Presbytarian Church
- Study Connection

Childcare

After-school childcare is offered at Harrison Hill by the YMCA.

STUDY ELEMENTARY SCHOOL ELIZABETH KLEBER, PRINCIPAL

2414 Brooklyn Ave. • Fort Wayne, IN 46802 260.467.8500

Pre-kindergarten through fifth grade

School Summary

Study Elementary School strives to be an exemplary learning community. The foundation of this community is built upon strong relationships between staff, students, parents and community partners; relevant and engaging learning opportunities; and effective communication. We challenge ourselves to become more than we think we can be and work to better our community. Our students become lifelong learners, critical thinkers and compassionate problem solvers.

Programs

- Study's families are welcomed to the building for special family involvement nights, including literacy and math nights.
- After-school programs offer additional support, including Project READS.
- Study has its own garden that is cared for by students and special guest master gardeners throughout the year.
- An active PTA promotes parental involvement in educating students.
- Study offers after-school enrichment opportunities for students.
- The Blessings in a Backpack weekend food program is offered to eliminate hunger as an academic barrier.
- English Language Learner (ELL) program is offered to students for whom English is a new language.
- Federally-funded Title I programs support additional resources for improving student performance, including full-day Title I pre-kindergarten.
- Full-day pre-K.

Co-curricular Activities

- Cross Country
- Science Club
 Chass Club

Coding

- Chess Club
- Sports Club
 - **Community Partnerships**
 - Swiss Re, Tomkinson Auto and USI Insurance are Study Connection partners.
 - Big Brothers Big Sisters School Buddies
 - Allen County Education Partnership for Project READS
 - NIPSCO

- Rising Stars Program Associated Churches
- Southwest Lutheran Church

<u>Childcare</u>

Before-school and after-school childcare is offered at Study by the YMCA.

WASHINGTON ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

DANENE NEFF, PRINCIPAL

1015 W. Washington Blvd. • Fort Wayne, IN 46802 260.467.8150 Pre-kindergarten through fifth grade

School Summary

Washington Elementary School seeks to enhance student academic achievement by focusing on continuous improvement and child-centered learning and providing students with the essential foundation for making positive societal contributions. Its focus is on language arts and math.

Programs

- Focus on health and wellness topics in classrooms and special areas.
- Strategies incorporated around neuroscience and Conscious Discipline.
- Extensive parent involvement in programs supports learning.
- Early Act A student-led rotary club sponsored by the Fort Wayne Rotary Club.
- The English Language Learner (ELL) program is offered to students for whom English is a new language.
- Federally-funded Title I programs support additional resources for improving student performance, including Title I pre-kindergarten.

Co-curricular Activities

Cross Country

• Math Bowl

- Basketball
- Hobbies/Life Skill Club
- Spell BowlFWCS Study Connection

Community Partnerships

- Emmanuel St. Michael Church
- First Presbyterian Church
- Rotary Club of Fort Wayne
- Big Brothers Big Sisters Lunch Buddies
- Allen County Education Partnership for Project READS
- · Local universities provide assistance in the classroom

<u>Childcare</u>

Before-school and after-school childcare is offered at Price by the YMCA.

WASHINGTON CENTER ELEMENTARY SCHOOL KEITH GOLDFUSS, PRINCIPAL

1936 W. Wallen Rd. · Fort Wayne, IN 46818 260.467.6250 Kindergarten through fifth grade

School Summary

Washington Center Elementary School motivates and challenges students to be active, independent and lifelong learners.

<u>Programs</u>

• Curriculum is supported by enriched technology guided by experienced teachers.

• Math Bowl Team

· Running Club

• Ukuelele Club

• Basketball

- English Language Learner (ELL) program is offered to students for whom English is a new language.
- Full-day pre-K.

Co-curricular Activities

- Spell Bowl Team
- Chess Club
- Cheerleading
- FWCS Study Connection

Community Partnerships

- · Harris is our Study Connection partner
- The Journey Church
- Real Men Read
- Junior Achievement
- Active PTA

<u>Childcare</u>

Before-school and after-school childcare is offered on-site by the YMCA.



WAYNEDALE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL KRISTEE HOFFNER, PRINCIPAL

7201 Elzey St. · Fort Wayne, IN 46809 260.467.8820 Pre-kindergarten through fifth grade

School Summary

Waynedale Elementary School concentrates on students exceeding academic benchmarks to ensure each student succeeds academically, physically and socially at his or her maximum ability. Students take part in a rigorous curriculum that supports the whole student.

Teachers and students practice and model Deep Learning Prgagogies to support Character, Citizenship, Communication, Collaboration, Creativity and Critical Thinking.

Programs

- Student recognitions celebrate success, emphasize good behavior and honor diversity.
- An active PTA promotes parental involvement.
- Young Authors is offered.
- Each Friday, students participate in Tech Friday through involvement with Makers-space, Coding, Robotics and other activities that deepen and enrich learning.
- The English Language Learner (ELL) program is offered to students for whom English is a new language.
- Federally-funded Title I programs support additional resources for improving student performance, including Title I pre-kindergarten.
- Club Orchestra, otherwise known as Club O, offers students in grades 3-5 the opportunity to learn to play the violin after school 3 days a week. Students perdform with the Philharmonic at the end of the school year.
- Club Kid O is offered to students in grades K-2. Students learn to sing and play Orff instruments and perform as an ensemble.

Co-curricular Activities

- Running Clubs
- FWCS Study Connection
- Basketball
- Robotics Club Orchestra

Little Kids Rock

Community Partnerships

- Calvary United Methodist Church and Waynedale United Methodist Church are Study Connection partners
- Big Brothers Big Sisters School Buddies
- Artemis International
- Waynedale Chamber of Commerce

Childcare

Before-school and after-school childcare is offered at Maplewood by the YMCA.

WEISSER PARK ARTS MAGNET ELEMENTARY SCHOOL MELISSA PLUMB, PRINCIPAL

MAGNET SCHOOL

902 Colerick St. · Fort Wayne, IN 46806 260.467.8875 First through fifth grades

School Summary

Weisser Park Arts Magnet Elementary School seeks to produce successful learners through a fusion of rigorous academics and distinguished arts instruction. Weisser Park is building a STEAM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Art and Math) culture that inspires and cultivates the next generation of problem solvers, inventors and leaders. Students have access to a STEAM lab to enhance their academic experience. Weisser Park is part of the arts magnet program, educating students from Whitney Young Early Childhood Center in preparation for Memorial Park Middle School.

Programs

- Magnet school featuring a strong core arts curriculum in music, visual arts, theater arts and dance, with curriculum based on the National Standards for Arts Education, is available to every student.
- An in-school choice program offers additional instruction in band, strings, choir, piano, theater arts, dance, pottery, textiles, photography, drawing and painting.
- Music composition, recording and production are offered in an arts media lab.
- An active multicultural education program focuses on a different continent each year, creating Common Threads of diversity.
- Town Meetings are held to highlight student accomplishments in classrooms and in the arts.
- Students are given multiple opportunities to perform in drama and musical productions.
- Ensemble performing arts groups are featured during the Winter Arts Festival and May Celebration.
- · An in-school art gallery showcases student art work.
- The English Language Learner (ELL) program is offered to students for whom English is a new language.
- STEAM education is rapidly becoming part of the weekly curriculum.

Co-curricular Activities

- Math Bowl Team
- Book Clubs
- Robotics Club
- Basketball
- Enrichment Arts Classes

Community Partnerships

Junior Achievement

- Spell Bowl Team
- Basketball/Cheerleading
- Cross Country
- STEAM Clubs
- Encore Classes

• United Way

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- Fort Wayne Dance Collective Sweetwater
 - Civic Theater
- Boys and Girls Club

• Fort Wayne Philharmonic

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- Fort Wayne Museum of Art
- Fort Wayne Parks and Recreation
- Allen County Education Partnership for Project READS
- City of Fort Wayne 10 point Coalition
- Fort Wayne Subaru

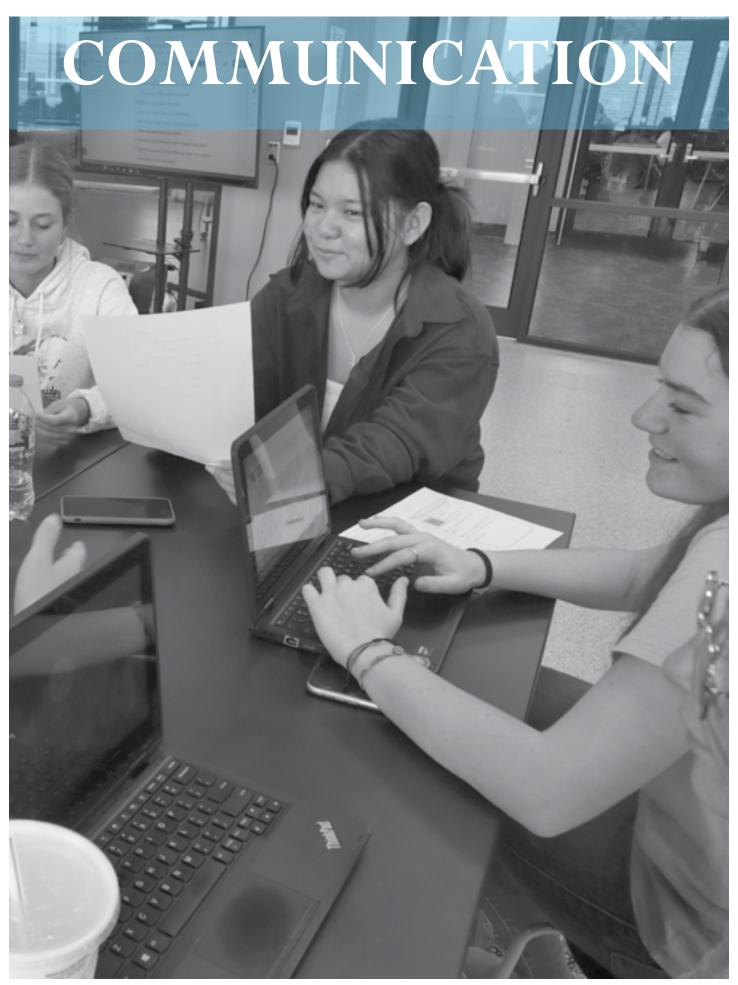
<u>Childcare</u>

Before-school and after-school childcare is offered on-site by the YMCA.





ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS



TOWLES MONTESSORI ELEMENTARY

JENNIFER WITZIGREUTER, PRINCIPAL

NEW TECH MIDDLE SCHOOL ANGELIA EVERLY-ANDERSON, NEW TECH DIRECTOR

MAGNET SCHOOL

420 E. Paulding Rd. · Fort Wayne, IN 46816 260.467.4300 Grades 1-5, Montessori Grades 6-8, New Tech

School Summary

Towles Montessori Elementary School uses the Montessori method for instruction for grades one through five, which focuses on the natural stages of child development and provides an environment that cultivates the students' desire to learn. Towles first through fifth grade provides a Montessori-certified instructional staff, quality Montessori and supplemental materials and a cooperative and supportive parent community.

Towles New Tech Middle School delivers instruction in a project-based learning method. Students at Towles New Tech are challenged daily as they engage in integrated classes using technology, critical thinking and creativity to complete rigorous, real-world projects and tasks. By completing projects in groups, New Tech student learn the skills needed for successful collaboration.

Programs

- Classrooms in grades one through five are multi-age, allowing students to stay with the same teacher for multiple years at the elementary level.
- Specially trained teachers use not only the Montessori/New Tech methods but also address all Indiana State Standards and FWCS curriculum.
- Through practice with an array of hands-on manipulative materials, students learn about initiating and completing work cycles, which require greater concentration and develop independence and time management skills.
- Towles offers algebra and advanced Spanish courses for high school credit.
- "Follow the Child" was the philosophy believed by Dr. Maria Montessori when she created the program more than 100 years ago. Children learn by doing: they learn from each other, and they learn at their own pace.
- The 6th, 7th and 8th grade New Tech philosophy emphasizes student agency, collaboration and both oral and written communication.

Co-curricular Activities

- Towles offers all middle school sports
- Students are encouraged to perform at least 10 hours each year of community service and outreach through schoolbased projects and personal volunteerism
- A variety of clubs are offered

Community Partnerships

- JA in a Day
- Numerous community agencies and individuals for expertise needed to support New Tech projects

<u>Childcare</u>

Before-school and after-school childcare is offered at Harrison Hill by the YMCA.



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BLACKHAWK MIDDLE SCHOOL

DR. VIRGIL GRIFFIN, PRINCIPAL

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School Summary

Blackhawk Middle School educates all students to high standards. It seeks to provide a positive student-centered learning environment where students acquire knowledge and skills needed for success in school and life.

Programs

- Emphasis is on a rigorous academic schedule that facilitates enrichment opportunities, including high school credit for Spanish and advanced math for all students.
- Elective related arts offerings for all grades include art, computer application and creative writing.
- An award-winning fine arts program features drama, fullyear band and orchestra opportunities for students and an after-school jazz band and vocal ensemble that participate in local and statewide competitions.
- The English Language Learner (ELL) program is offered to students for whom English is a new language.

Co-curricular Activities

- Science Club
- Jazz Band
- Robotics
- Future City Club Wrestling Club

Academic Teams

- · Study Tables • All middle school sports
- Extensive Intramural/Club Program
- Drama Theater

Community Partnerships

- Georgetown Library
- FW Komets
- · Biggby coffee

JEFFERSON MIDDLE SCHOOL

NICKOLAS SHARIN, PRINCIPAL

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School Summary

Jefferson Middle School is committed to creating a positive environment where early adolescents achieve high levels of learning. Staff members promote student success in a school striving for academic excellence, social equity and developmentally appropriate programming. Jefferson is full of Patriot Pride.

Programs

- A rigorous academic program is offered, including advanced courses in business, language arts, math and Spanish. High school credit is available for some courses.
- There are broad offerings in performing arts, including show choir, concert choir, band, orchestra, multi-media production and a musical theater program.
- · A school-wide emphasis on literacy and math focuses on preparing students for success in high school and beyond.
- · A fitness center promotes health and wellness for the school community. Health club quality equipment is available for student use during scheduled classes and in an after-school club.
- · Jefferson benefits from an award-winning PTSA. Students, staff and families work together on a number of initiatives to promote learning through a climate of support and partnership.

- Academic Team
- Anime
 - All middle school sports
- Intramurals

Community Partnerships

- Parkview Hospital
- Manchester University
- Future City

Leo Club

• Pep Club

Yearbook

· Chapel Ridge Lions Club



Co-curricular Activities

KEKIONGA MIDDLE SCHOOL

MARK BAILEY, PRINCIPAL

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School Summary

Kekionga Middle School is home of the Warriors. Its staff is student-centered, data-driven and goal-oriented. We live our Warriors are ready, responsible and respectful.

Programs

- A rigorous curriculum includes advanced class offerings in language arts and math as well as algebra, business and Spanish for high school credit.
- Kekionga has one of the few middle school steel drum bands in the state.
- Kekionga has been a member of the National Junior Honor Society Chapter since 2009.
- Warrior Bucks, a positive behavior rewards program, encourages students to make positive choices demonstrating readiness, responsibility and respect.
- There is a school-wide focus on Indiana State Standards and literacy within all content areas.
- Kekionga offers music arts with an emphasis on percussion and keyboard instruction. Daily ensembles include advanced band, intermediate band, beginning band, orchestra and steel drums.
- Sixth grade students take both an instructional and lab period for both mathematics and language arts to allow for additional personalized small group instruction to support students in their transition from elementary to middle school.
- Kekionga offers an intensive Read 180 developmental reading program.
- The English Language Learner (ELL) program is offered to students for whom English is a new language.

Co-curricular Activities

- Chess Club
- Future Cities
- Karaoke ClubGamers Club
- Jazz Band Drawing Club
- Board Game Club
- Intramurals
- Spell Bowl
- Academic Team

Community Partnerships

- Associated Churches (Thanksgiving and Christmas families)
- Junior Achievement (JA in a Day and Job Spark)
- Boys and Girls Club
- Sources of Strength (suicide prevention program)
- Riley Children's Hospital
- South Side Optimist Club

LAKESIDE MIDDLE SCHOOL

ASHLEY FINNERAN, PRINCIPAL

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<u>School Summary</u>

Lakeside Middle School is committed to addressing the needs of the whole child as they cross the bridge from elementary to high school. It provides a supportive environment with highquality, data-driven teaching and learning.

Programs

- A rigorous curriculum includes advanced class offerings in language arts and math as well as algebra 1, business foundations and Spanish for high school credit.
- Students take ownership of academic progress towards their personal achievement goals through ongoing data conferences with faculty.
- Extended sixth-grade class periods allow for additional personalized small group instruction to support students in their transition from elementary to middle school.
- Lakeside follows the FWCS Middle School Dress Policy.
- Junior Achievement's national program "International Marketplace" focuses on bringing real-world business concepts and applications into social studies classes.
- Students have the opportunity to participate in numerous after-school clubs and activities on a weekly basis.
- Students have leadership opportunities by serving as Ambassadors and/or being on the Principal's Advisory Group.
- Lancer Loot is an incentive-based program for all students to be recognized for the positive behavior showing respect, readiness and responsibility.
- Lakeside offers the b Instrumental free musical instrument program. Students can participate in string orchestra, band, jazz band and/or drums.
- The English Language Learner (ELL) program is offered to students for whom English is a new language.
- Study tables offered weekly after school.

Co-curricular Activities

- Academic Teams
- Lakeside Dance Troupe
- 3 D Printing Club
- Chess Club
- Yarn Club
- Junior Youth Empowerment Club

Community Partnerships

- Precision Metals
- Fort Wayne Dance Collective
- AWP
- The Plex
- Laser X Care
- Voice of Unity

- College & Career Club
- · All middle school sports
- Individualized tutoring
- LGBTQ Club
- Roller Dome North
- Redeemer Baptist
- Parkview
- Junior Achievement
- African American Health
- Alliance

LANE MIDDLE SCHOOL

MATT HAREN, PRINCIPAL

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<u>School Summary</u>

Lane Middle School is committed to creating a positive environment where all students are encouraged to make sound personal and academic decisions to high standards. Lane is a Community of Learners and Leaders.

Programs

- · All students receive a rigorous academic schedule that facilitates enrichment and remediation opportunities daily through all classes with an emphasis on relationships, rigor and relevance.
- Lane offers advanced language arts and math classes for all students, as well as high school credit for Spanish, Algebra 1 and business foundations.
- · A Successful Gold Stamp Program, recognizes students for being Respectful, Responsible and Ready.
- The English Language Learner (ELL) program is offered to students for whom English is a new language.
- · Lane offers the b Instrumental free musical instrument program. Students can participate in string orchestra and/or instrumental band.

Co-curricular Activities

- Boys Mentor Program
- Girls Mentor Program
- School Yearbook
- Academic Teams
- All middle school sports • Jazz Band
- RAK (Random Acts of Kindness)

Community Partnerships

- · Laser X, Georgetown Entertainment and Bells Skating Rink provide student incentives annually.
- Jackson R Lehman, YMCA
- Junior Achievement-JA
- · Bigby Coffee
- Good Shepherd United Methodist Church



"Making this kind of learning the norm for all schools and classrooms doesn't happen by chance."



MEMORIAL PARK MIDDLE SCHOOL BRADLEY CROZIER, PRINCIPAL

MAGNET SCHOOL

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School Summary

Memorial Park Middle School is a fine arts magnet middle school offering not only advanced math and language arts opportunities, but also high quality elective courses for enrichment in instrumental music, art, foreign language, choir, speech and drama. Our program allows students to develop a well-rounded foundation for continued success into high school. We continually strive to challenge and stretch the learning of our diverse student body through many courses. Memorial Park is building a STEAM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Art and Math) culture that inspires and cultivates the next generation of problem solvers, inventors and leaders.

<u>Programs</u>

- Wide variety of elective opportunities for students to explore their various interests. Courses include, instrumental music, vocal music, orchestra, business education, media arts, visual arts, world languages, creative writing, speech and drama and physical education.
- Advanced elective opportunities includes Jazz Band, Show Choir and Advanced Visual Art. High school credit options for electives include 1st and 2nd year Spanish and French.
- Advanced core academic course options are offered for English language arts and math. High school credit opportunities for students taking algebra II are available for students reaching those levels.
- Many opportunities for students to become involved with competitive co-curricular clubs beyond athletics. We regularly have students compete at the state and national level in academic, speech and music competitions.
- The music program (instrumental and vocal) provides individual and group performance opportunities allowing students to experience growth in their musical ability.
 Co-curricular offerings include: ISSMA Solo and Ensemble Festival, Jazz Combos, Jazz Big Band and Show Choir.
- Students enrolled in the media arts program have access to state of the art production equipment, ample opportunities to create and produce media productions and develop the ability and skills to work in teams.
- For students interested in athletics, we have competitive programs for boys and girls cross country, basketball, swimming and soccer.
- Co-curricular clubs, such as the Ambassador Program and National Jr. Honor Society, help students learn to assist school and community through responsible leadership and positive character attributes.
- Technology is regularly integrated into the school curriculum to enhance student learning.

- The English Language Learner (ELL) program is offered to students for whom English is a new language.
- Our Applied Skills special education program focuses on helping students develop work-ready skills that will better prepare them for the transition to high school.
- Students participate in monthly Pirate Time advisory groups. These groups focus on helping all students feel connected to the school and develop their personal social and emotional skills.

Co-curricular Activities

- Academic Teams
- Spell Bowl
- Various after-school clubs
- eCyberMission Science Team
- Basketball
- Show Choir
- Brothers to Brothers
- Cheerleading
- Competitive Robotics Team
- ISSMA Solo and Ensemble Festival

Community Partnerships

• Art Link

Arts UnitedSweetwater Sound

Musical/Play

Soccer

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Swimming

Cross Country

Sisters to Sisters

Competitive Chess Team

Jazz Combos

Jazz Big Band

- Fort Wayne Philharmonic
- River Front Development Committee
- Students are showcased in the Embassy Festival of Trees, Taste of the Arts and other local venues
- · Memorial Park has partnerships with many local musicians

MIAMI MIDDLE SCHOOL JEFF KING, PRINCIPAL

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School Summary

Miami Middle School's students are "P.R.O.'s" inside and outside of the classroom. We are always striving to be Prepared, Respectful and Open to Learning in whatever we do.

Programs

- Students understand how their individual data impacts school-wide goals. They are building a culture of accountability amongst peers, and understand their personal responsibility for achievement. Each student will know their present levels, how to improve their current abilities, and with teachers and administration, develop action steps to realize their desired results.
- The English Language Learner (ELL) program is offered to students for whom English is a new language.
- Federally-funded Title I programs support additional resources for improving student performance and meeting school-wide goals.

- Advanced courses are offered in all grades.
- High school credit courses are offered for eighth grade students in math, Spanish and business technology.
- The related arts program offers many curricular and extracurricular options including show choir, instrumental band, orchestra, art, physical education, business technology and Spanish.
- Miami has an award-winning show choir called the Miami Sound Machine.
- Miami fields 11 athletic teams throughout the school year and has a rich tradition of success.
- Miami offers the b Intrumental free musical instrument program. Students can participate in string orchestra and/or instrumental band.

Co-curricular Activities

- Academic Team
- Chess Club
- Robot Club
- Walking Club

• Intramural Sports

· Homeroom Live

· Fort Wayne Komets

Pizza Hut

Target

• McDonald's (Waynedale)

• Papa John's (Waynedale)

After-school tutoring

- Makerspace
- Minecraft Club
- Science Club/Future City
 Dance Team
- National Junior Honor Society

Community Partnerships

- Chick-fil-A
- Junior Achievement
- Kroger
- Mt. Calvary Lutheran Church
- The Franciscan Center
- Wal-mart/Sam's Club
- Avalon Missionary Church

NORTHWOOD MIDDLE SCHOOL

LINDSEY BAUMGARTNER, PRINCIPAL

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School Summary

All students and staff will rise to high expectations by modeling Respect, Effort and Determination in all aspects of school life.

Programs

- Northwood has a television studio (CTV) that is a stateof-the-art facility. The media class produces various TV broadcast programs.
- The related arts program offers many curricular and extracurricular options, including show choir, strings, art and physical education. Spanish is offered for high school credit.
- The English Language Learner (ELL) program is offered to students for whom English is a new language.
- Northwood offers the b Instrumental free musical instrument program. Students can participate in string orchestra and/or instrumental band.

Co-curricular Activities

- All middle school sports
- Show Choir
- Academic Bowl
- Study Tables
- MakerSpace
- Chess Club Student Council

3 D Printing

• Intramurals

• Spell Bowl

- Dungeons & Dragons Club
- National Junior Honor Society

Community Partnerships

- First Assembly Church
- Culver's
- Dairy Queen

"The role of the teacher is to create the conditions for invention rather than ready-made knowledge." ~ Source Papert



PORTAGE MIDDLE SCHOOL

MIKE CHRISTNER, PRINCIPAL

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School Summary

Portage Middle School values high levels of learning for all students through strong communication among students, parents, families and the community. Portage is building a STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Math) culture that inspires and cultivates the next generation of problemsolvers, innovators and leaders. By providing meaningful, interactive opportunities for students to become engaged in these subject areas, Portage will prepare students to be qualified and competitive candidates in the future economy and guide them towards the emerging careers of tomorrow.

Programs

- Portage offers Spanish courses, designed to continue the program started at Lindley Elementary and to create bilingual learners with Spanish and English language skills.
- · WRAM, the Portage TV show, broadcasts informative programs each week for students and staff.
- · It is a specific goal of the school to involve every student in one of the school's meaningful academic and extracurricular programs.
- The English Language Learner (ELL) program is offered to for whom English is a new language.

Co-curricular Activities

• Academic Bowl

· Bully Busting

- Spell Bowl
- National Junior Honor Society Mentoring
 - Student Council
- All middle school sports Character Counts
- · Clubs vary by student interest from year to year

Community Partnerships

- · Five Below
- Fort Wayne Sport Club
- Laser X
- Chick-fil-A Target

ProBowl West

SHAWNEE MIDDLE SCHOOL DAVID TIJERINA, PRINCIPAL

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School Summary

Shawnee Middle School is dedicated to providing an organized, child-centered and supportive learning experience for all students. Shawnee reflects a positive school climate focused on academic excellence and achievement, positive character development and service to the community.

Programs

- · High school credit offered in algebra, Spanish and business.
- Academic safety nets are provided for students needing additional support and enrichment activities are offered

for students who are ready to move beyond grade level standards.

- · Extensive community outreach means working with mentors, community agencies and local churches.
- The English Language Learner (ELL) program is offered to students for whom English is a new language.
- Shawnee offers the b Instrumental free musical instrument program. Students can participate in string orchestra, band, jazz band and/or drums.

Academic Teams

· All middle school sports

eSports

Artlink

Co-curricular Activities

- Spell Bowl
- · Show Choir
- National Junior Honor Society • Art Club
- Robotics Team
- · Extended Learning Study Tables
- Boys and Girls Mentoring Clubs
- Scholastic Art and Writing Competition

Community Partnerships

- YMCA
- Pathway Community Church
- Northridge Baptist Church



"Failure should not be the end. It should be the beginning of learning." ~ Deep Learning: Student Quote

MIDDLE SCHOOLS

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FWCS CAREER ACADEMY AT ANTHIS

JESSE WEBB, PRINCIPAL

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School Summary

The FWCS Career Academy at Anthis serves Northeast Indiana, including 17 high schools, with a broad array of career and technical programs. Emphasis is placed on using new technology, developing a strong work ethic and understanding human diversity while acquiring a desire to learn and gain a sense of personal achievement.

Program of Study

The FWCS Career Academy is the site for the Career Education Program of Study, which enables students to prepare for post-secondary education and to gain marketable career skills. Career areas include:

- · Health Sciences
- Automotive Technology
- Careers in Early Childhood Education
- Construction Technology
- Public Safety
- Manufacturing
- · Culinary Arts
- Cosmetology
- · Information Technology Academy
- Work Based Learning Capstone and Cooperative Education

College and Career Readiness

- · Dual-credit opportunities exist with local colleges and universities.
- · National, state and local certifications are issued in most programs.
- Programs are continually updated to meet industry-based standards.
- · Students are offered unique opportunities to experience career pathways.
- Each career prep program area offers hands-on curriculum.

Community Partnerships

- Parkview Health
- Vincennes University
- · St. Anne's Home
- Diester Machine
- MicroPulse
- City of Fort Wayne
- Evans Toyota
- · Three Rivers Ambulance Authority
- Home Builders Association
- Fort Wayne Fire Department
- Fort Wayne Police Department
- Airport Board Authority/Smith Field

- Ivy Tech
- University of St. Francis
- · Early Childhood Alliance
- Fort Wayne Metals
- Greater Fort Wayne Inc.
- · Sweetwater Sound
- Don Ayres Honda



AMP LAB @ ELECTRIC WORKS RILEY JOHNSON, DIRECTOR

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School Summary

Amp Lab at Electric Works is Fort Wayne Community Schools' innovative program for 11th and 12th grade students located on the former GE Campus. Juniors and seniors from the five FWCS high schools have the opportunity to engage in an entrepreneurial program with partners from local businesses and industries. Students are encouraged to explore their passions, apply their talents and make our community a better place. Amp Lab is a unique learning environment built for students of diverse backgrounds to gain real-world experience in an innovative and agile setting.

Community Partnerships

- 3Rivers FCU
- Surack Family Foundation





NORTH SIDE HIGH SCHOOL

DAVID WEST, PRINCIPAL

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School Summary

North Side High School offers a wide variety of programs to prepare students to lead responsible and productive lives. North Side's diverse community of learners includes students from 23 countries who speak 29 different languages and take pride in becoming multilingual, valuable contributors to the community.

Program of Study

North Side High School is home of the Global Studies/World Languages Program of Study. These programs embeds global knowledge into courses to enable students to work, live and communicate in a global society. Program emphasis is on an understanding of how the world's people and institutions are interconnected and how critical global economic, political, technological, environmental and social systems operate interdependently across the world. North Side is also home to the Vincennes Early College Program. Early College is a 4-year program that allows students to earn college and high school credit concurrently through a rigorous and structured curriculum. Vincennes University provides a program liaison that assists parents and students in the early college process. Students in Early College take dual credit courses that are transferable to universities throughout the state of Indiana.

North Side High School is one of two sites for 3DE, a transformative education model supported by Junior Achievement of Northern Indiana. The model launched in 2022-23 with the freshman class at North Side and will include both the freshman and sophomore classes for the 2023-24 school year. Students work with local partners Steel Dynamics, Inc. and Parkview Health and Fort Wayne Metals and national partners Arby's and Delta Air. Students are presented a challenge question by the business partner and collaborate to find solutions.

College and Career Readiness

- Honors courses offered in English 9 and 10, algebra I, algebra II, geometry, biology and chemistry.
- Collegiate Connection at Purdue University Fort Wayne allows seniors to enroll in up to two regular college classes per semester on Purdue University Fort Wayne campus.
- Collegiate Connection at North Side allows students to earn college credits in composition (12th grade), pre-calculus, calculus, psychology, U.S. history, world history, economics, government, manufacturing/logistics and marketing.
- North Side offers Advanced Placement courses for chemistry and algebra-based physics, government and economics.
- North Side offers Purdue University Fort Wayne Upward Bound, a year-round program consisting of a nine-month Academic Year Component and a six-week Summer Academy with a three-week residential stay. The Academic Year Component includes academic counseling, academic instruction on Saturdays, weekly tutoring, college visits, cultural and social experiences and post-secondary assistance. During the Summer Academy, Upward Bound participants live on campus for three weeks and experience

college life, take additional classes, and visit other colleges. This is a commitment until graduation.

- DECA in Employment Co-op through ICE, FWCS Career Academy courses and Educational Professions courses foster growth of future educators at North Side.
- Marching band has qualified for the state finals in 34 of the last 43 years.
- A top dance performance program is offered during the school day.
- A piano keyboarding program is available and held in a state of the art keyboarding lab.
- An award-winning Conexus manufacturing/logistics program offers dual credit through Ivy Tech and allows students to receive industry certification.
- Orchestra, jazz, percussion and concert bands are offered in the music department.
- Elective language offerings in German, Spanish and French.
- The English Language Learner (ELL) program is offered to students for whom English is a new language.

Co-curricular Activities

- Marching Band
 Dance Teams
- Cheerleading
 Robotics Club
 - FCA
 - Student CouncilSpell Bowl
 - Canstruction Academic Team

Chess Club

Young Life

- Wildsiders
- Jazz Band A
 - All high school sports
- IHSAA Leadership Champions
- National Honor Society

Community Partnerships

Kelley Chevrolet donates a car each year to a student with good attendance. The North Side Alumni Association provides scholarships and grants to students and staff members. Sodexo and the North Side PTSA provide support to students through the school newsletter and intership opportunities. Purdue University Fort Wayne, Trine University, Vincennes University, Ivy Tech, University of Saint Francis and Indiana Tech are also partners.



NORTHROP HIGH SCHOOL

ADAM SWINFORD, PRINCIPAL

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School Summary

Northrop High School places an emphasis on a rigorous curriculum to prepare students to be not only college and career ready but also to be positive contributors to the community while providing a safe and caring environment. Its diverse and active student body participates in more than 48 organized activities.

Program of Study

Northrop is the site for the Project Lead The Way (PLTW)/ Engineering Program of Study. PLTW provides real-world learning and hands-on experience to students interested in engineering, biomechanics, aeronautics and other applied math and science areas. PLTW courses engage students through activities-based, project-based and problem-based learning, which creates an environment for applying engineering concepts to real problems.

College and Career Readiness

- Northrop has college partnerships with Trine University and Ivy Tech.
- Advanced Placement courses are available for sophomores, juniors and seniors and include government, U.S. and world history, psychology and physics.
- Students can earn dual credit in a variety of academic disciplines including astronomy, chemistry, pre-calculus, biology II, theatre arts, English composition, U.S history, U.S. government, literature, economics, engineering, music therapy and the Teaching Academy.
- A strong performing arts program includes drama, dance, jazz band, orchestra, concert band, marching band, concert choir and show choir.
- Northrop has state and national award-winning speech and debate teams.
- The Academic Letter program is earned by high performing students.

Plays and Musicals

Co-curricular Activities

- Marching Band
 Jazz Band
- Show Choir
- All high school sports Various Clubs

Community Partnerships

- Sweetwater State Farm Insurance
- Raytheon
 Trine University
- Ivy Tech Fifth Third Bank

SNIDER HIGH SCHOOL CHAD HISSONG, PRINCIPAL

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School Summary

Snider High School seeks to promote academic and intellectual growth to facilitate the acquisition of life skills and to encourage positive social interaction so that students and the community may thrive in an ever-changing environment.

Program of Study

Snider is the site for the Project Lead The Way (PLTW)/

Biomedical Sciences Program of Study, which is geared toward students contemplating a career in a health field. In addition to rigorous coursework, students have opportunities to participate in internships in various medical, therapeutic or diagnostic fields. The four-year Program of Study connects core classes with a possible medical career, making all courses relevant for students.

Snider High School is one of two sites for 3DE, a transformative education model supported by Junior Achievement of Northern Indiana. The model launched in 2022-23 with a cohort of 160 freshman at Snider. In 2023-24, a cohort of freshmen and sophomores will engage in 3DE. Students at Snider work with local partners Franklin Electric, BF Goodrich and Parkview Health and national partners Arby's and Delta Air. Students are presented a challenge question by the business partner and collaborate to find solutions.

College and Career Readiness

- Dual credit classes in pre-calculus, calculus, statistics and all of the Biomedical courses are offered.
- Advanced Placement classes in chemistry, Spanish, statistics, biology, microeconomics, U.S. government, English language and composition, English literature and composition, U.S. history, psychology, calculus, physics, statistics, world history, computer science principles, computer science A, environmental science and German.
- Our Collegiate Connection programs allow students to obtain college credits through Purdue University Fort Wayne.
- Snider offers French, German and Spanish.
- SAT prep classes are offered.
- Additional course offerings include ICE, DECA, a variety of programs at the Career Academy, digital applications and responsibilities classes, computer science classes, web design courses, programming classes, marketing, Peer Tutoring and JAG (Jobs for America's Graduates)
- Guidance hosts college visits from a variety of schools, supplies students with scholarship information and assists with SAT/ACT sign up.

Co-curricular Activities

- Marching and Jazz Band
- National Honor Society
- Bowling Team
- Sign Language Club
- Crochet Club
- All high school sports
- ESPORTS
- French, Spanish and German Clubs

Community Partnerships

- Orthopedics Northeast
- Purdue University Fort Wayne
- IUPUI
- Ivy Tech
- Aptera

- University of St. Francis
- Indiana Tech

· Chess Club

Dance Team

Lacrosse Club

Hockey Club

Plays and Musicals

Speech & Debate

Student Council

SOUTH SIDE HIGH SCHOOL ZACHARY HARL, PRINCIPAL

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School Summary

The staff at South Side is committed to building the relationships that support students who are being challenged and stretched to learn. The school embraces the diversity of its students, community and faculty. South Side is building a STEAM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Art and Math) culture that inspires and cultivates the next generation of problem solvers, inventors and leaders.

Program of Study

In addition to being a STEAM School, South Side's Program of Study is the International Baccalaureate (IB) Diploma Program, a rigorous pre-university program that can result in a diploma that is recognized by many universities in their admission selection process, course credit, class standing and scholarship eligibility. The IB Program seeks to develop inquiring, knowledgeable and caring young people who help to create a better and more peaceful world through intercultural understanding and respect. South Side has offered the IB Diploma for 19 years and remains the only school in northeast Indiana with this prestigious program.

College and Career Readiness

- The IB Diploma subject areas fulfill the state's requirements for College and Career Readiness.
- Dual credit classes are offered in English/language arts, precalculus, ethics, philosophy, and world history.
- Advanced Placement classes are offered in calculus, government, economics and psychology.
- South Side offers Purdue University Fort Wayne's Upward Bound, a year-round program consisting of a nine-month Academic Year Component and a six-week Summer Academy with a three week residential stay. The Academic Year Component includes academic counseling, academic instruction on Saturdays, weekly tutoring, college visits, cultural and social experiences and post-secondary assistance. During the Summer Academy, Upward Bound participants live on campus for three weeks and experience college life, take additional classes, and visit other colleges. This is a commitment until graduation.
- Fine and performing arts programs include speech team, jazz ensemble, pep band, marching band, dance program, musical/theater production and student publications.
- The Guidance Department is active in hosting college visits from schools across the nation, supplying students with scholarship and college visit information.
- Parents support school programs through PTA, Fine and Performing Arts Boosters, Athletic Boosters and IB Parents Group.
- The JAG (Jobs for Americas Graduates) program is thriving and has a strong success rate for assisting and placing students with jobs in the community after high school.

• The English Language Learner (ELL) program is offered to students for whom English is a new language.

Academic Team

All high school sports

Frisbee Club

Spanish Club

Jazz Ensemble

Chess Club

Theatre

Co-curricular Activities

- Student Council
- French Club
- Show Choir
- Key Club
- Marching Band
- Pep Band
- Project 7 (diversity & service) Philo Club
- Dance

Community Partnerships

- Midwest America Federal Credit Union
- Ivy Tech
- PrimeTimeYouth Center
- Purdue University Fort Wayne
- Latino Count
- Trine University



WAYNE HIGH SCHOOL

JOHN HOUSER, PRINCIPAL

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School Summary

The Wayne community shares responsibility in providing a safe and caring environment that ensures students will be productive citizens who respect themselves and others, appreciate diversity, achieve academic excellence through rigorous coursework and demonstrate the skills necessary for lifelong learning. Wayne is building a STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Math) culture that inspires and cultivates the next generation of problem-solvers, innovators and leaders. By providing meaningful, interactive opportunities for students to become engaged in these subject areas, Wayne will prepare students to be qualified and competitive candidates in the future economy and guide them towards the emerging careers of tomorrow.

Program of Study

Wayne offers two Programs of Study. The first is the New Tech Academy. Students at New Tech are engaged and challenged daily as they are enrolled in integrated classes using new technologies. Students work in teams, completing rigorous, real-world assignments and projects that prepare them for college. All students are engaged in STEM activities to prepare them for the real world, including Project Lead the Way Biomedical and Engineering courses. Students learn in an innovative and professional environment, fostered by the use of advanced learning methods and technology.

Wayne is also home to the Early College-Business Program, partnering with Ivy Tech to provide a rigorous business education program. With dual-credit opportunities in business as well as a number of core courses including English, science and social studies, a Wayne student in the Early College program will be prepared to achieve success in the business world. Students begin earning college credits through Ivy Tech for free as early as freshman year. Over the course of the four years students can earn toward a Technical Certificate in business administration. Some of the highlighted course work includes business law and ethics, business management, entrepreneurship and marketing.

College and Career Readiness

- Wayne offers Advanced Placement classes in language and composition, literature, government, economics and calculus.
- Wayne offers dual credit classes in English composition, English literature, pre-calculus, public speaking, chemistry, micro-computers, marketing, business management and business law. Additionally in New Tech, dual credit classes are offered in Project Lead the Way, such as introduction to engineering, principles of engineering, and Civil Engineering and Architecture.
- Wayne offers Purdue University Fort Wayne's Upward

Bound, a year-round program consisting of a nine-month Academic Year Component and a six-week Summer Academy with a three week residential stay. The Academic Year Component includes academic counseling, academic instruction on Saturdays, weekly tutoring, college visits, cultural and social experiences and post-secondary assistance. During the Summer Academy, Upward Bound participants live on campus for three weeks and experience college life, take additional classes, and visit other colleges. This is a commitment until graduation. The Air Force Junior Reserve Officer Training Corps (JROTC) Program instills the values of citizenship, service to the community, personal responsibility and a sense of accomplishment.

The JAG (Jobs for America's Graduates) program is thriving and has a strong success rate for assisting and placing students with jobs in the community after high school.

Co-curricular Activities

- Marching Band
 - Student Council
- Orchestra Plays and Musicals

• ROTC

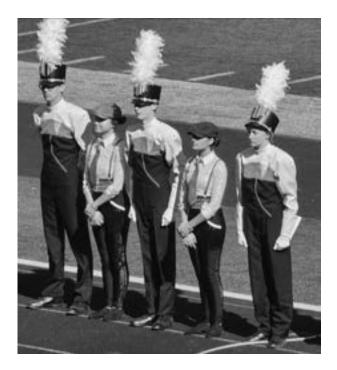
· Chess Club • Speech Team

Jazz Band

- - Campus Life
- Art Club • Robotics Club • All high school sports

Community Partnerships

- BAE Systems
- Purdue University Fort Wayne
- City Life
- Fort Wayne Dance Collective
- Ivy Tech
- New Tech Network · Fort Wayne Metals



HIGH SCHOOLS

DISTRICT PROGRAMS

CHILDCARE SERVICES

The provider of FWCS extended childcare for the school year is the YMCA School-Age Childcare Program. In keeping with the YMCA mission, it values the lives of all children and works to enhance the quality of their experiences at every opportunity. The YMCA offers safe, challenging and fun programs for youth up to age 12 by giving them ways to explore their world beyond home and school. The YMCA School-Age Childcare Program sites offer many options to fit the needs of parents and children. *Program sites are subject to change due to insufficient enrollment at a specific location*.

SPECIAL EDUCATION

FWCS offers a full range of academic programs and support services to special needs students at school sites throughout the district. Special Education early childhood options are available for eligible children ages 3 to 5. Early childhood programs are offered at FWCS elementary schools and community/private preschool school sites.

Homebound instruction for students with injury or temporary illness is also offered through Special Education. Call 467-1110 for information on all aspects of Special Education, including eligibility, placement and early childhood programs.

CONTINUING EDUCATION AND NEIGHBORHOOD CONNECTION

FWCS provides lifelong learning opportunities to all Allen County residents. Programs include academic classes, HSE (formerly known as GED) preparation, technology, electronics, business and computer classes, recreation and youth and family activities. Classes take place at the Bill C. Anthis Center, churches and FWCS sites throughout the city.

FWCS assists community members who are 16 years of age and older by offering high school credit and equivalency programs and adult vocational classes.

FWCS also works in partnership with many businesses and community-based organizations to provide educational services and classes for employees and residents. Courses in literacy, computers and specialized vocational training are available or can be developed. For more information on enrollment and availability of classes, call 467-1060 or 467-1075.

LOTTERY APPLICATION

COMPLETING A LOTTERY APPLICATION

Online lottery applications will be accepted beginning Monday, Nov. 4, 2022 for the 2023-24 school year. Applications will be taken through the online system only. If you require assistance, please contact 260-467-2120 to schedule an appointment.

To start your application, go to myfwcs.fortwayneschools.org/esnap on your computer or mobile device. On-time applications must be received by Jan. 13, 2023 will receive priority placement over late applications.

To learn more about our schools and their offerings, please visit www.fortwayneschools.org/showcase.You can view videos and go directly to each schools website.

LIVING OUTSIDE OF FORT WAYNE COMMUNITY SCHOOLS BOUNDARIES

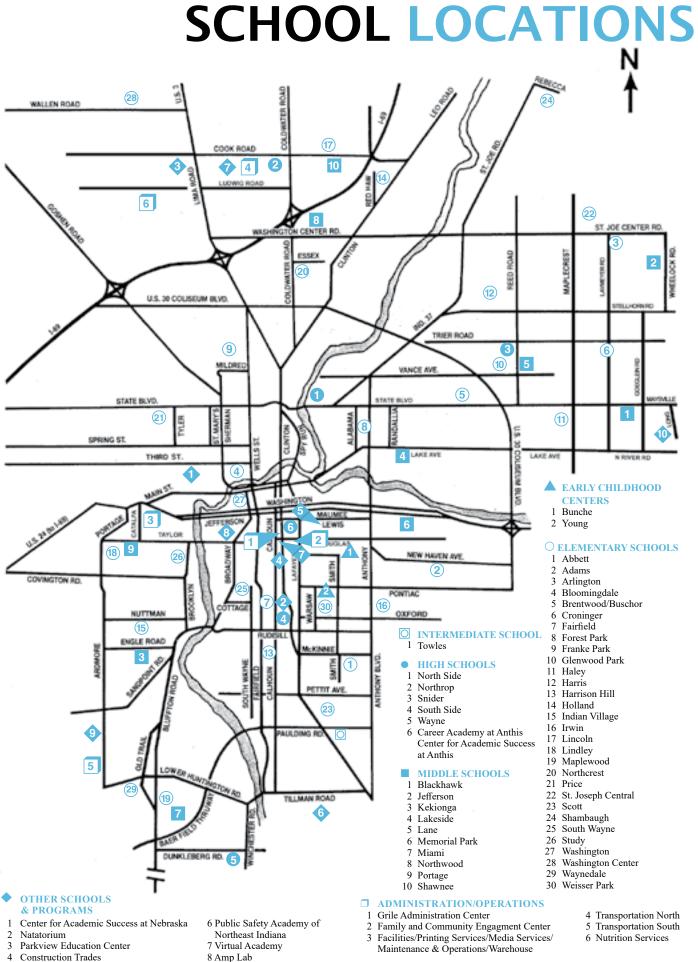
Students who live outside FWCS boundaries may attend FWCS schools, based on a school's space availability. A tuition payment may be required. Fees are set in August, and may vary from year to year due to changes in public school funding by the State of Indiana. FWCS has the authority (by law) to deny a request for transfer* if the applicant has been suspended or expelled during the twelve month period preceding the transfer application for the following reasons:

- Suspension for ten (10) or more school days;
- For a violation under I.C. 20-33-8-16 (firearms, deadly weapons or destructive devices);
- For causing physical injury to a student, school employee or school visitor;
- For a violation of a school's drug or alcohol rules; or
- When the applicant is ineligible to enroll during a period of expulsion or proposed expulsion under I.C. 20-33-8-30.

*This does not apply to any FWCS intra-district transfers (IDT).

Any non-FWCS student residing outside of the district's boundaries petitioning for a transfer into FWCS must have all the following materials returned to Student and Family Support Services:

- Completed Out-of-District Request of Records (Requesting for discipline records for the past 12 months)
- Student and Family Support Services will be responsible for requesting and retrieving the applicant's records from the previous school.
- The Out-of-District applications will not be entered into the lottery until the discipline records have been reviewed.



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