

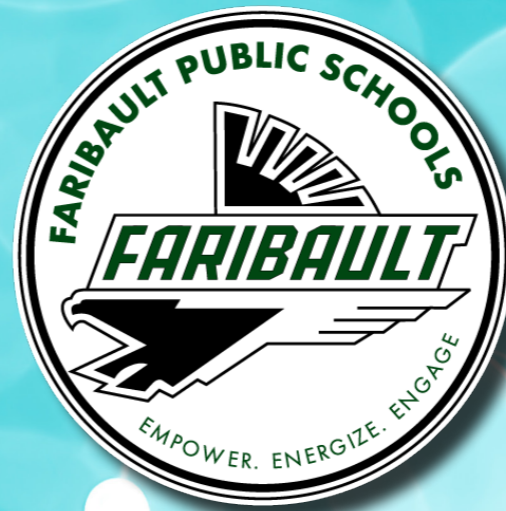


FARIBAULT

COMMUNITY SCHOOLS

JEFFERSON ELEMENTARY | FARIBAULT MIDDLE SCHOOL

2022-23





So glad to meet you!



Welcome!

Faribault Community Schools are a central hub where students and families connect with each other and community resources to address physical, social, and academic needs. They support enthusiastic learners and help families thrive.

Two Locations!
Jefferson Elementary School
Faribault Middle School



“We provide a safe and nurturing environment for students to engage in learning activities beyond the regular school day that promote a sense of belonging.”

Nick Jurens, Principal
Jefferson Elementary

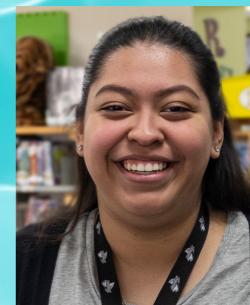


“Our community school offers many opportunities for students to connect with peers and trusted adults, and it allows us to foster relationships with students beyond the classroom.”

Stacy Fox, Principal
Faribault Middle School



Amber James
Community School Co-Coordinator
Jefferson Elementary



Jacqueline Ramirez Cisneros
Community School Co-Coordinator
Jefferson Elementary



Nora Schulz
Community School Coordinator
Faribault Middle School



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Real world learning and problem-solving



So much happening!

Many opportunities existed for the whole family to get involved at the Faribault Community Schools in 2022-23! Extended hours made our programming and activities accessible for families' varied schedules.

Students at Jefferson Elementary and the Faribault Middle School participated in a variety of after-school clubs and activities that provided opportunities to develop interests and learn new skills—including cooking, swimming lessons, Chamber Singers Club, Fiddleband, and Friday night open gym.



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Number of youth who attended 50+ hours of programming throughout the year.

291

8th graders attended at least one session of Community School programming

141

Number of clubs offered

140

Number of youth who attended Faribault Community School programming at least once (elementary through high school)

679

Youth attended at least 1 session of Community School programming

834

Number of meals served during the 2022-23 school year

37,612

Number of youth at Jefferson Elementary who received dental care in partnership with HealthFinders Collaborative

40+

Data

Recognition

With the Community Schools' funding scheduled to end in August 2023, Faribault Public Schools and Healthy Community Initiative (HCI) were recently awarded a new, highly competitive **21st Century Community Learning Center** grant from the Minnesota Department of Education. This will allow for the continuation of the Community Schools at Jefferson Elementary and Faribault Middle School, as well as the addition of Community Schools at Roosevelt Elementary, Lincoln Elementary, and Faribault High School, starting in 2023-24.



Sparking the joy of learning

“We have lots of fun activities, and we provide academic help, too! Our goal is to keep students engaged and give them a reason to want to come to school”

– *Jacqueline Ramirez Cisneros*,
community school co-coordinator
at Jefferson Elementary

