

PROGRAMS

At Birdie Alexander Elementary, we offer a variety of free extracurricular and enrichment activities to keep students engaged in school and make learning fun. We encourage all students to participate in at least one activity.



PARENTS

Parent involvement is important to the academic success of students. At Birdie Alexander Elementary, we offer several opportunities for parents to get involved in the educational and social growth of their students. We also provide events for parents to expand their own knowledge and gain tools to maintain a healthy family environment.

PARTNERS

Our faculty and staff strive to provide a comprehensive educational and social experience to students. Our partners valuable resources help provide students and staff with learning materials and facilitate student and family enrichment activities.

Interested in partnering with us?
Visit dallasisd.org/partners



VOLUNTEER AT ALEXANDER

Our students need you! There are several ways you can volunteer and participate at Birdie Alexander Elementary School. We have a variety of opportunities that will fit into any busy schedule.

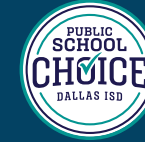
Visit www.dallasisd.voly.org to learn how you can impact a student's life.



Birdie Alexander Elementary School

A Dallas ISD Innovation School

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Serving students in
grades pre-K through five.
**Every Scholar.
Every Day.
No Excuses.**

Eagles soar at Birdie Alexander Elementary School where we offer a safe, fun and exciting learning environment in an established, quaint Oak Cliff neighborhood. Teachers equip students with a firm foundation in the academic basics to prepare them to gain new knowledge beyond our portals. We build and maintain positive working relationships with our families as we deliver purposeful teaching that opens pathways to future learning for our young apprentices. Extracurricular activities and parent and community partnerships afford students extended learning opportunities in keeping with our motto, "Every scholar. Every day. No excuses."



INSTRUCTIONAL AND ENRICHMENT HIGHLIGHTS:

- Talented and Gifted Classes
- Prekindergarten for 3- and 4-year-olds
- One-to-One Technology and Robotics
- Special Education
- Tutoring/Mentoring
- Track and Basketball
- Environmental Eagles Club
- Student Council



THE BIRDIE ALEXANDER EXPERIENCE

Birdie Alexander is an Innovation School. Innovation Schools are neighborhood campuses that received additional resources to redesign their instruction around an innovative model. Innovative Schools aim to provide a best-fit education experience for every student. Birdie Alexander features a Personalized Learning Model that taps into your son or daughter's strengths, needs and interests. Flexible learning environments and technology-rich classrooms create an individualized, best-fit educational experience tailored to your child.

AT BIRDIE ALEXANDER, THE FACULTY AND STAFF:

- Strive to meet the academic, social and emotional needs of all students
- Prepare students for success in college and careers
- Take a team approach to increase student achievement by promoting a strong academic foundation supported with character education
- Believe that all students can learn and achieve when supported by through effort-based learning
- Offer a rigorous curriculum that challenges students to become lifelong learners



HOW TO APPLY

For neighborhood residents:

Birdie Alexander Elementary School maintains their existing neighborhood attendance boundaries. All students living within the school's attendance boundary are eligible to enroll.

For transfer applications:

Students living outside of an Innovation School's attendance boundary may submit a transfer application to enroll.

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Enroll at our one-stop online application

Application period: November through end of January

www.DallasISD.org/ChooseDallasISD



FEATURES OF A PERSONALIZED LEARNING ENVIRONMENT



LEARNER PROFILES tell the story of a student's academic and personal progress. A learner profile shows a student's strengths, areas of growth, interests, aspirations, and how he learns best. Profiles empower students to own their learning and equip them to advocate for what they need to be successful.



STUDENT LEARNING PATHWAYS are customized roadmaps that help students reach their academic destination. A personal learning path describes how a student will master a concept or skill, and what lessons and activities she will pursue to become an expert in the required content.



FLEXIBLE LEARNING ENVIRONMENTS give students voice and choice in when, where, and how they learn. Depending on their learning style, a student may learn best in a big or small group setting, or by himself—sometimes a combination of all three in one day. Learning spaces aren't just at school. With the help of technology, students can learn anytime and anywhere.



COMPETENCY-BASED EDUCATION allows students to learn at their own pace. When a student demonstrates mastery of a skill or concept, he can move on to the next one. Teachers work closely with students to understand what students have mastered and tell them what's coming up next so students know exactly how they are progressing. Mastery means that a student is an expert. If he or she doesn't have complete command of a concept or skill, the student continues to work on it.

TO LEARN MORE ABOUT PERSONALIZED LEARNING at Alexander Elementary and in Dallas ISD, visit dallasisd.org/personalizedlearning.