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Basswood Elementary serves students in pre-kindergarten through 5th grade and is one of 17 elementary schools in ISD 279-Osseo Area Schools. Located in the southwestern part of the school district, Basswood's attendance area includes parts of Maple Grove and Plymouth.



Every student benefits from academic, leadership and co-curricular opportunities.



We help each student achieve at high levels and thrive socially and emotionally.



Among our many partners,

Three Rivers Park District
provides environmental education.



Robotics, STEM Explorers, Makerspace, Coding, Breakout EDU.



## **DIGITAL LEARNING**

Students use digital tools for more engaged, personalized and self-directed learning.



### **VOLUNTEERS**

Whether you want to help in a classroom, on a field trip, or behind the scenes, we can find a volunteer placement for you!

#### **SPOTLIGHT ON BASSWOOD**

- Talent development, academic challenge and gifted support services
- · Vocal music, band and orchestra
- · Services for students with special needs
- · Before- and after-school child care
- DARE with Maple Grove Police Officer
- Parent Teacher Organization actively supports students through fundraising and experiential learning opportunities
- 5th Grade Chorus; District 279 Children's Chorus
- Leadership programs include Basswood Ambassadors, Basswood TV, PBIS Student Leaders, Service Learning, School Patrols and Basswood Gives Back Team
- Family and Community events like an All School BBQ, Fun Run, Turkey Bingo, We Scare Hunger, Math & Science Night, Book Fairs, and a Spaghetti dinner to support our Families Helping Families program.
- Preschool classes for four-year-olds. Full day option through Four Star Express and half day options through ECFE

#### SAFE AND HEALTHY SCHOOL CLIMATE

Basswood focuses on the Basswood B's:

- Be Respectful
- Be Responsible
- Be Safe
- Be Kind

These schoolwide expectations are taught, modeled and practiced by all staff and students. We teach expected behaviors, provide interventions for students who are struggling and recognize students for positive behaviors. Students and staff at Basswood take pride in being role models at school and in the community.

## STRONG COMMUNITY CONNECTIONS

Every year, Basswood students and staff contribute to the local community and beyond through community service and fundraising projects.

# **STAFF**



of Basswood's licensed staff have a master's degree or higher.



of Basswood's teachers have more than three years of experience.



