



Did You Know?

Public Schools: *The Backbone of a Strong Community*



RETURN ON INVESTMENT

For every additional dollar invested in schools, there is a \$2 return on investment in additional future earnings by each student.

NURSING SERVICES

During the 2023-2024 school year, SPS nurses documented 91,622 office visits for nursing services, ensuring our students receive critical supports.



MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES

SPS counselors and social workers provide mental health consultations and/or referrals to support our students.

EXTRACURRICULAR PARTICIPATION

Our students develop interpersonal and work-ready skills through extracurricular activities such as clubs, athletic teams and various arts programs.



CIVICS EDUCATION

SPS students engage in activities (National Civics Bee, Match Madness, Student Government, clothing/food drives, etc.) to build a sense of civic responsibility.

FOOD SERVICE

Our schools provide over 5,700 meals every day, directly contributing to improved student health and academic readiness.



WELLNESS SCREENINGS

During the 2023-2024 school year, our district provided wellness screenings including 4,762 vision screenings, 4,804 hearing screenings and 6,045 dental screenings.