



MINNEAPOLIS  
PUBLIC SCHOOLS

School Year  
**2022-23**

**English**

# Explore Now

## Minneapolis Public Schools



**ENROLL NOW**

Submit your school request by Feb. 7 for the best chance of getting your requested school. For detailed information about all your school options, visit: **ExploreMPS.org**

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Working to  
Become a Better  
Partner, Now

**MPS is honored to be lifting up our future leaders and moving toward change with you. We are putting systems and practices in place to make our schools kinder, more welcoming and more equitable places to learn.**

- We know all students deserve learning experiences that reflect and celebrate what they've experienced in their homes and cultures.
- MPS educators are working hard to reframe how they teach every subject, integrating the world views and life experiences of our students.
- Literacy (reading, writing, speaking) is an especially important focus at MPS. When we approach literacy from this global and cultural perspective, we rightfully honor students' identities and remove barriers to family involvement.
- In fostering an environment of honor and respect, we build school environments where all students and families feel valued, all students belong and learning is a joy.

MPS graduates form the fabric of our city, and we want to ensure all schools, students and families across the district have access to balanced resources. We're excited to work with you to build a stronger MPS Now.

# WE ARE MPS NOW

At MPS, we work every day to provide our students an **inclusive education**,  
a **supportive community** and **lifelong learning**.

There's a place where everyone belongs in MPS, regardless of what you look like, what language you speak, how you pray or who you love. MPS staff knows more than your name — we know how to help you grow and achieve, wherever you are on your academic journey. We create experiences where you feel challenged and free to explore the world.

Our students break the mold, and we celebrate that.

We are a community of MPS changemakers building a runway for the future, Now.



## Inclusive Education

Students succeed when they feel seen and heard.

We believe in well-rounded, supportive and inclusive educational experiences where every student is valued and challenged. Our teachers hold high expectations of students and provide academic opportunities and support to match each unique learning style.



## Supportive Community

Education takes a community of support.

We employ nearly 7,000 highly skilled, increasingly diverse professionals districtwide who ensure every student is safe, well-nourished, and prepared for success in careers, college and life as global citizens. We are here to support students to be their best selves.



## Lifelong Learning

Communities thrive when we cultivate learning.

We value access to lifelong, affordable, community-based education for all. Our enrichment opportunities are for the whole family to explore and imagine together — from the moment a child is born, through their life's journey with our adult programs.

# How to request a school

FOLLOW THESE THREE STEPS TO FIND, REQUEST  
AND REGISTER WITH A SCHOOL



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## Explore your school options

### MPS SCHOOL FINDER

Use the School Finder to see which schools are available to you based on your home address.

[ExploreMPS.org](https://ExploreMPS.org)

### MPS EXPLORE NOW GUIDEBOOK

Review this MPS Explore Now guidebook that has the information you need to explore all MPS schools and program offerings.

View online or pick up a printed copy at our Davis Center office, 1250 W. Broadway Ave, Mpls

[ExploreMPS.org/schools/guidebooks](https://ExploreMPS.org/schools/guidebooks)

### MPS SCHOOL MATCHMAKER

Try our School Matchmaker to see how your priorities and interests match up with MPS schools.

[ExploreMPS.org/matchmaker](https://ExploreMPS.org/matchmaker)

## VISIT THE SCHOOLS THAT INTEREST YOU

School open houses take place from November through January.

Many schools also have virtual school open houses and virtual tours. These videos are available for viewing on the MPS YouTube Channel or on school websites.

School tours can be scheduled any time during the school year by contacting schools directly to make arrangements.

2

## Request a school

Once you've found the best school option(s) for your child, it's time to submit your request. [ExploreMPS.org/RequestSchool](https://ExploreMPS.org/RequestSchool)

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## Register with your school

Once your child has been placed in a school, finish the registration process with your school. Welcome to MPS!

### HOW DOES MPS PLACE STUDENTS?

Visit [ExploreMPS.org](https://ExploreMPS.org) or call 612.668.1840 for placement protocols

MPS seeks equity, transparency, efficiency and convenience in its school placement process. All school placements consider several factors:

- **Integration:** Based on qualification for Educational Benefits
- **Family choice:** The student's attendance area community school or one of our citywide schools
- **Available space/capacity:** Where there is physical space within the building and classroom capacity
- **Placement priorities:**
  1. Geography, where a student lives (community/citywide magnet)
  2. Community school capacity, which is available for students at highly requested community schools to make room for other students (citywide magnet only)
  3. Siblings who are attending the same school at the same time (community/citywide magnet)
  4. Integration, based on how many students are eligible for Educational Benefits in a school (citywide magnet only)
  5. Housing stability, to keep students experiencing homelessness or who are highly mobile in their same school (citywide magnet only)



#### WATCH THIS VIDEO

to better understand the MPS placement process.



WATCH  
NOW

## WHO NEEDS TO REQUEST A SCHOOL?

Students who will turn age 4 by Sept. 1, for High Five (PreKindergarten)

Students who will turn age 5 by Sept. 1, for Kindergarten

Any current student wishing to change to a new school

New students, who are welcomed year-round!

Any current student who wishes to attend a school other than their attendance area community school. (Please note there is limited space in schools outside of a student's attendance area.)

## DATES TO KNOW

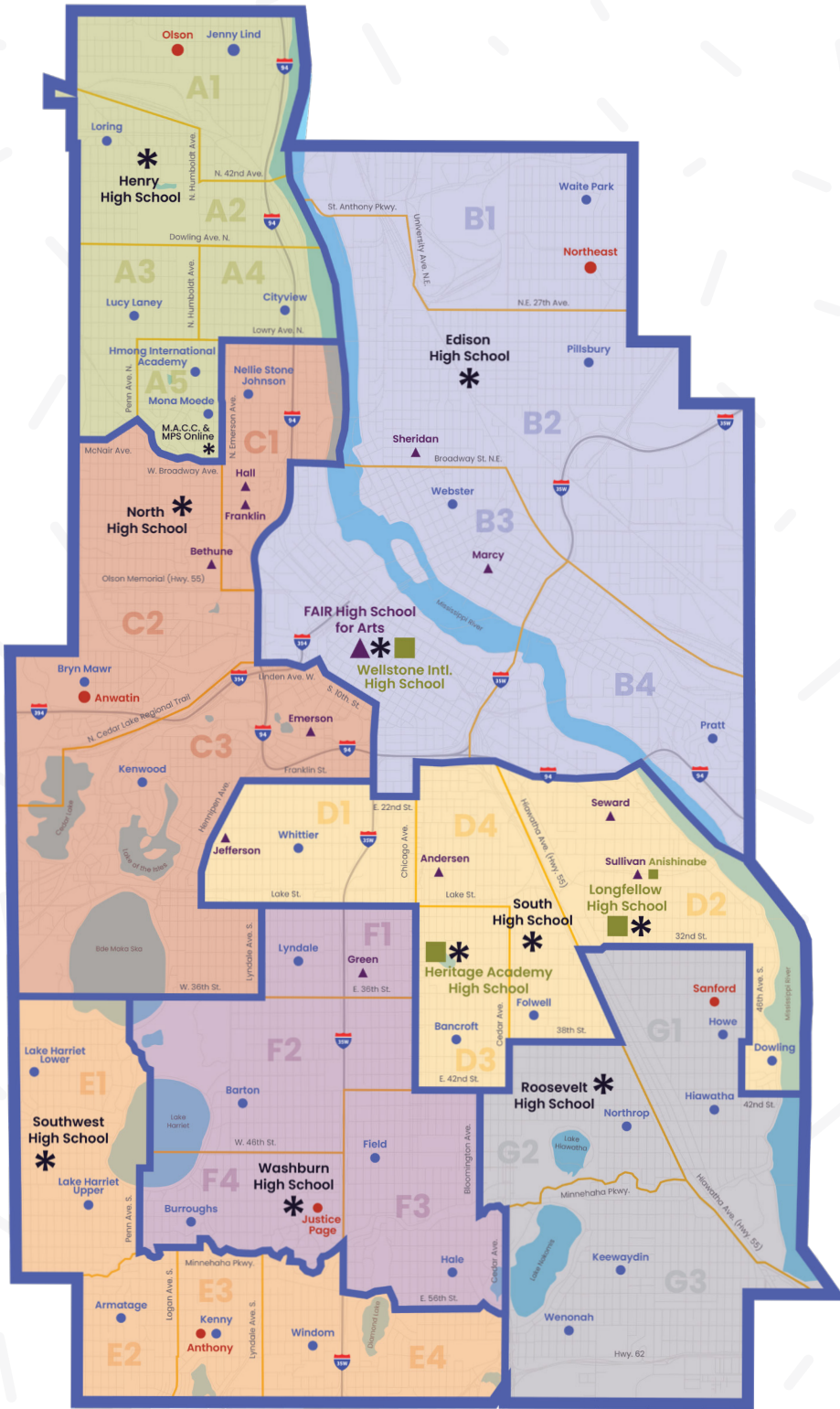
<b>School requests due for priority placement</b>	<b>Feb. 7, 2022</b>
<b>Placement letters mailed</b>	<b>Early March 2022</b>
<b>Kindergarten registration day</b>	<b>Late May 2022</b>
<b>Notification of bus assignments</b>	<b>August 2022</b>
<b>First day of school, grades 1–12</b>	<b>Sept. 7, 2022</b>
<b>First day of school, PreK–K</b>	<b>Sept. 9, 2022</b>

## WHO TO CALL

School placement	612.668.1840	Student Placement
Getting to and from school	612.668.2300	Transportation
Before and after school care	612.668.3890	Minneapolis Kids
Special medical needs	612.668.0850	Health Services
PreKindergarten	612.668.2140	Early Childhood Education
Specific academic needs	612.668.0140	Associate Superintendents
Resources for basic family needs	612.668.4281	Family Resource Center
Meals for your student	612.668.2820	Culinary and Wellness Services
General MPS information line	612.668.0000	

# DISTRICT MAP

MINNEAPOLIS PUBLIC SCHOOLS 2022-23



*Key*

	Community PreK-5
	Community 6-8
	Citywide Magnet
	High School
	Citywide Program
	K-5 community Attendance Areas
	6-12 community Attendance Areas
* For a list of PreK options, see pages 8-17.	
* Jefferson and Sullivan include grades PreK-8.	



# Community

## SCHOOLS THAT REFLECT YOUR NEIGHBORHOOD

### What to expect from MPS Community Schools

Strong community schools should exemplify the culture and fabric of their surrounding communities. MPS believes teaching and learning materials should connect to students' experiences at home — and school environments should value and honor all students, families and community members. All MPS community schools provide advanced academic programs and learning experiences through STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics). Anyone who lives in the attendance area for a community school is eligible to attend.

## EDISON ATTENDANCE AREA SCHOOLS

Elementary	Grades	Address	Bell time	Web
<b>Pillsbury</b>	PreK-5	2250 Garfield St. N.E.	8:05-2:35	<a href="http://Pillsbury.mpls.k12.mn.us">Pillsbury.mpls.k12.mn.us</a>
<b>Pratt</b>	PreK-5	66 Malcolm Ave. S.E.	8:05-2:35	<a href="http://Pratt.mpls.k12.mn.us">Pratt.mpls.k12.mn.us</a>
<b>Waite Park</b>	PreK-5	1800 34th Ave. N.E.	9:10-3:40	<a href="http://Waitepark.mpls.k12.mn.us">Waitepark.mpls.k12.mn.us</a>
<b>Webster</b>	PreK-5	425 5th St. N.E.	8:15-2:45	<a href="http://Webster.mpls.k12.mn.us">Webster.mpls.k12.mn.us</a>
<b>Middle</b>				
<b>Northeast</b>	6-8	2955 Hayes St. N.E.	8:40-3:10	<a href="http://Northeast.mpls.k12.mn.us">Northeast.mpls.k12.mn.us</a>
<b>High</b>				
<b>Edison</b>	9-12	700 22nd Ave. N.E.	8:15-3:00	<a href="http://Edison.mpls.k12.mn.us">Edison.mpls.k12.mn.us</a>



## NORTH ATTENDANCE AREA SCHOOLS

Elementary	Grades	Address	Bell time	Web
<b>Bryn Mawr</b>	PreK-5	252 Upton Ave. S.	7:30-2:00	BrynMawr.mpls.k12.mn.us
<b>Kenwood</b>	K-5	2013 Penn Ave. S.	9:30-4:00	Kenwood.mpls.k12.mn.us
<b>Nellie Stone Johnson</b>	PreK-5	807 27th Ave. N.	8:05-2:35	NSJ.mpls.k12.mn.us
<b>Middle</b>				
<b>Anwatin</b>	6-8	256 Upton Ave. S.	8:40-3:10	Anwatin.mpls.k12.mn.us
<b>High</b>				
<b>North</b>	9-12	1500 James Ave. N.	8:30-3:30	North.mpls.k12.mn.us

## HENRY ATTENDANCE AREA SCHOOLS

Elementary	Grades	Address	Bell time	Web
<b>Cityview</b>	PreK-5	3350 4th St. N.	8:05-2:35	Cityview.mpls.k12.mn.us
<b>HIA</b>	PreK-5	1501 30th Ave. N.	8:00-2:30	HIA.mpls.k12.mn.us
<b>Jenny Lind</b>	PreK-5	5025 Bryant Ave. N.	7:30-2:00	JennyLind.mpls.k12.mn.us
<b>Loring</b>	PreK-5	2600 44th Ave. N.	8:25-2:55	Loring.mpls.k12.mn.us
<b>Lucy Laney</b>	PreK-5	3333 Penn Ave. N.	8:05-2:35	LucyLaney.mpls.k12.mn.us
<b>Middle</b>				
<b>Olson</b>	6-8	1607 51st Ave. N.	8:40-3:10	Olson.mpls.k12.mn.us
<b>High</b>				
<b>Henry</b>	9-12	4320 Newton Ave. N.	7:55-3:00	Henry.mpls.k12.mn.us

## ROOSEVELT ATTENDANCE AREA SCHOOLS

Elementary	Grades	Address	Bell time	Web
Howe & Hiawatha Dual Campus	K-2	4201 42nd Ave. S.	9:30-4:00	Hiawatha.mpls.k12.mn.us
	3-5	3733 43rd Ave. S.		
Northrop	K-5	4315 31st Ave. S.	9:10-3:40	Northrop.mpls.k12.mn.us
Wenonah & Keewaydin Dual Campus	K-1	5625 23rd Ave. S.	9:10-3:40	Lakenokomis.mpls.k12.mn.us
	2-5	5209 30th Ave. S.		
<b>Middle</b>				
Sanford	6-8	3524 42nd Ave. S.	8:40-3:10	Sanford.mpls.k12.mn.us
<b>High</b>				
Roosevelt	9-12	4029 28th Ave. S.	8:10-3:00	Roosevelt.mpls.k12.mn.us

## SOUTH ATTENDANCE AREA SCHOOLS

Elementary	Grades	Address	Bell time	Web
Bancroft	PreK-5	1315 38th St. E.	9:10-3:40	Bancroft.mpls.k12.mn.us
Dowling	K-5	3900 River Pkwy. W.	9:30-4:00	Dowling.mpls.k12.mn.us
Folwell	PreK-5	3611 20th Ave. S.	8:25-2:55	Folwell.mpls.k12.mn.us
Whittier	PreK-5	315 26th St. W.	9:10-3:40	Whittier.mpls.k12.mn.us
<b>Middle</b>				
Andersen	6-8	1098 Andersen Ln.	8:40-3:10	Andersen.mpls.k12.mn.us
<b>High</b>				
South	9-12	3131 19th Ave. S.	8:20-3:10	South.mpls.k12.mn.us

## SOUTHWEST ATTENDANCE AREA SCHOOLS

Elementary	Grades	Address	Bell time	Web
<b>Armatage</b>	K-5	2501 56th St. W.	8:05-2:35	Armatage.mpls.k12.mn.us
<b>Kenny</b>	K-5	5720 Emerson Ave. S.	9:30-4:00	Kenny.mpls.k12.mn.us
<b>Lake Harriet Lower &amp; Upper Dual Campus</b>	K-2	4030 Chowen Ave. S.	9:15-3:45	LakeHarriet.mpls.k12.mn.us
	3-5	4912 Vincent Ave. S.		
<b>Windom</b>	K-5	5821 Wentworth Ave. S.	9:30-4:00	Windom.mpls.k12.mn.us
<b>Middle</b>				
<b>Anthony</b>	6-8	5757 Irving Ave. S.	8:40-3:10	Anthony.mpls.k12.mn.us
<b>High</b>				
<b>Southwest</b>	9-12	3414 47th St. W.	8:00-3:00	Southwest.mpls.k12.mn.us

## WASHBURN ATTENDANCE AREA SCHOOLS

Elementary	Grades	Address	Bell time	Web
<b>Barton</b>	K-5	4237 Colfax Ave. S.	9:30-4:00	Barton.mpls.k12.mn.us
<b>Burroughs</b>	K-5	1601 50th St. W.	9:10-3:40	Burroughs.mpls.k12.mn.us
<b>Hale &amp; Field Dual Campus</b>	K-2	5330 13th Ave. S.	9:10-3:40	Hale.mpls.k12.mn.us
	3-5	4645 4th Ave. S.		Field.mpls.k12.mn.us
<b>Lyndale</b>	PreK-5	312 34th St. W.	8:25-2:55	Lyndale.mpls.k12.mn.us
<b>Middle</b>				
<b>Justice Page</b>	6-8	1 W. 49th St.	8:45-3:15	Page.mpls.k12.mn.us
<b>High</b>				
<b>Washburn</b>	9-12	201 49th St. W.	8:30-3:00	Washburn.mpls.k12.mn.us



# Centrally Located

## CITYWIDE MAGNET SCHOOLS WITH INNOVATIVE ACADEMIC CURRICULUM

### What to expect from MPS Citywide Magnet Schools

Citywide magnet schools welcome students from all neighborhoods across Minneapolis based on their interest in unique academic themes: Arts, STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics), STEAM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Art and Mathematics), Spanish Dual Language, Montessori and Global Studies & Humanities. In addition to a specialized focus, MPS citywide magnet schools immerse students in innovative learning experiences that support career development and encourage community and family involvement. Students must request to attend a citywide magnet school, and placement is made based on a lottery and available space.



### GLOBAL STUDIES & HUMANITIES (PreK-8)

MPS Global Studies & Humanities students are invited to critically explore and examine our past, present and future as global citizens. Students are led academically through a social-emotional learning approach that builds empathy in the classroom. Through hands-on participation in service learning, collaborative projects, and student-led discovery, students gain a broader understanding of self, their community and the world.



### MONTESSORI (PreK-5)

The MPS Montessori school provides a supportive, calm, caring environment that sparks every child's interests and promotes lifelong learning. Students learn in multi-age classrooms and interact daily with peers at different grade levels to extend their learning. Montessori materials are used to help students learn concepts concretely, which leads them to understanding abstract concepts. All concepts start with seeing the whole to the parts and back to the whole again.



## STEM/STEAM (PreK-8)

At MPS STEM/STEAM schools, students learn through project-based learning that uses student interest to address real world events. The projects require students to create solutions using knowledge from multiple subjects. Both the projects and thematic STEM/STEAM programming truly integrate knowledge from all academic subjects. A STEM/STEAM student is invited to work with others, share unique ideas, create new solutions and analyze information. Students are prepared for bright futures and careers through leadership opportunities and dedicated multi-purpose space for hands-on designing, inventing, engineering and robotics that also encourage flexibility and cultural awareness. At the high school level, students can continue STEM learning at their community high school and through participating in districtwide Career and Technical Education programs.



## SPANISH DUAL LANGUAGE (PreK-12)

MPS Spanish dual language schools are offered to Spanish- and English-speaking students and speakers of other languages to learn Spanish and English. The goal is for students to emerge fully bilingual and biliterate in English and Spanish, to gain cross-cultural appreciation and to become prepared for a globally interdependent world. In these programs, students begin their experience primarily in Spanish, with more English content added each year. Dual language instruction is one of the most effective ways for English learners to develop their language and academic skills. After 5th grade, students can continue their dual language studies at Andersen United Middle School. At the high school level, students can continue their language studies at their community high school or as part of the Roosevelt Dual Language program.



## ARTS (PreK-12)

Students interested in exploring dance, music, theatre and the visual arts will find a home at an MPS arts school. With at least three different arts-based experiences throughout each day, students develop their own unique approach to learning and problem-solving. Students will combine their skills and talents in the arts with core subjects such as English, math, science and social studies, expanding creative exploration and critical thinking opportunities. Family and community involvement in an arts school is key to success, especially as audience members. At the middle school level, students receive an arts experience through STEAM programming.

# CITYWIDE MAGNET SCHOOLS

School	Grades	Address	Bell time	Web
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## Global Studies & Humanities (PreK-8)

<b>Jefferson Global Studies &amp; Humanities</b>	PreK-8	1200 26th St. W.	7:30-2:00	Jefferson.mpls.k12.mn.us
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## Montessori (PreK-5)

<b>Seward Montessori</b>	PreK-5	2309 28th Ave. S.	9:30-4:00	Seward.mpls.k12.mn.us
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## Arts (PreK-12)

<b>Bethune Arts</b>	PreK-5	919 Emerson Ave. N.	8:05-2:35	Bethune.mpls.k12.mn.us
<b>Marcy Arts</b>	K-5	415 4th Ave. S.E.	9:30-4:00	Marcy.mpls.k12.mn.us
<b>Franklin STEAM Middle School</b>	6-8	1501 Aldrich Ave. N.	8:40-3:10	Franklin.mpls.k12.mn.us
<b>FAIR High School for Art</b>	9-12	10 10th St. S.	8:30-3:15	FAIR.mpls.k12.mn.us

# CITYWIDE MAGNET SCHOOLS

School	Grades	Address	Bell time	Web
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## Spanish Dual Language (PreK-12)

<b>Emerson Dual Language</b>	PreK-5	1421 Spruce Pl.	7:30-2:00	Emerson.mpls.k12.mn.us
<b>Green Central Dual Language</b>	PreK-5	3416 4th Ave. S.	9:30-4:00	Green.mpls.k12.mn.us
<b>Sheridan Dual Language</b>	PreK-5	1201 University Ave. N.E.	7:30-2:00	Sheridan.mpls.k12.mn.us
<b>Andersen United Middle School</b> (Dual Language Magnet within)	6-8	1098 Andersen Ln.	8:40-3:10	AndersenUnitedCommunity.mpls.k12.mn.us
<b>Roosevelt Spanish Dual Immersion</b>	9-12	4029 28th Ave. S.	8:10-3:00	Roosevelt.mpls.k12.mn.us/ immersion_pathway

## STEM/STEAM (PreK-8)

<b>Hall STEM</b>	PreK-5	1601 Aldrich Ave. N.	7:30-2:00	Hall.mpls.k12.mn.us
<b>Franklin STEAM Middle School</b>	6-8	1501 Aldrich Ave. N.	8:40-3:10	Franklin.mpls.k12.mn.us
<b>Sullivan STEM</b>	PreK-8	3100 28th St. E.	7:30-2:00	Sullivan.mpls.k12.mn.us

## ONLINE SCHOOL

School	Grades	Address	Bell time	Web
<b>MPS Online</b>	9-12	1250 W. Broadway Ave.	Virtual	Online.mpls.k12.mn.us

## OTHER CITYWIDE PROGRAMS

School	Grades	Address	Horarios de entrada y salida	Web
<b>Anishinabe</b> (American Indian MOA)	PreK-5	3100 28th St. E.	7:30-2:00	Anishinabe.mpls.k12.mn.us
<b>Heritage Academy</b>	9-12	1042 18th Ave. S.E.	M-Th: 7:45-2:53 F: 7:45-11:32	Heritage.mpls.k12.mn.us
<b>Longfellow</b> (pregnant and parenting teens)	9-12	3017 31st St. E.	9:40-4:10	Longfellow.mpls.k12.mn.us
<b>South All Nations</b>	9-12	3131 19th Ave. S.	8:30-3:00	South.mpls.k12.mn.us/ all_nations
<b>South Open</b>	9-12	3131 19th Ave. S.	8:30-3:00	South.mpls.k12.mn.us/open
<b>Wellstone International</b>	9-12	3328 Elliot Ave. S.	8:10-3:00	Wellstone.mpls.k12.mn.us
<b>Minneapolis Academy and Career Center</b> (MACC)	9-12	1250 W. Broadway Ave.	8:30-3:00	MACC.mpls.k12.mn.us

## CONTRACT ALTERNATIVE PROGRAMS

School	Grades	Address	Bell time	Web
<b>Takoda Prep</b>	9-12	1845 Franklin Ave. E.	9:25-4:00	Takoda.org/prep
<b>Loring Nicollet</b>	9-12	1925 Nicollet Ave. S.	8:45-3:15	ppl-inc.org/lnas
<b>Menlo Park</b>	9-12	1700 Second St. N.E.	8:45-3:45	esns.org/menlo
<b>Merc</b>	9-12	2539 Pleasant Ave. S..	8:00-2:30	ppl-inc.org/Merc
<b>Na-way-ee center</b>	7-12	2421 Bloomington Ave. S..	8:30-3:05	centerschool.org
<b>PYC Arts &amp; Tech.</b>	9-12	2210 Oliver Ave. N.	8:30-3:20 (M/T/Th/F) 10:30-3:20 (Wed.)	pcyc-mpls.org
<b>Volunteers of America</b>	10-12	924 19th Ave. S.	8:30-3:30 (M-Th) 8:30-12:30 (Fri)	voamnwi.org/ voa-high-school



## Hmong Language Pathway Program

The Hmong Language program, for students from the Hmong culture, begins at Hmong International Academy with the goal of students being able to speak, read, write and learn in both Hmong and English. New this year, program continuation at Olson for grades 6-8, followed by Henry (Hmong Heritage and Hmong World Language Courses) for grades 9-12 for students who already speak Hmong.

<b>HMONG LANGUAGE PROGRAMMING</b>				
<b>School</b>	<b>Grades</b>	<b>Address</b>	<b>Bell time</b>	<b>Web</b>
<b>Hmong International Academy</b>	PreK-5	1501 30th Ave. N.	8:00-2:30	HIA.mpls.k12.mn.us
<b>Olson Middle School</b>	6-8	1607 51st Ave. N.	8:40-3:10	Olson.mpls.k12.mn.us
<b>Henry High School</b>	9-12	4320 Newton Ave. N.	7:55-3:00	Henry.mpls.k12.mn.us

## Somali Language Heritage Pathway Program

Students learn the language and culture of Somalia in the Somali Language Heritage Pathway. For grades K-8, the program takes place at Lyndale Elementary (K-5) and Sullivan STEAM Magnet School (K-8). For grades 9-12, the program is at Heritage Academy and South High School.

<b>SOMALI LANGUAGE PROGRAMMING</b>				
<b>School</b>	<b>Grades</b>	<b>Address</b>	<b>Bell time</b>	<b>Web</b>
<b>Lyndale</b>	PreK-5	312 34th St. W.	8:25-2:55	Lyndale.mpls.k12.mn.us
<b>Sullivan STEM Magnet</b>	PreK-8	3100 28th St. E.	7:30-2:00	Sullivan.mpls.k12.mn.us
<b>Heritage Academy</b>	9-12	1042 18th Ave. S.E.	M-Th: 7:45-2:53 F: 7:45-11:32	Heritage.mpls.k12.mn.us
<b>South</b>	9-12	3131 19th Ave. S.	8:20-3:10	South.mpls.k12.mn.us

# World-Class Services

THAT SUPPORT A WELL-ROUNDED EDUCATION



## College and career opportunities

Whether through advanced academics, earning college credit in high school, or exploring careers, we challenge students to reach their full potential. We offer diverse college and career opportunities to prepare students as global citizens and lifelong learners. Look for a new, state-of-the-art Career and Technical Education Center to break ground at North High School within the next year. [Visit \*\*ccr.mpls.k12.mn.us\*\*](https://ccr.mpls.k12.mn.us) or call **612.668.5299** to learn more.



## Safe transportation

MPS safely transports to and from school eligible students in grades PreK-8 and those receiving special education services. In high school, we partner with the City of Minneapolis so students can take Metro Transit to school, work and extracurricular activities. That same option is now also available to some middle school students. MPS determines eligibility for transportation based on a number of factors, including where students live, what school they attend, and what services they qualify for. Someone will help you navigate that process during school enrollment. Stay tuned for transportation updates by visiting [transportation.mpls.k12.mn.us](https://transportation.mpls.k12.mn.us) or call **612.668.2300** to learn more.



## Awesome after-school activities

K-12 students can choose from two kinds of after-school programs. After-school enrichment activities are low or no cost, including art, dance, languages, cooking, sports, and technology. After-school academic activities are all free, including Girls in Engineering, Math and Science (GEMS) and Guys in Science and Engineering (GISE). [To learn more about enrichment programs, visit \*\*youth.mpls.k12.mn.us\*\*](https://youth.mpls.k12.mn.us) or call **612.668.3939**. [To learn more about academic programs, visit \*\*alc.mpls.k12.mn.us\*\*](https://alc.mpls.k12.mn.us) or call **612.668.0730**.



## Engaging early childhood education

From birth to kindergarten, students and families who choose MPS can learn and grow together. Early childhood classes help prepare new families for life and school until students are preschool aged. Our PreK programs begin as early as age three and continue until kindergarten, teaching students skills in reading and math while fostering creativity and celebrating play. Students of all abilities are welcomed and supported. [Visit \*\*ece.mpls.k12.mn.us\*\*](http://ece.mpls.k12.mn.us) or call **612.668.3717** to learn more.

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## Exceptional English Learner (EL) services

EL services in our schools help students learn to listen, speak, read, and write in English. All students with a home language other than English are assessed upon enrollment to determine eligibility. If you are eligible for services, staff will follow up with additional information.

[Visit \*\*multilingual.mpls.k12.mn.us\*\*](http://multilingual.mpls.k12.mn.us) or call **612.668.0174** to learn more.

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## Supportive Special Education services

We welcome all students with special needs and disabilities and support them through Special Education services. To receive Special Education services, a student must be evaluated and meet state criteria. Eligible students can receive services from birth through age 21 or completion of a secondary education program, and staff will work with families to develop an Individualized Education Plan (IEP) for the student.

[Visit \*\*speced.mpls.k12.mn.us\*\*](http://speced.mpls.k12.mn.us) or call **612.668.5444** to learn more.

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## Affordable childcare

Minneapolis Kids provides high-quality, fee-based childcare for families where children are encouraged to pursue interests and develop friendships, independence, and confidence. Minneapolis Kids is open to students in PreK/ kindergarten through grade 6 before and/or after school, on non-school days and during the summer at select locations.

[Visit \*\*mplskids.mpls.k12.mn.us\*\*](http://mplskids.mpls.k12.mn.us) or call **612.668.3890** to learn more.

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