

Our School

STEM Middle @ Baldwin Road is one of Ohio's two platform STEM middle schools and part of Reynoldsburg's K-12 STEM pathway. Baldwin is a school-of-choice, open to any Reynoldsburg student.

At STEM Middle @ Baldwin Road, students are engaged in transdisciplinary Problem and Project-Based Learning, a method that challenges students to develop mastery of grade level standards while developing real solutions to relevant problems observed locally and globally. Through the lens of Environmental STEM (eSTEM), Health Sciences and Social Justice, all teachers and staff are committed to advancing the philosophy and practice of STEM education through and with Design Cycle problem-solving, hands-on learning, career exploration and being "STEMmersed" in all things STEM.

STEM Middle @ Baldwin Road is proud to offer innovative elective course selections such as Green Architecture, Robotics, Energy & The Environment, Computer Science, App Creators, Medical Detectives, Sports Medicine, American Sign Language, Chinese, Spanish, Career Connections, SOIL Lab, Design CTE & Design 6. In addition to the general course studies, students have opportunities for enrichment, by enrolling in any of the following courses: Integrated Math 1 & 2, ELA 8 & 9 and African-American Literature. The fine arts electives are an additional lens through which Health Sciences is explored, in the Yoga and Hip-Hop Fitness elective courses. Additionally, students at STEM Middle @ Baldwin Road are also able to participate in Choir, Band, and Orchestra classes.

Students at STEM Middle @ Baldwin Road are evaluated via Mastery Based Grading and are often addressed as STEM Scholars, as they are inspired and empowered to be nothing less than exceptional.

Mission

The STEM Middle @ Baldwin Road Junior High School community, is committed to an environment where we authentically seek to motivate, inspire, invest in and empower all STEM Scholars to imagine, question, design, excel and soar far beyond their wildest dreams, in the world of eSTEM, Health Sciences, Social Justice and anywhere else, they seek to either blaze a trail or leave a lasting fingerprint. **In other words, we support our students finding out who they are; and then rocking it out!*

Partnerships

- The Black Physician's Network
- Abbott Future Well Kids Project
- OSU College of Arts & Sciences
- The Dream Center
- The Village Network
- Southeast Counseling
- A Better Life 2 Embrace (ABLE), LLC
- Americorp
- Peel Dem Layers Back, LLC
- NCH Dental Clinic
- Building Better LivesS

Signature Events

- STEM Service – Winter service project
- STEM Goes Red – American Heart Association Fundraiser
- STEM Career Day – Guest panelist / Area professionals with careers in STEM. Health Sciences and Social Justice.
- Makers' Market – Spring/Summer Oasis sale of student creations
- STEMagine Me! – Check out who our students are *Becoming!*
- The STEM Café – Showcase of School Wide Book Read and academic projects
- STEM Lab Coat Ceremony (5th Grade) – 5th grade STEM induction
- 8th Grade Bridging Ceremony – Promotion celebration

Programs

- National Junior Honor Society
- International Night
- Orchestra*
- Band*
- Choir*
- SMBR Student Council

**Offered as an elective course during the school day*

Mascot

Raider

Accolades

- Ohio Designated STEM School (Ohio Department of Education)
- Home of Columbus Parent Magazine's Middle School Teacher of the Year: Kristen Heath