



LPS is the District of Choices!

Lawrence Public Schools is dedicated to providing a safe learning environment where every student feels valued, respected, and supported. We recognize that each student's journey is unique, which is why we offer flexible learning options that cater to a variety of learning styles and needs, ensuring that all students have access to the education they deserve.

With a strong commitment to fostering a growth mindset, we empower students to embrace challenges, learn from setbacks, and continually develop their abilities. We focus on meeting students where they are, understanding their individual needs, and providing the support and resources necessary for their academic and personal success.

In our student-centered classrooms, learning is personalized to the unique strengths, interests, and goals of each student. We prioritize personalized learning experiences that engage students in meaningful, relevant ways. Our Multi-Tiered System of Supports (MTSS) ensures that students receive the appropriate level of support, whether it's universal instruction or more intensive interventions, to promote their growth and achievement.

Through the implementation of Positive Behavior Intervention Systems (PBIS), we create a culture where positive behavior is reinforced, and students feel encouraged to grow in both academics and character. Additionally, we provide social-emotional supports to nurture students' emotional well-being and help them develop essential skills for success both in and out of the classroom.

Our What I Need (WIN) supports program allows us to address students' specific needs in real-time, ensuring they receive targeted educational interventions that maximize their learning. We also emphasize peer-assisted learning supports, fostering collaborative environments where students can learn from and support one another.

LPS places a strong emphasis on relationships—building meaningful connections between students, teachers, and families to create a supportive, collaborative environment for learning.

We value the partnership with families, working together to ensure a consistent and supportive approach to learning both at home and at school. Above all, we are committed to nurturing life-long learners, instilling in students the curiosity and resilience they need to continue growing beyond their school years, which is in line with our Mission; Empowering, Inspiring, and Challenging Students to Champion a Lifetime of Education and Excellence.



LPS Student Supports

Lawrence Elementary School

- ❖ Multi Tiered System of Supports (MTSS)
 - ❖ Positive Behavior Intervention and Support (PBIS)
 - ❖ Collection of Formative Data: Daily-Weekly-Monthly-Quarterly
 - ❖ WIN Time (What I Need / Tier 2 and 3 supports)
 - ❖ Reading Specialist, Title Services, and At Risk
 - ❖ Instructional Coach, Title Services, and At Risk
 - ❖ Behavior Specialist, At Risk, and Homelessness Liaison
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- ❖ Special Education Director
- ❖ EL (English Learner) Teacher
- ❖ Reading and Math Specialist
- ❖ Social Worker
- ❖ Mental Health Clinician
- ❖ Speech Language Pathologist
- ❖ Direct Teacher Consultant for Special Education
- ❖ School Psychologist
- ❖ Special Education Paraprofessionals (3)
- ❖ At Risk Paraprofessional (.5)
- ❖ Title Paraprofessional (3)
- ❖ Maple Creek Alternative Education

Lawrence Jr/Sr High School

- ❖ Multi Tiered System of Supports (MTSS)
 - ❖ Positive Behavior Incentive System (PBIS)
 - ❖ Collection of Formative Data: Daily-Weekly-Monthly-Quarterly
 - ❖ Seminar (Time for Tier 2 and 3 supports)
 - ❖ Special Education Director
 - ❖ School Counselor
 - ❖ Dean
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- ❖ Social Worker
- ❖ EL Teacher
- ❖ Mental Health Clinician
- ❖ Special Education Paraprofessionals (2)
- ❖ Bilingual Paraprofessional (1)

Classroom Supports (partial list)

Differentiated instruction, scaffolding, visual aids, graphic organizers, menu learning, assistive technology, clear routines, positive reinforcement, sentence starters, study skills instruction, accessible materials, text-to-speech...



Safe Learning Environment	Personalized Learning	Student Centered Classes
Flexible Learning Options	State Standards Based	Essential Standards Focused

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Project Based Learning
 MTSS
 SEL Support
 PBIS
 WIN
 PALS
 Education Interventions
 Acadience Learning
 Bookworms Curriculum
 Number Sense
 PTO
 Alumni Association

Jr/Sr High School

EDP (Xello) Focused Pathways
 MTSS
 SEL Support
 Personalized Learning
 Seminar
 PALS
 Tech Center/CTE
 Dual Enrollment/MTA/Middle College
 CoOp/Work Based Learning/School to Work
 Virtual Learning
 PBIS
 Alumni Association

Focus

Building Relationships
 Growth Mindset That All Students Can Learn
 Creating Life-Long Learners

Meeting Students Where They Are
 Providing Safe Learning Environments
 All Students Have Unique Gifts & Abilities



Lawrence Public Schools Athletics

Varsity/Jr High Sports (Offerings)

Fall

Cross Country (Varsity/Jr High Coed)

Football (Varsity/Jr High)

Soccer (Jr High Coed)

Volleyball (Varsity/Jr High)

Winter

Girls Basketball (Varsity/Jr High)

Boys Basketball (Varsity/JV/Jr High)

Wrestling (Varsity/Jr High Coed)

Sideline/Competitive Cheer

(Varsity)

Spring

Baseball (Varsity/Jr High)

Softball (Varsity/Jr High)

Track (Varsity/Jr High Coed)

Jr/Sr HS Programming and Supports

Flexible Alternative Learning

Opportunities

MTA/Dual Enrollment/Middle College

Tech Center

CLEP (AP Testing)

Performing Arts

Jazz Band

Marching Band

Art Club

NHS

Quiz Bowl

Diversity Club

Science Olympiads

Pep Club

Mental Health Clinician & Social Worker

Elementary Programming and Supports

Mental Health Clinician & Social Worker

Instructional Coach

Reading Interventionists

Student Support Services Director

Behavior Interventionist

After School Club

WIN Time

Youth Sports Facility(TIGER DEN)

1 Baseball Field

1 Softball Field

1 T-ball Field

1 Football/Soccer Field

Youth Sports (Offerings)

Soccer

Flag Football

Basketball

Baseball

Softball