

POINTS OF PRIDE: ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS

Wayne-Westland Community Schools promote high expectations for success and provides students with a safe, caring and nurturing environment. The dynamic environment throughout the school district illustrates that when a school and community work together, extraordinary results occur. Our schools give us many points of pride, which include:

STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT AND SUPPORT

- Our curriculum aligns with state and national standards.
- An intervention specialist at every school provides additional academic support to students requiring extra support.
- Students in grades K-6 can participate in the Talented and Gifted program.
- Staff meets students' needs with individualized instruction.
- Modern technology includes interactive smart boards, learn pads, iPads, Chromebooks and virtual field trips.
- Students have weekly instruction in Spanish, art, music (band, strings, choir), media and physical education.
- The district focuses on student leadership and goal setting through programs such as Leader in Me and PBiS programs.
- A social worker at every school provides behavioral support and learning opportunities.

SAFE AND SECURE SCHOOLS

- Every school uses visitor entry protocols.
- Students and staff practice safety drills and procedures for responding to emergencies.

EXTRA CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES FOR STUDENTS

- A variety of after-school clubs and activities are available for students. These include Girls on the Run, Recycle Club, Newspaper Club, Bright Futures, scouts, and basketball.
- Before and after school childcare is available in all K-6 schools through the Champions Program www.wwcsd.net/parents--students/champions/.

POSITIVE RELATIONSHIPS

- WWCS has actively engaged parent teacher organizations and the Watch D.O.G.S program for dads and male guardians.
- Teacher and principals communicate with parents via ParentConnect, Class Dojo, email, and newsletters.
- ▶ The district offers a FREE breakfast and lunch program for all students in grades K-12.

