

## HEY MIDDLE SCHOOLERS...

Think STEM is super cool but really like music and art, too?  
In LPS middle schools you can do it all!

### Live in another school district?

No problem! 20% of LPS students choose to come here instead of their neighborhood school!

Want to hang out with your friends every day and do really cool things like play the xylophone and learn a foreign language?

That's what you do in middle school!

### STUDENT-DRIVEN BEFORE & AFTER SCHOOL ACTIVITIES

Technology Student Association  
National Junior Honor Society  
Destination ImagiNation

Geography Bee  
Spelling Bee  
Student Council  
Brain Bowl  
Chess Club  
Game & Coding Club  
Jazz Band  
Art Club

### INTRAMURAL & INTRASCHOLASTIC ATHLETICS

Volleyball  
Basketball  
Wrestling  
Track & Field

### Don't see the club you want?

Create it! Yep, you can do that in middle school!

What do science, language arts, awesome friendships and chess have in common?

They're all part of the LPS middle school experience!

Are you most excited about having your own locker, getting your own Chromebook or choosing what electives you take?

Well, you don't have to decide! All three are part of the LPS middle school experience!

Looking for Gifted/Talented Services or Special Education Services and an awesome middle school community?

Look no further!



EXPERIENCE THE EXCELLENCE.

FEEL THE PRIDE.

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### EUCLID MIDDLE SCHOOL

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# THE MIDDLE SCHOOL EXPERIENCE



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## THE MIDDLE SCHOOL EXPERIENCE

Littleton Public Schools has four middle schools: **Euclid, Goddard, Newton** and **Powell**. While each has its own personality, all four offer the guaranteed, rigorous LPS middle school curriculum. Balanced between STEM and Liberal Arts, students are exposed to a wide variety of academic disciplines.

Middle school in LPS is unique. It is an opportunity for students to grow academically, emotionally, developmentally and socially. It is a time to try new things, explore new interests and broaden their world as 21st century learners.

Opportunities for middle school students grow as they grow. Students are placed in grade-specific CORE groups, creating smaller communities within each school. In their CORE, students learn math, science, social studies and language arts. As they progress from 6th grade to 8th grade, the number of electives students may choose to take increases.



## GROWTH, OPPORTUNITY & FLEXIBILITY

Middle school is a time of great change! Students seem to grow inches overnight and they begin to develop a sense of independence. Over the course of three short years, parents watch as their children mature into teenagers. Students enter middle school with much of the same structure as elementary school and leave ready to transition into the world of high school.

No one understands these changes better than the principals, teachers and staff of our four middle schools. They are experts in providing the appropriate support for students and families throughout this transition. In middle school, students begin to shift away from the elementary school structure and adapt to a more independent routine. Opportunity and flexibility increase as each student matures.



### OUR NEIGHBORHOOD SCHOOLS ARE THE BEST CHOICE.

"Accredited with Distinction" for 8 years in a row by the Colorado Department of Education, Littleton Public Schools is among the Denver metro area's highest rated districts. So whether you live in the district or are coming to LPS from another district, you can be certain that you are getting only the best.

### COMMUNITY IS AS IMPORTANT AS ACADEMICS.

A top-rated education is important, but a sense of community and belonging is paramount. Students and families in LPS support one another in and out of the classroom, creating a place that everyone can call home.



## KEEPING THINGS IN PERSPECTIVE

The transition to middle school is an exciting time! Our middle school principals, who have decades of experience among them, remind us of what really matters...

**For Kids:** Having a locker...figuring out the lunch line...finding their friends and making new ones, too...having nice teachers...feeling safe...not missing the bus...and getting to choose their elective classes.

**For Parents:** Making sure students feel safe...being sure that someone knows and cares about their child...making sure their child's individual needs are being met...and being sure their child is being adequately prepared for a bright future beyond middle school.

Our caring teachers, principals and staff members understand what's important and make students and parents feel at ease!

## THE EXPERIENCE IS ABOUT MORE THAN JUST SCHOOL...

## MIDDLE SCHOOL IS ABOUT SELF-DISCOVERY...



## IN A PLACE WHERE STUDENTS FEEL SAFE AND ACCEPTED.

## SOMETHING FOR EVERYONE

**Challenging Curriculum:** Mathematics - Science - Language Arts - Social Studies - Accelerated Math Opportunities - Gifted/Talented Services - Differentiated Learning - Special Education Services - Opportunities to Earn High School Credit

**Exploratory Electives:** Fine, Practical and Performing Arts - Foreign Language - Design/Build STEM Centers in areas of Aerospace, Aeronautics, Woods/Metal Technology and more - Physical Education - Band, Orchestra and Vocal Music - Commercial Art - Journalism/Yearbook - Everyday Living

LPS middle schools prepare students to attend award-winning LPS neighborhood high schools! 90% of LPS graduates indicate that they are college-bound. Each year, seniors are offered more than \$42 million in college scholarships. LPS students are regular recipients of National Merit, Presidential, Boettcher and military academy scholarships.