

Grant Wood Elementary 2016-17

Mission

Griffin greatness every day.

Vision

Grant Wood Griffins will take ownership of their learning by persevering, collaborating and achieving high goals. We will see them actively engaged in their learning and able to communicate knowledge through different applications. Grant Wood Griffins will self-regulate, take ownership for their behaviors & emotions as well as show empathy towards others. They will be innovative collaborators who value life-long learning and are prepared for the challenges of the future.

Core Values

Respectful, Responsible and Safe

Each member of the Grant Wood Elementary staff is constantly learning and improving practice, so all students get the very best education possible.

Focus Areas

The learning culture of Grant Wood Elementary will thrive because all students are provided daily core SEB instructions. Holding true to the PBIS systems, throughout all areas of our school (classroom and common areas) consistent structures, routines and expectations will be set and reinforced by all staff members.

Grant Wood teachers will collaboratively plan using the weekly planning template. Instruction will include the following five tight elements of effective instruction: purpose statements, 100% active engagement strategies, formative assessments, explicit teaching and differentiation. All core instruction will be delivered within a tight agreed upon master schedule.