




SALK MIDDLE SCHOOL

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 **Office Hours:** 7 a.m. to 3:45 p.m.
Student School Day: 8:15 a.m. to 2:55 p.m.

 **Principal:** Julie Athman



About Salk Middle School

- » Salk Middle School serves students from 6th through 8th grade and is 1 of 4 middle schools in ISD 728.
- » Located in Elk River, Salk's Pre-Engineering Magnet Program is the only secondary school that is a member of the Northwest Suburban Integration School District. It serves all students within ISD 728 that apply and are accepted to the program.
- » Salk continually receives the Magnet Schools of America's School of Excellence and School of Distinction Awards.
- » Students at Salk live up to the district's mission in order to shape their future, accomplish dreams and contribute positively to local and global communities.
- » Salk's STEM program provides a rigorous curriculum that is aligned with both national and Minnesota State Standards. All students have the opportunity to experience a comprehensive curriculum enhanced by thematic units that integrate technology instruction via STEM-based instruction.




Salk Highlights

- » National History Day and the Salk Science Fair allows students to display what they've learned and apply that knowledge with meaningful, motivational projects.
- » School-wide themes drive academic instruction and offers students the chance to develop a well-rounded understanding of STEM, including technology applications, scientific communications, the nature of science and engineering and STEM use in today's society.
- » Partnerships with local businesses and community members allow Salk to facilitate real-life applications of their STEM-based knowledge.
- » Diverse opportunities outside of the school day, including GEMS (Girls in Engineering, Math and Science), LEGO Robotics League, Math League, Students Council, WEB Leaders and music programs.

Enrollment


 **845** students

Academics

MCA TEST SCORES		DISTRICT	STATE
 MATH >	74.5%	58.7%	
 READING >	69.6%	60.2%	
 SCIENCE >	64.7%	54.2%	

Staff

 **60%** of staff at Salk have attained their Master's Degree or higher

 **9** years Average number of years of teaching experience

 **2014 Magnet Teacher of the Year** recipient



Our mission is to **educate, inspire** and **empower** our diverse learners, to shape their futures, to accomplish their dreams and to contribute positively to our local and global communities.

Have questions?

Visit our Welcome Center! 11500 193rd Ave. NW | 763.241.3536 | welcomecenter@isd728.org