



INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT 728

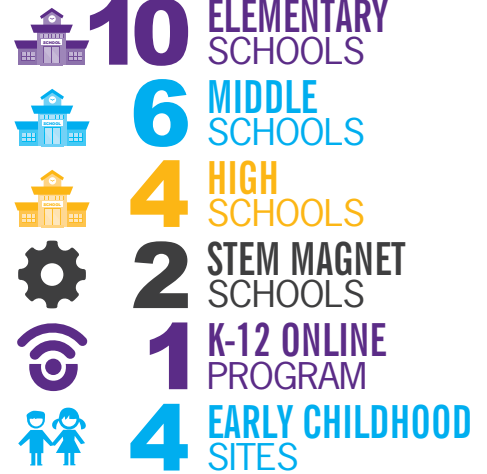
ELK RIVER | OTSEGO | ROGERS | ZIMMERMAN

7 CORE VALUES

1. ALL people have value.
2. Valuing and respecting differences strengthens the individual and the community.
3. People thrive when they feel connected, supported and affirmed.
4. Everyone can learn.
5. Hope inspires and empowers.
6. Lifelong learning is essential for personal growth.
7. Change is an opportunity for growth.

1 MISSION

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.



OVER 60,000 LIFELONG LEARNERS

2021 NATIONAL MAGNET SCHOOL OF DISTINCTION

Salk Middle School is a 2021 National Magnet School of Distinction recipient. The recognition is the second highest national award for a magnet school.

BEST PLACE TO RAISE CHILDREN

Rogers, home to four ISD 728 schools, was featured by the national Businessweek magazine as the "best place to raise children in Minnesota."

STATE CULINARY CHAMPIONS

The Elk River High School Culinary Team has won 8 state championships.

#1 — in — **MATH**

#3 — in — **READING**

Compared to the 10 largest school districts in Minnesota.

NATIONAL BLUE RIBBON SCHOOL

Twin Lakes Elementary School was named a National Blue Ribbon School, making it 1 of only 3 MN elementary schools earning this nationwide recognition.

CERTIFICATE OF EXCELLENCE

The ISD 728 Finance Department is consistently recognized with the Certificate of Excellence award in Financial Reporting by The Association of School Business Officials International.

2021 ACT COLLEGE READINESS SCORES

| | DISTRICT | STATE | NATIONAL |
|-----------|------------|-------|----------|
| ENGLISH > | 59% | 61% | 56% |
| MATH > | 52% | 48% | 36% |
| READING > | 51% | 52% | 44% |
| SCIENCE > | 45% | 45% | 35% |

2020 MCA TEST SCORES

