

# Helena Middle School



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We, at Helena Middle School, aspire to create a rigorous and differentiated curriculum, to prepare all students as they become College and Career ready in a global and diverse world.

Helena Middle School will ensure that students have an environment that is conducive to and supportive of all learners guided by the middle school values of academic excellence, social equity, and a positive learning culture.

### Beliefs

- The school environment will promote dignity, respect, and accountability
- Each student has the right to learn and each student can learn
- Learning takes place in an environment that is safe and secure for students and staff
- Education should be a collaborative effort among faculty, staff, students, and parent

| <b>Mathematics</b>  | <b>English Language Arts</b>  |
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| <b>Critical Initiative: Implement standards based, targeted Mathematics Instruction</b>                       | <b>Critical Initiative: Implement standards based, targeted ELA Instruction</b>                               |
| <b>Objective: Develop data informed instructional practices that improve Tier 1 learning for all students</b> | <b>Objective: Develop data informed instructional practices that improve Tier 1 learning for all students</b> |
| <b>Intended Outcome: Improve student achievement in mathematics</b>   | <b>Intended Outcome: Improve student achievement in ELA</b>   |

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| <b>Activites</b>                  | Questioning & Learning Targets | <b>Activites</b>                  | Questioning & Learning Targets |
| <b>Tag</b>                        | <b>Instructional Practice</b>  | <b>Tag</b>                        | <b>Impact of Instruction</b>   |
| <b>Activities &amp; Resources</b> | IXL,                           | <b>Activities &amp; Resources</b> | IXL                            |
| <b>Activity Measure</b>           | Observations, data planning    | <b>Activity Measure</b>           | Observations, data planning    |
| <b>Benchmark Assess</b>           | ACAP                           | <b>Benchmark Assess</b>           | ACAP                           |

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