

There are many reasons that learning may become a challenge for any student.

Promising Futures Leadership Academy is an opportunity available to students who may be having difficulty academically or socially in their current school.



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## Thrive in a new environment with the supports you need to succeed!

Potential candidates for Promising Futures may:

- » be at risk for low academic performance
- » be at risk for social isolation
- » prefer or learn best from hands on, project-based learning
- » exhibit a strong, influential personality
- » need supports/ flexibility that a traditional school can't provide

### New Environment

#### Small classes

There are up to 15 students in each class. This allows teachers and students the opportunity to build strong relationships and each student the opportunity to receive the instruction they need.

#### Hands on, project-based learning

Class-wide projects with opportunities for students to participate across different disciplines, lead other students in learning, and share their strengths.

#### Individualized learning plan

Teachers and students work together to create plans where student's interests are taken into consideration. Learning is rigorous and offers choice for students.



### Support

Staff onsite to support mental health needs  
*Proactive supports & response as needed*



- Social Workers
- School Counselors
- Psychologists
- Mental Health Clinicians

### Ready for Success

#### Leadership training

Guest speakers visit and share their expertise and perspectives during trainings and dialogues.



#### Internships

Students have internship opportunities at local businesses or institutions; these internships offer experiences for students to gauge interest across multiple fields.

*\*Students may still participate in extracurricular activities at their home school.*

### Apply online today!

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**Interview:** Once an application and referral are on file, the Promising Futures Selection Team will schedule an interview with each applicant and parent/guardian, unless otherwise noted.