



Roy Cloud School (K-8)

School with neighborhood boundaries

Principal: Marilyn Silicani
Vice-Principal: Renee Gheno
2007-08 Enrollment: 715

MISSION STATEMENT

The mission of Roy Cloud is to help students develop academic and life skills that will enable them to become productive, healthy members of society in order to meet the challenges of the future.

OVERVIEW

Roy Cloud School is a kindergarten through eighth grade school that focuses on providing a well-rounded, standards-based program for students. High standards for both academic achievement and behavior are expected. Roy Cloud staff provide a rigorous program, and teachers believe that it is equally important to create positive memories in the lives of students which is key to success not only in school but in life. Together the Roy Cloud community, parents, and staff strive to build a safe and positive environment.



PROGRAM FEATURES

Technology Program

Technology skills are integrated into the curriculum, and students have the opportunity to develop their technology skills. Roy Cloud has two state of the art computer labs and classrooms have multiple computers. Additionally, there is a wide range of software to support student publishing, multimedia presentations, and curriculum enrichment. Students routinely use the internet to do research as well to complete assignments and projects.

Enrichment Programs

Teachers at Roy Cloud expect all students to work to the maximum of their potential and provide various teaching strategies to meet the needs of all students. Enrichment activities include: Art in Action, Field Days, journalism, Spanish, intramural sports, instrumental music, author / illustrator visits, music, and advanced math in grades 6-8.

The Learning Garden

Roy Cloud students have their very own Learning Garden. Students in grades K-8 will be able to learn gardening basics while tending their own plants. The Learning Garden offers opportunities for budding gardeners to discover growing requirements for plants, preparing the soil, sowing seeds, feeding and care of plants, composting, weeding and mulching as well as

identifying garden pests and friends.

Parent Involvement/ After School Enrichment

Programs

Roy Cloud is fortunate to have an involved parent community that is integral to the success of the school. Parent volunteers participate regularly in a variety of school wide activities. After school enrichment programs are funded by community members.

The following are some of the after school programs offered at Roy Cloud School:

- Chess
- Hip Hop Dance
- Theater
- The Learning Center
- Chorus
- Art
- Knitting
- Baton
- Tennis

Character Education

Roy Cloud School considers good character to be critical, and with this in mind, the school has created an environment that is filled with opportunities for citizenship, philanthropy and service. The Character Building Program includes specific monthly character traits of focus, and they are embedded in a school wide program.