

## ASSESSMENT

Teachers use a variety of methods when assessing students. They may include:

- Portfolio Collection
- Observations
- Demonstrations
- Conferences
- Self-evaluations
- Peer evaluations
- Surveys
- Checklists
- Common District Assessment
- Benchmark Assessment
- PSAT
- Writing rubric
- State Assessment: M-STEP

## PARENT COMMUNICATION

Parents are encouraged to talk with their child's teacher at any time during the school year.

Following is a list of ways that you may communicate with and/or review your child's progress.

- PowerSchool
- Teacher's web site/email/voice mail
- Parent-teacher conferences
- School Messenger
- District Facebook page

## Ways You Can Help Your Child At Home

- ✓ Provide a study place
- ✓ Develop a system for organizing and maintaining a notebook
- ✓ Encourage your child to participate in class
- ✓ Talk about how you use math at work and home
- ✓ Involve children in tasks that require computing, measuring, estimating, building, following directions, problem solving and reasoning
- ✓ Make the above resources available to your home
- ✓ Supporting homework

# District Mission Statement

In partnership with the community, we seek to instill in students high standards for academic excellence, integrity, leadership and responsible citizenship.



# New Lothrop Area Public Schools

*Student Learning Targets*



**Jr. High – Electives**

Grade Level and Content Area Teachers developed a list of 5-10 Student Learning Targets (SLT'S) for DK-12th grade. This brochure is meant to help students and parents become familiar with each course and the intended outcomes upon completion.

Accordingly, Students will be able to...

## JH Physical Education

- Students will know and understand the importance of physical activity as it relates to lifelong fitness.
- Students will learn physical activities that they can use as a part of their goals towards lifelong fitness.
- Students will be able to set appropriate goals using the SMART goal concept as it obtains to lifelong fitness.
- Students will meet and or exceed the recommended amount of daily physical activity.
- Students will build confidence and competence with their own physical abilities.
- Students will develop personal and social skills including but not limited to teamwork and collaboration.

## JH Industrial Arts

- Formulate a set of strategies to manufacture a part and fill out an operation sheet reflecting the chosen strategies including required tools and processes
- Manual operations: develop a process plan for manufacture of a part
- Turning operations; between centers- setup and carryout between center turning operations for straight turning
- Bandsaw: safety and operation
- Drill press: setup and operate drill press
- Carry out assigned responsibilities while adhering to safe practices
- Locate understand and interpret written technical and non-technical in documents commonly found in the metalworking and woodworking industries.
- Sanding machines: properly and safely use disk, orbital, belt, and spindle sanders to achieve a project goal
- Use proper finishing techniques on a given project
- Perform addition subtraction multiplication and division of whole numbers without a calculator and performs calculation of fractions as decimals as well as conversion to metric measurements with or without a calculator

## JH Art

- Apply visual organized strategies and multiple mediums to create artwork that clearly communicates ideas.
- Prepare and present artwork for exhibition.
- critique artwork of themselves and others using discipline specific vocabulary.
- Make art individually or collaboratively to reflect on and reinforce aspects of group identity.
- Use materials appropriately and show willingness to experiment with media.

## JH Spanish

- Become familiar with the sounds of the Spanish language.
- Recite words, phrases, and sentences to perfect accent.
- Acquire basic vocabulary words.
- Participate in oral dialogues.
- Recognize a difference in syntax patterns in English and Spanish.
- Recognize conjugations of verbs in the present tense.
- Express basic sentences in written and oral Spanish.
- Read and understand brief selections in Spanish.
- Study Hispanic cultures.