



# MEDINA

## MIDDLE SCHOOL

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**SCHOOL MISSION:** Preparing students for a future of unlimited achievement and success in any career path they choose.

**SCHOOL VISION:** Educate, Elevate, Engage every child, every day to Excel to the next level.

**DRESS CODE:** The students at Medina Middle School will follow the CCS Dress Code policy. ***NO SOLID RED OR SOLID BLUE T-Shirts are to be worn at any time.*** In addition, students are not permitted to wear tank tops or flip flops, shirts, blouses, sweaters and jackets with 'hoods.'

**CURRICULUM:** Medina Middle School offers a strong curriculum that is aligned to the State of Ohio Standards. All students will be team taught by grade level and participate in a course to improve their reading across content areas. In addition, all Unified Arts courses will be set up differently to meet the needs of students. In the 6<sup>th</sup> grade, students will have the opportunity to survey multiple Unified Arts courses. During the 7<sup>th</sup> grade year, students spend a semester in their courses and gain insight about the courses. This helps prepare students for their 8<sup>th</sup> grade year, where they take a more focused approach to their learning. As 8<sup>th</sup> graders, students remain in their courses all year and receive high school credit for all Unified Arts classes.

**PARENT INVOLVMENT:** Medina Middle School observes an open door policy for parents. Parents/guardians are welcome to attend and participate in classroom observations and teacher conferences.

**COMMUNITY PARTNERSHIPS:** Community involvement is stressed during the United Way, UNCF, Operation Feed campaigns, Connecting Kids Inside Out Community Connector, and USAD.

**WHAT MAKES OUR SCHOOL OUTSTANDING:** Middle School Mock Trial Champions for CCS District & Superior on State Level (OCLRE) for the 2010-2011 school year, Junior Achievement, DARE, Service Learning and Community Service Projects, School wide Beautification Project, Service Above Self Programming, PTA, PBIS, Advanced Course Placement, Reading Buddies with Huy Elementary school, Student Council, Student Ambassadors, 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Courses for High School Credit and STEAM Enrichment Institute every summer.

**WHAT WE DO FOR FUN:** Winter and spring concerts are held to showcase students' talents. Students and teachers participate in educational programs, Final Fridays (In school incentive for (PBIS) *Positive Behavioral Interventions and Supports*), First Friday (After school dances, movies and games), and Open Gym.

**ACTIVITIES/ATHLETICS:** Students participate in peer mediation, Project Mentor, Career Center for Youth, Young MS, Student Ambassadors, STEM/Robotics Club, Art Club, Spanish Club, Volleyball, Coed Soccer, Basketball (Girls/Boys), Baseball, Softball and Track, Young Men of Medina and Young Ladies of Medina-'Girls Can'. We recognize student achievement every nine-weeks by having honor roll and perfect attendance breakfast celebrations.

**WHERE WE ARE LOCATED:** On the north side of town, west on Huy Road from Cleveland Avenue (1425 Huy Road, Columbus, OH 43224).

**ABOUT OUR STAFF:** Medina Middle School is outstanding because of its diverse population, rich in cultural awareness, coupled with a dedicated staff who believes that all children can learn. We strive to meet student social, emotional, and academic needs in order to create resilient youth and life-long learners. Fifty percent of Medina's staff members have their master's degree and many years of teaching experience. We believe all of Medina's students will be college and career ready. "We are *In it to Win it.*"