

WHAT IS WEST BRANCH SCHOOL?

West Branch School (WBS) is a licensed K-6 school founded in 1971 that fosters the highest level of excellence in teaching and learning. Small class sizes create an atmosphere of acceptance in which diversity is celebrated and conflict is met with empathy, conscientious decision making, and proactive problem solving. Each student at WBS is respected as an individual and is challenged at their own level. This approach to education enables us to capitalize on students' strengths, honoring their unique learning styles and allowing them to excel.

"WBS fosters learning over schooling. At WBS children are actively involved in learning processes that help them develop inquiry and problem solving skills. These skills instill a life-long love of learning in each child."

Laura Hensler, Parent



WHAT DOES BOUNDLESS LEARNING LOOK LIKE?

Visit and observe a nine-year-old rehearsing for a lead role in a Shakespearian production which will be performed on stage in front of a live audience. Watch a kindergarten student facilitate a morning meeting, or explain and demonstrate a science fair project to a group of visitors from the community. Witness how our experienced teachers weave elements of history, science, math, reading, art, music, business, and interpersonal relationship development into a lesson that teaches students how civilizations develop.

It is never too early to invest in preparing your child academically, socially, and emotionally for a successful high school, college and post-collegiate experience. The best way to understand what boundless learning looks like is to experience it for yourself.

Schedule a visit with us!

WE BELIEVE IN:

- Respecting the “how” and “what” of learning
- Questioning, communicating, and shared decision-making
- Promoting positive self-image
- Developing trust-leading and positive risk-taking
- Providing a safe, nurturing environment
- Resolving conflicts peacefully
- Maintaining awareness of the interdependence of all things
- **Play, fun, joy, and excitement!**



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Our holistic approach to education focuses on social as well as academic development, creating a well-rounded graduate who will excel in high school and beyond. WBS students benefit from:

- High academic standards
- A small student-to-teacher ratio
- PA licensed, certified teachers
- Multiple and varied field trips
- A unique schoolhouse setting
- Need-based tuition assistance
- An enriching afterschool program
- Project-based and activity-orientated learning
- An open, diverse, and nonsectarian environment

INVOLVED & COMMITTED

Parents and staff share in the governance of our school, so parents can be directly involved in their children's educational process. One reason our students are so successful is the nurturing atmosphere created by active parents.

ENCOURAGE. ENGAGE. INSPIRE. EMPOWER.

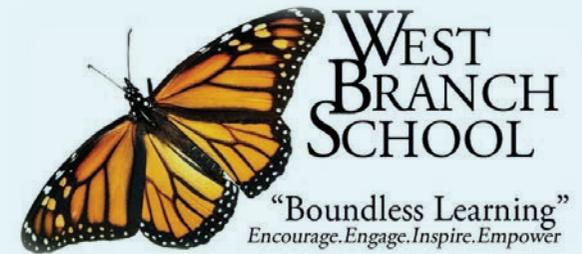
Since 1971, we have provided a foundation for families interested in a secure, challenging, yet nurturing environment for their children's educational development. Each child experiences a variety of learning situations involving large groups, small groups, and individualized activities and instruction. Classes are facilitated in a spacious, open area where all levels and ages have an opportunity to exchange ideas, work together to enhance learning, and benefit from a true community spirit.

Notice of Non-discriminatory Policy for students

West Branch School admits students of any race, color, national and ethnic origin to all the rights, privileges, programs and activities generally accorded or made available to students at the school. It does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national and ethnic origin in admission policies, scholarship or other school-administered programs.

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education for over 40 years!***



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