



**Franklin Elementary School**  
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## Welcome to Franklin Elementary!

Franklin is a learning community rooted in building culturally responsive relationships. Our respectful, responsible and safe community creates an environment in which everyone feels secure while being challenged to achieve personal success.

Our mission is to be a learning center where all can learn, excel and work together for the best possible result. Our diversity, respect for each person and high expectations define who we are. As a community of staff, students and families, we exist to foster an emotionally and physically safe and challenging learning environment for all members. We are a school of excellence. Academic achievement, personal responsibility, friendship and honesty are at the heart of our success together. We care about each other enough to accept nothing less than everyone's best effort.

The PTA is very involved in the planning of many school events throughout the school year. The PTA sponsors fall and spring book fairs, educational programming for students and fun, free family events such as movie, bingo and math nights, "Go Green Night," the end-of-year school-wide picnic and more. The PTA also supports staff and students by fulfilling requests to help make each student's education the best it can be.

### **What makes Franklin Elementary School special?**

- Franklin offers language arts courses through the Wisconsin Center for Academically Talented Youth.
- Students have specialty courses including Art, Music, Physical Education and 5th and 6th Grade Band and Orchestra.
- SAGE funding for grades 1-3 results in lower class sizes and additional school-wide Title 1 reading support.
- Before and after school care program is available through the YMCA.

**School Website:** [franklin.manitowocpublicschools.org](http://franklin.manitowocpublicschools.org)

### **Principal:**

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### **Office Hours:**

(During school year)  
7:30 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

### **School Hours:**

8:10 a.m. – 3:10 p.m.

### **Grades:** 1-6

### **Enrollment:** 400

### **Teaching Staff:** 36

### **Facility:**

Opened in 1952; updated in 1955, 1999, 2010

### **Mascot:** Falcons

### **Clubs & Activities:**

- Band
- Orchestra
- Student Council
- Runners' Club
- Chess Club
- Boy/Girl Scouts
- Summer Academy
- Safety Patrol
- Backpack Book Club
- Homework Hangout
- ELL Study Club
- Wisconsin Center for Academically Talented Youth courses

### **Facebook:**

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