

## Admission

Any student in grades 6-8 in the South Bend Community School Corporations is eligible to apply for admission to Jefferson Traditional Middle School. Applications for admission are available at all SBCSC schools and on-line at [sb.school](http://sb.school)

### Admissions criteria:

- Completion of the application process
- Commitment to the traditional school philosophy requiring: student self discipline, homework completion, school uniformity of color dress code
- Orientation with student and parent
- Parental agreement to a written contract to be actively involved, monitor homework, enforce discipline, and participate in school activities.

Jefferson Traditional uses a proactive approach to discipline that incorporates the principles of culturally responsive, positive behavior intervention and supports.

School wide expectations:

### B.A.R.K

Be Prepared—to be ready and responsible for my actions

Accountable—to be a good citizen to the Jefferson Bulldog community

Respectful—to show honor to self and others

Knowledgeable—to be actively engaged in processes and procedures



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South Bend Community School Corporation

# Jefferson Traditional Middle School



Preparing today for tomorrow!

## Who We Are

The mission of Jefferson Traditional Middle School is to empower individuals to be lifelong learners reaching high academic and social expectations through a collaboration of parents, students, school, and community.

*“Work together to make things right.”*



Jefferson Traditional uses Restorative Justice in Education (RJE) and is committed to creating just and fair working environments for both students and staff. Justice honors the inherent worth of all, and is enacted through relationships.



Jefferson Intermediate Traditional School is designed to provide students in grades 6-8 the opportunity for academic, social and emotional growth in a highly structured back-to basics learning environment. The school places a strong emphasis on high academic standards, student responsibility, and active parental involvement.

- **High academic standards:** Students engage in highly rigorous instruction which develops students' literacy, numeracy, communication, and critical thinking skills across content areas.
- **Student responsibility:** Students contribute to their classroom and school communities by demonstrating a growth mindset, respect, responsibility, and a commitment to learning.
- **Active parent involvement:** Parents commit to a minimum of 3 hours of involvement with the school during each semester. This includes volunteering in the classroom, participating in PTO, having lunch with students, and attending parent-teacher conferences and family events. Parent commitments may be fulfilled by other family members on behalf of the parents.

## Celebrations of Academic Achievement

- National Junior Honor Society
- Honor Roll Ice Cream Celebration
- Annual Culture Fair



- Arts on Eddy
- NWEA Growth Incentive Trips
- Annual Science Fair

