

Dawson Middle School

"Every morning I get up and I wonder what I might learn that day. You just never know."

George Dawson
1898-2001

A man who learned to read at the age of 98









Dawson Middle School Statement of Vision

To create a learning community which fosters excellence as it meets the unique needs of middle school students.

Dawson Middle School Statement of Mission

To develop independent, life-long learners by fostering relationships which encourage students to reach their academic, extracurricular, and social potential within an inviting, respectful, safe, and supportive environment.

As a Dawson Middle School learning community, we believe...

-  middle school students have unique emotional, social, and academic needs. We strive to instruct and guide the entire person.
-  we create a positive learning community characterized by meaningful personal connections and mutual respect for one another.
-  learning is maximized when teachers demonstrate expertise in their teaching fields.
-  students benefit from multiple methods and levels of learning in a differentiated classroom.
-  students benefit from a curriculum that is relevant and appropriately connected to their everyday lives and encourages an appreciation of our history and our tradition.
-  education is a shared responsibility of student, teachers, administration, parents, and community.