



We are *The Best Choice* for...

Early Childhood Education

High-Quality Pre-Kindergarten Programs at BISD Elementary Schools

All BISD Elementary Schools provide access to high-quality Pre-Kindergarten programs for three and four-year-old students. BISD has a proven record of creating successful paths to Kinder readiness and beyond!

Our Pre-Kindergarten program allows 3 and 4-year-old students to:

- ✓ Develop social-emotional well-being within an enriched learning environment.
- ✓ High quality curriculum aligned to PreK guidelines.
- ✓ Form a solid foundation for literacy by enrolling in school two years early.
- ✓ Initiate readiness skills in reading and math that accelerate academic success.
- ✓ Access technology that supports language development for Kinder readiness.
- ✓ Receive nutritious meals through the Child Nutrition Program.
- ✓ Learn from Early Childhood Certified Teachers and receive assistance from teacher aides.
- ✓ Participate in campus culture activities.
- ✓ Intro to BISD One Seed Initiative: Gardening and Harvesting Activities
- ✓ Benefit from school-home collaborations that encourage parental involvement.
- ✓ Receive counseling support.
- ✓ Enjoy daily recess activities.



BISD Academy Programs

Brainsville Inventions

Promotes problem-solving and creative thinking.

Destination Imagination

Inspires the next generation of innovators and leaders.

BISD Academy Programs

Free Extended Day quality afterschool activities for students in Kinder through 5th grades. *(Varies by Campus)*

Fine Arts

Foster a rich heritage of artistic practice through diverse offerings in Music, Dance, Estudiantina, Band, Choir, Theatre Arts, and Visual Arts for both Elementary and Secondary students.

For more information, visit our Elementary Education link at www.bisd.us.

Additional Offerings Include:

- 4th and 5th Grades Kids Code Club and Girls Can Code: Learning basic coding and computer science concepts.
- Scholastic Chess: Organizes competitive tournaments for individual players and teams.
- Intro to Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts, and Mathematics (STEAM): Focuses on 21st-century careers.
- Intro to Science Technology and Medical Professions (STAMP)
- Intro to STEM Programs in Aerospace, Architecture, and Engineering (SPACE)

Career and Technical Education

Business & Industry

- Agriculture, Food & Natural Resources
- Architecture & Construction
- Arts, A/V Technology and Communications
- Business, Marketing & Finance
- Hospitality & Tourism
- Information Technology
- Manufacturing
- Science, Technology Engineering, & Mathematics
- Transportation, Distribution & Logistics

Public Services

- Education & Training
- Health Science
- Law, & Public Service

Pathways in Technology (P-TECH) School Model Available

Certification Programs Available

Student Organization Participation Available

Fine Arts

Band

Students develop technical skills on their instrument as well as study music theory, music history, and rehearsal and performance techniques.

Choir

Choir members will learn the basics of vocal technique, sight-reading, music theory, music history, and performance.

Dance

Dance gives students an awareness and reverence for the physical body and its athletic and expressive capabilities. Students in the dance programs learn techniques and develop artistry in ballet, modern, lyrical, tap, jazz, flamenco, folklorico, and ballroom styles.

Elementary Music

Music programs in grades K-5 promote singing, moving, creating, listening, and playing instruments as students develop an active understanding of elements such as rhythm, melody, harmony, form, and timbre.

Estudiantina/Guitar

Students in the estudiantina programs are exposed to the unique musical heritage of the community as they learn techniques for playing guitar, mandolin, and string bass. Guitar students learn solo and ensemble repertoire as they develop instrumental technique.

Mariachi

Mariachi students learn to play violin, vihuela, guitarrón, and trumpet. They explore music that has been passed down through oral tradition and whose appeal transcends ethnic groups and national borders.

Theatre Arts

Theatre Arts encompasses related disciplines and art forms such as pantomime, storytelling, melodrama, puppetry, improvisation, commedia dell'arte, playwrighting, directing, and technical theatre.

Visual Arts

The visual arts programs allow students to engage in the art-making processes including drawing, painting, printmaking, collage, photography, and sculpture.