Arapaho Classical Magnet

At Arapaho Classical Magnet, passionate educators and a supportive community collaborate to inspire academic success, creativity, and personal development, empowering students to grow into confident and responsible leaders.



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Why Choose ACM?

- Focus on Growth and Excellence
- Engaging Academics and Arts Integration
- Innovative and Supportive Community

Quick Facts

- Established in 2005
- Neighborhood and lottery based admission
- Kindergarten-Grade 6
- 600 Students; 60 Educators
- Student uniforms

OUR HISTORY

Founded in 2005 through the merging of Arapaho Elementary and Classical Magnet, RISD aimed to develop a distinctive and innovative learning experience. By welcoming students from our local community alongside those selected through a lottery system, our school provides a rich and varied educational environment.

Our mission is clear: to foster a culture of continuous growth, creativity, and academic excellence. Through arts integration and classical education we empower students to think critically, communicate effectively, and engage in meaningful learning experiences.

As we enhance and expand our arts programming, we are committed to reinforcing cross-curricular connections by bridging core academic standards with the arts. We encourage students to build autonomy by setting clear learning goals and providing personalized academic support.

Through these initiatives, we ensure our students are fully equipped to thrive and succeed in a rapidly evolving world.

PROGRAMS OFFERED

- K-6 Theatre
- K-6 Digital Media Arts
- K-6 House System
- Grade 6 Fine Arts and elective classes
- Vertical alignment to secondary magnet arts programming

MAGNET PROGRAM INCLUDES GRADES K-6.

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LEARNING EXPERIENCES AT ARAPAHO CLASSICAL MAGNET

THEATRE AND MEDIA ARTS CLASS



All K-6 students at ACM take part in weekly Theatre and Media Arts classes, combining classic theatre techniques with digital storytelling to enhance collaboration and communication skills.





ART INTEGRATION CURRICULUM

Students explore four unique artists in each grade and undertake art projects to showcase their understanding of essential skills and concepts. They can further apply their knowledge through field trips to the Dallas Museum of Art and the Meadows Museum, where we have established partnerships.



VERTICAL ALIGNMENT TO SECONDARY MAGNET PROGRAMS

Through teamwork and strategic planning, ACM magnet programming aims to equip students for secondary magnet programs. The diverse arts pathways available to students facilitate a seamless transition from their elementary education to graduation.

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