



Northwood Hills Elementary

At Northwood Hills, we combine high expectations with a culture of belonging to ensure every student reaches their full potential. We are proud of our thriving community and the dedication of our staff to student success.

NHE Programs:

- Think Tank (Science and Math Enrichment Lab)
- Fine Arts
- Band and Orchestra
- AVID College Readiness (Grades 4-6)
- Freddie's Farm Learning Garden

After-School Enrichment:

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| • Running Club | • Yearbook |
| • Spanish | • Choir |
| • Knitting | • Ballet |
| • Taekwondo | • Folklorico |
| • Chess | • Dance |
| • Robotics | • Team |
| | • Leadership |



POINTS OF PRIDE

Expert Instruction: Our campus systems actively foster teacher growth through structured lesson internalization and data-driven instruction, driving an empowered student and staff culture aligned with our core academic goals.

Relationship-Centered: As a Capturing Kids' Hearts campus, we prioritize positive connections and relational capacity to create a safe, focused learning environment. Capturing Kids' Hearts named NHE a "Rising Star Campus" in 2025. NHE was also named an RISD "Whole Child Campus" in 2026.

Unique Language Programming: We offer an innovative Language Learning program to foster bilingualism, biliteracy, and cross-cultural understanding across our student body.

Thriving PTA & Community: Our dedicated PTA builds strong, inclusive connections across all families to champion student success and support our school community.

FEATURED PROGRAM: NORTHWOOD HILLS' LANGUAGE LEARNING PROGRAM

Northwood Hills' Language Learning Program offers two pathways designed to expand access to Spanish enrichment opportunities, support biliteracy development, and strengthen academic outcomes for all students. The program is grounded in research and aligned to district goals around early literacy and

PATHWAYS:

TWO-WAY DUAL LANGUAGE

This enrichment program includes an equal number of native speakers of Spanish and native Speakers of English. Students will have the



opportunity to become bi-literate, bilingual, and bicultural scholars. Instruction is provided in English and Spanish, and language learning is integrated

with content instruction as students progress through elementary years.

GENERAL EDUCATION WITH SPANISH CONNECTION

Spanish Connection is an enrichment class that provides all students enrolled in general education the opportunity to build a strong foundation in conversational Spanish through explicit instruction in the areas of listening and speaking. Students participating in Spanish Connection will receive instruction in Spanish.

