



MO SW-PBS

Missouri Schoolwide Positive Behavior Support

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Each year, Missouri Schoolwide Positive Behavior Supports (MO SW-PBS) recognizes Missouri schools that implement Schoolwide Positive Behavior Supports (SW-PBS) at exemplary levels with the MO SW-PBS Award of Excellence. This year, we are pleased to announce that 217 schools have met the high standards required to earn this prestigious award.

Schoolwide Positive Behavior Supports is an evidence-based, multi-tiered system of behavioral supports. It is based on prevention and early intervention and has been shown to produce positive behavioral outcomes for students. Missouri schools that earn the Award of Excellence have demonstrated increased pro-social / expectation following behavior, improved attendance, fewer office discipline referrals, and fewer days missed due to out of school suspensions than schools that do not implement SW-PBS or did not earn the Award of Excellence.

MO SW-PBS gives three awards, depending on the tiers at which the school is implementing.

- The Tier 1 Award of Excellence: The school meets criteria for implementing Tier 1 at exemplary levels
- The Tier 2 Award of Excellence: The school meets criteria for implementing Tiers 1 and 2 at exemplary levels
- The Tier 3 Award of Excellence: The school meets criteria for implementing Tiers 1, 2, and 3 at exemplary levels.

Our thanks to the Missouri educators, students, their families, and community members who work together to make our schools places of excellence, where students have a sense of belonging, and that nurture academic and social/emotional growth.

Please see the 2026 MO SW-PBS Award of Excellence Schools, below.

*10-14 years earning the Award of Excellence

**15 or more years earning the Award of Excellence

MO SW-PBS TIER 1 AWARD OF EXCELLENCE SCHOOLS

Albany R-III

Virginia E. George Elementary

Canton R-V

Canton Elementary

Center 58

Center Middle

Red Bridge Elementary

Columbia 93

Beulah Ralph Elementary

Eliot Battle Elementary

Rock Bridge Elementary

Shepard Blvd. Elementary

Confluence Academies

Confluence Academy-Old

North

Craig R-III

Craig Elementary

Crawford Co. R-II

Cuba Elementary

Desoto 73

Vineland Elementary

Excelsior Springs 40

Cornerstone Elementary

Elkhorn Elementary

Excelsior Springs Early

Childhood Center

Excelsior Springs High

Excelsior Springs Middle

Lewis Elementary

Fayette R-III

W. N. Clark Middle

Francis Howell R-III

Fairmount Elementary

Fulton 58

Fulton High

*Fulton Middle

Glenwood R-VIII

Glenwood

Hallsville R-IV

Hallsville High

Hannibal 60

*A.D. Stowell Elementary

Joplin R-VIII

Joplin High

La Plata R-II

La Plata Elementary

Lamar R-I

Lamar Middle

Lexington R-V

Lexington Middle

Lonedell R-XIV

Lonedell

Macon Co. R-I

Macon Elementary

Missouri Schools for the Severely Disabled

Cedar Ridge School

Moberly

*North Park Elementary

*South Park Elementary

New Franklin R-I

New Franklin Elementary

North St. Francois Co. R-I

*North County Intermediate

Plato R-V

Plato Elementary

Plato High

Richwoods R-VII

Richwoods

Savannah R-III

Amazonia Elementary

Minnie Cline Elementary

Southern Boone Co. R-I

Southern Boone High

*Southern Boone Middle

Southern Reynolds County R-II

Ellington Elementary

Springfield R-XII

Adah Fulbright Early

Childhood Center

Central High

David Harrison Elementary

Delaware Elementary

Glendale High

Hickory Hills K-8

Holland Elementary

Jeffries Elementary

Launch Virtual Learning

McBride Elementary

Parkview High

Rountree Elementary

Sequiota Elementary

Sherwood Elementary

Study Alternative Center

Wanda Gray Elementary

Wilder Elementary

St. Clair R-XIII

St. Clair Elementary

Steelville R-III

Steelville Elementary

Strafford R-VI

*Strafford Middle

Union R-XI

Central Elementary

Warren CO. R-III

Alpha Academy

MO SW-PBS TIER 1 AWARD OF EXCELLENCE SCHOOLS

Wheaton R-III

Wheaton Elementary

Winfield R-IV

Winfield Early Childhood

MO SW-PBS TIER 2 AWARD OF EXCELLENCE SCHOOLS

Brookfield R-III

*Brookfield Middle

Park Hill South High

Southeast Elementary

Union R-XI

Prairie Dell Elementary

Caruthersville 18

Caruthersville Elementary

Pike Co. R-III

Clopton Elementary

Clark Co. R-I

Running Fox Elementary

Plaza Heights Christian Academy

Plaza Heights Christian Academy

Confluence Academies

Confluence Academy-South City

Pleasant Hill R-III

Pleasant Hill High

Pleasant Hill Intermediate

Pleasant Hill Middle

Davis R-XII

Davis Elementary

El Dorado Springs R-II

**El Dorado Springs Elementary

Pleasant Hope R-VI

*Pleasant Hope Elementary

Ferguson Florissant R-II

Robinwood Elementary

Springfield R-XII

Disney Elementary

Horace Mann Elementary

Watkins Elementary

Jackson R-2

Orchard Drive Elementary

St. Charles

George M Null Elementary

Hardin Middle

Kirksville R-III

William Matthew Middle

St. Clair R-XIII

Edgar Murray Elementary

Montgomery Co. R-II

**Montgomery County Middle

St. Joseph

Parkway Elementary

Norborne R-VIII

Norborne Elementary

Steelville R-III

Steelville Middle

North Kansas City 74

New Mark Middle

Tipton R-VI

Tipton High

Tipton Middle School

Park Hill

Congress Middle

Lakeview Middle

MO SW-PBS TIER 3 AWARD OF EXCELLENCE

Bayless

**Bayless Elementary

Brookfield R-III

*Brookfield Elementary

Carl Junction R-I

*Carl Junction Intermediate

*Carl Junction Primary 2-3

**Carl Junction Primary K-1

Caruthersville 19

*Caruthersville Middle

**Catholic Diocese of
Jefferson City**

*Immaculate Conception

Center 58

Boone Elementary

Columbia 93

Alpha Hart Lewis
Elementary

John B. Lange Middle

Crawford Co. R-I

*Bourbon Elementary

**Cuba Middle

Dent Phelps R-III

*Dent Phelps R-III

Ferguson Florissant R-II

Lee-Hamilton Elementary

Fort Osage R-I

Fire Prairie Upper
Elementary

Fox C-6

*Don Earl Early Childhood
Center

Francis Howell R-III

Central Elementary

Fulton 58

**Bartley Elementary

**Bush Elementary

Fulton Early Childhood
Center

*McIntire Elementary

Gasconade Co. R-II

*Gerald Elementary

Grain Valley

Grain Valley Early
Childhood

Grandview C-4

Butcher-Greene Elementary

Hallsville R-IV

Hallsville Intermediate

Hallsville Primary

Independence 30

Bingham Middle

Bridger Middle

Christian Ott Elementary

Glendale Elementary

Independence Academy

Mill Creek Elementary

Randall Elementary

Spring Branch Elementary

Sycamore Hills Elementary

Thomas Hart Benton

Elementary

Truman High

Van Horn High

*William Chrisman High

Jefferson City

Clarence Lawson

Elementary

Thorpe Gordon Stem

Academy

Kennett 39

H. Byron Masterson

Elementary

South Elementary

Kirksville R-III

**Kirksville Early Childhood
Learning Center

**Kirksville Primary

*Ray Miller Elementary

Knox Co. R-I

Knox County Elementary

Lebanon R-III

**Lebanon High

Lewis Co. C-I

**Highland Elementary

Lincoln R-III

William Cappel Elementary

Mexico 59

*Eugene Field Elementary

**Hawthorne Elementary

Montgomery Co. R-II

*Montgomery City

Elementary

Nixa R-II

Inman Intermediate

*Summit Intermediate

MO SW-PBS TIER 3 AWARD OF EXCELLENCE

North Central Missouri College

*Green Hills Head Start

North Kansas City 74

Briarcliff Elementary
Chouteau Elementary
*Clardy Elementary
*Eastgate 6th Grade Center
Fox Hill Elementary
Gashland Elementary
Gracemor Elementary
Greenway Elementary
Linden West Elementary
*Maplewood Elementary
Meadowbrook Elementary
Nashua Elementary
Oakwood Manor Elementary
*Ravenwood Elementary
Rising Hill Elementary
Topping Elementary
*West Englewood Elementary

North St. Francois Co. R-I

*Parkside Elementary

North Wood R-IV

North Wood

Orchard Farm R-V

Orchard Farm Jr. High
Orchard Farm Middle

Park Hill

Alfred L. Renner Elementary
Angeline Washington Elementary
English Landing Elementary
Graden Elementary
Hopewell Elementary

Plaza Middle
Prairie Point Elementary
Russell Jones Education Center

Thomas B. Chinn Elementary
Tiffany Ridge Elementary
*Union Chapel Elementary
Walden Middle

Pettis Co. R-V

Northwest Elementary

Pleasant Hill R-III

Pleasant Hill Elementary
Pleasant Hill Primary

Poplar Bluff R-I

*Lake Road Elementary
*Oak Grove Elementary

Prairie Home R-V

Prairie Home R-V

Salem R-80

*Salem Upper Elementary
*William Lynch Elementary

Schuyler Co. R-I

*Schuyler County Elementary

Smithville R-II

Eagle Heights Elementary
Horizon Elementary
Maple Elementary

Southern Boone Co. R-I

**Southern Boone Elementary
**Southern Boone Primary

Springfield R-XII

York Elementary

St. Charles

Blackhurst Elementary
Coverdell Elementary
Jefferson Intermediate
Monroe Elementary
St. Charles Early Childhood Center

St. Joseph

**Pickett Elementary

Tipton R-VI

Tipton Elementary

Warren CO. R-III

**Daniel Boone Elementary
**Rebecca Boone Elementary
**Warrior Ridge Elementary

Winfield R-IV

*Winfield Middle
**Winfield Primary