



Mission Statement

The Browning Elementary TEAM seeks to ensure positive behavior and provide intervention and support for students to succeed academically, emotionally and socially.

Vision Statement

Our vision is to create exemplary students who exhibit the following characteristics: To be safe, Earn respect, Act responsibly, Mindful learner

Principals

Welcome Back

The 2025–2026 school year is off to a strong start at Browning Elementary! We are excited to welcome back the students in a couple of weeks. With thoughtful planning by the SLT and SBE teams, our efforts this year are strategically focused on four key areas: safety, attendance, graduation, and culture matters

Staffing Updates

We are close to being fully staffed for the start of the year, with a few new additions:

- Tamika Guardipee (3rd Grade)
- Cheryl Deroche (2nd Grade)
- Morgan Kujala (3rd Grade)

Each new team member brings valuable experience and a passion for student success. Staff morale is positive, and the energy in the building is focused and collaborative.

BES is transitioning back to the original logo that says “Browning Elementary School”.



Custodians

Our custodial team worked hard over the summer to prepare the building. They have also been a tremendous support in moving materials, clearing floors, walls, etc., and refreshing classrooms. The school grounds outside have been cleaned and prepped in preparation for the new school year. We are especially grateful for Abigail Klauk and the Global volunteers for revamping the landscape around the Browning Elementary sign.

Instructional Focus

Our schoolwide instructional focus this year will center around:

- Literacy growth across 2nd and 3rd grade levels
- Implementing our new ELA program “Benchmark”
- Improving math fluency and problem-solving skills
- Dyslexia support that aligns with the Literacy Grant
- Social-emotional learning and classroom community building

Staff will engage in ongoing professional development aligned to these goals, with support from our instructional coaches.