# Isanti Intermediate & C-I STEAM School



### **Two Amazing Schools in One Awesome Building**

#### Isanti Intermediate

- Grades 3-5
- 422 students
  5-6 sections per grade

• Common District curriculum

- PBIS
  - Shared support services

**C-I STEAM** 

- Grades K-5
- 135 students
- 1 section of each grade
- Dedicated
   STEAM Lab

# Cambridge - Isanti STEAM School





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1.3 Ensure science curriculum meets new standards, empowers students to be engaged in their own learning, and is supported with professional development.

# Engineering & Design











# **Engineering by Design**

Kindergarten: 1st grade: 2nd grade: 3rd grade: 4th grade: 5th grade:

Animal Homes Sounds All Around Plants - How Seeds Travel Wild Weather Power/Energy Water Treatment

There are also additional engineering and design challenges that classes do, often adding to a reading or science unit theme.

# Coding

BeeBots

Lego

Sphero

Kodable





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2.3 Enhance opportunities to develop relationships, celebrate successes, and increase collaboration between school staff and parents.

# **Breakout Box**





Challenges that provide clues so students can get into the box - fosters problem solving, critical thinking, and collaboration.

# **STEAM Family Showcase** March 6th - over 130 adults visited the showcase where students highlighted what they worked on so far this year.











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3.4 Expand opportunities for students to participate in school-based activities that build social connections.

# **Multi-age Learning Opportunities**

- **Buddy classrooms** (k/3, 1/4, and 2/5) get together every other Friday for buddy reading, math games, crafts, etc.
- **Community time** (K-5 multi-age classes) get together on the opposite Fridays for board games, STEAM Bins, guided drawing, group games, engineering challenges.
- K-2 and 3-5 STEAM Rotations (multi-age mixed classes) happen once or more a trimester. Each teacher plans a special activity or lesson centered around theme. The learning is STEAM based











# **March Mammal Madness**

This yearly event has become a STEAM tradition.

Classes learn about a variety of animals and follow along to see who becomes victorious!







### VIP wall



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4. We will broaden community partnerships to maximize resources, support the growth of the school district, and provide opportunities for students.

### **Field Trips and Featured Guests**

Minnesota Landscape Arboretum

Pine Haven Farms

Bakken Museum

Snake River Fur Post

Visits with Mr. F: K & 4th - Magnets, 1st & 3rd- Morse Code 2nd & 5th Force and Motion

















# **Other Notable Information**

### Project Based Learning Training

All STEAM teachers will be attending PBL Training this summer and working to incorporate more project based learning experiences into their units. **STEAM Lab** 

### Dedicated space for engineering, coding, and other project based learning to occur.





# Thank you for listening!

# What questions do you have?

