



Alma A. Pierce Elementary

800 Eistetter, Laredo, TX, 78041



CAMPUS DEMOGRAPHICS

Grade Levels	PK3 - 5th Grades
Vertical Team	Mustang Team
Trustee District	Mr. R. Garza
Enrollment	860

CAMPUS ADMINISTRATION TEAM

Ms. N. Esquivel - Principal

Mrs. M. Martinez - Asst. Principal

Ms. A. Cruz - Asst. Principal

CAMPUS VISION/MISSION

Mission

At Alma A. Pierce Elementary School, we strive for all students from PK3 to 5th grade to excel academically by building a strong academic foundation, positive learning environment, and safe school climate.

Vision

Alma A. Pierce staff will be committed to meet the needs of every student with optimal learning opportunities in order to obtain high levels of success.

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CaSE COMPONENTS		RATINGS
Fine Arts		EXEMPLARY
Wellness & Physical Education		EXEMPLARY
Community & Parental Involvement		EXEMPLARY
21st Century Workforce Development Program		ACCEPTABLE
Second Language Acquisition Program		RECOGNIZED
Digital Learning Environment		EXEMPLARY
Dropout Prevention Strategies		ACCEPTABLE
Educational Programs for Gifted & Talented Students		EXEMPLARY
OVERALL PERFORMANCE		RECOGNIZED

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CaSE COMPONENTS

- 1) Educational Program for GT Students
- 2) Wellness and Physical Ed
- 3) Century Workforce Development

This rating system is required by House Bill 5 (see TEC 39.0545 for details about the law). It allows each campus to showcase the opportunities they provided to students, families and the community in areas other than standardized testing. Details about the law and rating system can be found at www.laredoisd.org





Educational Programs for Gifted & Talented Students

- * K- 12 grade students are eligible for nomination, and once nominated, an overview of the assessment process is offered to parents.
- *Program options enable gifted/talented students to work together as a group, and work independently during the school day as well as the entire school year.
- *Students at all grade levels are involved in experiences that result in the development of sophisticated products and /or performances. Opportunities are provided for students to pursue areas of interest in selected disciplines through guided and independent research.
- *Teachers who provide instruction and services that are a part of the program for gifted students have a minimum of thirty (30) hours of GT training and; Teachers who provide instruction and services to gifted and talented students receive a minimum of six (6) hours annually of professional development in gifted education.
- *Parents are informed of all gifted/talented services and opportunities. The campus provides orientation and updates for parents of students identified and served in gifted programs through parent meetings.



Wellness & Physical Education

- *Each first grade class will receive instruction on dental health.
- *Each Kinder class will receive a class a hand-washing hygiene.
- *Campuses provide up to 135 225 minutes weekly of structured moderate to vigorous physical activity.
- *Fitnessgram Assessment is conducted with all students in P.E. grade 3-5. Assessment conducted to obtain Pre & Post information, which is available to parents upon request.
- *2nd Grade students participate in a two week "Learn to Swim" session that teaches fundamentals of swimming.
- *2nd Grade students participate in the RadKids program that focuses on bully prevention, physical resistance strategies against abduction, internet safety, personal touch and personal space safety, along home/school/out and about safety.
- *3rd, 4th and 5th Grade students participate in "Elementary Sports Games scheduled by Physical Education personnel.
- *1st – 5th grade students participate in fundamentals of tennis activities through a 2 week span.
- *Employees have access to participate in healthy life style as well as Health screening, training, and online resources.
- *School nurses will monitor campus immunization records and perform state mandated vision, hearing, and Spinal screenings.
- *Each campus will hold a flu vaccine clinic at their campus. Flu vaccines are provided by the Texas Vaccines For Children program through the City of Laredo Health Department



21st Century Workforce Development Program

- * Campus has events that bring career information to the majority of students. Speakers periodically visit classrooms to provide career information to the students.