

OSCEOLA STEM ACADEMY

Answers to Your Questions

What is the Osceola STEM Academy?

The Osceola STEM Academy is the new middle school for all 5th through 8th graders in the Osceola School District. It opens August 2012.

What does STEM mean?

STEM stands for science, technology, engineering and mathematics. Learning will be project-based.

Is that all students will learn?

Not at all! While the focus is on those STEM subjects, the school will provide a well-rounded curriculum with a strong foundation in language arts, literacy lab, social studies, physical education and health, library media, keyboarding, foreign language, computer technology and career orientation, as well as science, science lab, math, math lab, Discovery Zone and Gateway to Technology-Engineering.

Why is a STEM school good for my child?

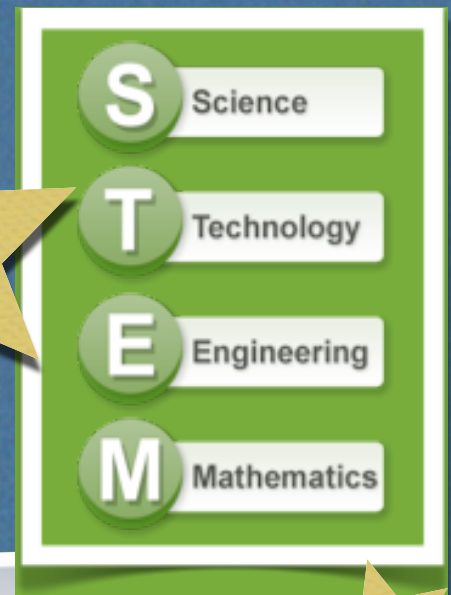
Students will learn important problem-solving, teamwork and reasoning skills – all important life skills. It will help them be ready to succeed in high school and beyond.

How big will it be?

The enrollment will be about 375 students, but the average class will have only 20 students.

What else is there?

Students will find lots of ways to be involved. Student activities include Future Business Leaders of America, Junior Honor Society, Best Robotics, Odssev of the Mind. Chess Team and more.



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