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ERIE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL
A STEM FOCUS SCHOOL

Erie Elementary School

School Contact Information	Erie Elementary School ees.svvsd.org Main Office: (303) 828-3395
Overview of Gifted and Talented	The gifted and talented program at Erie Elementary consists of a half-time pull out program for identified students. In addition, accelerated 5th grade math students access 6th grade content with the support of the GT and STEM teachers.
Programming and Enrichment Opportunities	<p>All identified students are provided with an Advanced Learning Plan that is drafted or updated in the fall each year. This plan documents academic goals, classroom strategies, social emotional goals, and progress monitoring. Parents, teachers and students are valued collaborative partners in ALP development.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● GT programming for identified students ● STEM focused design challenges ● Differentiation and flexible grouping ● Problem Solving ● Pretesting ● Compacting ● Staff training/ focus ● Acceleration ● Advanced Learning Plans ● Stock Market Experience ● Shakespeare Festival
Social Emotional Support	Identified students in third - fifth grade come to the Gifted & Talented classroom an additional time each week for Social-Emotional support. During that time we work on teamwork, self advocacy, and other social emotional needs through working through using Project-Based Learning Lessons That Build Critical Thinking, Emotional Intelligence, and Social Skills by Mark Hess.
School Focus	Erie Elementary is a STEM focus school. All classroom teachers incorporate standards based, engaging STEM activities throughout the day. In addition, students attend 45 minutes of a STEM lab weekly.

