

ST. VRAIN VALLEY SCHOOLS
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TRAIL RIDGE MIDDLE SCHOOL
 A STEM FOCUS SCHOOL

Trail Ridge Middle School

School Contact Information	Trail Ridge Middle School trms.svvsd.org Main Office: (720) 494-3820
Overview of Gifted and Talented	At Trail Ridge Middle School, students that have been identified as gifted and talented create a personalized Advanced Learning Plan (ALP) each school year. They meet with the GT site leader to monitor progress on their plan throughout the year. Gifted students have access to Advanced Math courses in 6th, 7th and 8th grades, Algebra, Geometry, Advanced Language Arts, Science, Social Studies-7th grade Advanced Language Arts, Science-8th Grade Advanced US History-8th Grade Advanced sections in Language Arts, Science and Social Studies-6th grade
Programming and Enrichment Opportunities	Trail Ridge offers a variety of co-curricular activities to enrich the students' experience such as: Technology <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● 6th general tech ● 7th and 8th multimedia (tech side of music tech) ● 7th advanced programming ● 8th robotics (engineering) ● 8th Advanced robotics Advanced Art Drama Theatrical Design Robotics Club Anime Club D&D Club Writing Club Yearbook Jazz Band Honor Choir National Junior Honors Society Student Council Trail Blazers
Social Emotional Support	At Trail Ridge, counselors specialize at each grade level. Our

	<p>Interventionists work with students in small, grade level focused groups.</p> <p>We also have a 3rd Counselor, via grant. Trail Ridge also applies Positive Behavioral Interventions and Supports (PBIS), attendance & engagement, Grizzly Den, classroom for calming, activities including</p> <p>Whatcha doin' Wednesday, TriviaTuesday and Friendship Friday.</p> <p>We also use the 7 Mindsets, Social and Emotional Learning Solution curriculum.</p>
School Focus	<p>STEM</p> <p>STEM is an acronym for Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math. There are many reasons that we choose STEM as a focus for our school. The world is changing faster than it ever has due to discovery of new science technology and its applications. We are preparing students for a future where innovation, communication, collaboration, global competency, critical thinking, and problem solving will be essential</p> <p>Apple Distinguished: We are nationally recognized as an Apple Distinguished School for our robust technology integration and learning supports.</p>