# **Madison Elementary School**

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# **Welcome to Madison Elementary!**

Historic and award winning, Madison Elementary School has roots extending to the very beginnings of education in Manitowoc County. Formerly located on the site where the very first schools were built in our community, Madison moved to its current location in 1956. The smallest of Manitowoc's elementary schools, Madison is noted for its intimacy and location on Lake Michigan.

Madison is a comprehensive elementary school providing excellent instruction across the curriculum. We take special pride in our literacy instruction. A number of our staff members have received specialized training at Columbia University in New York through the prestigious Teachers College Reading and Writing Project. Several of our teachers recently participated in the pilot of a special reading curriculum that is used internationally. Student work from our school is featured in the instructional materials.

In addition to traditional academics, each student receives instruction in art, music and physical education. Technology is integrated into all areas of study. We also have special activities like family bingo night; Bookmunchers, a special lunch reading time for students and parents; K-Kids, a leadership and service club for fifth and sixth graders; and Peer Mediators, in which student mediators help peers work on problem-solving skills.

Madison has an active PTO that sponsors programming and events for our school, provides classroom supplies and resources, and has purchased equipment for our playground.

### What makes Madison Elementary School special?

- Madison was named a Wisconsin School of Recognition for five consecutive years based on its academic performance in reading and math.
- Before and after school care program is available through the YMCA.
- Madison is home to YBreak, a unique summer program offered by the YMCA in partnership with MPSD, providing full-day learning, enrichment, recreation and daycare support throughout the summer months.

School Website: madison.manitowocpublicschools.org

#### **Principal:**

Michael Dunlap 920-663-9532 dunlapm@mpsd.k12.wi.us

#### Office Hours:

(During school year) 7:30 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

#### **School Hours:**

8:10 a.m. – 3:10 p.m.

**Grades:** 1-6

Enrollment: 240

**Teaching Staff:** About 50

**Facility:** Opened in 1956; upgraded in 1976 and 1998

**Mascot:** Cougars

#### **Clubs & Activities:**

- Band
- Orchestra
- Homework Club
- Student Store
- DARE (Drug Abuse Resistance Education)
- K-Kids Club
- Peer Mediation
- Vollevball
- Basketball
- Running Club
- Flag Football
- Bookmunchers
- 6th Grade Camp

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