Ready for K

3rd Grade Reading

Close All Gaps

Career & College Ready

Graduate

+2-3 per teacher

+4 per PLC

+2 per PLC

+3 per class

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We, as a community, commit to working tirelessly to ensure that ALL Northfield children will:

**10 BENCHMARKS**

**EARLY CHILDHOOD**
- Be ready for Kindergarten
- Be connected to the community during the early childhood years

**ELEMENTARY**
- Ready for K
- 3rd Grade Reading
- Exhibit physical, social, and emotional well-being in elementary school
- Be at grade level in reading and math by the end of 3rd grade

**MIDDLE SCHOOL**
- Close All Gaps
- Have a connection with a caring adult beyond his/her parents as he/she transitions to middle school
- Be at grade level in reading and math by the end of 6th grade

**HIGH SCHOOL**
- Career & College Ready
- Exhibit physical, social, and emotional well-being in high school
- Be at grade level in reading and math by the end of 8th grade
- Have interests, goals and a vision for the future by the end of 8th grade

**BEYOND**
- Graduate
- Graduate from high school with a plan to reach his/her full potential
- Report feeling connected and engaged in his/her high school and community

**NON-ACADEMIC**
- Be connected to the community during the early childhood years
- Exhibit physical, social, and emotional well-being in elementary school
- Have a connection with a caring adult beyond his/her parents as he/she transitions to middle school
- Exhibit physical, social, and emotional well-being in high school
- Graduate from high school with a plan to reach his/her full potential
- Report feeling connected and engaged in his/her high school and community

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