



DANBURY
LOCAL SCHOOLS



YOU ARE

WHY

QUALITY PROFILE 2020

Danbury Local Schools will instill within each student a drive for personal excellence, lifelong learning, and a distinct set of core values that positively impact family and community.

DEAR DANBURY RESIDENT,

Danbury School's prosperity is defined by the success of our students, employees, parents, families, volunteers and our community. We are mission and values driven and focused on **instilling within each of our students a passion for personal excellence, lifelong learning and the full embrace of core values** that positively impact their life.

OUR OVERARCHING VISION is to provide focused learning experiences and interactions that ultimately transform the lives of every student. Our district is committed to providing the academic foundation and skills necessary for students to be lifelong learners with a mindset to develop strong social and emotional skills and the leadership influence to navigate a complex world of choices, challenges and opportunities.

OUR EDUCATIONAL FRAMEWORK establishes goals and objectives to ensure every student is career and life ready. Career prepared includes possession of the skills and talents necessary to embrace college and or enter the workforce.

OUR VALUES BASED PHILOSOPHY focuses on a personalized student learning environment that can only be accomplished by a staff fully devoted to the mission and values that truly distinguish the Danbury difference. Our entire staff plays a vital role in our commitment to educate students in a way that reflects the needs and expectations of our devoted families and our community.

For our school district, impacting lives is all about transformation—a refreshingly different and very personal experience meant for good and honor—ultimately to help each student become something more in the context of achieving their goals and life dreams.

As we celebrate the continuing success and prosperity of our district, I would sincerely encourage you to stay connected and invested and to join us on this remarkable journey. Our continued partnership allows us to not just experience a child's education together, but rather experience life together.

Sincerely,



Cari



EXCELLENCE

DANBURY LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICT IS SMALL AND PERSONAL:

We offer personalized instruction, multiple academic pathways, state of the art technology and extensive opportunities for personal growth through athletics, clubs and activities.

STUDENT TO
TEACHER RATIO

16:1

TECHNOLOGY IS
TODAY'S TEXTBOOK

**1:1 K-12
CHROMEBOOKS**

DURING THEIR HIGH SCHOOL CAREER,

50% OF OUR STUDENTS

TAKE AT LEAST ONE CCP CLASS AT DANBURY

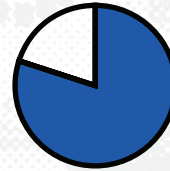


Danbury Schools prepares students for their tomorrow, whether they employ, enlist or enroll.

CAREER ADVISING PROGRAM

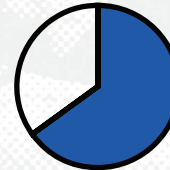
- A focused counseling for career readiness with grades 6-12 creating online portfolios
- Student job shadowing and internship opportunities available
- Annual assessments and one-on-one meetings to discuss personal strengths and future opportunities
- Social media personal branding advice and pitfalls

**EACH CLASSROOM
HAS UP-TO-DATE
CLEVERTOUCH BOARDS**



80%

of our high school students participate during their high school career in an extra-curricular activity



65%

of our middle school students participate during their middle school career in an extra-curricular activity

Percentage of Danbury students that go onto college, military and enter the workforce (data for 2017-2020):

College/University

60%

Workforce/Skilled Trades

37%

Military Enlistment

3%

We offer experiences and opportunities for students to explore their personal interests and gain a well-rounded Danbury experience including 25 activities, athletic teams and clubs.

RECENT ADDITIONS:

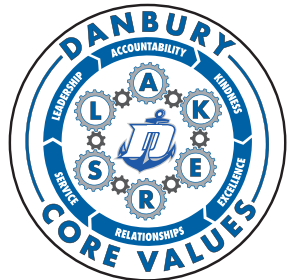
SKI CLUB • SWIMMING CLUB

TEACHING STUDENTS TO BE LEADERS

We provide our students the tools and training to lead others.

Teachers and staff actively encourage and model positive behaviors through the use of positive words while displaying empathy and inclusivity

- Danbury Schools breaks down the core values by theme and focuses on one per month
- Focus on student leadership—
#EveryChildOurFuture



Danbury Schools exemplify that leaders are always listening and learning through district student leadership opportunities

- Superintendent Advisory board
- Athletic advisory council



BUILDING MEANINGFUL RELATIONSHIPS

Public education thrives through collaboration of the home and the school. Our school community is a family. Our teachers and staff know our students and their families, make sincere investments in them and know that they can count on each other.



**DANBURY SCHOOLS ACTIVELY
WORKS TO BUILD RELATIONSHIPS
BY TEACHING EMPATHY AND
CONFLICT RESOLUTION**

**RELATIONSHIP BUILDING
HAPPENS THROUGH
PERSONALIZED ATTENTION AND
RESTORATIVE PRACTICE MODELS**



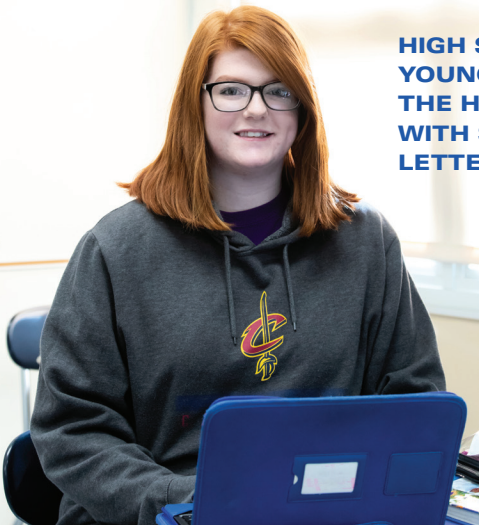
SERVICE TO OTHERS IN THE COMMUNITY

In Danbury, service and kindness are a way of life. Giving of our time and talents is important to helping to build an even better future and community.

***SWEETS
WITH
SANTA***



HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS HELP YOUNGER CHILDREN TO CELEBRATE THE HOLIDAYS THROUGH PICTURES WITH SANTA AND ASSISTING WITH LETTERS TO THE NORTH POLE



STAYING CONNECTED

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DANBURY STUDENT SERVICES TEAM MEETS ONCE PER MONTH TO BEST PROVIDE FOR OUR STUDENTS

SECOND STEP SOCIAL EMOTIONAL CURRICULUM

is utilized for students PreK-8

Counseling services provided

TO OVER 70 STUDENTS

LUCY,

our therapy dog assists students in grades PreK-4

LAKER LOCKER

created to provide hygiene products and other resources to students

