

GIFTED EDUCATION

The Moberly School District provides differentiated gifted education for identified students in grades 1 – 8. According to Missouri Department of Elementary and Secondary Education guidelines, gifted students are described as follows:

“ . . . those children who exhibit precocious development of mental capacity and learning potential as determined by competent professional evaluation to the extent that continued educational growth and stimulation could best be served by an academic environment beyond that offered through a standard grade-level curriculum.”

Program Goals

~Grades 1-5

E.A.G.L.E.S. (Enriched Accelerated Guided Learning for Exceptional Students)

~Grades 6-8

E.X.C.E.E.D. (Extra Challenges through Enriched Education Daily)

The Moberly School District gifted programs emphasize the following goals:

- *Provide challenging learning experiences beyond the regular classroom
- *Develop and promote high level thinking and problem solving skills
- *Develop creative expression
- *Provide opportunities to develop self-awareness, autonomy, and self-direction
- *Provide opportunities for sharing and exchanging ideas in a supportive environment



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ELIGIBILITY:

Referral questions should be directed to Mrs. Allison Archibeque, Director of Special Services, the building principal, or by contacting Della Cochran, Gifted Program Facilitator, at Gratz Brown Elementary or Moberly Middle School.