

Extended Learning Program (ELP)

Program Description

Grades K-2-

Teachers provide individualized student modifications to maximize pupil potential. Daily lessons are modified to provide additional challenges as needed for students.

Grades 3-5-

A pull-out, one half hour per day program designed to challenge students to maximize their potential and develop higher level thinking skills. This includes:

- Develop higher level thinking skills and the ability to process information
- Foster creativity
- Develop within the student the ability to effectively express ideas orally and in written form
- Foster self-awareness by participation in group processes and individual goal-setting and evaluation
- Develop independent task management through effective work habits

Evaluation Process

District Benchmark Assessment Data, NJSLA scores and teacher recommendation are used to generate a population to be tested.

ELP Program Evaluation consists of:

- SAGE- Deductive reasoning and thinking test
- Parent Questionnaire
- Teacher Questionnaire
- Renzulli- Teacher questionnaire on social behavior
- Student Grades
- Student Interview with ELP Teacher

ELP Teacher(s)

Certified Riverside Elementary School teachers, trained in the district's curricular programs, will work with identified students.