

# KMS Beliefs

We believe that middle level education should foster a successful transition from childhood into young adulthood by guiding the development of ethical character, developing responsibility and accountability for self, recognizing and practicing respect, providing experiences that attain and apply knowledge, engaging students in a variety of activities and building upon social, physical and mental health.

# KMS Vision

The “Vision” for Kennedy Middle School students is that they become responsible life-long learners who demonstrate personal integrity in all aspects of life.

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## Community Resources

Washington County  
Child Abuse or Neglect  
(262) 335-4888

Washington County  
Acute Care Services  
(262) 365-6565

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*Kennedy Middle School  
Comprehensive School  
Counseling Program*

**Kennedy Middle School  
W160 N11836 Crusader Court  
Germantown, WI 53022  
www.germantown.k12.wi.us**

## **KMS Mission Statement**

The Kennedy Middle School Mission is to educate by meeting the diverse needs of all students in an environment which fosters high expectations and mutual respect for diversity through learning experiences that can be applied throughout life.

# Program Components

## School Counseling Curriculum

Classroom activities in the areas of bullying/harassment, career exploration and assessment, character education, communication skills and team building.

## Individual Student Planning

Includes Individual Learning Plans, new student orientation, and parent and student conferencing.

## Responsive Services

Includes conflict resolution, consultations and referrals, crisis counseling, and individual and small group counseling.

## System Support

Involves consultation, collaboration and teaming, professional development, and program management.

# Academic Development

After School Study Skills Program  
Learning Style Inventories  
Multiple Intelligences  
Organizational/Study Skills Support

# Personal/Social Development

Student Assistance Program  
Support Groups

- Anger Management
- Coping with ADD
- Family Changes
- Grief
- Relationships
- Self-Awareness
- Stress Management
- Transition to the Middle School

# Career Exploration

Interest Inventories  
Researching the World of Work  
Exploring Post-Secondary Options  
Individual Learning Plans

# Program Features

- ◆ Serves 100% of Students 6-8,
- ◆ Strongly emphasizes student, parent, and counselor conferencing,
- ◆ Delivers the Comprehensive School Counseling Program curriculum content in a systematic manner to all students,
- ◆ Based on the Wisconsin School Counseling Student Content Standards, and
- ◆ Develops Individual Learning Plans in collaboration with teachers, parents/guardians and students.

## CONFIDENTIALITY

Everything said will be kept private

*unless:*

- ◆ A student is in danger of harming him/herself or others  
OR
- ◆ A student has been hurt by someone.

