Is Bellevue BP right for me?
Is Bellevue BP right for my child?
Yes, if you…

- Want to experience real-world applications of what you learn beyond classroom walls.
- Want to work with a tight knit team of students and teachers in a personalized learning environment.
- Want to learn how to navigate the worlds of business, higher education, and community leadership.
- Learn best when the curriculum is connected to your interests and relevant issues in your life or community.
- Desire to have a voice in determining what and how you learn and how to show your understanding.
- Desire to learn in a diverse, respectful, safe, and non-traditional environment.

Big Picture Learning

The Big Picture Learning design is a dynamic approach to learning, doing, and thinking that has been changing the lives of students, educators, and entire communities since 1995.

Learn more at : www.bigpicture.org

Bellevue Big Picture Mission:

To prepare every student for success in college, career, and citizenship through personalized, rigorous and relevant learning experiences.

Learn more by attending an information session.

January 12, 18, 31, and February 8, 2012
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Think it! Dream it! Live it!

A 6th –12th grade school
for students in Bellevue School District.

Enrolling students in Grades 6,7,9, &10
Sept 2012

Bellevue Big Picture: What Makes Bellevue Big Picture Unique?

A Diverse Community: We are committed to creating a diverse community of learners founded on the principles of multi-cultural awareness, social justice, and equity.

Personalized Learning Environment: The school is highly personalized due to the unique teacher-as-advisor relationship.

Family Engagement: Family involvement is an essential part of the learning process. Parents/guardians are also "enrolled" as partners in their student's education.

Authentic and Relevant Instructional Program: The instructional program includes coursework and Learning Through Internship/Interest (LTI) aligned with each student's passions. Internships are for high school students only.

College/Career Connection: Students create an educational plan, explore college/career options, and receive support for admissions testing and the application process.

Authentic Assessment: Students are held to high standards and must demonstrate their progress in a variety of ways, such as a complete comprehensive digital portfolio and quarterly exhibitions of their work.

Technology Integration: Students use technology on a daily basis to communicate, collaborate, research, analyze, and demonstrate their learning through projects and their digital portfolios.

School and District Staff, Community and College Partners, and Parents celebrating the opening of Bellevue Big Picture School, September 6, 2011

Key Design Features

- Small, personalized learning environment
- Advisors teach a group of students for 3-4 years
- Internships and service learning integrated into the school day
- Technology integration in all courses
- Partnerships with families, local businesses and colleges
- Standards-aligned, problem-based curriculum
- Personalized learning plans for all students
- Exhibitions and digital portfolios

Big Picture Learning Goals:

Five areas frame all learning

- Quantitative Reasoning
- Empirical Reasoning
- Social Reasoning
- Communication
- Personal Qualities

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