



WEAR YOUR COLORS



“Pelican Rapids Schools played a huge role in **preparing me for college.**”

Through **athletics, arts, and academics,** I learned the value of **teamwork** and **hard work.**

The staff always encouraged me to **follow my dreams** and showed me what it looks like to be a **role model.**

I am so blessed to be a **Viking.**”

-Morgan Berg, Pelican Rapids Graduate

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ATHLETICS

FALL

- Boys' Cross Country
- Girls' Cross Country
- Football
- Boys' Soccer
- Girls' Soccer
- Volleyball

WINTER

- Boys' Basketball
- Girls' Basketball
- Valkyrie Dance Team
- Wrestling

SPRING

- Baseball
- Softball
- Boys' Golf
- Girls' Golf
- Boys' Track & Field
- Girls' Track & Field
- Fishing League
- Trap Shooting

STUDENT GROUPS

- Celebration of Cultures
- Future Farmers of America (FFA)
- MN Honor Society
- Prom Committee
- Philanthropy and Youth (PaY)
- Robotics
- Student Council

- Student Leadership Teams
- Students Against Destructive Decisions (SADD)
- Video Productions
- Viking News Network (VNN)
- Yearbook Staff

ARTS/ACADEMICS

- Art Contests
- Band
- Choir
- Fall Play/Musical
- Knowledge Bowl

- Math League
- One Act Play
- Pep Band
- Speech

Pelican Rapids Public Schools

310 S. Broadway
Pelican Rapids, MN 56572



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WE LEARN FOR LIFE





START YOUR VOYAGE



Named a Minnesota School of Excellence, **Viking Elementary** works hard for each and every student. We provide opportunities for young learners to problem solve, explore new interests, and establish and maintain friendships in a respectful, nurturing environment. The Leader in Me® platform provides a foundation for continual growth and leadership development.

- Small class sizes create an engaging, personalized experience.
- Students expand their creative interests with our licensed art, music, physical education, and library teachers.
- Title 1 Schoolwide program addresses educational needs of all children with strategies for improving academic proficiency.
- Club Vikes, a before and after school program, offers a place for students to complete homework, read, craft, and play.
- Viking Student Success Program helps students reach their potential by offering additional learning opportunities.

Welcome Little Vikes!

Located in Viking Elementary, the Viking Preschool program offers **FREE** educational programs to district residents ages 3-5. Our licensed teachers engage students through age-appropriate skills and hands-on activities.

- **Ages 3-4:** Each week, students enjoy two half-days full of hands-on activities that teach math, literacy, art, social, play, and fine motor skills development.
- **Ages 4-5:** Each week, students prepare for kindergarten with four half-days using curriculum correlating to Viking Elementary K-6 models.
- **Parent Aware Four-Star Rating:** Viking Preschool continues to earn the highest rating available for quality early education.

"Pelican Rapids not only **embraces** but **celebrates creativity** and **diversity**, which is why I love teaching kindergarten at Viking Elementary.

Building relationships and **learning** with my students brings joy to each day!"

-Dana Syverson
Kindergarten Teacher



WE WANT YOU TO BE A VIKING

VIKING PRIDE MEANS

910 Preschool-12th Grade Students
14:1 Student-Staff Ratio
Financially Stable and Strong
High Academic Standards
Graduation Rate Above State Average
Award-Winning Arts and Athletics

Rich Cultural Diversity
State-of-the-Art Facilities
Supportive Local Businesses
Caring Community Members

Visit Today!

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"We chose Pelican Rapids because it is a beautiful **small town** with a mix of agriculture, lakes, and a vibrant **diverse community**."

Our kids feel having people from other **cultures** and **backgrounds** in their schools and community is **enriching** and gives them an **advantage**.

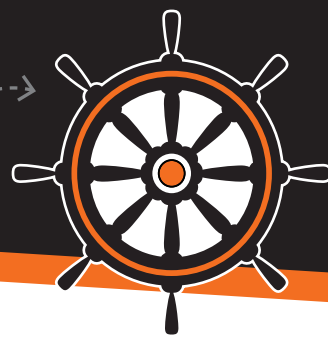
The strong **academics, arts,** and **athletics** are a great fit for us. We are **proud** to be from Pelican."

-Lisa Stewart, Parent

Follow Us!



CAPTAIN YOUR FUTURE



Pelican Rapids High School has strong academics, competitive athletic teams, and engaging activities for students of all backgrounds, interests, and abilities. Our highly qualified educators create opportunities for students to become leaders and make a difference. Students leave Pelican Rapids Schools prepared for success in future education, careers, and life.



Steer Your Ship!

- Take advantage of nearly 30 college credits offered through College in High School (CIHS), Advanced Placement (AP), and Postsecondary Enrollment Options (PSEO)
- Add flexibility to your schedule with more than 40 eCampus classes
- Gain career readiness skills taught in Career and Technical Education courses in agriculture, business, industrial technology, and more
- Expand artistic and cultural understanding in art, music, and Spanish courses
- Take advantage of educational options in alternative learning programs including Core Class Academy and credit recovery
- Explore the workforce through work experience programs such as Agribusiness Occupations and Work Release
- Individualize learning with English Language Learners (ELL) and Special Education
- Promote Viking Pride and gain experience in mass communications with Viking News Network, a student-produced, award-winning newscast

"I was able to land my **dream job** at **Microsoft** because the teachers at Pelican Rapids Schools always **pushed me** beyond my comfort zone and always gave me something to **take home** to think about **besides homework.**"

-Guillermo Rosiles
Pelican Rapids Graduate

