



# Gifted and Talented



POUDRE SCHOOL DISTRICT

## Boltz Middle School



Boltz Middle School's Gifted and Talented Program is designed to give students a safe place to explore their interests and aptitudes. Our purpose is to provide students with dedicated time to feel heard and seen, explore their passions, collaborate with like-minded peers, and access resources related to their strengths and needs. We aim to empower these identified students to embrace their uniqueness and utilize their potential to find success in their educational career and beyond.



**73**

Average GT students

**565**

Total student enrollment

<https://bol.psdschools.org/index.php/academics/gifted-talented>



### Programming Opportunities for Gifted Learners

At grades 4 and 5, we offer a compacted math pathway for students who qualify. Qualifying students would receive 4th and half of 5th grade math standards in fourth grade and the other half of 5th and all of 6th grade math standards in fifth grade. Students qualify based on a body of evidence.



### Gifted and Talented site coordinator:

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### Overview of the GT program at this school



#### Programming opportunities for identified GT student:

- Accelerated math classes
- GT Extended Learning Opportunity
- Mentoring opportunities
- Challenge by choice opportunities
- STEM opportunities in Science and elective classes

### Enrichment opportunities for GT students during school



For more information, please visit our Academics Tab at: [bol.pedschools.org](http://bol.pedschools.org)

- 6-8 GT ELO class
- Field Trips
- Science Olympiad
- Lego Robotics
- Maker's Space
- WEB Leaders
- World Language
- Musical Theater
- Give Next
- Technology Student Association (TSA)
- Choir Electives
- Band Electives
- Boltz Buddies

*\* These are offered depending on school scheduling.*

### Enrichment opportunities for GT students before or after school



- Lego Robotics
- Athletics
- Spectrum Club
- National Junior Honor Society
- Quiz Bowl
- Odyssey of the Mind

### Affective programming for GT students



The Gifted and Talented Coordinator, counselors, and teachers work with Gifted students on their affective ALP goals. All students participate in multiple Restorative Practices Circle Ups with their peers and GT identified students have the opportunity to explore social and emotional learning topics specific to their needs in the GT ELO class. We focus carefully on the health and wellness of all students.