

Academic Decathlon

2024 – 2025 Curriculum Theme: Our Changing Climate

Academic Decathlon is an exciting 10-event competition for grades 9-12. Students of all achievement levels participate in a variety of challenging academic events. The program builds academic and social emotional skills, engages students, families, and community members, and fosters school connectedness.



STUDENT BENEFITS

- Prepare for college
- Practice critical reading
- Enhance teamwork skills
- Make lifelong friends
- Receive recognition and awards



LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES

- Learn, study, and interact in a team setting
- Compete in an exciting Super Quiz relay, where parents, faculty, and classmates cheer for teams from the sidelines, championing academics much like the environment of a sporting event



LCAP PRIORITIES

- #3 Parent Involvement
- #5 Student Engagement
- #6 School Climate

92%

Students reported that Decathlon helped them build relationships with peers at their school.

93%

Students reported improved communication skills.

86%

Students reported improved critical thinking skills.

Survey conducted with 185 9-12 grade students during 2023-24 competition season

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