Gallatin Gateway School 

GT Nomination Information

& Important Dates to Remember

In accordance with the School Laws of Montana, 20-7-901, MCA, Gallatin Gateway School will consider all kindergarten through eighth grade students not yet identified as gifted and talented for nomination and screening for gifted and talented programs and services. Gifted and Talented students are defined, in Montana, as high ability/high potential students that “require differentiated educational programs beyond those normally offered in public schools to fully achieve their potential contribution to self and society.”

Anyone interested in the educational welfare of these students may nominate them for assessment. Parent and Teacher nomination forms are available from the Superintendent.

Nomination Form Deadlines

Forms must be turned into the Superintendent, Kelly Henderson, by September 29, 2023, January 31, 2024, or April 26, 2024.

Assessment Dates

There are two phases to the G/T Assessment process.

Phase one: The G/T Assessment Team collects information from the teachers of the nominated students which will be considered with the nomination information to determine if full screening is appropriate to move forward with the identification process.

Phase two: Based on the evaluation of the G/T Assessment Team, if a student scores at or above the 95th percentile on the pre-screener AND the parent/teacher portfolio documentation supports the performance, the student will be given the Sages 3 Cognitive Assessment.

Students who perform at or above the 95th percentile on the Sages 3 will be placed in the Gallatin Gateway School Gifted and Talented Program.