

# K-1 GIFTED

## COMPANION PROGRAM

**Nurturing Curiosity, Creativity, and Confidence from the Start**

Avondale's K-1 Gifted Program serves as a companion to our existing Gifted and Talented Education (GATE) program, fostering curiosity, creativity, and confidence through engaging, flexible learning and inclusive identification. Our supportive, skilled teachers help students grow academically and socially while building a strong foundation for future success.

### IMPORTANT DATES:

- **Dec. 9, 2025:** Gifted Program Information Night at GATE Magnet School
- **Jan. 28, 2026:** Gifted Program Information Night at GATE Magnet School
- **Jan. 30–Feb. 28, 2026:** Application Window (during GATE School of Choice window)
- **March 2026:** District CogAT testing window
- **Mid-April:** Placement Notifications
- **End of April:** Letter of Intent Due

### COMING FALL 2026

Open to incoming kindergarten & first graders

 **Woodland Elementary School**  
6465 Livernois Rd., Troy, MI 48098

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