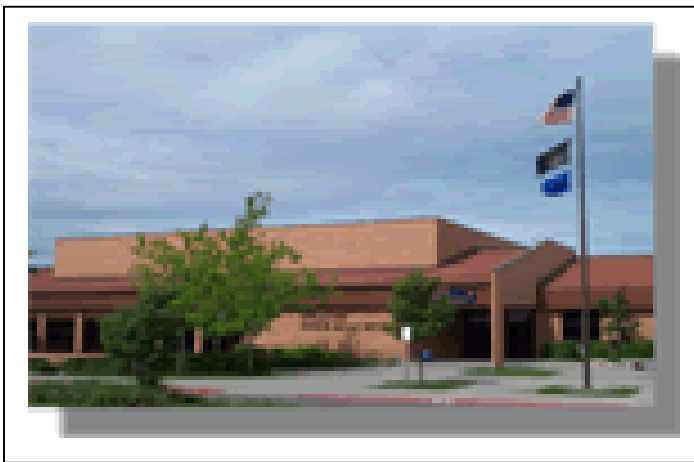


# UTAH SCHOOLS TO WATCH

## MODEL SCHOOL—VISITOR'S GUIDE

### Syracuse Junior High



#### Designated in 2006

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### 2005-07 School Statistics

(Source: Davis School District Annual Performance Report 2006-2007)

Community: Size/characteristics  
Enrollment: 1,529  
Grade Levels: 7-9  
School Schedule: 8 Period Day

#### Student Demographics

6.9%	Hispanic
86.7%	Caucasian
1%	African American
0.5%	Native American
2.4%	Asian
0.3%	Pacific Islander
1.8%	Other
0.3%	No Response

20.3%	Free/Reduced Lunch
4%	English Learners

2005 AYP:	Yes
2006 AYP:	No
2007 AYP:	Yes

## School Characteristics and Replicable Practices

### Academic Excellence

- International Baccalaureate
- Tracking Program
- After School Tutoring
- Seahawks for Success

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### **Developmental Responsiveness**

- The 8 Period Day
- Student Led Conferences
- Advisory
- 7<sup>th</sup> Grade Study Skills Integration

### **Social Equity**

- Special Education Inclusion
- Diversity Dinner
- ESL Intervention

### **Organizational Support**

- 9<sup>th</sup> Grade Flex Block
- Team Planning Time
- Positive Behavioral Strategy “Good Coins”
- Functional Skills Integration
- Tour of Utah –Increasing Physical Fitness
- Schools of the Future
- Youth Court Partnership