

## WES Site Council

Monday, October 1, 2018

Location: WES Library

### **Capturing Kids Hearts**

Flip Flippen video on what Capturing Kids Heart's is and how it works. The website is <https://flippengroup.com/education-solutions/capturing-kids-hearts/>

"If you have their heart you have their mind"

Sharing good things at the beginning and end of the day.

Giving affirmations to each other

Creating a social contract for each classroom, lunchroom and L.A.M.P.

Engage

Xplore

Communication

Empower

Launch

### 4 Question model

What are you doing?

What are you supposed to be doing?

Are you doing it?

What is going to happen if you don't do it?

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Students can live anywhere in Kansas, k-12 about 450 full time students, and 3,500 part time students. Started 213 new students this fall. The eCademy has been in place for 8 years. All teachers come on campus and teach each day.

This is a blended program, where teachers co-teach with parents to help their students learn. This is a very rigorous curriculum. Depending on the student's age, there is a lot of off line time, where students come on campus to work on a weekly basis. They can work from home, and allow flexibility with their schedule. Small groups of 5 to 6 kids, students are able to interact and share their work with each other, while working online.

Middle school students are able to come on campus three times a week and on Fridays; there are opportunities to go on field trips. Very similar to the classes they would take on campus, but in a virtual format.

High school student can come in 4 times a week in the CAFÉ. Many high school students take classes over the summer to free up their schedule. They have the same curriculum and follow the same guidelines for graduation as Andover HS and Andover Central HS.

They offer information sessions in April and have an open house for you to come and see for yourself.