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Mannheim Middle School

Mannheim Middle School is part of the North District. Our school is located in Melrose Park and we have about 840 students that attend our school, grades 6-8. Our school mascot is the falcon and our colors are blue and white.



Mannheim's Student Council has 3 advisors; Ms. Lazzara, Mrs. Geitz, and Mr. Koletsos. When our council began 3 years ago, we didn't have a set meeting day or structured plans. This year, we meet mainly on Thursdays and any day that we need to get our scrapbook or other projects completed. Some of the activities that we've done at our school so far are listed below.

- 1) Car Wash
- 2) Hats for Heroes
- 3) Battle of the Leaders Volleyball Game
- 4) Hosted a Workshop
- 5) Sold Candy Grams
- 6) Food for Teachers
- 7) Holiday Door Decorating
- 8) Super Bowl Food Drive
- 9) Thanksgiving Dinner
- 10) Russell's BBQ Fundraiser
- 11) Babysitting for Tech Night
- 12) Helped with Spelling Bee

Our current goals for our council are to promote more school spirit around Mannheim and to increase membership and community involvement. The benefit that we've experienced by being part of the IAJHSC membership is the various workshops that we've been able to attend. These workshops have taught students how to be strong leaders and step out of their comfort zone and meet new people. Mannheim hosted a successful workshop this winter. It was completely student centered and ran by the students. They created every activity and we able to see their hard work through. Our council is very proud of the accomplishments that we've had and the growth that we've experienced over the years.