HAWTHORN

Age Level	Middle School
Academic Learning Profile	A Hawthorn student learns successfully in varied groupings, including pairs and small and large groups.
Regulation Skills	A Hawthorn student requires moderate amounts of praise and reinforcement in order to maintain motivation to learn.
Communication Style	Hawthorn students use varied modes of communication: Expressive verbal, typed, and written.
Academic + Specialist Programs	● Individualized applied academics (literacy, math, social studies and science) mindful of Oregon State Standards. ● Specialist programs include Adaptive Physical Education, Art, Music/Music Therapy, Occupational Therapy, Social-Emotional Learning, Speech Therapy, and Health + Wellness. ● Transition and Work Experience Programs (age 13 and older).
More Classroom Details	● Community Based Instruction (CBI) - Weekly outings designed to learn safety and essential skills in context, engage in daily life routines, access community and community spaces, and apply academic skills (applying safety skills, creating/utilizing shopping lists, reading text in the community, purchasing items, waiting in lines, writing down prices of items, etc). ● Sensory activities and social engagement opportunities. ● Personalized programs created for each student to teach academics, social and emotional health, social skills, community participation, and daily living skills. ● Direct instruction and project based learning. ● Daily living skills practice includes cooking, crafting, gardening, hygiene, laundry, wellness, and much more. ● Field Trips.