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# Tearing Down the Walls at Kettle Moraine MS

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# MISSION

Cultivating academic excellence, citizenship and personal development

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# VISION

Learning without Boundaries

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# CHARGE

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Vision  
+  
Empowerment  
=  
Transformation



# Personalized Learning defined as

- A Learning pedagogy (How > What)
- Our [PL Look For](#) guides us (and has evolved)
- Learners
  - Disposition is a focus
  - Location, instruction, and pace vary
  - Mastery orientation & struggle
  - FOCUS ON HABITS OF MIND
- Educators
  - designer & coach > teacher





# Shifts at our MS: Where

Commons and LMC

Classrooms



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# Shifts at our MS: What

- Create house
  - MULTI-GRADE, INTERDISCIPLINARY
- Emphasis on teacher collaboration
  - LITERACY, SOCIAL ST, SWD PARTNERSHIPS
- Personalization of content delivery
  - GRAMMAR, SPELLING, LITERACY, MATH
- Schedule design changes every year
- Summit Learning platform in our 6th grade

