



McKinney High School Profile 2023

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McKinney High School is a 6A high school located 35 miles north of Dallas, Texas. Accredited by the Texas Education Agency and the Southern Association for Colleges and Schools, McKinney High School is the original of 3 public high schools in McKinney. A school board with formalized high school requirements was established in 1883, and in 1889 McKinney High School proudly oversaw the commencement of its first graduating class of four students. Today McKinney High School serves a diverse population of 2918 students and will graduate 670 students in May 2023.

Administration

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	Assistant Principals	Counselors	
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Class of 2023 Demographics	
White	38.3%
Hispanic	33.8%
Black	17.9%
Asian	4.76
2 or more races	4.32%
Native American	<1%
Native Hawaiian/PI	<1%

Class of 2023 Grade Distribution	
Highest GPA	5.2140
Top 10%	5.2140 - 4.1905
1 st Quartile	4.1881 - 3.6690
2 nd Quartile	3.6667 - 2.9676
3 rd Quartile	2.9619 - 2.2813

Graduation Requirements Foundation + Endorsement	
Subject	Credits
English	4.0
Math	4.0
Science	4.0
Social Studies	4.0
LOTE	2.0
Fine Arts	1.0
Physical Education	1.0
Health	.5
Communication	.5
Electives	5.0

Students must complete Algebra 2 and graduate under the Distinguished Plan to be ranked in the top 10% of their class.

Level 2 Advanced Courses offered (Weighted on a 5.0 Scale)	
<i>English I</i>	<i>German II</i>
<i>English II</i>	<i>German III</i>
<i>Biology I</i>	<i>Latin II</i>
<i>Chemistry I</i>	<i>Spanish II</i>
<i>Anatomy and Physiology</i>	<i>Spanish III</i>
<i>Algebra I</i>	<i>French II</i>
<i>Algebra II</i>	<i>French III</i>
<i>Geometry</i>	<i>Computer Science</i>
<i>Precalculus</i>	<i>Independent Study and Mentorship I</i>
<i>World Geography</i>	<i>Independent Study and Mentorship II</i>
<i>African American Studies</i>	<i>Art I</i>
<i>Mexican American Studies</i>	<i>Art II</i>
<i>American Sign Language II</i>	
<i>American Sign Language III</i>	

AP and other Level 3 courses offered (Weighted on a 6.0 Scale)

AP English Language and Composition	AP Biology	AP World History	AP Art History
AP English Literature and Composition	AP Chemistry	AP US History	AP French Language
AP Calculus AB	AP Physics I	AP US Government	AP German Language
AP Calculus BC	AP Physics C	AP Macroeconomics	AP Spanish Language
AP Statistics	AP Environmental Science	AP Psychology	AP Spanish Literature
AP Computer Science A	AP European History	AP Music Theory	Computer Science III
AP Computer Science Principles	AP Human Geography	AP Studio Art	Computer Science IV

**Dual Credit Courses Offered through Collin College
(Weighted on a 5.0 Scale)**

Composition and Rhetoric (ENGL 1301 & 1302)
 World Literature (ENGL 2332 & 2333)
 College Algebra (MATH 1314)
 Elementary Statistical Models (MATH 1342)
 Calculus for Business and Social Sciences (MATH 1325)
 Earth Science (GEOL 1401)
 Stars and Galaxies (PHYS 1403)
 U.S. History (HIST 1301 & 1302)
 Principles of Macroeconomics (ECON 2301)
 American Government (GOVT 2305)
 Communication (SPCH 1321 or SPCH 1311)
 Medical Terminology (HITT 1305 & HPRS 2301)
 Art Appreciation (ARTS 1301)

Additional dual credit options are available as part of the Technical Cohort Program offering certification in these areas of study:

Health Sciences
 Biomedical Equipment Technology
 Industrial Automation
 Electronic Engineering Technology
 Computer-Aided Drafting and Design
 Construction Management
 Heating, Ventilation and Air Conditioning
 Welding Technology
 Computer Networking
 IT Security
 Automotive Service Technician
 Collision Repair
 Real Estate
 Culinary Arts

WEIGHTED GPA SCALE

GRADE	LEVEL III	LEVEL II	LEVEL I
100	6.0	5.0	4.0
99	5.9	4.9	3.9
98	5.8	4.8	3.8
97	5.7	4.7	3.7
96	5.6	4.6	3.6
95	5.5	4.5	3.5
94	5.4	4.4	3.4
93	5.3	4.3	3.3
92	5.2	4.2	3.2
91	5.1	4.1	3.1
90	5.0	4.0	3.0
89	4.9	3.9	2.9
88	4.8	3.8	2.8
87	4.7	3.7	2.7
86	4.6	3.6	2.6
85	4.5	3.5	2.5
84	4.4	3.4	2.4
83	4.3	3.3	2.3
82	4.2	3.2	2.2
81	4.1	3.1	2.1
80	4.0	3.0	2.0
79	3.9	2.9	1.9
78	3.8	2.8	1.8
77	3.7	2.7	1.7
76	3.6	2.6	1.6
75	3.5	2.5	1.5
74	3.4	2.4	1.4
73	3.3	2.3	1.3
72	3.2	2.2	1.2
71	3.1	2.1	1.1
70	3.0	2.0	1.0

Class Rank is based upon a student's WEIGHTED GPA.

UNWEIGHTED GPA SCALE

GRADE RANGE	POINTS AWARDED
90 – 100	4.0
80 – 89	3.0
70 – 79	2.0

Unweighted grade points are awarded on this scale, regardless of the difficulty level of the course.

**SAT School Day Class of 2023
March 2022**

	MHS	Texas
Total	1000	1001
ERW	504	506
Math	495	495

**Post-Secondary Plans
Class of 2023**

4 Year University	48.3%
2 Year College	26.5%
Trade/Technical School	5.2%
Gap Year	4.8%
Mission Trip	0.4%
Military	3.2%
Work	11.2%

COVID 19 Grading Policy – Spring 2020

Semester course grades were based on successful completion of the 3rd quarter and progress made on asynchronous assignments during the 4th quarter. All students followed the same policy.

The MHS Class of 2023 Colleges and Universities

Abilene Christian University	McMurray College	Tuskegee University
Arkansas Tech Univ.	Michigan State	Texas Women's University
Austin College	Midwestern State University	UCLA
Baylor University	Multnomah	University of Alabama
Belmont University	New York Conservatory	University of Arkansas
Blinn College	Oklahoma Baptist University	University of Central Oklahoma
Brigham Young Univ. - Idaho	Oklahoma City University	University of Chester
Brigham Young Univ. - Provo	Oklahoma State University	University of Colorado
Brown University	Oklahoma Wesleyan University	University of Dallas
California Institute of Arts	Ouachita University	University of Kansas
Carnegie Mellon	Prairie View A&M University	University of Houston
Central Florida	Ranger College	University of Mississippi
Clark Atlanta Univ.	Rochester Institute of Technology	University of Missouri
Collin College	Roosevelt University	University of Nebraska Lincoln
Columbia College - Chicago	Sam Houston State University	University of New Hampshire
Dallas College	Samford University	University of New Mexico
Eastern Washington	Southeastern Oklahoma State Univ.	University of North Texas
Florida A&M	Southern Methodist University	University of Northern Colorado
Fordham University	Stanford University	University of Oklahoma
Friends University	Stephen F. Austin State University	University of Portland
Grayson College	Tarleton State University	University of Wyoming
Hardin-Simmons University	Texas A&M University	University of Pittsburgh
Hendrix College	Texas A&M Commerce	University of Texas at Arlington
Houston Community College	Texas A&M Corpus Christi	University of Texas at Dallas
Howard University	Texas A&M Galveston	University of Texas at Permian Basin
John Brown University	Texas Christian University	University of Texas at San Antonio
Kansas University	Texas Southern University	University of Texas at Tyler
Kansas State University	Texas State University	Utah State University
Kilgore College	Texas Tech University	Utah Valley University
Lamar University	Texas Woman's University	West Texas A&M University
Lane College	Tulane University	Western State Colorado
Louisiana State University	The University of Texas at Austin	York College

CAMPUS LIFE AND EXTRA CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

MHS students participate in a rich variety of interscholastic sports, clubs, and other organizations, including those listed below.

Royal Pride Band	Engineering Club
Marquettes Drill Team	Environmental Club
MHS Choir	FFA
MHS Thespians	Fishing Club
Golden Mane Theatre	French Club
MHS Orchestra	Gay Straight Alliance
Baseball (M)	German Club
Basketball (M, W)	Golden Girls
Cheer (M, W)	Golden Groupies
Cross Country (M, W)	Headhunters
Diving (M, W)	HOSA
Football (M)	JROTC
Golf (M, W)	Key Club
Ice Hockey (M, W)	Literary Magazine
Soccer (M, W)	Model United Nations
Softball (W)	Mu Alpha Theta
Swim (M, W)	National Honor Society
Tennis (M, W)	PALS
Track (M, W)	Philosophy Club
Wrestling (M, W)	Spanish Club
Admissions Club	Spikeball Club
Black Student Union	Student Council
MHS1 Student Journalism	UIL Academic Teams
Chemistry Club	Vegetarian Club
Computer Science Club	W.H.A.B.
Criminal Justice Club	Women's History Club
Culture Club	Yoga Club

Websites:

McKinney High School – www.schools.mckinneyisd.net/mhs/

McKinney ISD – www.mckinneyisd.net

Academic Planning Guide – <https://tinyurl.com/McKinneyAPG>