



# Kennewick High School

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**The School:** Kennewick High School is a comprehensive four-year high school in Kennewick School District, accredited by The Northwest Accreditation Commission (NWAC) and the IBO; it is a member of the Mid-Columbia Conference (MCC) for athletics.

**Our Mission:** To send our youth into the future ready to reach their potential as adults through a lifetime of learning.

**Academic Programming:** KHS hosts the International Baccalaureate Program, an Air Force Junior ROTC program, a Life skills Program for students with developmental disabilities , and an ELL program for emerging language learners.

**Grading Policy:** KHS uses the standard “A=4 points” grading system, with the addition of “+” and “-” grades at all grade levels. Student’s GPA is unweighted.

**Class Rank/Discipline Reporting:** KHS does compute class rank and can report ranking information. In addition, school policy precludes the disclosure and reporting of disciplinary infractions.

**Strength of Program:** Distinctions are made based on the number of Honors, College in the High School, IB and Running Start courses each student attempted. The full-IB diploma is our strongest academic schedule, and is open to all students at KHS.

**IB Curriculum:** KHS is an “IB for All” school, open to all students. Currently, 579 Juniors and Seniors are enrolled in IB classes and 9 students are full-IB diploma candidates.

**Honors Courses:** The KHS curriculum contains 23 Honors courses (5 Honors courses and 18 IB courses)

**Schedule:** Our schedule operates on a 6 period day. Classes meet every day in 46-minute periods. We also operate on a

## Demographics:

September 2019 Student Count: 1662  
 Free and Reduced-Priced Meals: 70%  
 Special Education: 10.6%  
 Transitional Bilingual: 16%  
 American Indian/Alaskan Native: .7%  
 Asian: 3.9%  
 Black/African American: 3.0%  
 Hispanic/Latino: 58%  
 Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander: .4%  
 White: 35%  
 Two or more races: 4.6%

In addition to English and Spanish, 20 languages are represented in our building, including: Arabic, Burmese, Farsi, Karen, Marshallese, Somali, and Ukrainian.

## SAT SCORES – 2018 (Mean Scores)

EB Reading & Writing: 489  
 Mathematics: 495  
 # of students testing: 169

## IB TESTING

Years	Testers	IB Diplomas
2017	50	9
2018	58	4
2019	68	9

## ON-TIME GRADUATION

4-Year Graduation Rate: 85.5%  
 5-Year Graduation Rate: 89%