



2023-2024 School Profile MARQUETTE HIGH SCHOOL



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ACADEMIC PROGRAM

Class Schedule: Marquette students attend courses on a hybrid block schedule. This unique schedule is a combination of standard (45 minute) classes and block (91 minute) classes as well as periodic Academic Lab times. Students are enrolled in 7 class periods where ½ credit is earned per semester for each class. Academic Lab is conducted during the school day, typically twice a week, and students have the opportunity to receive tutoring, touch base with teachers, make up missed work or assessments, attend club meetings, and/or choose from a variety of offered activities including college rep visits. Academic Lab is designed for students to have choice in how to best achieve academic success and enrichment.

Advanced Placement: Marquette offers multiple courses through the College Board Advanced Placement program. There is no restriction to the number of AP courses students can take, however there are prerequisites for many that must be met before enrolling in an AP course. Marquette offers the 33 AP Exams in the following subject areas: World Language, Science, Social Studies, Math, Language Arts, and Fine Arts.

Dual Enrollment: Eligible and approved students may take college-level courses through local community colleges and universities during the regular school day. These courses typically will NOT appear on the high school transcript since they do not usually apply toward a student's high school graduation requirements.

Alternative Credit Opportunities: Rockwood students can also elect to apply for alternative credit opportunities such as ECP (Early College Program), South Technical School (½ day programming) or Spark! (immersion-based, community partnership).

College Credit/Dual Credit: Some courses are offered with the option for students to register to receive credit from a university with whom the Rockwood School District has an articulation agreement. College credits will NOT appear on the high school transcript.

Grade Point Average Calculation (GPA): GPA is based on grades earned in grades 9-12. **We do not report class rank.** All courses for which a student receives a grade are included in the GPA. GPA is based on a 4.0 scale with an "A" worth 4 points. For weighted grade classes, an "A" is worth 5 points. Weighted grades are offered in various Honors, some Engineering, and in all AP classes. **Honors Courses:** Certain courses are distinguished as Honors due to the nature of instruction but grades in Honors courses are not necessarily weighted.

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

In accordance with requirements established by the State of Missouri, the Board of Education and the Rockwood School District:

Language Arts	4 credits
Mathematics	3 credits
Social Studies	3 credits
Science	3 credits
Fine Art	1 credit
Career & Technical Education	1 credit
Physical Education	1 credit
Health Education	½ credit
Electives	7 credits
Personal Finance proficiency	
US/MO Constitution	

*****COVID 19 INFORMATION*****

2021-2022: Rockwood School District returned to operating on a semester, in-person instruction model with limited virtual course offerings.

2020-2021: The school year began on August 24th, 2020 in a virtual setting. For the 1st semester, classes were split into quarters with 1st, 3rd, 5th, and 7th hour classes occurring during 1st Quarter (8/24-10/23) and 2nd, 4th, and 6th hour classes occurring during 2nd Quarter (10/27-1/14). For the 2nd Semester, students had the option to choose in-person or virtual learning. Rockwood followed a block schedule for 2nd semester classes, and students were enrolled in 7 classes for the entire semester.

ABBREVIATIONS ON THE TRANSCRIPT

WG = Weighted Grade
WP = Withdrew Passing - No credit
WF = Withdrew Failing - No credit
NG = No grade - No credit
AU = Audit - No credit
P/F = Pass/Fail - Credit

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<u>2023-2024 Enrollment*</u>	<u>Grading Scale</u>	<u>Class of '24 GPA Distribution</u>	<u>Letter/GPA</u>	<u>% of students</u>
Seniors: 575	A=100-90%	#1 4.857	A (4.0+)	22.6%
Juniors: 516	B= 89-80%	Top 5% 4.383	B (3.9-3.0)	42.9%
Sophomores: 504	C= 79-70%	Top 10% 4.217	C (2.9-2.0)	21.3%
Freshmen: 578	D= 69-60%	Top 25% 3.932	D (1.9-1.0)	10.6%
	F= 59% or below	Top 50% 3.488		
		Top 75% 2.553		

*Data may have slight variations throughout the school year due to shifts in actual student enrollment

CLASS OF 2023 STATISTICS: 124 students in the Class of 2023 qualified for Missouri Bright Flight Scholarship Recognition

Graduates

Attending 4-years: 69%
Attending 2-years: 18%

Test Results

ACT Composite Average: 24.29 (100% of students took the ACT)
SAT Mean Scores: TBA

National Merit Recognition

17 Finalists
2 Semi-Finalists
13 Commended

AP Results

600 students took 1352 exams
89% scored 3 or higher, 67% scored 4 or higher, 35% scored 5
85 AP Scholars, 60 Scholars with Honors, 135 Scholars with Distinction, 1 AP International Diploma, 14 AP Capstone Diplomas, 4 AP Seminar & Research Certificates

Class of 2023 Enrollment Outcomes:

Abilene Christian University	Eastern Kentucky University	Marquette University	Southern Illinois University	University of Illinois at Chicago
Arizona State University	Florida Atlantic University	Maryville University	(Carbondale)	University of Illinois at
Arizona State University	Fontbonne University	McKendree University	Southern Illinois University	Urbana-Champaign
Arkansas State University	Full Sail University	Miami University (Oxford)	(Edwardsville)	University of Iowa
Auburn University	George Mason University	Missouri Baptist University	St. Charles Comm. College	University of Kansas
Augustana College	George Washington University	Missouri Southern State University	State Technical College of Missouri	University of Kent
Ball State University	Georgia Institute of Technology	Missouri State University	SUNY at Purchase College	University of Kentucky
Belmont University	Gettysburg College	Missouri University of Science and	Temple University	University of Maryland
Benedictine College	Hannibal-LaGrange University	Technology	Texas Christian University	North Carolina at Chapel Hill
Berklee College of Music	Harris-Stowe State University	Missouri Valley College	The American University of Paris	University of Notre Dame
Black Hawk College	Hendrix College	Missouri Western State University	The College of William and Mary	University of Oklahoma
Blackburn College	Illinois State University	Murray State University	The Ohio State University	University of Pennsylvania
Brigham Young University	Indiana University (Bloomington)	New York University	Truman State University	University of Rhode Island
Brown University	Indiana University-Purdue University	Northwestern University	Tufts University	University of San Diego
Case Western Reserve	Indianapolis	Nova Southeastern University	Tulane University of Louisiana	University of South Carolina
University	Iowa Western Community College	Oklahoma State University	United States Naval Academy	University of Southern California
Central Piedmont Comm.	Ithaca College	Penn State University	University of Alabama	University of Tennessee (Knoxville)
College	Jefferson College	Princeton University	University of Alabama in Huntsville	University of Texas at Austin
Clemson University	Kansas State University	Purdue University	University of Arizona	University of Texas at Dallas
Colorado State University	Kendall College of Culinary Arts	Quincy University	University of Arkansas	University of Virginia
Columbia College (Chicago)	Langston University	Ranken Technical College	University of California (Los Angeles)	University of Washington
DePaul University	Lewis and Clark Comm. College	Robert Morris University	University of California (San Diego)	University of Wisconsin
DePauw University	Lewis University	Rockhurst University	University of Central Missouri	Vanderbilt University
Drury University	Lindenwood University	Saint Louis Community College	University of Cincinnati	Virginia Tech
	Louisiana State University	Saint Louis University	University of Colorado Boulder	Washington and Lee University
	Louisiana Tech University	School of the Art Institute of	University of Connecticut	Washington University in St. Louis
	Loyola University Chicago	Chicago	University of Dayton	Webster University
		Southeast Missouri State	University of Hartford	William Woods University
		University		

POINTS OF DISTINCTION

- Rockwood School District recognized as a National District of Character
- Marquette High School recognized as a Missouri State School of Character
- Missouri Department of Education Triple A Rated
- Consistently included in the US News and World Report America's Best High Schools Ratings
- Consistently included in the Washington Post America's Most Challenging High Schools List
- 30+ Missouri State High School Activities Association recognized organizations
- 100+ sponsored student activities, clubs, and organizations with over 50% of students participating
- Niche.com: #5 best public high school in Missouri - #14 best high school for STEM in Missouri - #4 best college prep high school in Missouri
- #10 best high school teachers in Missouri - #53 best high school for athletes in Missouri
- Member of the National Association for College Admission Counseling (NACAC)
- Member of the Missouri Association for College Admission Counseling (MOACAC)
- Member of the College Board

Marquette High School, located in suburban St. Louis County, Missouri, is part of the Rockwood School District. Rockwood is St. Louis County's largest public school system, serving more than 22,000 students districtwide. Other high schools in the district are Lafayette, Eureka, and Rockwood Summit, and all high schools in the district are A+ Certified. The Rockwood School District also enrolls students from St. Louis City through the Department of Educational Equity and Diversity Program. Rockwood, which is considered the premier school district in St. Louis County, has high student achievement, outstanding teachers and staff, and great community support. Our mission of doing whatever it takes to ensure all students realize their full potential is at the center of our work. **ACCREDITATION:** Rockwood is recognized for Distinction in Performance by the Missouri Department of Elementary and Secondary Education.

