

# North Side High School

School Year 2023-2024

<https://www.fwisd.org/NorthSide>

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## Administration

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## School Mission

The mission of North Side High School is to partner with the community, pursue educational excellence, and dedicate its resources to create a learning environment that encourages each student to become productive citizens and lifelong learners in a multicultural society.

## Curriculum

The curriculum is comprehensive and includes courses of study for college-bound students as well as for students planning to enter community colleges, military, or employment. To meet the diverse needs of students, the curriculum includes Advanced Placement, dual credit, OnRamps, honors, and regular courses.

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## Colleges attended by Recent Graduates

Abilene Christian University  
Angelo State  
College of Wooster  
Culinary Institute of America  
Drexel University  
Duke University  
Emory University  
Harvard College  
Johns Hopkins  
McMurray University  
Midwestern State University  
Notre Dame  
Penn State  
Sam Houston University  
Stanford University  
Tarleton State University  
Tarrant County College  
Texas A&M University

Texas Christian Univ.  
Texas State University  
Texas Tech University  
Texas Wesleyan  
Texas Woman's Univ.  
Univ. of North Texas  
UT Arlington  
UT Austin  
UT San Antonio  
University of Houston  
University of Chicago

## School Description

**Public Four-year High School, Grades 9-12, Title I**

**Accreditation:** Texas Education Agency, Southern Association of Colleges and Schools

**Members:** College Board

**Scheduling:** A/B Block

## Fort Worth Community and School District

Fort Worth, the most typically Texan of all Texan cities, began as a small outpost on a lonely frontier. Today, this metropolitan area of more than 600,000 people blends its cattle and oil heritage seamlessly with an ever-growing, diverse array of new businesses and industries. North Side High School is an urban school in Texas' fourth largest city. The student body is primarily Hispanic. A large percentage of the students are first generation high school graduates, and many have immigrated from other countries. North Side High School encompasses one of Fort Worth's oldest neighborhoods.

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## RACIAL DIVERSITY 2021-2022

Asian/Pacific Islander	.5%
Native American	.5%
Hispanic	94%
African American	3%
Caucasian	1%

## ENROLLMENT 2021-2022

Freshmen	508
Sophomores	455
Juniors	442
Seniors	347
Student Total	1752

## Advanced Course Offerings

### Advanced Placement:

Studio & 2D Art  
 Psychology  
 Environmental Science  
 Biology  
 Calculus AB/BC  
 English Language  
 English Literature  
 Human Geography  
 World History  
 Computer Science  
 Spanish Language

### Honors Courses:

Music  
 Choir  
 Theater Arts  
 English I, II, III  
 Biology  
 Chemistry  
 Physics  
 Anatomy & Phy.  
 Forensic Science  
 Spanish III  
 Algebra I & II  
 Geometry  
 Pre-Calculus

### Dual Credit with Tarrant County College:

Government, Economics, Kinesiology, World History, Speech, Culinary Arts

### Dual Enrollment with UT Austin:

OnRamps Physics, US History, Earth & Space Science, Chemistry, and Rhetoric

### Career and Technology:

Arts and Audio Video Production  
 Business and Accounting  
 Culinary Arts  
 Engineering  
 Education & Training  
 Health Science

## Grading and GPA

### **Weighted GPA**

The district categorizes and weights courses as Tier I, II and Tier III. Tier I courses include Advanced Placement (AP) courses, dual credit and UT OnRamps dual enrollment courses and other rigorous district designated courses, Tier II includes pre-AP or honors courses and Tier III courses include all other courses offered not designated as Tier I or II. Please see the FWISD Guide to Grade Reporting for the most updated changes to class ranking.

### **Unweighted GPA**

The district also calculates an unweighted GPA using a simple whole number scale.

FWISD has an open enrollment policy for Advanced Placement (AP), pre-AP and honors courses. Students in dual credit through TCC sit for the Texas Success Initiative (TSI) exam and reach a qualifying score in order to participate in academic classes. UT OnRamps courses are dual enrollment courses that student can elect to take and do not have TSI requirements.

### **Special Programs**

NSHS is home to the Medical Professions P-TECH Program, a TEA endorsed Early College High School Model.

## School Day SAT Average (gr.11)

Year	State	North Side HS
2020-21	988	814
2021-22	957	833
2022-23	956	854

## Graduate Follow Up- Class of 2021

4 Year College	18%
2 Year College	22%
Trade/Tech School	03%
Military	02%
Full Time Employment	45%