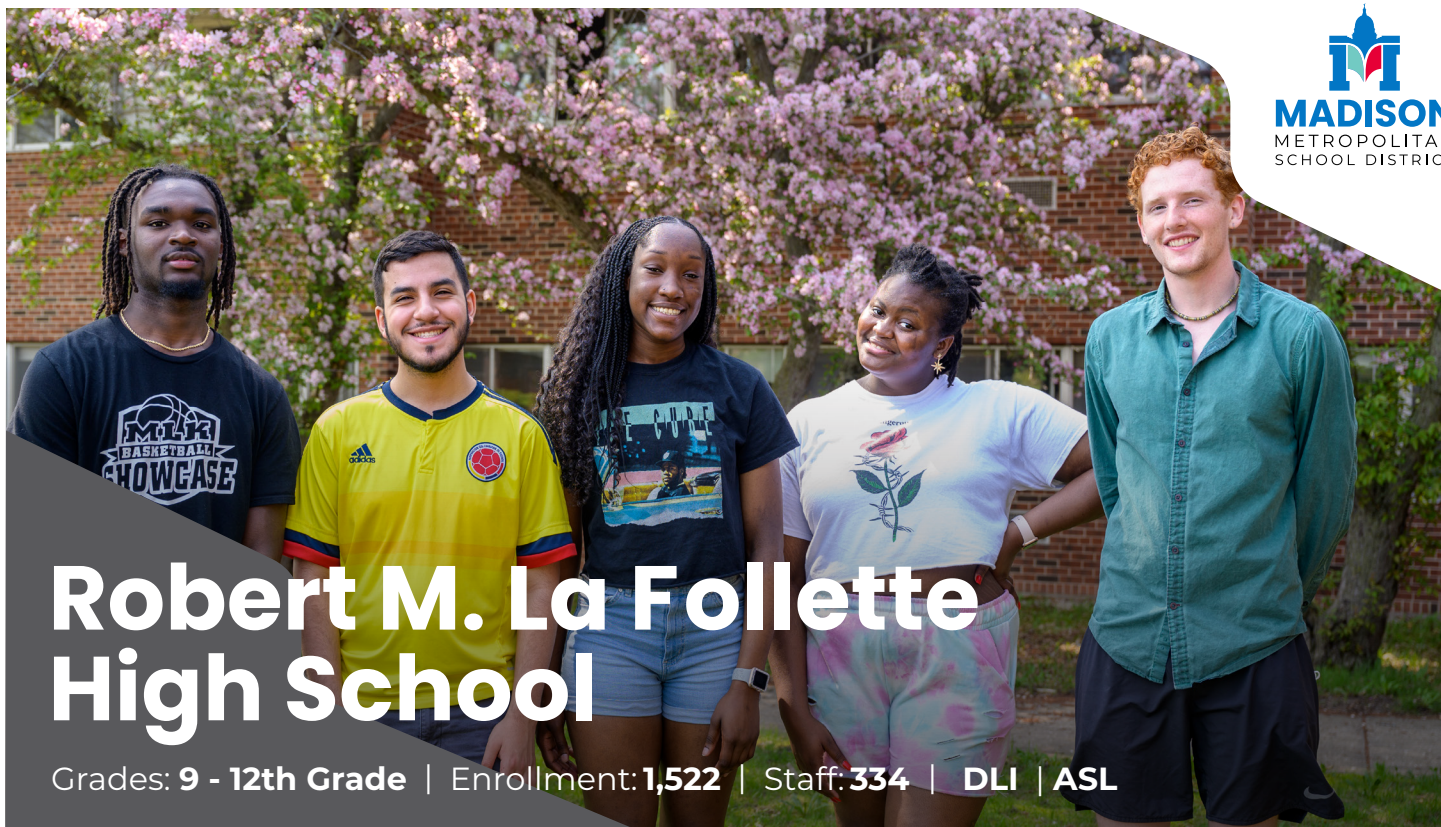




Robert M. La Follette High School

Grades: **9 - 12th Grade** | Enrollment: **1,522** | Staff: **334** | **DLI** | **ASL**

At La Follette High School, students are empowered through rigorous academics and a focus on literacy as a pathway to success. With over 23 Advanced Placement (AP) courses and nine Honors offerings, students are equipped to challenge themselves and reach high academic standards. Our educators foster critical thinking and real-world problem solving in every classroom, preparing students to excel in college, career and community.



Learn.

La Follette High School proudly earned **4 stars – Exceeds Expectations** on the State Report Card!

La Follette demonstrates strong year-over-year academic growth, especially in **English Language Arts (86.9)**. The school's high growth and robust graduation rate reflect its commitment to helping students succeed and graduate ready for what's next.



Belong.

La Follette High is focused on building stronger school relationships. According to the 2023–24 Climate Survey:

- **85%** of students report strong relationships with teachers
- **75%** student sense of belonging
- **75%** student engagement
- **79%** positive student experience



Thrive.

Students at La Follette graduate ready to thrive.

From leadership opportunities to service learning, students develop interpersonal skills, confidence and community connection. Our alumni go on to attend top institutions such as UW-Madison, Stanford and Marquette, with 66% of the class of 2023 enrolling in college immediately after graduation.

Start: 8:15 a.m.
Dismissal: 3:37 p.m.

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Academic Excellence

La Follette offers 23 AP courses including Calculus BC, Biology and Spanish Literature. In 2024, students took 476 AP exams, preparing for college-level academics.

Dual Enrollment & Career Readiness

Students benefit from 16 dual enrollment courses, including Medical Interventions and Aerospace Engineering. Programs like Early College STEM and the Biomedical Academy offer real-world learning linked to career paths.

Equity & Language Learning

Home to a strong Dual Language Immersion program and 38% identified English Learners, La Follette emphasizes culturally responsive practices and bilingual achievement—24 students earned the Seal of Biliteracy in 2023.

College & Workforce Pathways

Whether students pursue four-year universities or technical education, La Follette supports success beyond high school. Programs like Start College Now and the Early College Credit Program allow students to earn college credit while in high school.

Co-Curriculars & Student Success

La Follette High offers a wide variety of co-curriculars, including athletics, music, theater, leadership organizations and a growing list of career-focused opportunities. As a proud member of the WIAA Big Eight Conference, Lancer athletes compete at the Division 1 level across multiple sports.

La Follette also shines in career and technical education—its DECA chapter qualified 8 students for the International Career Development Conference in 2025 and earned a State Championship in eSports. These opportunities help students apply classroom learning to real-world challenges while building leadership, teamwork and confidence.



Madison Metropolitan School District

(MMSD) is the place where your child will truly thrive. We welcome all children and foster a strong sense of belonging, ensuring every student feels valued and supported.

At MMSD, we believe in exploring a wide range of interests and providing opportunities that help students discover their passions, talents and unique potential. From arts to sciences, technology to sports, there's something for every child to explore and grow!

We're proud to have the support of our community, with newly renovated high schools, a new elementary school and 10 new buildings coming soon. These modern spaces create an environment for future-ready opportunities that will set your child up for success!

District Wide:

87%
Graduation Rate

43
National Merit
Semifinalists
(most in Wisconsin)

64%
of students graduate
with some college
credits

4,200
Advanced
Placement Taken
in 2025 with 80%
scoring 3 or higher

12
State Championships
for Career and
Technical Student
Organizations

190
WIAA Team State
Championships
(most in Wisconsin)



La Follette High School has more than **373,200** square feet of new additions and renovations thanks to the 2020 Referendum.

