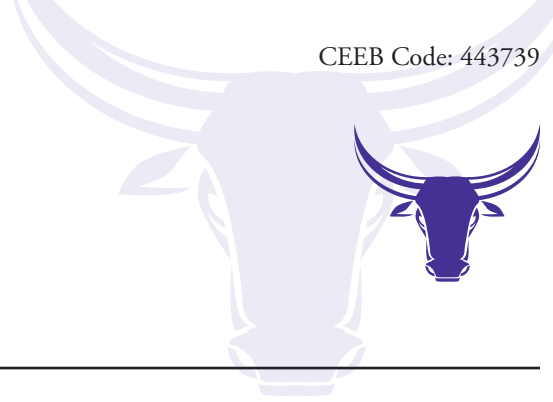


PROFILE

MORTON RANCH HIGH SCHOOL

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ADMINISTRATIVE TEAM

- Principal**
Julie Hinson
- Associate Principal**
Charlene Willis
- Assistant Principals**
Nicole Morgan, *Student Support*
Valerie Paulk, *Student Support*
Michelle Donahue, *12th Grade*
Steven Przespolewski, *11th Grade*
Cliff Scrogin, *10th Grade*
Elizabeth Paz, *9th Grade*
- Counselors**
Beatriz Addison (*Lead Counselor*)
Katie Baker
Timothy Simmons
Staci Mack
Valencia Price
- College and Career Facilitator**
Kathryn Boyle
- Professional Registrar**
Becky Hickman
- Registrar**
Claudia Hernandez
- Athletic Coordinator**
Ron Counter
- Asst. Athletic Coordinator**
Kisha Jones

THE COMMUNITY

Morton Ranch High School is located 25 miles west of downtown Houston. MRHS is Katy Independent School District's fifth high school, which opened in August of 2004. The diverse student population is predominantly middle class, but includes representation from upper and lower socio-economic levels.

At Morton Ranch High School, Katy ISD's goals in the areas of excellence and technology are evident. The school is expansive not only in size, but also in its commitment to providing an educational environment that is student-centered, parent-friendly and teacher-supportive.

SCHOOL FACTS

Morton Ranch High School is a public, four-year secondary school with an enrollment of 2,659 students in grades nine through twelve. The Morton Ranch faculty is composed of over 200 teachers and staff.

Morton Ranch High School is accredited by the Texas Education Agency and the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools. MRHS is also a member of CEEB, TACAC, and TASSP.

The school day consists of seven class periods which meet five days a week. Each class period is approximately 50 minutes in length. The school year is divided into two semesters with three six-week marking periods in each semester.

CAMPUS DEMOGRAPHICS

Hispanic	59%
Black	20%
White	13%
Asian	4%
Two or More Races	3%
American Indian / Alaska Native	0%
Native Hawaiian / Pacific Islander	0%

CLASS RANK

KISD uses a weighted 4.0 grading scale. Class Rank is based on a cumulative grade point average for grades 9-12, plus high school courses taken in junior high and credits earned via pre-approved Katy ISD provider(s). A student's GPA is calculated by dividing the total number of grade points by the number of semester courses attempted. Students are officially ranked for the first time after the fifth semester in high school. A full year, one period course consisting of two semesters would be equivalent to one credit.

CLASS OF 2022 QUARTILE RANK

Quartile	GPA
1	4.7547 - 3.614
2	3.6111 - 3.0755
3	3.0741 - 2.5556
4	< 2.5484

Number of Seniors 570

Katy ISD only ranks the top 10% of the Senior class. All other students are awarded a quartile ranking.

ADVANCED PLACEMENT PROGRAM TEST RESULTS

Katy ISD	
Number of AP Exams given	17,107
Number of Students	7,458
Percentage scoring 3 or better	77%
Morton Ranch High School	
Percentage scoring 3 or better	51%

STATE ASSESSMENT PERFORMANCE

STAAR/EOC Exams

Test	Approaches	Met	Masters
Algebra I	70%	28%	12%
Biology	84%	58%	20%
English I	63%	44%	8%
English II	70%	70%	7%
US History	94%	76%	47%

COLLEGE & CAREER READINESS

Entering 4 yr college	47.35%
Entering 2 yr college	26.83%
Entering tech college	8.37%
Gap Year	9.23%
Military	3.07%
Workforce	5.12%

COLLEGE ADMISSION TEST SCORES

High School Graduates in 2021
(average scores)

SAT	Total
MRHS	945
Texas	1000
National	1050
ACT	Total
MRHS	20.7

CAMPUS ACHIEVEMENTS

- 2017 6A State Champions Girls Wrestling
- 2011 MRHS graduate, Tamyra Mensah-Stock is the 2020 Olympic 68kg Gold Medalist
- 11 Time State Qualifying Academic Decathlon Team
- 2020 Graduate, LJ Cryer is the all time boys public school leading scorer in basketball in the Houston area
- 2012 Graduate, Danielle Hunter, Minnesota Viking Defensive End and two time Pro Bowl Player
- 2013 Graduate Elijah Hall 2022 Track and Field World Championship Silver Medalist on the 4x100 Men's Relay
- First Mariachi Band in Katy ISD



KISD GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

Students must earn a passing score on five STAAR/EOC state assessments (English I, English II, Algebra I, Biology, & US History). In addition to earning all required course credits for their graduation plan to earn a diploma, Katy ISD students must also satisfy the following academic requirements:

Course	FHSP	FHSP+ Endorsement
English	4	4
Mathematics	3	4
Science	3	4
Social Studies	3	3
Other Languages	2	2
Fine Arts	1	1
Physical Education	1	1
Health*	.5	.5
Electives	4.5*	6.5*
Total	22	26

*All students must earn a communication skills component from one of the following as an elective credit: Professional Communications, Leadworthy, Theatre Arts, Theatre Productions, Debate, Oral Interpretation, Professional Standards in Agribusiness or AP Seminar.

Endorsements available:

STEM, Business & Industry, Public Services, Arts & Humanities, Multidisciplinary Studies, and Distinguished Level of Achievement.

DISTINGUISHED LEVEL OF ACHIEVEMENT

A student may earn a distinguished level of achievement by successfully completing all curriculum requirements for the Foundation High School Program, plus each of the following:

- A fourth credit in mathematics, which must include Algebra II;
- A fourth credit in science;
- The requirements of at least one endorsement.

A student must graduate with a Distinguished Level of Achievement to be considered for the Top 10% and eligible for automatic admission to a Texas public college or university.

PERFORMANCE ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

A student may earn a performance acknowledgement in one or more of the following categories:

- AP test score of 3 or above;
- IB test score of 4 or above (applies to transfer students only as the International Baccalaureate program is not offered in Katy ISD);
- Outstanding performance on the PSAT, SAT or ACT;
- Completion of at least 12 hours college coursework with final grades of A or B (3.0 GPA or above);
- Bilingualism and biliteracy; and
- Earning a state, nationally or internationally recognized business or industry certification or license.

KISD GRADING SCALE

	(90-100) A	(80-89) B	(70-79) C	(69-Below) F
KAP/AP Courses	5	4	3	0
Dual-Credit Courses	4.5	3.5	2.5	0
Academic Core & Elective Courses	4	3	2	0
Fundamental/Applied Courses	3	2	1	0

KISD ADVANCED COURSES

KAP Courses

Algebra II	German III
Biology	Humanities
Chemistry	Ind Eng I - Academic Decathlon
Chinese III	Japanese III
Comp Sci Individual Study	Latin III
Comp Sci III Data Structure	Multivariable Calculus
Comp Sci Unity Game Devel	Pre Calculus
Elements of Data Science	Psychology
English I	Spanish III
English II	World Geography
French III	World History
Geometry	

Dual Credit Courses

Accounting I	Instr Practices
Accounting II	Learning Framework
Art History	Plane Trigonometry
Business Info Mgt I	Pro Communications
College Algebra	Psychology
Economics	Spanish Language IV
Elements of Calculus	Speech
English III	U.S. Government
English IV	U.S. History

Advanced Placement Courses

2-D Design Portfolio	Japanese Language
3-D Design	Latin Vergil
Art History	Macro Economics
Biology	Micro Economics
Calculus AB, BC	Music Theory
Chemistry	Physics I
Chinese Language	Physics II
Computer Science A	Psychology
Computer Science Principles	Research
Drawing	Seminar
English Language	Spanish Language
English Literature	Spanish Literature
Environmental Science	Statistics
European History	Studio Art
French Language	U.S. Government
German Language	U.S. History
Human Geography	World History

Total Number of KAP Courses	22
Total Number of Dual Credit Courses	18
Total Number of AP Courses	34
Total Advanced Academic Courses	74

All advanced academic courses offered in Katy ISD are listed above. Courses may differ by campus.
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