



NORTHSIDE  
INDEPENDENT  
SCHOOL DISTRICT



**WELCOME**  
2023





# NORTHSIDE BY THE NUMBERS



## 131 SCHOOLS

- 21 High Schools
- 82 Elementary schools
- 24 Middle Schools
- 4 Special Schools



## MAGNETS



- Communications Arts High School
- Construction Careers Academy
- Health Careers High School
- Jay Science & Engineering Academy
- Marshall Law and Medical Services Magnet School
- NSITE High School
- Agriculture Science & Technology Academy
- CAST Teach High School
- Hobby Middle School Magnet
- Jones Middle School Magnet
- Zachry Middle School Magnet



## 101,976 STUDENTS 12,605 EMPLOYEES

- Largest District In San Antonio
- 4th Largest District In Texas
- 25th Largest District In The United States
- Ranked as San Antonio's 4th-largest locally employed company



## 100 + LANGUAGES



## \$181.4 MILLION

### SCHOLARSHIPS EARNED BY THE CLASS OF 2023



## 16,000,000 MEALS SERVED EACH YEAR



## 6,400,000 MILES TRAVELED EACH YEAR



## 5,855

### INDUSTRY-RECOGNIZED CERTIFICATIONS EARNED BY STUDENTS IN THE 2022-2023 SCHOOL YEAR



## WELCOME TO NORTHSIDE

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Welcome to Northside Independent School District, a family-friendly school district and the school district of choice for thousands of families each year. We're proud of the exemplary academic and co-curricular programs that attract families to NISD.

As the fourth largest school district in Texas, thousands of families choose Northside each year for their child's education. They choose Northside for the wide selection of programs and classes - from full day PreK to elementary STEM labs; dual language programs to dual credit and advanced placement courses; career and technical education classes, magnet programs, and our special education services. They choose Northside for the dedicated and inspiring teachers. They choose Northside to find and develop their passion in fine arts and athletics. They ultimately choose Northside because we provide opportunities for student success now and in their future.

NISD also enjoys the strong support of the many businesses located in the District. Since 1995, the Northside Education Foundation (NEF), a nonprofit of community volunteers and business partners, has administered more than \$9 million in scholarships, teacher grants, and other program accomplishments.

We also are recognized for excellence in sound fiscal responsibility. For the 20th year in a row, Northside has received the highest rating from the state's financial accountability rating system, called School FIRST.

Northside students attend classes in their neighborhood schools or can take advantage of several options that exist for school choice. We welcome your visit to our campuses and look forward to you becoming a part of the Northside community.

# NORTHSIDE INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT



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Gerald Lopez, Robert Blount, Jr., John Craft, Ed.D., Corinne Saldana*

## BOARD OF TRUSTEES

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- Karen Freeman
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Working as a team of eight, in conjunction with the Superintendent, the NISD Board of Trustees are an elected governance board with a shared sense of purpose focused on meeting the needs of all NISD students and the communities they serve. Each board member is a volunteer dedicated to the mission of the Northside Independent School District to transform the learning experience for every student.

## ADMINISTRATION

- Dr. John Craft, Ed.D., Superintendent
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# OUR MISSION

Transform the Learning Experience for Students.

## OUR VISION

Every day, every student grows in confidence, curiosity, and capability.

## OUR BELIEFS

Each student deserves a quality education which honors their voice and prepares them to engage, contribute, and succeed.

Students' health, safety, engagement, support, and challenge is directly linked to their academic achievement and future success.

Meaningful relationships among students, families, educators, and the community are vital to student success.

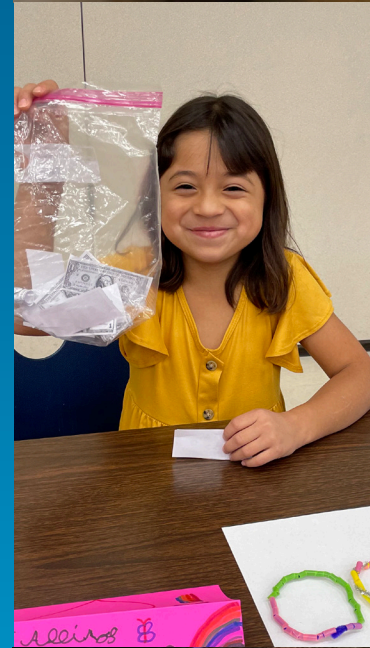
Classroom teachers have the most impact on student achievement followed by campus principals.

Public schools are essential to foster community and develop engaged citizens.

Profile of a Northside ISD Learner - Learners will be creators, leaders, collaborators, communicators, innovators, critical-thinkers, and solution-finders.



**APPLY  
NOW**



# LAYING THE FOUNDATION FOR TOMORROW

## Northside's High Quality PreKinder Program

- ✓ Certified teachers with a college degree in every classroom who are specialized in early childhood education
- ✓ Specialized programming including bilingual, ESL and special education
- ✓ Play-based curriculum prepares our children to succeed in Kindergarten and beyond

Learn how Northside's PreKinder program provides opportunity for your child and how to qualify

[nisd.net/pre-k](http://nisd.net/pre-k)



# ELEMENTARY SCHOOL & FULL DAY PREK

Students in PreKinder through fifth grade benefit from a program that is designed to meet the needs of the young child. Eighty-two NISD elementary campuses offer programs that provide for maximum learning opportunities in reading, writing, mathematics, science, social studies, physical education, fine arts, and STEM.

## *STEM Labs*

STEM Labs on every elementary campus allow students hands-on learning with science, technology and engineering concepts with dedicated time to explore and create. Northside STEM Labs introduce students to coding and robotics, providing students the chance to develop a growth mindset and allowing for navigation of future school and career choices. We emphasize perseverance and allow students the space and time to make corrections and improve upon their work

## *Gifted and Talented Program*

At Northside Independent School District, we believe that every student's potential deserves to be recognized and nurtured. Our Elementary Gifted and Talented (GT) program is designed to empower young minds with significantly advanced intellectual abilities. Each of our elementary campuses boasts a full-time GT Specialist who orchestrates a rich array of services, including pullout sessions that foster creative and independent thinking for students. Our program is rooted in a specially-designed curriculum that aligns with the Texas State Plan for Gifted/Talented Education. Our commitment is to provide an environment where gifted students can thrive intellectually and socially, building the foundation for a lifelong love of learning.

## *Fine Arts*

Fine Arts instruction is part of the Northside elementary curriculum, to provide our students the opportunity to create and to imagine what can be. Our certified art and music specialists teach a TEKS-driven curriculum at 100 percent of the district elementary campuses. Students experience multiple hands-on opportunities to develop a joy for singing, dancing, playing musical instruments, and creating art pieces in 2-D and 3-D forms. Elementary art and music programs are highly visible and involve all students. Skills developed in fine arts classes serve to develop the whole child for future success in any career path.

## *Physical Education*

Physical Education is an integral part of the overall education of all students in the Northside Independent School District. The primary goal of physical education is to motivate students to pursue and continue active lifestyles by developing motor skills necessary to perform a variety of physical activities. It is also essential that students develop knowledge, understanding and positive attitudes



about human movement. Northside offers quality physical education programs that provide learning opportunities that are meaningful, motivational, and challenging to the students.

## *Bilingual, Dual Language, and ESL*

In Northside, we embrace diversity and provide a high-quality learning experience for all. We build upon the linguistic, academic, and cognitive experiences of students and families to develop students' mastery of the English language. Our goal is to achieve academic excellence, and honor multiculturalism through meaningful learning experiences that inspire students' confidence, curiosity, and capability. We do this through our Bilingual Transition Program, Dual Language Immersion Program and English as a Second Language Program. The Bilingual, Dual Language, and ESL programs are available at designated campuses.

## *Full-Day PreK*

Unlock your child's full potential in Northside's high-quality full-day PreKindergarten classes. In Northside's PreKinder Program, we are committed to provide high quality early childhood learning experiences in a nurturing and inclusive environment. We work to ensure all early learners feel loved, respected, and encouraged to grow to their fullest potential. All of our certified teachers, with college degrees specialized in early childhood education, are ready to help your child succeed.

## *Special Education Services*

Northside ISD provides specially designed instruction, and related services to students with an identified disability requiring an individualized instructional program. Our goal is to provide tools and skills necessary to strengthen each student's role in decision making while increasing student independence and ensuring academic progress.

## *Learning Tree*

Northside School District's After-School Program offers opportunities for children to access academic enrichment, social, and recreational experiences in an environment that is safe and supervised. It is run by Northside's Community Education Department. This department aligns itself with The Texas Education Agency's expectations, as well as NISD's high standards of all staff, and maintains the rigor and expectations of our students throughout their day. Learning Tree provides a nutritious snack, homework time, and physical recreation. In addition, children participate in academic enrichment and reinforcement of daytime learning through fun, hands-on activities.

## *Enrichment Programs*

Solar Cars

Art Club

Kindness Club

Student Leadership

Robotics

Spanish

Choir

Project A.C.O.R.N.

Lego League

Coding Club

Strings



# ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS



**Adams Hill**  
9627 Adams Hill Dr,  
San Antonio TX, 78245  
210-397-1400



**Allen**  
101 Dumont Dr,  
San Antonio TX, 78227  
210-397-0800



**Aue**  
24750 Baywater Stage,  
San Antonio TX, 78255  
210-397-6750



**Beard**  
8725 Sonoma Pkwy,  
Helotes TX, 78023  
210-397-6600



**Bobbie Behlau**  
Elementary School  
2355 Camp Light Way,  
San Antonio, TX 78245  
(210) 398-1000



**Blattman**  
3300 N Loop 1604 W,  
San Antonio TX, 78231  
210-397-4600



**Boldt**  
310 Hollimon Parkway  
San Antonio, TX 78253  
(210) 398-2000



**Boone**  
6614 Spring Time Dr,  
San Antonio TX, 78249  
210-397-1450



**Brauchle**  
8555 Bowens Crossing,  
San Antonio TX, 78250  
210-397-1500



**Braun Station**  
8631 Tezel Rd,  
San Antonio TX, 78254  
210-397-1550



**Burke**  
10111 Terra Oak,  
San Antonio TX, 78250  
210-397-1300



**Cable**  
1706 Pinn Rd,  
San Antonio TX, 78227  
210-397-2850



**Carlos Coon**  
3110 Timber View Dr,  
San Antonio TX, 78251  
210-397-7250



**Carnahan**  
6839 Babcock Rd,  
San Antonio TX, 78249  
210-397-5850



**Carson**  
8151 Old Tezel Rd,  
San Antonio TX, 78250  
210-397-1100



**Cody**  
10403 Dugas,  
San Antonio TX, 78245  
210-397-1650



**Cole**  
13185 Tillman Ridge,  
San Antonio, TX 78253  
210-398-2100



**Colonies North**  
9915 Northampton Dr,  
San Antonio TX, 78230  
210-397-1700



**Driggers**  
6901 Shadow Mist,  
San Antonio TX, 78238  
210-397-5900



**Ellison**  
7132 Oak Drive,  
San Antonio TX, 78256  
210-398-1850



**Elrod**  
8885 Heath Circle Dr,  
San Antonio TX, 78250  
210-397-1800



**Esparza**  
5700 Hemphill Dr,  
San Antonio TX, 78228  
210-397-1850



**Evers**  
1715 Richland Hills Dr,  
San Antonio TX, 78251  
210-397-2550



**Fernandez**  
6845 Ridgebrook,  
San Antonio TX, 78250  
210-397-1900



**Fields**  
9570 Fm 1560 North,  
San Antonio TX, 78254  
210-398-2150



**Fisher**  
3430 Barrel Pass,  
San Antonio TX, 78245  
210-397-4450



**Forester**  
10726 Rousseau,  
San Antonio TX, 78245  
210-397-0200



**Galm**  
1454 Saxonhill Dr,  
San Antonio TX, 78253  
210-397-1150



**Glass**  
519 Clearview Dr,  
San Antonio TX, 78228  
210-397-1950



**Glenn**  
2385 Horal Dr,  
San Antonio TX, 78227  
210-397-2250



**Glenoaks**  
5103 Newcome Dr,  
San Antonio TX, 78229  
210-397-2300



**Hatchett**  
10700 Ingram Rd,  
San Antonio TX, 78245  
210-397-6850



**Helotes**  
13878 Riggs Rd,  
Helotes TX, 78023  
210-397-3800



**Henderson**  
14605 Kallison Bend  
San Antonio TX, 78254  
210-398-1050



**Hoffmann**  
12118 Volunteer Parkway,  
San Antonio TX, 78253  
210-397-8350



**Howman**  
11431 Vance Jackson,  
San Antonio TX, 78230  
210-397-2350



**Kallison**  
8610 Ranch View East,  
San Antonio TX, 78254  
210-398-2350



**Kay Franklin**  
9180 Silver Spot,  
San Antonio TX, 78254  
210-398-1700



**Knowlton**  
9500 Timber Path,  
San Antonio TX, 78250  
210-397-2600



**Krueger**  
9900 Wildhorse Pkwy,  
San Antonio TX, 78254  
210-397-3850



**Kuentz**  
12303 Leslie Road,  
Helotes TX, 78023  
210-397-8050



**Langley**  
14185 Bella Vista Place,  
San Antonio TX, 78253  
210-397-0150



**Leon Springs**  
23881 IH 10 W,  
San Antonio TX, 78257  
210-397-4400



**Leon Valley**  
7111 Huebner Rd,  
San Antonio TX, 78240  
210-397-4650

# ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS



**Lewis**  
1000 Seascape,  
San Antonio TX, 78251  
210-397-2650



**Lieck**  
12600 Reid Ranch,  
San Antonio, TX 78245  
(210) 398-1450



**Linton**  
2103 Oakhill Rd,  
San Antonio TX, 78238  
210-397-0750



**Locke Hill**  
5050 De Zavala Rd,  
San Antonio TX, 78249  
210-397-1600



**Los Reyes**  
10785 Triana Pkwy,  
Helotes TX, 78023  
210-398-1200



**Martin**  
730 Canterbury Drive,  
San Antonio TX, 78228  
210-398-1400



**Mary Hull**  
7320 Remuda Dr,  
San Antonio TX, 78227  
210-397-0950



**May**  
15707 Chase Hill Blvd,  
San Antonio TX, 78256  
210-397-2000



**McAndrew**  
26615 Toutant Beauregard  
Boerne, TX 78006  
210-398-1750



**McDermott**  
5111 USAA Blvd,  
San Antonio TX, 78240  
210-397-5100



**Mead**  
3803 Midhorizon Dr,  
San Antonio TX, 78229  
210-397-1750



**Meadow Village**  
1406 Meadow Way Dr,  
San Antonio TX, 78227  
210-397-0650



**Michael**  
3155 Quiet Plain Dr,  
San Antonio TX, 78245  
210-397-3900



**Mireles**  
12260 Rockwall Mill,  
San Antonio TX, 78253  
210-398-1500



**Mora**  
1520 American Lotus  
San Antonio, TX 78245  
210-398-2400



**Murnin**  
9019 Dugas,  
San Antonio TX, 78251  
210-397-4550



**Myers**  
3031 Village Pkwy,  
San Antonio TX, 78251  
210-397-6650



**Nichols**  
9560 Braun Rd,  
San Antonio TX, 78254  
210-397-4050



**Northwest Crossing**  
10255 Dover Rdg,  
San Antonio TX, 78250  
210-397-0600



**Oak Hills Terrace**  
5710 Cary Grant Dr,  
San Antonio TX, 78240  
210-397-0550



**Ott**  
100 N Grosenbacher Rd,  
San Antonio TX, 78253  
210-397-5550



**Passmore**  
570 Pinn Rd,  
San Antonio TX, 78227  
210-397-0500



**Powell**  
6003 Thunder Dr,  
San Antonio TX, 78238  
210-397-0450



**Raba**  
9740 Raba Dr,  
San Antonio TX, 78251  
210-397-1350



**Reed**  
7433 Sawmill Glade,  
San Antonio, TX 78253



**Rhodes**  
5714 North Knoll,  
San Antonio TX, 78240  
210-397-4000



**Scarborough**  
12280 Silver Pointe,  
San Antonio TX, 78254  
210-397-8000



**Scobee**  
11223 Cedar Park,  
San Antonio TX, 78249  
210-397-0700



**Steubing**  
11655 Braefield,  
San Antonio TX, 78249  
210-397-4350



**Thornton**  
6450 Pembroke,  
San Antonio TX, 78240  
210-397-3950



**Timberwilde**  
8838 Timberwilde Dr,  
San Antonio TX, 78250  
210-397-0400



**Tomlinson**  
9748 Swayback Ranch,  
San Antonio, TX 78254  
210-398-2650



**Valley Hi**  
8503 Ray Ellison Blvd,  
San Antonio TX, 78227  
210-397-0350



**Villarreal**  
2902 White Tail,  
San Antonio TX, 78228  
210-397-5800



**Wanke**  
10419 Old Prue Rd,  
San Antonio TX, 78249  
210-397-6700



**Ward**  
8400 Cavern Hill,  
San Antonio TX, 78254  
210-397-6800



**Wernli**  
1881 Arcadia Path,  
San Antonio, TX 78245  
(210) 398-2450



**Westwood Terrace**  
2315 Hackamore Ln,  
San Antonio TX, 78227  
210-397-0300



# MIDDLE SCHOOLS

Northside students in grades six through eight benefit from a program designed to meet the needs of the adolescent child. Our 21 middle school campuses offer strong academic programs within the core subjects of mathematics, social studies, science, and English Language Arts and include three Middle School Magnet Programs. Students also take courses in physical education and electives such as computer literacy, fine arts, family and consumer science, foreign language, career and technology education, and Skills for Adolescence. Enrichment and acceleration can be achieved through Pre-AP classes and gifted programs. Advanced Learning Programs for High Achievers (ALPHA) offers an array of services for gifted and talented students in middle school. Northside ISD middle schools focus on ensuring students are college and career ready through:

## Fine Arts

Fine Arts instruction is part of the Northside middle school curriculum to provide our students the opportunity to create and to imagine what can be. The Fine Arts Department is committed to providing our students and teachers cutting-edge environments in which to differentiate instruction and to participate in venues that serve to enhance learning. Public performance and gallery initiatives allow our students to grow personally and serve to connect outstanding campus fine art programs to a great city, state, and nation. World-renown artists, conductors, clinicians, and consultants constantly make meaningful connections to our students in the classroom. Northside performing ensembles and student artwork continue to be recognized at the state and national level. Regardless of the student's interest level to be at an appreciation level, an understanding level, or a mastery level of learning, we teach our students to use the skills that are unique to fine arts to facilitate and to elevate their role as quality citizens, great leaders, incredible problem-solvers, professional artists, and yes... as lifelong consumers of the arts. Our middle schools offer classes exposing students to visual arts, band, choir, dance, mariachi, orchestra and theater.

## Athletics

Through our passion for athletics, we will instill a purposeful life in our student-athletes. Through their passion for athletics, our student-athletes will learn the value of adversity through perseverance, creating character traits that will instill a purposeful life. At our middle school campuses, we offer our students the opportunity to play football, volleyball, basketball, soccer, track, tennis, and golf.

## Spanish

In Northside ISD, Spanish language courses are designed to achieve the following objectives as aligned with the Texas Essential Knowledge and Skills for Languages Other Than English (TEKS for LOTE): To satisfy the needs of students who wish to pursue specific work to increase their ability to listen, speak, read, and write the Spanish language.

- To provide students the opportunity to compare and contrast their language and culture with those of Spanish-speaking countries and other parts of the world.
- To provide students with the opportunity to relate the topics to other subject areas, making Spanish relevant to the students' overall academic experience.
- To encourage students to seek opportunities to practice Spanish outside of the classroom by interacting with family members and members of the community.
- To encourage students to understand that they are members of a global society and help them develop "survival" skills in the language in order to function effectively in social interactions and discussions.
- To provide students with the opportunity to utilize technology incorporating the usage of multi-media labs.

## Gifted and Talented

Discover the exceptional Gifted and Talented (GT) program in Northside, tailored especially for middle school students. Our GT middle school curriculum is designed to nurture critical thinking, creativity, and leadership skills. Students learn foundational skills including 21st Century Skills, Next Generation Learning, Depth & Complexity, and Social/Emotional Learning, throughout the year with a curriculum that emphasizes project-based, hands-on learning across STEAM, Research, Entrepreneurship, and Character Development/Leadership strands. Guided by our dedicated campus GT Specialists, who also oversee the GT referral and testing process, your child will thrive academically and creatively.

Identified GT students attending any of our Middle School Magnets will receive GT services through specialized magnet courses and curriculum. These courses and curriculum are designed to foster

inquiry and challenge students to think critically, and create and conduct research to support their ideas and outcomes. Explore the endless possibilities for your child's educational journey with us, where they can earn high school credits while in middle school and embark on an enriching GT experience.

## Career and Technical Education courses

Students in Northside's Career and Technical Education (CTE) programs spend much of their time learning through a hands-on approach that prepares students for occupations and further study. CTE programs are available in middle school and high school and are available in many career areas of interest to students. Students interested in a particular field can look at the coherent sequence of courses to see the courses that will help them prepare for their chosen careers. Students may also wish to choose an academy or magnet school designed to prepare students for careers. Northside's middle school magnet schools include Hobby Health Science Magnet, Jones STEM Magnet, and Zachry Global Communication, Information Technology & Cybersecurity Magnet.

## Special Education Services

Northside ISD provides specially designed instruction and related services to students with an identified disability requiring an individualized instructional program. Our goal is to provide tools and skills necessary to strengthen each student's role in decision-making while increasing student independence and ensuring academic progress.

## Advanced Academics

The Office of Advanced Academics provides unique programs that nurture the abilities of high performing students while fostering parent and community involvement by building a challenging learning environment that encourages life-long learning, nurtures high self-esteem, expands access to higher education, and provides experiences that enable students to reach their fullest potential as independent thinkers. We provide instructional opportunities and services for students with significantly advanced general intellectual ability and/or specific subject matter aptitude in language arts, science, social studies and/or mathematics. These programs provide an appropriately differentiated curriculum in an effort to help students work to their fullest potential.

## Enrichment Activities and Clubs:

|           |            |         |             |                    |
|-----------|------------|---------|-------------|--------------------|
| Robotics  | Solar Cars | eSports | Spirit      | Chess              |
| Pearls    | Art        | Drama   | Maker Space | MATHletes          |
| Minecraft | Gardening  | Coding  | Cooking     | Student Leadership |

\*Each campus offers various opportunities for students to participate and engage in enrichment activities. Please check the campus website or inquire with campus staff to learn more.

# SPECIALIZED MAGNET PROGRAMS

## Hobby Magnet

The three-year curriculum at Hobby Magnet School includes unique English Language Arts and Science courses along with specialty Career and Technical Education (CTE) courses that expose students to the Health Science fields of therapeutic services, diagnostic services, health informatics, support services, and biotechnology research and development. Magnet students will be enrolled in multiple advanced courses and will have enhanced opportunities to earn high school credit while still in middle school.

## Jones Magnet

Jones Magnet School creates authentic learning experiences whereby students come to think like engineers and scientists. Every student will be exposed to the world of STEM careers. Every student will have opportunities to explore their passions and curiosities. Every student will have highly prepared and motivated teachers. Every student will have access to world-class facilities and resources.

## Zachry Magnet

Zachry Magnet School is focused on the growing industries of Cybersecurity, Global Communications, and Information Technology including CyberPatriot competitions and Junior Model UN simulations. Our program aligns for further study at NISD high schools in cybersecurity, web development, and information technology. Our innovative learning spaces include a model Intermediate Distribution Framework room, collaborative areas, and our unique "learning-stairs."





# HIGH SCHOOL

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## *Total Scholarship Dollars*

Class of 2022 - \$181.4M in scholarships

## *Certifications Endorsements*

Students in Northside's Career and Technical Education (CTE) programs spend much of their time learning through a hands-on approach that prepares students for occupations and further study. CTE programs are available in middle school and high school and offer 29 career-focused programs. 30,000 Northside students are enrolled in our CTE courses and earned 5,855 industry-recognized certifications in the 2021-2022 school year.

## *Students At Magnets /In Specialized Programs*

3,476

# HIGH SCHOOL MAGNETS

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## *Communications Arts High School*

Communications Arts High School promotes rigorous, foundational learning in a personal, supportive environment, developing skills in communications and technology, emphasizing collaborative choice and fluidity between disciplines, creating global citizens and leaders.

Programs of Study:

Audio/Video Digital Communications

Animation Design & Multimedia

Advanced Broadcast Journalism

## *Construction Careers Academy*

Construction Careers Academy provides an advanced and rigorous curriculum with a focus on construction technology, construction management, architectural design, and applied engineering, and provides real-world experience that will prepare students for studies in higher education and/or a career in a construction related industry.

Programs of Study:

Architectural Design

Construction Science-Carpentry

Construction Design and Inspection

Electrical

Plumbing and Pipe Fitting

Engineering

## *Health Careers High School*

Health Careers High School equips students to serve their communities with compassion, integrity, and excellence by engaging them with a rigorous and comprehensive academic program focused on an exploration of health professions and real-world applications of medical knowledge and skills.

Programs of Study:

Health Therapeutic-Dental

Health Therapeutic-Medical Assistant

Health Therapeutic-Pharmacy Technician

Health Therapeutic-Sterile Processing

Health Diagnostics-Clinical Lab

Health Diagnostics-Medical Research

Biomedical Engineering

Computer Science-Programming and Software Development



## John Jay Science & Engineering Academy

John Jay Science & Engineering Academy provides students of diverse backgrounds an advanced and rigorous curriculum in all core subjects with a focus on Science, Engineering, Mathematics, and Technology that shows real-world relevance and will prepare them for further study in higher education and their chosen careers.

Programs of Study:

Engineering  
Biomedical Science  
Computer Science-Programming and Software Development  
Robotics-Advance Manufacturing and Machinery Mechanics

## Marshall Law and Medical Services Magnet School

The Marshall Law and Medical Services Magnet School creates a safe, risk-taking environment for students that models and fosters effective communication, collaboration, and critical thinking. Our students will be prepared with practical knowledge and skills with strands of study within Public Services: Criminal Justice, Court Systems, Behavioral Health, EMT, Fire Science, Legal Governance, Public Administration, PreNursing, Physical Therapy, and Speech Therapy.

Programs of Study:

EMT-Emergency Services  
Law Enforcement  
Government & Public Administration  
Physical Therapy- Medical Therapy  
Behavioral Health-Emergency Services  
Legal Studies  
Nursing Science

## NSITE

Northside School of Innovation, Technology & Entrepreneurship is San Antonio's premier business and technology magnet school, offering cutting edge Cybersecurity, Programming and Software Development, and Entrepreneurship curricula. NSITE provides unique learning experiences by fostering a spirit of innovation and problem-solving through high quality instruction and specialized courses focused on technology applications, business principles, and project-based learning.

Programs of Study:

Entrepreneurship  
Cybersecurity  
Programming and Software Development

## Agriculture Science & Technology Academy

Agriculture Science & Technology Academy provides a hands-on, rigorous education that will equip students for their postsecondary choices. This magnet school focuses on responsibility, integrity, and leadership development through courses that provide students real-world experiences in the fields of Agribusiness, Animal & Plant Sciences, Agricultural Engineering, Environmental & Natural Resources, and Veterinary Medicine.

Programs of Study:

Animal Science  
Agribusiness  
Plant Science  
Environment and Natural Resources  
Applied Agricultural Engineering

## CAST Teach High School

The Northside ISD CAST Teach High School presents a unique opportunity to develop and empower its students, so that they in turn, as future educators, have a bigger impact on generations to come. This innovative magnet program is a collaborative effort between Northside ISD, CAST Schools, and the University of Texas at San Antonio. Opening in August of 2022, the CAST Teach High School not only ensures students have a strong foundation in educational practices but provides experiences in schools, side-by-side with mentor educators, coaches, counselors, and librarians.

## ADVANCED PLACEMENT/DUAL CREDIT/ ON RAMPS

At Northside Independent School District, our Office of Advanced Academics is the cornerstone of academic excellence. We provide unique programs that nurture high-performing students, encour-





aging lifelong learning, self-esteem, and community involvement. Our comprehensive offerings, including Gifted & Talented, Advanced Placement, Advanced Courses, OnRamps, Dual Credit, and AVID, expand access to higher education, enabling students to become independent thinkers. Our Advanced and AP courses elevate traditional academics, preparing students for success while potentially earning college credits. In the 2022-2023 school year, Northside students earned an impressive 61,807 hours of college credit, saving over \$17.8 million for NISD families. Join us in this journey of academic excellence, where we empower students to excel.

## DISTRICT PROGRAMS & SERVICES

Northside ISD offers a wide variety of programs - from after-school education to athletics; dual language programs to dual credit and advanced placement opportunities; career and technical education, magnet programs, as well as special education services.

In addition to the resources outlined below, visit our campus websites for more information specific to each campus.

### Special Education

Northside ISD provides specially-designed instruction, and related services to students with an identified disability requiring an individualized instructional program. Our goal is to provide tools and skills necessary to strengthen each student's role in decision-making while increasing student independence and ensuring academic progress. Our services include:

- Applied Learning Environment
- Deaf and Hard of Hearing Services
- Music Therapy
- Special Olympics
- Visually Impaired Services

- Autism Program
- Early Childhood Special Education
- Occupational & Physical Therapy
- Speech Language Programs



### Fine arts

At Northside Independent School District, our Fine Arts Department is a symphony of creativity, inspiration, and excellence. With a diverse array of offerings spanning visual arts, band, choir, dance, mariachi, orchestra, and theater, we're proud to engage over 80,000 students from grades K through 12 in the captivating world of fine arts. What sets us apart is our unwavering commitment to nurturing artistic talent, whether through our exceptional curriculum, enrichment courses, or Advanced Placement opportunities in Art History and Music Theory. In fact, Northside is one of the rare districts to provide certified art and music instructors in every elementary school, offering a golden opportunity for creativity to flourish from a young age. Our campus performances and galleries not only showcase the dedication of our teachers but also the remarkable skills and commitment of our students. We strive to provide cutting-edge environments that empower our students to excel, with world-renowned artists and experts enriching their learning experiences. Northside's performing ensembles and student artwork consistently earn recognition at the state and national levels, a testament to our commitment to excellence. Beyond honing artistic skills, we aim to instill in our students the qualities that transcend the canvas: the ability to be quality citizens, exceptional leaders, adept problem-solvers, professional artists, and lifelong lovers of the arts. At Northside, we believe in fostering imagination and creativity, making a meaningful impact not just within our community but across our city, state, and nation.



### Athletics

In the heart of the Northside Independent School District, our Athletics Department is not just about winning on the field; it's about instilling values that last a lifetime. With nearly 15,000 students in grades 7-12 participating in our athletic programs, we're not just building champions; we're shaping character. Our student-athletes learn the value of adversity through perseverance, and this commitment to excellence extends beyond the game. We're proud to have 314 academic all-state honorees and 2,175 academic all-district scholars among our ranks. Through their passion for athletics, our students are not only achieving on the field but also gaining the skills and character traits that will lead them to purposeful lives. At Northside, we're not just molding athletes; we're shaping future leaders who understand that success is about more than just winning—it's about the journey and the character we build along the way.

## Enrichment /Clubs

Solar Cars  
Spanish  
Gifted and Talented Program  
Special Education Services  
Dual Credit/AP/On Ramps  
Free SAT

Robotics  
eSports  
Fine Arts  
Dual Language  
Specialized Magnet  
Programs

Lego League  
Elementary STEM Labs  
Athletics  
JROTC  
Career & Technical  
Education Classes

*\*Each campus offers various opportunities for students to participate and engage in enrichment activities. Please check the campus website or inquire with campus staff to learn more.*

## NISD CARES W/ NEF PILLARS

Since 1995, the Northside Education Foundation has awarded more than \$10 million in grants to educators and scholarship programs.

More than 20,000 community members volunteer and mentor in Northside schools each year.

## 2023 Pillars of Character

Leslie Ortiz, Pillar of Learning  
Bonnie Hubert, Pillar of Trustworthiness  
Jacob Cavasos, Pillar of Respect  
James Rodriguez, Pillar of Responsibility  
Gregory Daniel, Pillar of Fairness  
Ameen Al-Bahloly, Pillar of Caring  
M'Lissa Chumbley, Pillar of Citizenship

## NISD BOND

Northside ISD Voters have passed \$3.98 billion in Bond Construction Programs since 1995. NISD's first bond issue was held just a few months after the District was formed in 1949. In fact, every school in NISD has been funded by a bond issue. In addition to millions invested. In addition to constructing new buildings to accommodate growth in the district, millions in bond dollars have been invested for the upkeep of our older buildings and in infrastructure and technology upgrades, school buses, and safety and security.

## STAY IN TOUCH WITH NORTHSIDE

-  Web ([nisd.net](http://nisd.net))
-  Facebook ([facebook.com/NorthsideISD](https://facebook.com/NorthsideISD))
-  Twitter ([twitter.com/NISD](https://twitter.com/NISD))
-  Instagram ([instagram.com/northsideisd](https://instagram.com/northsideisd))
-  YouTube ([youtube.com/user/northsideisd](https://youtube.com/user/northsideisd))
-  Friends of Northside ([nisd.net/community#fon](https://nisd.net/community#fon))
-  School Messenger ([go.schoolmessenger.com](https://go.schoolmessenger.com))
-  Northside Mobile App (*available for both Apple and Android devices in app stores*)
-  School Calendar – ([www.nisd.net/sites/default/files/documents/2023-2024-nisd-calendar.pdf](http://www.nisd.net/sites/default/files/documents/2023-2024-nisd-calendar.pdf))



# MIDDLE SCHOOLS



**Bernal**  
14045 Bella Vista Place,  
San Antonio, TX 78253  
210-398-1900



**Briscoe**  
4265 Lone Star Parkway  
San Antonio, TX 78253  
(210) 398-1100



**Connally**  
8661 Silent Sunrise,  
San Antonio TX, 78250  
210-397-1000



**Folks**  
9855 Swayback Ranch,  
San Antonio TX, 78254  
210-398-1600



**Hector Garcia**  
14900 Kyle Seale Parkway  
San Antonio, TX 78255  
210.397.8400



**Hobby**  
11843 Vance Jackson,  
San Antonio TX, 78230  
210-397-6300



**Hobby Magnet**  
11843 Vance Jackson,  
San Antonio TX, 78230



**Jefferson**  
10900 Shaenfield,  
San Antonio TX, 78254  
210-397-3700



**Jones**  
1256 Pinn Rd,  
San Antonio TX, 78227  
210-397-2100



**Jones Magnet**  
1256 Pinn Rd,  
San Antonio TX, 78227  
210-397-2230



**Jordan**  
1725 Richland Hills Dr,  
San Antonio TX, 78251  
210-397-6150



**Luna**  
200 N Grosenbacher Rd,  
San Antonio TX, 78253  
210-397-5300



**Neff**  
5227 Evers Rd,  
San Antonio TX, 78238  
210-397-4100



**Pease**  
201 Hunt Ln,  
San Antonio TX, 78245  
210-397-2950



**Rawlinson**  
14100 Vance Jackson,  
San Antonio TX, 78249  
210-397-4900



**Rayburn**  
1400 Cedarhurst Dr,  
San Antonio TX, 78227  
210-397-2150



**Ross**  
3630 Callaghan Rd,  
San Antonio TX, 78228  
210-397-6350



**Rudder**  
6558 Horn Blvd,  
San Antonio TX, 78240  
210-397-5000



**Stevenson**  
8403 Tezel Rd,  
San Antonio TX, 78254  
210-397-7300



**Stinson**  
13200 Skyhawk Dr,  
San Antonio TX, 78249  
210-397-3600



**Straus**  
8092 Talley Road,  
San Antonio, TX 78253  
210-398-2550



**Vale**  
2120 N Ellison Dr,  
San Antonio TX, 78251  
210-397-5700



**Zachry**  
9410 Timber Path,  
San Antonio TX, 78250  
210-397-7400



**Zachry Magnet**  
9410 Timber Path,  
San Antonio TX, 78250  
210-397-7490

# HIGH SCHOOLS



**Agriculture Science and Technology Academy**  
12221 Leslie Rd.  
Helotes, TX. 78023  
210-397-4779



**John Jay Science and Engineering Academy**  
7611 Marbach Rd,  
San Antonio TX, 78227  
210-397-2773



**Alternative MS**  
11937 I-10  
San Antonio TX, 78230  
210-397-2070



**Brandeis**  
13011 Kyle Seale Pkwy  
San Antonio TX, 78249  
210-397-8200



**John Marshall**  
8000 Lobo Ln,  
San Antonio TX, 78240  
210-397-7100



**Chavez Excel Academy**  
11937 I-10  
San Antonio TX, 78230  
210-397-8120



**Brennan**  
2400 Cottonwood Way  
San Antonio TX, 78253  
210-398-1250



**Marshall Law and Medical Services**  
8000 Lobo Lane  
San Antonio, TX, 78240  
210-397-7194



**Holmgreen Center**  
8580 Ewing Halsell  
San Antonio TX,  
78229  
210-397-5460



**CAST Teach**  
600 N Ellison Dr.  
San Antonio TX, 78251



**NSITE**  
6500 Ingram Rd  
San Antonio TX, 78238  
210-397-7070



**Reddix Center**  
4711 Sid Katz Dr  
San Antonio TX,  
78229  
210-397-2401



**Clark**  
5150 De Zavala Rd,  
San Antonio TX, 78249  
210-397-5150



**O'Connor**  
12221 Leslie Rd,  
Helotes TX, 78023  
210-397-4800



**Communications Arts**  
11600 Culebra Road,  
San Antonio TX 78253  
210-397-6043



**Sotomayor**  
12801 Tall Timber Ln,  
San Antonio, TX 78254  
210-398-2700



**Construction Careers Academy**  
411 Military Drive West,  
San Antonio, Texas 78251  
210-397-4294



**Stevens**  
600 N Ellison Dr,  
San Antonio TX, 78251  
210-397-6450



**Harlan**  
14350 Culebra Road  
San Antonio, TX 78253  
210-398-2200



**Taft**  
11600 Culebra Road,  
San Antonio TX, 78253  
210-397-6000



**Health Careers**  
4646 Hamilton Wolfe,  
San Antonio TX, 78229  
210-397-5400



**Warren**  
9411 Military Drive West,  
San Antonio TX, 78251  
210-397-4200



**Holmes**  
6500 Ingram Rd,  
San Antonio TX, 78238  
210-397-7000



**John Jay**  
7611 Marbach Rd,  
San Antonio TX, 78227  
210-397-2700



**Alternative HS**  
144 Hunt Ln  
San Antonio TX, 78245  
210-397-8120

## SPECIAL SCHOOLS



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