

Needville Independent School District

Profile

Needville High School



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The Community

Needville High School was established in 1948. It is located southwest of Houston in the rural Community of Needville, Texas. The fundamental belief of Needville High School is all students can learn with positive self-image, motivation, and participation. Knowing that a motivating factor of students is a strong curriculum, the high school has focused instruction in areas of student weaknesses so that all students may have the opportunity to become patriotic, well-motivated citizens of this society. Needville High School will strive to provide an educational system with the vitality to prepare its students for the changes and challenges of the future; a future which belongs to the educated.

School Facts

Needville High School is a public four-year secondary school with an enrollment of 819 students in grades nine through twelve. The senior class has 180 students. The teaching faculty is comprised of 60 teaching personnel.

Needville High School is accredited by the Texas Education Agency (TEA). We are an Acceptable Campus for the 2007-2008 school year in a TEA rated Recognized School District.

The school day consists of seven class periods, each 50 minutes. There is also a 25 minute Enrichment Period for TAKS preparation.

The school year is divided into two semesters, with three six-week grading periods in each semester.

CEEB Codes 445030

(College Board and ACT)

Marking System

Numerical	Letter	Grade Points		
		Reg.	Advanced	PreAP/AP
90-100	A	4.0	5.0	6.0
80-89	B	3.0	4.0	5.0
75-79	C	2.0	3.0	4.0
70-74	D	0	0	0

Class of 2007-GPA & Rank

Spring 2007 (Final Ranking)		
Quarter	Rank	Numerical Average
1	1-35	97.020
2	36-71	89.745
3	72-106	84.809
4	107-142	84.560

For students entering the ninth grade prior to 0708.

The following points are added to classes when Calculating the weighted numerical average:

Regular: +1 Advanced: +10 PreAP/AP: +15

For students entering the ninth grade in 0708 and after..

Regular: x1 Advanced: x1.05 PreAP/AP: x1.1

A full year, one period course consisting of two semesters would be equivalent to one credit. One semester equals one-half credit.

Not all Seniors are ranked

Graduation Requirements

The Texas Assessment of Knowledge and Skills (TAKS) Test is a state required test for students in 9th, 10th, and 11th grade (Exit Level). All four parts of this Exit Level Examination must be passed in order to receive a Texas High School Diploma. In addition to TAKS, students must meet the following academic requirements:

Subject	Minimum	Recommended	Distinguished**
Language Arts	4.0	4.0	4.0
Mathematics	3.0	3.0	3.0
Science	2.0	3.0	3.0
Social Studies	2.5	3.5	3.5
Economics	0.5	0.5	0.5
Sci/SS Elective	1.0	0.0	0.0
Physical Education	1.5	1.5	1.5
Health		0.5	0.5 0.5
Foreign Language	0.0	2.0*	3.0*
Fine Arts	0.0	1.0	1.0
Speech	0.5	0.5	0.5
Technology	1.0	1.0	1.0
Electives	6.5	3.5	2.5
Total Program	23.0	24.0	24.0

* Must be same language

** Plus 4 advanced measures

Credits needed to advance to the next grade level:

9th grade prior to 07-08	9th grade 07-08 and after
10th grade- 5 credits	10th grade- 5.5 credits
11th grade- 10 credits	11th grade- 11.5 credits
12th grade- 16 credits	12th grade- 18.5 credits

Texas Assessment of Knowledge and Skills

Exit TAKS Test Results

Spring 2007

English Language Arts	93%
Math	80%
Science	80%
Social Studies	94%

Accountability Rating: Acceptable

Advanced Placement Program

Spring 2007 Test Results

Number of Tests Taken:	49
Percent Scoring 5:	6%
Percent Scoring 4:	20%
<u>Percent Scoring 3:</u>	<u>35%</u>
Total*	61%

*Percentage with scores typically necessary to receive college credit.

College Admissions Test Scores

Graduating Class of 2007

SAT	C.Reading	Math	Writing	Total	
NHS	572	564	551	1687	
State	491	506	482	997	
National	503	518	494	1021	
ACT	English	Math	Read	Science	Composite
NHS	21.4	21.3	22.4	21.5	21.7
State	19.5	20.8	20.6	20.4	20.5
National	20.7	21.0	21.5	21.0	21.2



Special Curriculum

Advanced Courses

Chemistry (class of 08-09)
 Computer Science III
 Independent Study in Speech
 Culinary Arts
 Debate III
 Oral Interpretation
 Spanish III
 Physics (class of 08,09, & 10)
 Pre-Calculus
 Ready, Set, Teach III

Pre Advanced Placement Courses

English I
 English II
 Biology I
 Chemistry I
 Geometry
 Algebra II
 Pre-Calculus
 World Geography
 World History

Advanced Placement Courses

English Language
 English Literature
 Biology II
 Chemistry II
 Calculus AB
 U.S. History
 Government
 Economics

Dual Credit Courses

U.S. History
 English IV