



CHILDRESS HIGH SCHOOL 2018-19

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COMMUNITY: Spanning 714 square miles, Childress ISD serves the educational needs of Childress, TX, at the bottom East corner of the Texas panhandle. Located in one the area's hubs, the district enjoys a diversified economic base. Currently, there is only one high school, one junior high and one elementary campus utilizing a preK-5, 6-8, and 9-12 grade-level configuration. The student body is culturally diverse with a population that is approximately 40% Hispanic, 4% African-American, and less than 2% Asian, American Indian.

SCHOOL: Childress High School is a comprehensive four-year public high school enrolling almost 350 students in grades 9-12. The school is accredited through the Texas Education Agency and follows guidelines documented in the Texas Association of School Board policy.

CURRICULUM: The academic program is organized by an eight period day. Four credits per semester is the maximum course load; students take eight 45 minute classes.

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS (Foundation High School Plan) with/or without Endorsement

English	4 credits
Math	3-4 credits
Science	3-4 credits
Social Studies	3 credits
Speech	0.5 credits
Language Other Than English	2 credits
Physical Education or Equivalent	1 credit
Fine Arts	1 credit
Electives	5-7 credits

The following Endorsements are offered at Childress High School:
STEM - Business & Industry - Fine Arts & Humanities - Public Services -
Multidisciplinary

These Honor courses are offered:

PreDC English I

PreDC Algebra I

PreDC English II

PreDC Algebra II

PreDC English III

PreCalculus

DC US History

DC English IV

DC Government

DC College Algebra

DC College Statistics

DC Calculus

DC Human Anatomy & Physiology

*In order to take Dual Credit (DC) classes with our local community college students must pass the TSI test or qualify with their EOC or ACT Scores.

*We also offer a pull-out enrichment program for our identified Gifted & Talented student population.

CHS also offers many courses in the Career and Technical field and offers career pathways that satisfy the requirements of all five endorsement areas: STEM, Business & Industry, Public Services and Art & Humanities, and Multidisciplinary. Courses are offered in the following CTE Career Pathways:

Architecture & Construction

Agriculture, Food & Natural Resources

Arts, A/V Technology & Communications

Business, Management & Administrations

Human Services

Information Technology

Business

Computer Technology

Manufacturing

STEM

Transportation, Distribution & Logistics

GRADING & RANKING:

A - Excellent	89.5-100
B - Above Average	79.5-89.4
C - Average	69.5-79.4
D - Below Average	59.5-69.4
F - Failing	Below 59.4

RANK:

School policy states that class ranking will be calculated at the end of the 5th six weeks grading period for the purpose of academic awards only, but final ranking will be calculated after the end of the year for transcript purposes.

GRADE POINT AVERAGE (GPA) CALCULATION:

GPA is computed using the above quality points. Beginning with grade nine, all subjects whether passed or failed, are included in the calculation (with the exception of PE, Athletics, Band and Choir).

A minimum of 22 credits is required to graduate under the Texas Foundation Curriculum, with an additional 4 credits required to graduate with one or more endorsements. DC and Honor classes are weighted by 3 points addition to the semester average.

Grades are recorded on the transcript and GPA is calculated in January and May.

CLASS OF 2018:

There were 50 graduates in the class of 2018.

- 32 earned 90+ GPA
- 16 earned 80-89 GPA
- 2 earned 70-79 GPA

STANDARDIZED TEST RESULTS:

In the school year 2017-18, students from Childress High School who took the ACT test scored above the national and state average in every category of the ACT test.

POST HIGH SCHOOL PLACEMENT (of the class of 2018):

- 52% matriculated to 4-year colleges/universities
- 28% matriculated to 2-year colleges
- 20% selected work, military or technical institution

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**COLLEGES ATTENDED BY CHILDRESS GRADUATES
IN THE LAST FOUR YEARS:**

West Texas A&M University	Hardin-Simmons University
Texas Tech University	McMurry University
Texas A&M San Antonio	Lubbock Christian University
Baylor University	Cisco College
Midwestern State University	Texas State Technical College
Angelo State University	Howard Payne University
Brigham Young University (Utah)	UT Arlington
BYU (Hawaii)	Wayland Baptist University
University of Texas	Austin College
Cowley College, Kansas	Amarillo College
Chamberlain College of Nursing	Cameron University, OK
Clarendon College	US Air Force
South Plains College	US Army
Vernon College	US Marines