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# JISD IS A GREAT CHOICE.

Today's students have varied areas of interests, and we pride ourselves on offering innovative educational choices on **every grade level**. We invite you to visit and see why so many call Jacksonville ISD their **first** choice in education.



Our focus on academics shows not only in our accountability ratings, but more importantly in the passion our staff has for empowering champions in and out of the classroom. We focus on what success entails for each student, and continue to support academic excellence on *every level for every student*.

Our JISD staff is dedicated to maintaining a culture of family within our system. We take pride in the support students feel from their teachers, and we thrive on the successes of students who become an integral part of this family atmosphere. As one JHS student put it, "In Jacksonville, it is not just an 8 hour learn and leave experience".

In JISD, we believe students should have different options, and we strive to offer diverse avenues to provide the tools needed for success after graduation. From being a **No Excuses University** district who champions college, to our premier Dual Language program, to offering a vast array of professional certifications in Career and Technology, JISD not only has multiple student choices, but is the **Best Choice** to be your home school district. Come experience the **Blue and Gold**.

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## ELEMENTARY

- All campuses designated **No Excuses University** Campuses
- Elementary Academic UIL  
*Chess, Art, Storytelling, Ready Writing, Number Sense, etc.*
- Art, Music, Computer, PE
- STEM Initiative Campus
- Dual Language Campus
- G/T Passport Program
- Applied Learning Community Campus
- Reading & Book Clubs
- After School Clubs
- Family Movie Nights on Campus
- JISD Student Ambassadors
- Superintendent Advisory Council
- Reading & Math Coaches

## INTERMEDIATE

- Large Early Band Program
- Pre-Athletics
- Art, Choir
- Focus on Leadership
- **No Excuses University** Campus
- No Place for Hate campus
- UIL Academic Competition
- Student Council
- Applied Learning Community
- Art Club
- Dual Language
- G/T Passport
- Reading & Math Coaches
- JISD Student Ambassadors
- Superintendent Advisory Council

## MIDDLE SCHOOL

- UIL Academic Competition
- Algebra I High School Credit
- Band, Choir, Art, Theatre
- **No Excuses University** Campus
- Character Counts Program
- Jr. National Honor Society
- Student Council
- Boys and Girls Athletics
- Science Club
- Jr. Historians
- AP Credit for Spanish I
- Reading & Math Coaches
- Multiple Clubs & Organizations
- JISD Student Ambassadors
- Superintendent Advisory Council

## HIGH SCHOOL

- Dual Enrollment College Courses
- OnRamps Course – UT Austin
- AP Classes
- Academic UIL Team
- National Honor Society
- Student Council
- **No Excuses University** Campus
- Built-In Daily Tutorial time for students
- Vast Career & Tech Programs & Pathways
- Boys & Girls Athletics
- Award Winning Dance Team, Cheer, Band, Choir, Art, Theatre
- Multiple Clubs & Student Organizations
- Professional Certifications
- Full-time College & Career Advisor
- JISD Student Ambassadors
- Superintendent Advisory Council

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# WHAT'S NEW



Jacksonville's downtown Historic Tomato Bowl is the most unique stadium in the state. With the completion of recent re-construction, our Historic Tomato Bowl is now a brand new stadium within the same iconic rock walls. We are proud to offer state of the art seating, lighting, turf, videoboard, press box, and more. Named as one of the Top 10 stadiums in Texas to see, JISD's Historic Tomato Bowl is the heartbeat of Jacksonville.



During the 2019-20 year, Jacksonville High School will offer the On-Ramps program through UT-Austin allowing students to be enrolled in UT-Austin while attending JHS. Also new to JHS, advanced Health Science students at JHS will be able to complete an EMT training program through UTHealth East Texas. Elementary students have access to expanding STEM and ALC based learning which encourages long-range goals and community involvement.



JISD has invested in the *Depth & Complexity* structure of teaching for our Gifted & Talented Passport Program. Focusing on the LEAD program, (**L**earning Together, **E**mpowering Others, **A**chieving Goals, **D**eveloping Potential), identified students are served in the main classroom as well as through a pull out program with required independent research projects. In 5th & 6th grades, Leadership & Executive Skills will be a new primary focus for our G/T students.



Our acclaimed Dual Language Enrichment program is celebrating 25 years of ground breaking curriculum. As the premier program in our region, DLS is housed on the Fred Douglass Elementary and Nichols Intermediate campuses and is a much sought after source for other districts who are implementing such programs. We consider diversity to be one of our greatest strengths, and our DLS program builds upon that philosophy. Students alternate days of instruction in Spanish and English, serving both primary English and primary Spanish speakers.



Jacksonville ISD is excited to now partner with UTHealth East Texas. Our staff will have access to new training, both in physical and student mental health, so as to be the best possible support system for all JISD students.

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