



# J.W. MITCHELL HIGH SCHOOL

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2072

Enrollment

180

Days in School Year

2002

First Graduating Class

20

Years of Operation

## CONTACTS

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## MISSION

The mission of Pasco County Schools is to provide a world-class education for all students. By working together, parents and the school community can reach this goal and prepare students for success in college, career, and life. Mustangs are empowered by community, driven by integrity and dedicated to excellence.

## SCHOOL AND COMMUNITY DEMOGRAPHICS

- 74.59% ● WHITE/NON-HISPANIC
- 13.93% ● HISPANIC
- 4.19% ● ASIAN OR PACIFIC ISLANDER
- 3.71% ● MULTI/OTHER
- 3.18% ● BLACK/NON-HISPANIC

J. W. Mitchell High School, a SACS accredited public high school, serves a large suburban and residential area near New Port Richey, Florida. The Trinity community is located in south Pasco County, just north of the Pinellas and Hillsborough county borders. The campus is located thirty miles northwest of Tampa and five miles east of the Gulf of Mexico. Employment opportunities for parents center on healthcare, small businesses and large retail chains. The location makes it perfect for commuters to the larger cities in our area. There are 33.74% students eligible for free and/or reduced lunch.

## THE ACADEMIC PROGRAM

J. W. Mitchell High School is an A.P. Capstone Diploma Program School that provides students with a rigorous and relevant curriculum including numerous honors, Advanced Placement, and Dual Enrollment courses. We also have two career academies: The Academy for the Medical Arts and the Business Technology Academy, in which students can earn industry certifications.

- To meet the state graduation requirements, students must earn 24 credits or 18 credits (accelerated) to graduate.
- A passing score on the FSA-ELA is required for graduation. It is taken in 10<sup>th</sup> grade. A passing score on the Algebra 1 End of Course Exam is also requirement for graduation.
- Advanced Placement and Dual Enrollment courses are weighted an additional 1.0 point. Honors courses are weighted an additional .5 points.
- Students are eligible to take high school courses in middle school, and all grades earned in high school courses are used in GPA calculations.
- Our class rank is exact, and students' final class rank is determined after the first semester of their senior year.

## GRADING SYSTEM/GPA

State Graduation  
GPA unweighted 2.0

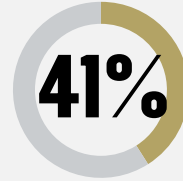
- A ● EXCELLENT/4.0  
90-100
- B ● ABOVE AVERAGE/3.0  
80-89
- C ● AVERAGE/2.0  
70-79
- D ● BELOW AVERAGE/1.0  
60-69
- F ● FAILURE/0  
0-59

## CLASS OF 2020 SNAPSHOT

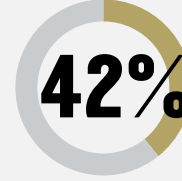
- 525 graduates
- 3 National Merit Finalists
- 310 graduates with 3.2+ weighted GPA
- 65,000+ hours of community service (120 average hours)
- 198 (38%) took the ACT (Mean Composite: 23, Mean English: 22, Mean Reading 24, Mean Math:22)
- 307 (59%) took the SAT (Mean total Score: 1084, Mean RW: 557, Mean Math:532)

## POST HIGH SCHOOL PLACEMENT

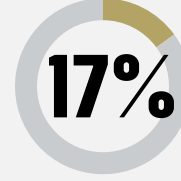
4-YEAR COLLEGE



2-YEAR COLLEGE



MILITARY/WORKFORCE



## SCHOOL-WIDE ADVANCED PLACEMENT RESULTS

- 742 ● STUDENTS TOOK AP TESTS
- 1593 ● TOTAL AP EXAMS
- 578 ● SCORED 3 OR HIGHER
- 78% ● SCORED 3 OR HIGHER

- Our district, Pasco County Schools, was named the AP District of the Year for leading all large-sized school districts in the nation by expanding access and equity to Advanced Placement courses while simultaneously improving exam performance.
- AP Capstone Diploma School
- 21 AP courses offered, open-enrollment
- All students enrolled in an AP course are required to take the exam.

## CLUBS AND ORGANIZATIONS

Mustangs participate in more than 30 clubs and organizations: Chorus, Dance Team, Ecology/Fishing Club, English NHS, Fellowship of Christian Athletes, French Club, Future Business Leaders of America, Game Club (Chess & Board Games), Gay Straight Alliance, Hoofbeat Newspaper, HOSA, Indoor Bands (jazz, percussion, concert), Interact, Leo Club, Marching Mustangs, Math NHS, Medical Academy, Mustang Film Creation Club, Mustang News, National Honor Society, NJROTC, Odyssey of the Mind, Orchestra, Philosophy Club, SADD, Science NHS, Social Inclusion (Ranch Hands), Social Studies NHS, Spanish NHS, Stampede Yearbook, Student Council, Student Union on Black Awareness and Culture, Students for Service, Teen Court, The Melting Pot, Thespian Club, Young Democrats, YouthBeats Lit Mag

## SPORTS

J.W. Mitchell High School is a member of the Florida High School Athletic Association and offers the following sports: Fall: Football, Cross Country, Girls Volleyball, Swimming and Diving, Golf and Cheerleading. Winter: Basketball, Soccer, Wrestling and Girls Weightlifting. Spring: Baseball, Softball, Lacrosse, Tennis, Track and Field and Boys Weightlifting

## POST SECONDARY ACCEPTANCE SINCE 2016

Amherst College, Auburn University, Brown University, Columbia University, Clemson University, Coastal Carolina University, Dartmouth College, Duke University, Eckerd College, Emory University, Florida A&M University, Florida Atlantic University, Florida Gulf Coast University, Florida International University, Florida Polytechnic University, Florida State University, Georgetown University, Georgia Institute of Technology, Harvard University, Jacksonville University, Lagrange College, Liberty University, Michigan State University, New York University, Northwestern University, Notre Dame College, Nova Southeastern University, Princeton University, St. Leo University, Stanford University, Stetson University, University of Pennsylvania, University of Mississippi, University of Alabama, University of Central Florida, University of Florida, University of Georgia, University of Massachusetts Boston, University of Miami, University of North Florida, University of North Texas, University of South Florida, University of Tampa, University of Virginia, University of Washington, University of West Florida, US Coast Guard Academy, US Merchant Marine Academy, US Naval Academy, Valdosta State University, Vanderbilt University, Washington and Lee University, Washington Louis University, Williams College, Yale University