Ross S. Sterling High School

2023 - 2024 SCHOOL PROFILE



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Ross S. Sterling High School is a comprehensive four-year high school accredited by the Texas Education Agency. Sterling's enrollment is approximately 2,212 students including 574 freshmen, 581 sophomores, 559 juniors, and 498 seniors. Sterling students come from all over the United States and from many foreign countries, speaking 15 different home languages. The student body's ethnic breakdown is 19% Caucasian, 59% Hispanic, 18% African American, 2% Asian, and 2% other. Over 200 employees participate in providing education and support services to Sterling students.

Ross S. Sterling High School was built in 1966 to accommodate the growing population of the Baytown area. Sterling's campus includes over 400,000 square feet and is located on 86.32 acres. In addition, the East Annex was newly remodeled in 2020 to house GCCISD's premier Health Science Academy and Career Academy of Future Educators.

The curriculum consists of hundreds of courses from which students can choose to prepare themselves for their future college or career plans. Courses are offered at both regular and advanced levels. Sterling offers honors and Advanced Placement courses, in addition, dual credit courses are offered through our partnerships with Lamar Institute of Technology, Lee College, and the University of Texas at Austin's OnRamps dual credit programs.

Student Class Ranks:

Courses earn grade points based on the requirements (rigor) of the curriculum and all courses are eligible to count towards academic class rank.

Course Weights:

AP/Dual Credit - 6.0, Honors - 5.5, Regular/Academic - 5.0

Honors Graduates:

Summa Cum Laude (top 2% of the class)

Magna Cum Laude (next 3% of the class)

Cum Laude (next 5% of the class)

Numeric grades are awarded:

A = 90-100 B = 80-89 C = 70-79 D= 60-69 F = 0-59