Commerce High School Earns High National and Metro-Area Rankings in 2025–2026 U.S. News Best High Schools

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Commerce, Ga. – Commerce High School has earned a national ranking in the top 40% of U.S. high schools, according to the 2025–2026 edition of U.S. News & World Report's Best High Schools, released today. This recognition officially designates Commerce High School as a U.S. News Best High School, highlighting the school's commitment to academic excellence and student success.

The rankings are based on a variety of objective measures, including college readiness, performance on state assessments, achievement of underserved students, scope of college-level coursework, and graduation rates. Schools are also evaluated and ranked at the state, metro area, and district levels.

"This recognition reflects the dedication and hard work of our students, teachers, and staff. Our school community's commitment from Pre-K through 12th grade ensures students receive a strong academic foundation at every level, and this honor is a reflection of the collaborative effort across all grade levels and programs," said Billy Kirk, Superintendent.

Key Rankings:

- #2 in the Jefferson, GA Metro Area High Schools
- #118 among Georgia's 433 high schools
- #4,607 nationally out of 17,901 U.S. high schools

The full U.S. News profile for Commerce High School, including enrollment, graduation rates, student demographics, and test performance, is available online here: Commerce High School U.S. News Profile.

About Commerce High School:
Commerce High School serves students in grades 9–12 in Commerce City Schools and offers a variety of academic programs, including Advanced Placement and career-focused courses. The school is dedicated to fostering student achievement, leadership, and community involvement.