Kerr High School

2025-2026
ALIEF ISD

Where students are given the freedom and responsibility to take control of their own learning.

The District

Approximately 37,000 students

More than **80 languages** spoken

87% Economically Disadvantaged

64% Emergent Bilingual

Support

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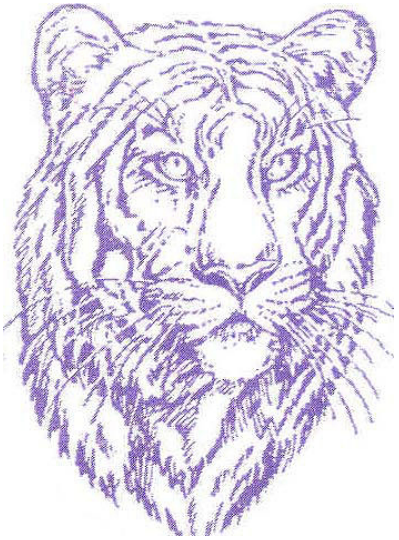
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The Student

68% participate in free/reduced lunch program

69% have been identified as Emergent Bilingual during their educational career

Above the national average in college readiness, SAT mean scores, and ACT mean scores

Student Demographics

Asian: 46%
Black/African American: 18%
Hispanic: 31%
White: 6%
At Risk: 49%
Gifted and Talented: 36%
Economically Disadvantaged: 68%

The School

816 Students
201 Seniors

95% College Retention Rate

Academic structure: Center based, accelerated block instruction, and independent study

Awards

National Blue Ribbon School (2010, 2016, 2022)
Access Kerr's National Blue Ribbon Profile: https://nationalblueribbonschools.ed.gov/awardwinners/history

US News Best High Schools (2025)
Ranked 7th in Houston Metro Area

Niche Standout High Schools (2025)
Ranked #2 in Texas

Children at Risk (2024)
Ranked 6th in Houston Area

College Board AP Platinum Honor Roll School (2024)

Texas School Counselor Association
CREST Award for Counseling Excellence (2017, 2021, 2023)
CREST Leadership Award (2024)

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Academic

4.0 Weighted Scale

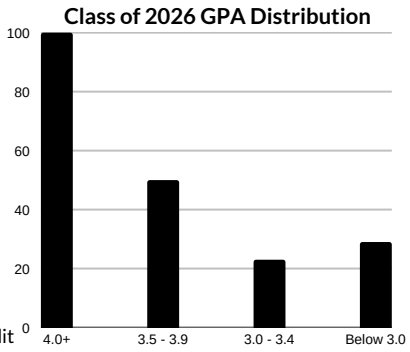
1 additional GPA point given for weighted courses

70 is the passing standard

GPA and class rank calculated each term

262 different courses

102 weighted courses including Alief Advanced Academic Courses (AAC), AP, Advanced, Honors, and Dual Credit opportunities



College Credit

69% of 2025 seniors earned a 3 or higher on an AP exam while in high school.

503 dual credit college courses were successfully completed by the class of 2025.

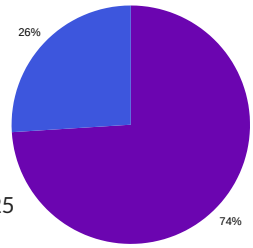
College Readiness

Kerr's class of 2026 average SAT score of 1176 exceeds the state and total group mean scores.

Reading	Math
587	589

74% of the class of 2026 met both reading and math college readiness benchmarks on the SAT School Day.

*Spring 2025



160 of Kerr AP students qualified as AP Scholars in 2025.

Post-Graduation Placement

Kerr's post-secondary enrollment average is 90%.

Kerr students were accepted to the following institutions in 2025:

Austin College
Arizona State University
Baylor University
Blinn College
Boston Conservatory at Berklee
Colorado State University
Coppin State University
East Texas A&M University
Fisher College
Full Sail University
Georgia State University
Hampton University
Houston Christian University
Houston Community College System
Howard University
Indiana State University
Lone Star College
Louisiana State University
Loyola University Chicago
McMurray University
Metropolitan State College of Denver
Miami University
New York Institute of Technology
New York University
North Carolina A&T State University
Parsons School of Design
Pennsylvania State University
Prairie View A&M University
Purdue University
Rice University
Sam Houston State University
School of the Art Institute of Chicago
Southern Methodist University
St. Edward's University
Stephen F. Austin State University
Temple University
Texas A&M University
Texas A&M University - San Antonio
Texas State University
Texas Tech University
Tulane University
University of Alabama
University of Arizona
University of California, San Diego
University of California, Santa Barbara
University of Houston
University of Houston - Clear Lake
University of Houston, - Downtown
University of Illinois at Chicago
University of Iowa
University of New Mexico
University of North Texas
University of St. Thomas
University of Texas, Arlington
University of Texas, Austin
University of Texas, Dallas
University of Texas, San Antonio
Western New England University
Whitman College
Xavier University of Louisiana