Welcome to Coppell Independent School District

You matter
The district will be sending one-way messages and announcements via the Telegram Messenger App.
Dear Coppell ISD Residents,

It has been said that public education is a promise we make to our children, our community and our society, and we at the Coppell Independent School District are more committed than ever to that promise. It has never been a more important time to be the ones to tell Our Story, and at CISD, we have a great story to share.

Coppell ISD is a premier school district serving more than 13,000 students in the communities of Coppell, Valley Ranch, Lewisville, North Irving and the City of Dallas (Cypress Waters), and there are wonderful things going on in our schools. The impact our educators and staff make every day — in our classrooms, performance spaces, athletic complexes, communities and beyond — continues to result in some amazing stories.

The following pages include important information about our district, the values we stand for, and the way in which we aspire to create a love of learning. CISD is more than an excellent place to learn, it is a place where we will continue to focus on character development and help to shape individuals who are inspired to serve others. These investments in our future are critical, and we remain steadfast in our efforts.

Welcome to the Coppell ISD community. We look forward to meeting you at one of our campuses.

Sincerely,

Brad A. Hunt
# OUR SCHOOLS

**Elementary Schools**  
(PreK-5th Grades)  
- Austin Elementary  
- Canyon Ranch Elementary  
- Cottonwood Creek Elementary  
- Denton Creek Elementary  
- Lakeside Elementary  
- Richard J. Lee Elementary  
- Mockingbird Elementary  
- Pinkerton Elementary  
- Town Center Elementary  
- Valley Ranch Elementary  
- Wilson Elementary

**High Schools**  
(9th-12th Grades)  
- Coppell High School Ninth Grade Campus  
- Coppell High School  
- New Tech High @ Coppell

**Middle Schools**  
(6th-8th Grades)  
- Coppell Middle School East  
- Coppell Middle School North  
- Coppell Middle School West

**Alternative School**  
(All Grades)  
- Victory Place @ Coppell  
  - Turning Point  
  - Compass DAEP

**Administration Buildings**  
- Vonita White Administration Building  
  - Communication & Community Engagement  
  - Curriculum & Instruction  
  - Human Resources  
  - Superintendent  
- Roy C Brock Center  
  - Accountability & Assessment  
  - Intervention Services  
- Service Center  
  - Business Office  
  - Child Nutrition  
  - Maintenance & Grounds  
  - Technology  
  - Transportation

## Feeder Patterns

Students entering 9th grade will have a choice to start at Coppell High School Ninth Grade Campus (with an eventual transition to Coppell High School for grades 10-12), or they can complete grades 9-12 at New Tech High @ Coppell (Project-Based Learning High School).

**Coppell High School Ninth Grade Campus**  
(Grade 9)

**New Tech High @ Coppell**  
(Grades 9 - 12)

*C Students from the Townlake Apartment Complex (215 N. Moore Road) will attend Town Center Elementary and Coppell Middle School East.*
COPPELL ISD BY THE NUMBERS
2020-2021 School Year

13,207 Total Students
- Asian: 51.6%
- White: 27.6%
- Hispanic/Latino: 13.2%
- African American: 4.2%
- Two or More Races: 3.1%
- American Indian: 0.3%
- Pacific Islander: 0.1%

Male: 51.2%  Female: 48.8%

Coppell ISD is represented by students from 87 countries with more than 64 languages spoken.

792 Total Teachers

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Average Teaching Experience 10.5 Years  Average Teaching Experience in CISD 5.9 Years

$1.31 Our Tax Rate
- M&O Tax: $1.0514
- Debt Services: $0.2586
- Combined Tax Rate: $1.31 per $100 of property value

2.09¢ from the 2019-20 Tax Rate of $1.3309

15.05¢ from the 2018-19 Tax Rate of $1.4605

IMPORTANT TO KNOW
Nearly 21% of the CISD Budget is used to pay Recapture (Robin Hood) to the State
TEACHING THAT ENGAGES & CULTURE THAT EMPOWERS

Project Based Learning
By instilling a strong work-ethic among our learners, we are helping them develop time management skills and conduct thought provoking work to become future ready.

Community + Business Engagement
Through projects, job shadowing, community service opportunities and other initiatives, our learners grow and gain interpersonal skills to succeed and be productive members of the world around them.

Leadership + Self-Advocacy
Our learners experience many opportunities to develop and grow the leadership, interpersonal and other “soft skills” that will serve them well, both at New Tech and into the future.

Deep Learning
Strong academic rigor is at the core of our great teaching, as we blend state-required education standards with real-world experiences to help our learners grow and thrive academically and personally.

WHO CAN ENROLL?
▷ Incoming 9th, 10th, 11th and 12th grade students who recently moved into the CISD boundaries, attend private school or charter school or who are home schooled.
▷ Open Enrollment is available for incoming 9th, 10th, 11th and 12th graders in Coppell, TX, living outside CISD boundaries, but inside the city limits of Coppell.

NOTE: Enrollment is limited at New Tech High @ Coppell. Check with the campus for space availability before enrolling.

WHEN CAN I START ENROLLING?
▷ Mid January — Legacy learners (those whose siblings attended New Tech) and early action applicants.
▷ Late February/Early March — Current CISD students and those who live within CISD boundaries who currently attend private school, charter school or who are homeschooled.
▷ Mid April — Open Enrollment begins.
▷ Ongoing Enrollment throughout the school year is available for learners new to CISD, depending on available space.

Application details available at www.CoppellISD.com/NewTech
The Curriculum & Instruction Department is dedicated to the success of all students and is committed to excellence in teaching and learning. Collaborating with an incredibly talented instructional staff, the curriculum & instruction department focuses on research-based instructional best practices and works to provide a rigorous curriculum designed to ensure innovative, customized learning opportunities for ALL STUDENTS, by:

- Educating the Whole Student
- Instilling a Lifelong Love of Learning
- Transforming Information and Experiences into Knowledge
- Empowering Problem Solving and Collaboration

Learn more about Curriculum & Instruction in Coppell ISD
www.CoppellISD.com/Curriculum
DIGITAL LEARNING

We use technology as a TEACHING TOOL integrated into the curriculum to instill knowledge, foster collaboration and communication, and demonstrate learning, via:

- 1:1 iPads in Grades PreK-12
- Personalized Courses and Assignments
- Interactive Apps and Digital Portfolios that Demonstrate Learning Outcomes
- Digital Citizenship Initiative and Anti-Cheating Software to Ensure Responsible and Ethical Learning

Learn how Technology in the Classroom Facilitates Enhanced Learning
Coppell ISD is a top-rated school district that lives out its mission each and every day of, “Working together, we are committed to creating profound learning experiences for each child, while nurturing meaningful relationships, to positively impact our world.”

Our schools play a vibrant, critical role in our community. At www.iheartcisd.com, you can read more about our schools, read why our community loves CISD, discover more CISD Points of Pride and more.

Our parents, staff and students say it best sharing why they love our school district. Here are just a few of the reasons our families, students and staff say “I love CISD.”

“Why I love CISD

I love CISD because I get to do cool science experiments and my teacher is awesome and fun!
— Samarth Mahesh, 4th Grade
Richard J. Lee Elementary

I love CISD because we value the importance of diversity and inclusion, respect the multitude of cultures represented in the district, and recognize that it is our differences that makes us strong.
— Raheela Shaikh
Assistant Principal
New Tech High @ Coppell

I love CISD because the district gave me so many opportunities and positive experiences as a learner. Now, as an employee, this district continues to give me opportunities and experiences from which I can learn and grow. I have always felt valued and appreciated in CISD.
— Sabrina Khan, CISD Alumna and Instructional Coach at Austin Elementary

You are immediately given proof that your child is loved, respected and safe everyday. Not only do they learn the basics, but they also are taught compassion, empathy, acceptance, and personal emotional regulation skills.
— CISD Parent

www.iHeartCISD.com
I love CISD because I feel valued and supported both academically and personally.
— Mallory Cooper, 6th Grade
Coppell Middle School East

It’s the individual attention each child receives that is so special. Every teacher and every administrator has made my children feel like family.
— CISD Parent

I love CISD because it has always been home. Mr. Homer Terry came to Colorado and recruited me 23 years ago. He believed in me when I had no idea what I was doing and assured me that teaching was, in fact, my calling. Since that day, I have spent every day trying to prove him right.
— Malachi Ewbank, 5th Grade Teacher
Cottonwood Creek Elementary

CISD is not only a prestigious school district but also a very welcoming one. When someone is new they want to feel the warmth and feel welcomed. You will feel that here.
— CISD Parent

I love CISD because we dream big and do whatever we can to meet all learners’ academic, artistic, and emotional needs
— Eric Hanson
Music Teacher
Wilson Elementary

I love CISD because it is friendly and welcoming to students.
— Adhithi Senthil Manalan, 5th Grade
Valley Ranch Elementary

I LOVE CISD BECAUSE THEY KEEP MY CHILD CHALLENGED AND MEANINGFULLY ENGAGED.
— CISD Parent

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POINTS OF PRIDE

TEXAS EDUCATION AGENCY ACCOUNTABILITY RATING
Note: Districts and Schools Were Not Rated in 2019-2020 Due to COVID-19

STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT

Student Achievement shows how much students know and are able to do at the end of the school year.

SCHOOL PROGRESS

School Progress shows how students perform over time and how that growth compares to similar schools.

CLOSING THE GAPS

The Closing the Gaps domain tells us how well different populations of students in a district are performing.

High School Graduation Rate

98.8%

Average Daily Attendance

96.9%

908 SENIORS IN THE CLASS OF 2021 WERE OFFERED $16,705,634 IN SCHOLARSHIPS

Average ACT

CISD 25.1
State: 20.6
National: 20.7

Average SAT

CISD 1307
State: 1027
National: 1059

885 Advanced Placement (AP) Scholar Awards in 2020 from CHS, CHS9 and NTH@C

STAAR Performance Rate

Approaches Grade Level or Above
All Grades All Subjects
CISD 94%
State 78%

Meets Grade Level or Above
All Grades All Subjects
CISD 80%
State 50%

Masters Grade Level or Above
All Grades All Subjects
CISD 54%
State 24%

Based on the latest available data from the College Board and TEA.
CHS Student Wins Texas Science and Engineering Fair

Coppell High School Senior Zach Vazhekatt won 1st place in the Plant Sciences Division of the Texas Science and Engineering Fair, which was hosted by Texas A&M University in April of 2021. He advanced to the Regeneron International Science and Engineering Fair (ISEF) and became the first CISD student ever to advance to this international competition.

The 2019-2020 CHS Sidekick Newspaper Staff Received the Columbia Scholastic Press Association (CSPA) Silver Crown Award.

CISD Debate Teams’ Success at State and National Competitions

Cross-Examination Debate State Champions
- Arnav Kashyap, Senior, CHS
- Ananya Chintalapudi, Junior, CHS

National Speech and Debate Tournament
- Arnav Kashyap - 1st
- Ananya Chintalapudi - 4th

Arnav is CISD’s first national champion ever at this tournament.

Public Forum Debate State Champions
- Shabbir Bohri, Senior, CHS
- Sahil Chiniwala, Senior, NTH@C

International Debate Competition
- Natasha Banga, Junior, CHS
  Awarded the Second Place Speaker in her division

Lakeside, Richard J. Lee, Valley Ranch and Wilson Elementary Schools’ Texas Student Leadership Teams are 2020 Recipients of Texas Elementary Principals and Supervisors Association (TEPSA) Student Leadership Award for their Contributions to their School and Communities.

Coppell ISD Color Guard Teams are 2021 Winter Guard International (WGI) World Champion Finalists, a First in the Program’s History!
OUR MISSION

WORKING TOGETHER, WE ARE COMMITTED TO CREATING PROFOUND LEARNING EXPERIENCES FOR EACH CHILD, WHILE NURTURING MEANINGFUL RELATIONSHIPS, TO POSITIVELY IMPACT OUR WORLD.

OUR VALUES

ENGAGEMENT
WE VALUE COLLECTIVE ENGAGEMENT THAT POSITIVELY IMPACTS THE LIVES OF OUR CHILDREN AND OUR WORLD.

GREAT TEACHING
WE VALUE GREAT TEACHING BECAUSE WE BELIEVE IT IS KEY TO DEEP LEARNING.

RELATIONSHIPS
WE VALUE AUTHENTIC RELATIONSHIPS. WHEN WE INVEST IN EACH OTHER, WE LEARN AND FLOURISH.

REDEFINING SUCCESS
WE VALUE EACH INDIVIDUAL’S CONTRIBUTION BECAUSE SUCCESS CAN BE DIFFERENT FOR EVERYONE.