

## SCHOOL CHARACTERISTICS

Type: Grades:  
Public 9-12

Faculty & Staff:  
156

14-15 Total Enrollment: 14-15 Senior Class:  
2036 421

Accredited by:  
Texas Education Agency  
Southern Association of Colleges & Schools

CEEB Number:  
444457

### ASSOCIATE PRINCIPALS

Gary Gates – Academic Associate Principal  
T.J. Planas – A-D  
Coletha Johnson – E-L  
Natasha Stewart – M-R  
Rob Romaguera – S-Z

### COUNSELORS

Kim Wilson – A-CL  
Lea Lester – Cm-Gom  
Staci Ross – Gon-Le  
Ashley Wann – Lf-O  
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Lisa Davis – So-Z  
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### PHONE NUMBERS

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## CURRICULUM

It is our goal that each graduate from LRHS successfully gain admission to the college of his or her choice or is able to enter the job market with appropriate skills for a successful career. Lake Ridge High School's curriculum supports this goal by providing a varied and extensive curriculum that challenges and stimulates our students to the highest degree of their abilities.

Our partnership with MISD's Ben Barber Career Tech Academy provides optimal access to specialized career and technology courses, including endorsement opportunities geared towards specific career pathways.

Mansfield Independent School District, in conjunction with the Tarrant County College, offers LRHS juniors and seniors numerous courses for dual credit.

Lake Ridge High School's Advanced Placement courses feature the following: English III, English IV, Calculus AB, Calculus BC, Statistics, Chemistry, Biology, Physics, Environmental Science, Human Geography, World History, European History, US History, Government, Macroeconomics, Microeconomics, Psychology, Computer Science, Studio-Art Drawing, Studio Art – 2-D Design, Studio Art – 3-D Design, Music Theory, Chinese IV, French IV, German IV, Latin IV, Spanish IV, Spanish V

### TRADITIONAL SCHEDULE

Lake Ridge High School operates on the traditional schedule. Eight, 45-minute instructional periods are offered per eighteen week semester. Students can earn up to 8 credits per school year. Students in grades 9-11 are required to take eight classes per semester. Seniors take a minimum of six classes per semester.

### COMMUNITY

Mansfield Independent School District is situated on the southern edge of the Dallas-Fort Worth Metroplex and is only a short distance from either city. The District encompasses 94.5 square miles and is adjacent to South Arlington. The cities of Mansfield, Rendon and parts of Fort Worth, Arlington, Burleson, and Grand Prairie are located within the Mansfield School District boundaries.

## UNIVERSITY INTERSCHOLASTIC LEAGUE

University Interscholastic League programs are offered for both boys and girls in grades 9-12. Lake Ridge High School is part of UIL athletics district 14-5A.

### Athletic Opportunities:

Baseball	Basketball	Cross Country
Diving	Football	Golf
Power Lifting	Soccer	Softball
Swimming	Tennis	Track and Field
Volleyball	Hockey	

### Performing and Fine Arts Opportunities:

Art	Band	Cheerleading
Choir	Color Guard	Debate
Drill Team	Theater	Winter Guard

## GRADING SYSTEM

The district uses a weighted numerical grading system. An "A" is 90-100, "B" is 80-89 and "C" is 70-79. Anything below 70 is failing. In calculating Class Rank, ten points are added to a student's average for successful completion of Pre-AP, AP, and dual credit classes. (Example - 85 in an honors class is computed as 95.) Transcript designations: R-summer school, V-modified content, N/C-no credit, \*-absence failure, HP-Advanced placement/Honors, Q-Pre-AP/ Honors, HD-Honors Dual Credit, L-local credit.

## CLASS RANK & GRADE AVERAGES

Grade averages are based on cumulative work for grades 9-12. Selected eighth grade courses may also be included in a student's grade average. Class ranks are calculated at the end of grades 10 and 11, and after the first semester of 12th grade.

## TEST SCORES

### SAT 2014-2015

#### Overall Mean Scores

	LRHS	State	National
Math	488	486	511
Critical Reading	478	470	495
Writing	457	454	484

### ACT 2014-2015

#### Average Composite Scores

LRHS	20.4
State	20.9
National	21.0

## STATE ASSESSMENT

### STAAR End of Course Exams

#### Passing percentages for the 2015 administration

English/Language Arts	79%
Mathematics	84%
Science	97%
Social Studies	98%

## ADVANCED PLACEMENT

Number of Pre AP Courses	21
Number of AP Courses	28
Total AP Students (2014-15)	813
Number of Exams (2015)	1373

## GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

All students must obtain 26/27 credits. All students must take & pass EOC assessments to graduate in 2016.

### Recommended Plan for Graduation:

English .....	4.0 Credits
Math .....	4.0 Credits
Science .....	4.0 Credits
Social Studies .....	3.0 Credits
Foreign Language .....	2.0 Credits
Health .....	0.5 Credits
P.E. (or substitute*) .....	1.0 Credits
Technology Applications .....	1.0 Credits
Communication Applications .....	0.5 Credits
Fine Arts (or Additional Science) .....	1.0 Credits
Electives .....	5.0 Credits

\*PE substitutions/waivers are as follows: Athletics, Drill Team, Cheerleading, ROTC, first semester Marching Band

In the State of Texas, students who take a third year of foreign language and also take a combination of four indicators from the following will receive the Distinguished Achievement Program seal on their diploma: NMSQT commended scholar or higher, "B" or higher in college courses, or three or higher on AP examination. The minimum diploma may also be awarded for students who take one less science, no foreign language and 8.0 credits of electives.

Dr. Jim Vaszauskas  
*Superintendent*

Dr. Vonda Nunley  
*Principal*

## SCHOOL PROFILE 2015-2016



## LAKE RIDGE HIGH SCHOOL

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