



2021-2022 Francis Howell School District FAST FACTS

The Francis Howell School District is the #1 school district in St. Charles County, as ranked by Niche.com. Encompassing more than 150 square miles in the southeast corner of St. Charles County, the District empowers students to be lifelong learners prepared for the future.

Students

- *Attendance Rate76.5%
- Dropout Rate0.7%
- Free or Reduced Lunch Students...13.7%
- Percentage of K-12 students receiving Special Education Services.....11.5%
- Number of English Learners.....750
- Number of Languages Spoken.....77

Student Ethnicity

- Caucasian.....78.6%
- African-American7.1%
- Hispanic5.2%
- Asian4.1%
- Multi-racial.....4.7%
- Native American/Hawaiian/Pacific Islander...0.3%

Enrollment

- Early Childhood..... 497
- Elementary School7,323
- Middle School3,824
- High School.....5,339
- Alternative Programs160
- Total K-12 enrollment.....16,646

Graduates

- FHSD Graduation rate96.4%
- State Average89.2%
- Scholarships Dollars Earned by Students in 2020-21\$41,682,543

Where our students go after high school

- 4-year College/University..... 48.9%
- 2-year College 30.9%
- Technical/Trade School0.2%
- Total % entering College80%

Achievement

- FHSD Average ACT Score21.4
- State Average.....20.6
- Proficient or Advanced on the MAP test in Communication Arts.....63.6%
- State Average45.3%
- Proficient or Advanced on the MAP test in Mathematics.....53.7%
- State Average35.3%
- Students taking at least one Advanced Placement (AP) Exam.....905
- Total number AP Exams written.....1,629
- Percent of AP Exams scoring three or above for college credit.....72.6%

Staff

- Certified Employees1,255
- Non-Certified Employees.....953
- Administrators73
- Teachers avg. yrs. of experience15.2
- Teachers with advanced degrees.....85.5%
- Student-to-teacher ratio18:1
- State average16:1
- Student-to-administrator ratio210:1
- State average.....168:1

Schools

- Early Childhood Centers3
- Elementary Schools 10
- Middle Schools 5
- High Schools 3
- Alternative High School1
- Alternative Education Center 1

Finances

- Total Budget.....\$316,236,619
- Assessed Valuation\$3,125,043,442
- Local Tax Rate..... \$4.4581
- Operating Expenditures....\$204,830,206

Operating Revenue

- Property tax.....57.3%
- Basic State Aid20.8%
- Prop C sales tax.....8.1%
- Other13.8%

Operating Expenditures

- Salaries.....63.9%
- Benefits22.1%
- General Supplies.....2.4%
- Other11.6%
- Per-pupil expenditure\$12,353
- Average teacher salary \$65,303
- State average \$51,387
- Average administrator salary ...\$115,879
- State average \$96,745

* attendance rate reflects quarantines and other COVID-related absences