

# Students First.

# MARSHALL

## INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

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### CENTRAL ADMINISTRATION

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Superintendent

**DR. REBECA COOPER**

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### DEPARTMENT DIRECTORY

Administrative Services	903-927-8705
Athletics	903-927-8809
Business Office	903-927-8708
Child Nutrition	903-927-8878
Communications	903-927-8727
Facilities/Maintenance	903-927-8859
Health Services	903-927-8744
Human Resources	903-927-8700
Leadership & Learning	903-927-8700
Special Education	903-927-8707
Superintendent's Office	903-927-8701
Technology	903-927-8714
Transportation	903-927-8753

### SCHOOLS DIRECTORY

Marshall High School	903-927-8800
Marshall Junior High	903-927-8830
Price T. Young MS	903-927-8850
Sam Houston MS	903-927-8860
G.W. Carver Elementary	903-927-8871
David Crockett Elementary	903-927-8880
Robert E. Lee Elementary	903-927-8890
J.H. Moore Elementary	903-927-8760
South Marshall STEM Academy	903-927-8770
William B. Travis Elementary	903-927-8780
Washington Early Childhood	903-927-8790

## WELCOME TO MISD: HOME OF THE MAVERICKS!

2016-2017 BACK-TO-SCHOOL INFORMATION

\*First Day of School: Monday, Aug. 22, 2016\*

### MEET THE TEACHER NIGHTS

MISD's annual "Meet The Teacher" nights are coming up later this month. Students and parents will be able to visit their campus, pick up class schedules, and meet their teachers for the upcoming school year. Some "Meet the Teachers" times are still tentative, so please check your child's campus webpage for dates and times in the coming days. MISD will also post "Meet The Teacher" information as it becomes available on our official district Facebook page.



### SCHOOL START/ DISMISSAL TIMES

*Note: House Bill (HB) 2610, passed by the 84th Texas Legislature, amends the Texas Education Code (TEC) §25.081, by striking language requiring 180 days of instruction and replacing this language with language requiring districts*

*and charter schools to provide at least 75,600 minutes of instruction, including intermissions and recess. The bill also allows school districts and charter schools to add minutes as necessary to compensate for minutes of instruction lost due to school closures caused by disaster, flood, extreme weather conditions, fuel curtailment or another calamity.*

#### PRE-KINDERGARTEN (WECC)

7:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. (morning session)  
10:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. (afternoon session)

#### ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS

7:35 a.m. (first bell) to 3:05 p.m. (dismissal)

#### MIDDLE SCHOOLS | MARSHALL JUNIOR HIGH | MARSHALL HIGH SCHOOL

7:55 a.m. (first bell) to 3:35 p.m. (dismissal)

### LEGACY 2017 BUILDING PROGRAM

The 2016-2017 school year marks the last year in which MISD will conduct school in its current grade configuration. The Legacy 2017 building program, which will create three new K-5 elementary schools, a K-5 STEM Academy, and a new junior high school, will reduce MISD's total campus infrastructures from 11 to 7 for the 2017-2018 school year. All building projects are scheduled for completion next summer. Construction will continue at the sites throughout this school year, and we appreciate your patience in and around the construction zones. MISD will communicate any changes to traffic patterns or schedules should they come up throughout the school year as a result of the building program. We are excited about the future with our new schools and we thank all of you for helping us make Marshall Proud and Maverick Strong!





## SCHOOL MENUS

The mission of the Marshall Independent School District Child Nutrition Department is to ensure that every child in the district has access to a healthy, nutritious breakfast and lunch. We strive to provide meals that will appeal to the taste as well as the health of our students. It is our goal, every day, to never have a MISD student leave our schools hungry.

We currently serve approximately 2,000 breakfasts and 4,000 lunches daily. All of our meals meet nutritional guidelines as set forth by the Texas Department of Agriculture (TDA) and the United States Department of Agriculture (USDA).

Weekly campus menus are located on the individual campus webpages on the MISD website at [www.marshallisd.com](http://www.marshallisd.com). You may access a monthly copy of the menus on the website as well by clicking on the "School Lunch Menus" logo. For your convenience, MISD also provides an online, third-party lunch payment service for you to manage your student's lunch account. The service, through My School Bucks, allows parents the opportunity to pay for and manage their child's account from anywhere, anytime, on your computer or cell phone. Parents may sign up for a My School Bucks account at [www.myschoolbucks.com](http://www.myschoolbucks.com).

## DISTRICT POLICE

The Marshall ISD Police Department was officially licensed in November of 2014 and serves as the official security arm of the school district. MISDPD consists of a police chief, three full-time officers, and a department secretary. The MISD Police Department is committed to the safety and security of all school personnel and students, as well as the protection and security management of all school district property.



**MISDPD PHONE NUMBERS**  
Emergency: 911  
Non-Emergency: 903-702-7692  
Fax: 903-935-0203



## STUDENT CODE OF CONDUCT

The Marshall ISD Student Code of Conduct provides methods and options for managing students in the classroom and on school grounds, disciplining students, and preventing and intervening in student discipline problems. This Student Code of Conduct has been adopted by the Marshall ISD Board of Trustees and developed with the advice of the district-level committee. This

Code provides information to parents and students regarding standards of conduct, consequences of misconduct, and procedures for administering discipline. It remains in effect during summer school and at all school-related events and activities outside of the school year until an updated version adopted by the Board becomes effective for the next school year. The Student Code of Conduct is available for download online at [www.marshallisd.com](http://www.marshallisd.com), under the "Parents" link. For questions regarding the Code of Conduct, please contact the MISD Department of Administrative Services at 903-927-8705.

## CONNECT WITH US

Marshall ISD maintains an official Facebook page (Marshall ISD) and a Twitter feed (@MarshallISD). The district also uses School Messenger as our mass notification service. We encourage parents to follow us on both Facebook and Twitter for news and information from around the district, as well as to make sure your phone numbers are always updated through your campus so that you may receive district and campus phone calls and messages through the School Messenger notification system.



## STUDENT DRESS CODE

The Marshall ISD Dress Code has been established to teach grooming and hygiene, prevent disruption, and minimize safety hazards. Uniform dress is required in Pre-K through 8th grade in Marshall ISD. Students and parents may determine a student's personal dress and grooming standards, provided they comply with the guidelines set forth and approved by the MISD Board of Trustees in the Student Dress Code. These guidelines are available online at [www.marshallisd.com](http://www.marshallisd.com), under the "Parents" link.

## SKYWARD FAMILY ACCESS

Marshall ISD utilizes Skyward Family and Student Access to communicate important information to parents such as student grades and attendance history. Parents are encouraged to open a Family Access account so that you may have instant access to your child's progress throughout the school year. A Skyward Family Access User ID is required. To get your ID, please fill out the forms available online at [www.marshallisd.com](http://www.marshallisd.com), or contact your child's campus office.



## SCHOOL CLOSURES

Marshall ISD takes the safety of our students and their families very seriously and will communicate with our stakeholders in the event of a weather-related emergency or other issues. The Superintendent of Schools makes decisions on school schedules

and/or cancellations in these cases, in consultation with administrative staff and departments.

If Marshall ISD must cancel or delay classes due to weather or other issues, parents will be notified by phone alerts, radio, television, district website and social media sites on Facebook (Marshall ISD) and Twitter (@MarshallISD). Parents are urged to follow MISD on both Facebook and Twitter in order to receive any information regarding potential closings, as this method of communication is much faster and will be posted the instant any decision is made regarding school schedule changes or closings. We urge our parents to make sure contact information is updated with your school so our phone notification system can be used more accurately and effectively. If your phone information is not updated through the Family Access system, you will not receive the phone calls.

