

2021-2022 High School Profile

Morris Jeff Community School is an open access, public charter school in New Orleans, Louisiana and welcomes learners of all backgrounds, holding each to the highest expectations. Students are provided with a deep, rich curriculum that engages them in inquiry, develops strong critical thinking skills, and challenges them to a new level of learning. Morris Jeff is diverse by design, beginning with our youngest students. Our student diversity reflects the racial and cultural makeup of New Orleans. Our mission is to prepare students of Morris Jeff to become contributing global citizens, and attain the foundation needed to excel at college, career, and beyond.

Morris Jeff high school students have opportunities to travel abroad, participate in service projects both in and out of their community, and learn in classrooms alongside a diverse swath of learners. Students participate in a challenging, international education that prepares them for college, career, and beyond. The balance of working hard and playing hard is supported by our clubs, sports, arts, and social events that are designed for students to develop their interests beyond the classroom.

WHAT MAKES MORRIS JEFF DIFFERENT?

- Morris Jeff Community School is the only International Baccalaureate World School for Grades PK-12 in Louisiana.
- All students complete the IB Middle Years Programme with a cumulative Personal Project in the 10th grade.
- We offer two diplomas to graduating seniors: TOPS University Diploma and the IB Diploma.

STUDENT DEMOGRAPHICS

1300 students, 3 campuses

53% of students are economically disadvantaged

13% are English Learners

American Indian/Alaskan Native <1%

Asian <1%

African American 50%

White 24%

Hispanic 20%

Multiracial 6%

CAREER AND TECHNICAL EDUCATION PATHWAYS

Graphic Design and Film Editing

Health Courses through New Orleans Career Center

Carpentry Courses through New Orleans Technical Education Provider

ACADEMICS

Morris Jeff offers three International Baccalaureate Programmes: Primary Years Programme, Middle Years Programme, and Diploma Programme. We do not determine class rank. Student's cumulative grade-point averages appear on their end-of-year reports. We offer the following courses:

English I, II, III, IV

Algebra I, II, III

Geometry

Physical Science

Biology

Chemistry

Civics

World Geography

U.S. History

World History

Spanish I, II, III

French I, II

Health Education

PE I, II, III, IV

Visual Arts I, II

IB Applications and Interpretations

IB Analysis and Approaches

IB Global Politics

IB Spanish

IB History

IB Biology

IB French

Yearbook

IB Film

IB Psychology

Algebra III (Pre-Employment Transition Services)

Physics

Carpentry

Quest for Success

Band I, II

Environmental Science

Customer Service

GRADING KEY

A = 93-100

B = 85-92

C = 75-84

D = 67-74

F = 0-66

Terms:

S1 = Semester 1

S2 = Semester 2

Y1 = Year

Z1 = Summer School

SPORTS

Co-ed Sports
Cheerleading
Cross Country
Swimming
Track

Girl's Sports

Basketball
Soccer
Softball
Volleyball

Boy's Sports

Baseball
Basketball
Soccer

CLUBS

Anime Club
Cadet Corps
Cheer Team
Chess Club
Creative Writing

Dance Team
Garden Club
Latin Dance Club
Library Club
Mindfulness Club

Pelican Band
Student Council
Theatre Club
Travel Club
Youth Run NOLA

COLLEGE ADMISSION

We graduated our inaugural senior class in May 2021. Our students have been admitted to the following colleges and universities. Members of our inaugural class are attending institutions with an asterisk.

CEEB and ACT CODE NO: 190033

University of Alabama
University of Alabama at Birmingham
Alabama State University
American Intercontinental University*
Arcadia University
Arkansas Baptist University
Arizona State University
University of Arizona
Belhaven University
Birmingham-Southern College
Boston University
University of California,
Santa Cruz
California Lutheran University
Centre College
Coppin State University
Delgado Community College*
Delta State University*
Dillard University*
University College Dublin
Emory and Henry College*
Full Sail University
Georgia State University
Hawaii Pacific University
Hobart and William Smith Colleges
University of Holy Cross*
Howard University

Humboldt State University
Jackson State University
University of Kansas*
Langston University
Lawson State Community College*
Long Island University
Louisiana State University*
Louisiana State University, Alexandria
Louisiana State University, Eunice*
Loyola University Maryland
Loyola University New Orleans*
University of Louisiana at Lafayette*
University of Louisiana at Monroe
Marymount University
Millsaps College
Mississippi State University
University of Mississippi
Moore College of Art and Design
Morgan State University*
Nazareth College
New York University - Shanghai*
Nicholls State University
Nunez Community College
University of New Orleans*
University of Nevada at Las Vegas

University of North Carolina at
Pembroke*
Oris College of Art and Design
University of North Florida
University of Oregon*
Regis University
Rochester Institute of Technology
Rust College
University of San Francisco
Seton Hall University
Southeastern Louisiana University*
Southern University*
Southern University at New Orleans
St. Andrew's University
St. John's University
St. Joseph's College*
St. Joseph's University
Stillman College
Stony Brook University*
University of Southern Mississippi
University of Texas, Arlington
Villanova University*
University of Washington, Seattle
Wheaton College (Massachusetts)*
Wichita State University
Wiley College
Xavier University of Louisiana*

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