

**717 HARKNESS ST.
JACKSON, GA 30233**

 **(770) 504-2340**

 **<https://www.bcssl2.org/JHS>**

ADMINISTRATION

- Principal: Desmond Foster
- Asst. Principal: Tom Gochenour
- Asst. Principal: Brandi Lowe
- Asst. Principal: Theresa Lubin
- Asst. Principal: Dary Myricks
- CTAE Director: Sohmer McKibben
- Dean of Students/Athletics:

Calvin Scandrett

SCHOOL COUNSELORS

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| • Caroline Dodd | A-L | 9-12 |
| • Lequesha Brooks | M-Z | 9-12 |

FACULTY

- 65 Teachers
- 2 School Counselors
- 1 Social Worker
- 7 Administrators

JACKSON HIGH SCHOOL

High School Profile
CEEB code: III675

MISSION & PURPOSE

At Jackson High School, we have very high expectations for teachers, students and parents. We want our school to provide academic learning and to promote acceptable values and favorable attitudes. We encourage individual discovery, practical experience, and creative work. We want our students to understand now and in the future that hard work and dedication will help them get the most out of life. Respect to themselves, others, and our school is our goal, while also taking responsibility for their actions in all they do. We expect our students to put forth effort and give their best in all their classes, in addition striving towards goals of excellence being college and career ready when they graduate Jackson High School.

OVERVIEW

Jackson High School is a part of the Butts County School System, located approximately 50 miles southeast of Atlanta, Georgia. Jackson High School has been accredited since 1947. Current enrollment for the 2024-2025 school year is 996 students.

Grading Scale

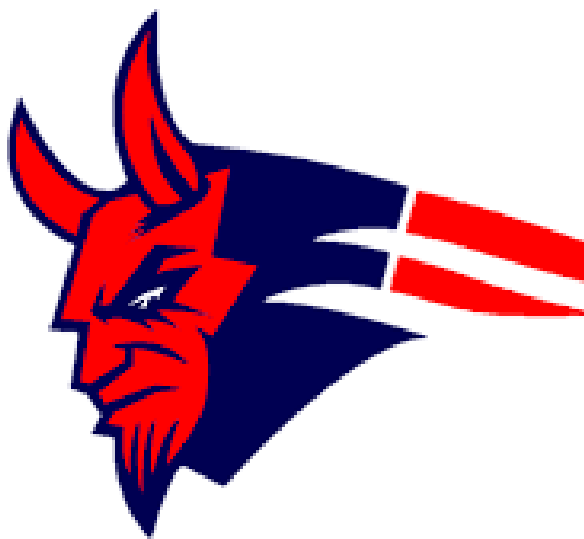
90-100	A
80-89	B
79-70	C
69 or below	F

Grade Classification

Grade level is based upon number of Carnegie units earned

9th Grade	1st year in high school
10th Grade	5 units
11th Grade	11 units
12th Grade	17 units

****25 total required for graduation**



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SCHOOL YEAR

- August-May
- Traditional Block Schedule
- A student can earn up to 8 Carnegie units of credit per academic year

POSTSECONDARY ACCEPTANCE

- 43% -four-year college
- 7% -two-year college
- 40%- Working
- 10%-Other

DIPLOMA SEALS

- Career Ready Diploma Seal
- Civic Engagement Diploma Seal
- International Skills Diploma Seal
- Bi-Literacy Diploma Seal

UNIQUE ASSETS/CURRICULUM

Jackson HS offers a variety of academic, fine arts, and technical courses. Jackson High offer Honors, Advanced Placement and Dual Enrollment course options.

- World History Honors
- US History Honors
- Economics Honors
- Government Honors
- French III Honors
- Spanish II Honors
- Spanish III Honors
- Biology Honors
- Chemistry Honors
- Physics Honors
- World Literature Honors
- American Literature Honors
- Advanced Composition Honors
- Environmental Science Honors
- AP Literature
- AP Biology
- AP Government
- AP World History
- AP US History

WEIGHTING

Honors Courses + 5 points

AP Courses + 10 points

Dual Enrollment + 10 points

CAREER/TECHNOLOGY PATHWAYS

- Agriculture, Food, and Natural Resources
- Architecture and Construction
- Audio Video Technology & Film
- Business Management, and Administration
- Education and Training
- Health Science
- JROTC
- Welding

ATHLETICS AND CLUBS

Basketball | Cross Country | Football | Tennis | Track | Volleyball | Soccer | Softball | Wrestling | Golf | Baseball | Cheerleading | Bass Fishing | Flag Football | One Act Play | Literary | Beta Club | Youth in Government | FBLA | FCA | FCCLA | HOSA | National Honor Society | Red Devils for Life | Future Farmers of America | Leo Club | Keys Club | Ambassadors | Student Council | Academic Team | Speech and Debate Team | Art Club | Interact Club | Book Club | Spanish Club | French Club | International Club | Science STEM Team | Rho Kappa |