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MEMPHIS SCHOOL OF EXCELLENCE

2016-2017 School Profile

The School

Memphis School of Excellence (MSE) is a public charter school serving 480 students in grades 6 through 12. MSE has been serving its community since the 2010-2011 school year.

School Demographics
80% African American
18% Hispanic
1% Asian
1% White

Student to Teacher Ratio: 13 to 1
Average Class Size: 25
Graduation Rate: 100%
Attendance Rate: 96%
Economically Disadvantaged Rate: 94%

Our Staff and Students

Our staff is committed to excellence as they work to prepare our students to achieve their future educational and career goals. 100% of our courses are taught by teachers who are certified and highly qualified in the subject area. Our teachers have earned the highest scores from the state over the last 3 years.

The Curriculum

MSE follows the state curriculum. MSE offers extra periods for math, science, and English classes. MSE regularly tests students to see progress. MSE provides after school tutoring, pull out tutoring, Saturday tutoring, and evening tutoring. MSE does not offer summer school. MSE offers several honors courses for all high school students. Honor classes are weighted 4.5 credits on students' GPA. MSE offered 5 AP classes and plans to increase the number of AP classes every year. AP students will earn 5 credits.

Extracurricular Activities

MSE offers several after school clubs and activities. More than 60% of the students participate in the after school programs.

Middle & High, Boys & Girls Basketball	Middle & High School Student Council	Art Club
ACT Tutoring	Chess Club	Show Choir
Parent Teacher Association (PTA)	Robotics	Volleyball
Science Olympiad	Cross Country	Softball
Soccer	Middle & High School Track	Baseball
Cheerleading	Computer Club	National Honor Society

2015* State Test Results

MSE has improved its test results every year. Based on spring 2015 test results, MSE ranks in the top 10% among all Shelby County Schools. MSE has the highest test results among all neighboring schools within 10 miles. *TN Department of Education will not release spring 2016 tests results for grades K-8

MSE Test Results over the years					
	Proficient & Advanced				
Subject	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
6-8 Math	2.45%	22.40%	34.30%	55.19%	49.00%
6-8 Reading	8.82%	25.40%	29.88%	42.32%	50.00%
6-8 Science	8.82%	26.03%	40.66%	60.17%	74.00%
Algebra 1	5.56%	27.91%	41.67%	78.43%	78.00%
English 1	27.78%	34.88%	53.97%	82.69%	76.00%
English 2	NA	31.30%	37.50%	47.83%	70.00%
Biology	NA	17.65%	66.67%	71.74%	61.00%
English 3	NA	NA	NA	25.00%	NA*
Algebra 2	NA	NA	NA	17.60%	47.00%

*Students enrolled in AP English program

Memphis School of Excellence met all Annual Measurable Objectives (AMO) set by the state and the district over the last 4 years.

Graduation Rate

Memphis School of Excellence has a 100% graduation rate for 2014, 2015 and 2016.

College Readiness

100% of our students are accepted to a 4 year college. The class of 2016 raised more than \$1.4 million in scholarships. The majority of our graduated students participated in the TN Promise program.

ACT Score

MSE's ACT score has gone up at least a point every year. MSE's average score was 13.8 in 2014 and rose to 15.8 in 2015. Our 2016 average score is 16.9. MSE had several students score over a 24 in 2016.