José Martí MAST 6-12 Academy

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SCHOOL PROFILE 2026-2027 CEEB/ACT CODE: 102398

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Miami-Dade County Public Schools

3rd Largest School District in USA

MDCPS has over 500 schools & 138 High Schools

JMMAST ranked 3rd HS in MDCPS by USNews&WR

School & Community Background

Located in the city of Hialeah in northwest Miami-Dade, JMMAST transformed in 2011 from a traditional middle-school, which opened in 1987, to a prestigious public STEM magnet academy teaching approximately 1050 students in grades six through twelve. Most of our students come from 1st and 2nd generation immigrant families as Hialeah is a unique, predominantly Hispanic community with over 90% of its residents speaking Spanish at home, an estimated 20% of its residents living below the national poverty line, and a median income of ~$55,000 in 2025. While our surrounding community is quite mono-culturally Hispanic, some of our students of varied backgrounds travel from considerable distances either by public transport or family efforts to come to our little gem of academics. Despite these challenges, our students thrive in a rigorous curriculum of Honors, AP, and DE courses so that since 2016, we have been ranked as a Top 100 high-school in the US and most recently a Top 20 magnet school in the US (USNews&WR). Our school offers over 40 extracurricular clubs and honor societies, intramural sports, community events and varied opportunities to foster young students into leaders ready to excel outside our realm.

Awards & Accolades

José Martí MAST 6-12 Academy has been recognized nationally with the following honors:
U.S. Dept. of Ed. National Blue Ribbon School 2024
Magnet Schools of America, Excellence or Demonstration School 2013-2024
#55 Nationally Ranked High School in 2026 and Top 100 since 2016 (US News & World Report)
#10 Niche Standout High Schools in Florida for 2026
FL Dept of Education Recognition as "A" Rating 2012-2026
College Board's AP School Honor Roll – Platinum 2023-2025
In the past four years, **JMMAST Silver Knights** have earned the following achievements:
National Merit Scholars, AP Scholars, QuestBridge Scholars, Posse Scholars, CollegeBoard National Recognitions, Gates Foundation Scholarships, Hispanic Scholarship Foundation awards, & more…

School Demographics

Students at JMMAST are comprised as:
Hispanic = 90%
Black = 4%
White = 4%
Asian = 2%

Identify as Female = 45%
Identify as Male = 55%

Free / Reduced Lunch Status = 56% (Class of 2027)
Enrollment in grades 9th-12th = 539 students
Graduating Class of 2027 = 121 seniors
Primary Languages: English, Spanish, & Creole
First-Gen families = 54% (Class of 2027)

School Requirements

High school students enrolled at José Martí MAST Academy have the opportunity of taking all science courses along with the corresponding lab. Students must satisfy the minimum number of credits in English/Language Arts (4 cr.), Natural Sciences (3 cr.), Mathematics (4 cr.), Social Sciences (3 cr.), and Foreign Languages (2 cr.) in order to graduate. Credits can be earned by taking the appropriate Honors and/or Advanced Placement Courses. Students must maintain a 2.5 cumulative unweighted GPA in these core academic classes if they wish to remain enrolled at JMMAST.

Prior to graduation, students must fulfill their community service component by volunteering for a minimum of 20 hours in a service project. A project proposal must be approved by the Student Services office prior to engaging in their chosen service activity.

All students are given opportunities to participate in a myriad of honor societies, interest clubs, community activities, as well as the eligibility to participate in athletics at their home schools since we do not have a high school athletic program.

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District-wide Grading System

Letter Grade	Percent (%)	4.0 Scale	Grade Point Value
A	100-90	4.00 - 3.50	4
B	89-80	3.49 - 2.50	3
C	79-70	2.49 - 1.50	2
D	69-60	1.49 – 1.00	1
F	59-0	.99 – 0	0
I	0	0	0

Calculating GPA

Letter Grade	*Grade Points*	*Points Added to Weighted GPA*		
		Honors	AP	DE
A	4	1	2	2
B	3	1	2	2
C	2	1	1	1
D	1	0	0	0
F	0	0	0	0

Class of 2027 Academic Profile

Breakdown of Weighted GPA

22% of co27 has 5.0 (w) or higher

88% of co27 has 4.0 (w) or higher

All students have enrolled in at least one AP course

100% Graduation Rate since 2015

Matriculation Data

Our students have **Enrolled** to these schools in recent years

American Univ • Barnard College • Barry Univ • Boston College • Boston Univ • Broward College • Brown Univ • Carnegie Mellon Univ • Case Western Reserve Univ • Chapman Univ • Colby College • Columbia Univ • Cornell Univ • Dartmouth College • Davidson College • Duke Univ • Embry Riddle Aeronautical Univ • Emory Univ • Florida A & M Univ • Florida Atlantic Univ • Florida Gulf Coast Univ • Florida Institute of Technology • Florida International Univ • Florida Polytechnic Univ • Florida State Univ • Franklin & Marshall College • Georgetown Univ • Georgia Institute of Technology • Hamilton College • Harvard Univ • Harvey Mudd College • Honors College at Miami-Dade • Howard Univ • Johns Hopkins Univ • Massachusetts Institute of Technology • Mass. Maritime Academy • Miami-Dade College • Mount Holyoke College • New College of Florida • New York Univ • Nova Southeastern Univ • Penn State Univ • Pomona College • Princeton Univ • Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute • Rice Univ • Rutgers Univ • Santa Fe College • St. John's Univ • St. Thomas Univ • Stanford Univ • Syracuse Univ • Tallahassee State College • Tennessee State Univ • The Ohio State Univ • Tufts Univ • Univ of California – L.A. • Univ of Central Florida • Univ of Chicago • Univ of Florida • Univ of Miami (FL) • Univ of Michigan - Ann Arbor • Univ of North Dakota • Univ of North Florida • University of Notre Dame • Univ of Pennsylvania • Univ of Pittsburgh • Univ of South Florida • Univ of Southern California • Valencia College • Vanderbilt Univ • Yale University

COURSES OFFERED

(H) denotes HONORS course

ENGLISH/LANG ARTS

English I-II-III-IV (H)
World Literature (H)
AP English Language & Comp
AP English Literature & Comp

MATHEMATICS

Algebra I-II (H)
Geometry (H)
Discrete Math (H)
Pre Calculus (H)
AP Pre Calculus
AP Calculus AB
AP Calculus BC
AP Statistics

FOREIGN LANGUAGES

Spanish I - II - III (H) - IV (H)
Spanish S I - II - III (H)
AP Spanish Lang & Culture
AP Spanish Literature & Culture

SOCIAL SCIENCES

Econ w/ Financial Lit (H)
U.S. Government (H)
U.S. History (H)
World History (H)
AP Comparative Govt
AP European History
AP Human Geography
AP Macroeconomics
AP U.S. Government
AP World History

NATURAL SCIENCES

Biology (H) + Lab
Chemistry (H) + Lab
Physics I (H) + Lab
AP Biology + Lab
AP Chemistry + Lab
AP Physics I + Lab
AP Physics C: Mech & E/M

ACADEMIC ELECTIVES

AP Studio Art • AP Drawing • AP Art History
AP Business w Pers Fin • AP Computer Science A
AP Computer Science Principles • AP Cybersecurity
AP Enviro Science • AP Psychology • AP Seminar • AP Research
Anatomy & Physiology (H) • Applied Communications I-II
Art I-II-III (H) • Astronomy • BioTech (H) • Botany (H)
Career Research • Digital Information Technology
Engineering Tech Level I-III (H) • Environmental Science (H)
Forensic Science I-II (H) • Game Development & Sims I-III
Law Studies • Leadership Skills • Marine Science (H)
Political Science • Programming Essentials (H) • Psychology I-II (H)
Team/Dual/Indv Sports • Theatre I-II • TV Productions I-V (H)
Web Tech (H) • Zoology

*** A wide variety of other core & elective courses are available through FLVS & Dual Enrollment**

Florida Virtual School (FLVS)
Accredited by SACS & AdvancED

Students can enroll in an online FLVS course in lieu of attending class in a traditional classroom environment. They can also obtain extra credits by taking a course in the evening or summer. Students can choose from 100+ different courses.

Dual Enrollment (DE)
Accredited by State Approved Institution (MDC &/or FIU)

Students that pass the Postsecondary Education Readiness Test (PERT) are eligible to take college courses at Miami-Dade College. We provide transportation to and from the college for all eligible students. If a student prefers to take courses after school, they can do so at Miami-Dade College or at Florida International University.