**Central High School**  
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### 2021-2022 School Profile

#### Principal
Dr. Terri Godfrey

#### Assistant Principals
Dr. Kris Larson  
Mr. Jason Simpson  
Mr. Jason Tolen

#### Counselors
Mrs. Katherine Kimble – Dept. Chair  
Mrs. Natalie Adkins  
Mrs. Casey Arney  
Mrs. Sarah Dudeck  
Mr. Mark Peterson

#### A+ Coordinator
Ms. Lora Davison

#### College and Career Advisor
Mrs. Megan McCamy

#### Activities Director
Mr. David Lau

#### School Social Worker
Mrs. LaVell Rucker

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### District Information
The enrollment for the St. Joseph School District is approximately 10,877 students. There are 14 elementary schools, 4 middle schools, 3 high schools, 1 technical school, 1 alternative school, 2 preschool sites and a Virtual Academy. SJSD has 908 certified staff members and approximately 757 support staff members. The St. Joseph School District is accredited by the Missouri Department of Elementary and Secondary Education.

### School Information
Central High School is the second oldest high school west of the Mississippi River, and it is the largest high school in Northwest Missouri. There are 99 certified faculty members and 58 support staff members.

### Enrollment for 2021-2022

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<tr>
<th>Grade</th>
<th>Number of Students</th>
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<tr>
<td>Seniors</td>
<td>365</td>
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<td>Juniors</td>
<td>350</td>
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<td>Sophomores</td>
<td>445</td>
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<td>Freshmen</td>
<td>488</td>
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<td><strong>TOTAL</strong></td>
<td><strong>1,648</strong></td>
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### Class Information
Central operates on a seven-period schedule, with each period meeting for 50 minutes. Also incorporated into the school day is a 25 minute "Academic Seminar" which helps prepare students for the future beyond their high school years. Central's school year is divided into two semesters that allow for a total of 173 instructional days. Credits are assigned on a semester basis – ½ unit of credit per class.

### Follow-Up Information for the Class of 2020

<table>
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<tr>
<th>Category of Students</th>
<th>Percentage of Students</th>
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<tr>
<td>Students attending 4-year college/university</td>
<td>50.4%</td>
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<tr>
<td>Attending a 2-year college or technical school</td>
<td>6.1%</td>
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<td>Military involvement</td>
<td>0.9%</td>
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<td>Employed</td>
<td>24.6%</td>
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<td>Entering some other field</td>
<td>3.5%</td>
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ACT Mean Composite Scores for 2016-2020

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<td>21.9</td>
<td>21.1</td>
<td>20.5</td>
<td>21.2</td>
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Grade Scale

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<th>Percentage</th>
<th>Standard</th>
<th>Honors</th>
<th>*AP, DC, DE</th>
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<td>A</td>
<td>94-100%</td>
<td>4.00</td>
<td>4.50</td>
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<td>A-</td>
<td>93-90%</td>
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<td>B+</td>
<td>87-89%</td>
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<tr>
<td>B</td>
<td>83-86%</td>
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<tr>
<td>B-</td>
<td>80-82%</td>
<td>2.75</td>
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<tr>
<td>C+</td>
<td>77-79%</td>
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<td>C</td>
<td>73-76%</td>
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<td>C-</td>
<td>70-72%</td>
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<td>D+</td>
<td>67-69%</td>
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<td>D</td>
<td>63-66%</td>
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<td>D-</td>
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Graduation Requirements

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<th>Curricular Areas</th>
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<tr>
<td>English Language Arts</td>
<td>4 units of credit</td>
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<tr>
<td>Social Studies</td>
<td>3 units of credit</td>
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<tr>
<td>Mathematics</td>
<td>3 units of credit*</td>
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<td>Science</td>
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<td>Physical Education</td>
<td>1 units of credit</td>
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<td>Health</td>
<td>0.5 unit of credit</td>
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<tr>
<td>Fine Arts</td>
<td>1 unit of credit</td>
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<td>Practical Arts</td>
<td>1 unit of credit</td>
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<td>Personal Finance</td>
<td>0.5 unit of credit</td>
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<tr>
<td>World Languages</td>
<td>0 units of credit*</td>
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<td>Electives</td>
<td>7.5 units of credit</td>
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<tr>
<td>Community Service</td>
<td>10 hours**</td>
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* College entrance requirements vary. Some may require more units in these areas.

Missouri A+ Designated High School
The A+ program requirements include: students to maintain a cumulative GPA of 2.5 or higher on a 4.0 scale, have 95% overall attendance for grades 9-12, complete 50 hours of unpaid tutoring/mentoring, earn a proficient or advanced score in the Algebra I EOC exam or attain a qualifying score on an approved standardized test, maintain a record of good citizenship and avoid the unlawful use of drugs and/or alcohol while in grades 9-12, and graduate from an A+ designated high school. A student will become A+ certified after completing all requirements set forth by the state of Missouri.
Honors, AP, DC/DE Class Offerings

*AP Classes (15)
*AP 2-D Portfolio
*AP 3-D Portfolio
*AP American Government
*AP American History
*AP Biology
*AP Drawing Portfolio
*AP English Lang Arts 11
*AP English Lang Arts 12
*AP European History
*AP French
*AP Latin
*AP Music Theory
*AP Physics
*AP Spanish
*AP Statistics

*AP/DC Classes (1)
*AP/DC Calculus

*DC/DE Classes (1)
*DC/DE College Algebra

*DC Classes (4)
*DC Am History
*DC Biology
*DC Chemistry
*DC Trigonometry

*DE Classes (1)
*DE Composition

*Honor Classes - Continued
*Honors Chamber Choir
*HSB-Business Economics
*HSB-Business Strategies
*HSB-Principles of Business
*HSB-Principles of Finance
*HSB-Principles of Management
*HSB-Principles of Marketing
*Intro to Calculus
*Latin III
*Latin IV
*Math Reasoning & Modeling
*Microbiology
*Modern American History
*Physics
*PLTW Biomedical Science
*PLTW Computer Integrated Manufacturing
*PLTW Intro to Engineering Design
*PLTW Principles of Engineering
*School Publications II
*Spanish III
*Spanish IV
*Sports Marketing II
*Statistics
*TAG Literature/Humanities 9
*TAG Literature/Humanities 10
*TAG Literature/Humanities 11
*TAG Literature/Humanities 12
*Theatre Arts
*World History

AP = Advanced Placement
DC = Dual Credit
DE = Dual Enrollment
HSB = High School of Business
PLTW = Project Lead the Way
TAG = Talented and Gifted