Kensington Creative & Performing Arts High School (NS)

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Student Enrollment: 527

Admission Requirements:

Residence within the Kensington Multiplex catchment area. Admission for students outside the catchment area is based on space availability and lottery.

Feeder Schools:

Memphis St. Charter School. Hartranft, Hunter, McKinley, Welsh, & Brown

SEPTA Routes:

3, 39, 57, 89, Market-Frankford Line

Citywide Access Program:

School Progress Report (SPR)

Performance TierIntervene

AchievementIntervene

ProgressIntervene

Climate Watch College & Career.....Intervene

Performance Tier by Domain:

Overall SPR

(based on space availability)

Digital Media Production



Mission & Approach to Learning:

The mission of Kensington Creative and Performing Arts High School is to provide our students with a rigorous academic program and comprehensive educational experiences in a safe, supportive learning environment which will prepare students for postsecondary studies, careers, and opportunities in the fields of the expressive arts.



Points of Pride:

LEEDS Platinum Certification; Gear Up Grant creating a College Going Environment; Wings partnership providing scholarships for seniors; Monthly service learning and project-based learning days; Student artwork and photography shown at local galleries; Arts performances, concerts, and shows throughout the year; Active student leadership council; Comprehensive Introduction to the Arts curriculum for 9th grade students; annual Spirit Week; Peer Mentoring program; State of the art technology in all academic classrooms; state of the art facilities.



Courses & Program Highlights:

Approved CTE Program:

(citywide access, based on space availability)

• Digital Media Production

Advanced Placement Courses:

- Biology
- Calculus
- English Literature and Composition
- Environmental Science

Program: Creative and Performing Arts (dance, theater, vocal and instrumental music, visual art)



Partnerships:

- College Access Program
- · Community College of Philadelphia
- Congreso de Latinos Unidos
- GEAR UP
- Kensington School and Community Coalition
- LULAC
- Philadelphia Education Fund
- Philadelphia Higher Education Network for Neighborhood Development (PHENND)
- Rotary Club of Philadelphia
- Temple University
- Wings
- · Youth United for Change

Extracurricular Activities:

- Choir
- Cinematography
- Dance
- Drumline
- · Music Production
- Peer Mediators
- · Science Olympiad
- Sports
- Songwriting Club
- Student Government
- Theater
- Yearhook
- 21st Century Community Learning Center



Sports Teams:

- Badminton
- Baseball
- Basketball—Boys' JV and Varsity
- Basketball—Girls' Varsity ad JV and Boys' Varsity and JV
- Football
- Soccer—Girls' and Boys'
- Softball
- Volleyball—Girls' and Boys'
- Wrestling