



INDIANAPOLIS CLASSICAL SCHOOLS HONORS & DISTINCTIONS

- 2020 Herron High School awarded the National Blue-Ribbon School Award as an Exemplary High Performing School.
- 2019 - 2020 Riverside High School receives an “A” grade on the Indiana Department of Education accountability report card.
- 2019 - 2020 The combined ISTEP+ pass rate for Herron High School and Riverside High School scholars are the highest and third-highest of all high schools in Marion County.
- 2019 Ranked as the #5 public high school in Indiana according to US News and World Report, ahead of all of other central Indiana high schools. (HHS)
- 2019 Riverside High School students outperform the national average for growth on standardized assessments by 500 percent.
- 2017 Riverside High School (RHS) opens. Indianapolis Classical Schools (ICS) emerges.
- 2014- 2018 Designated a Gold Medal School by US News and World Report magazine. (HHS)
- 2014 Presented with Institute for Quality Education’s “Quality Matters” award for excellence in education. (HHS)
- 2012-18 Ranked among the top 1 percent of high schools nationwide by Newsweek, US News and World Report and The Washington Post. (HHS)
- 2012-20 Herron High School receives an “A” grade on the Indiana Department of Education accountability report card.
- 2011 Ranked #2 in Indiana and #208 overall in the nation in The Washington Post’s “High School Challenge Index.” (HHS)
- 2010 Honored with the NUVO Cultural Vision Award for outstanding contributions to the community for new ideas, original work and fresh solutions for stubborn problems in urban education. (HHS)
- 2010 Ranked #27 in the nation on Newsweek’s list of “America’s Best High Schools.” (HHS)

- 2009 Ranked as the top-performing public high schools in the state according to the Indiana Dept of Education's improvement and accountability framework. (HHS)
- 2007 Herron High School students achieved the highest ISTEP scores of all public high schools in Marion County in language arts and math.
- 2006 Herron High School (HHS) opens.

Other notable distinctions:

- The graduation rate for the Herron High School Class of 2020 is more than 99 percent, far exceeding Indiana Department of Education targets and state averages | 100 percent of graduates pursuing post-secondary education or military service are accepted | Scholars earned \$16.7 million in college scholarships.